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EDUCATION

Stanford Graduate School of Business

2023-Present

PhD Student in Finance

The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania

2017-2021

summa cum laude

B.S., Major in Finance and Statistics

College of Arts and Sciences, University of Pennsylvania

2017-2021

summa cum laude

B.A., Major in Mathematical Economics (Honors)

EXPERIENCE

Pre-doctoral Research Associate at Harvard Business School

July 2021 - July 2023

Worked with Prof. Boris Vallee and Prof. Jonas Heese on academic research projects about financial innovations, public finance, and corporate misconducts.

Economics Research Intern at the Brookings Institution

May 2020 - Aug 2020

Assisted Prof. Eswar Prasad prepare the book *The Future of Money: How the Digital Revolution is Transforming Currencies and Finance* with research focus on Central Bank Digital Currency development.

Private Equity Summer Analyst, Arcadia Investment Partners

May 2019 - Aug 2019

Assisted in the due diligence and execution of fund investments, conducted primary industry research, and built complex financial models.

ACADEMIC WRITINGS

- Inferring Spatial Wages Distribution from Bilateral Commuting Choices in France (PDF)
 Recipient of Penn's College Alumni Society Undergraduate Research Grant
- Understanding Real Economic Activity During COVID-19 Using a Dynamic Factor Model Decomposition (PDF)

Best Undergraduate Thesis awarded by Penn Economics Department

AWARDS AND GRANTS

- Dimitrijevic Fellowship, Stanford, 2024
- The Chester N. Weaver Fellowship, Stanford, 2023
- Lawrence R. Klein Prize for Outstanding Research in Economics, UPenn, 2021
- Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society, 2021
- Beta Gamma Sigma Honor Society, 2019

PERSONAL INFORMATION

- Languages: Chinese (native), English (fluent)
- Hobbies: soccer, running, golf, wine tasting, reading about ancient Chinese philosophers
- Leadership: Harvard Chinese Soccer Team captain, West Philadelphia Tutoring Project section leader, Penn Wharton China Summit panel organizer