**EDUCATION**

**The University of Pennsylvania:** PhD, History

Philadelphia, PA, USA

August 2015—present

* Coursework, research, and teaching at the Department of History;
* Doctoral Exam: Passed in June 2018 with distinction;
* Exam Fields: Late-Imperial and Modern China; Early Modern and Modern Japan; U.S. and World;
* Attained Certification for teaching World History;
* Academic Interests: Popular Entertainment during the Mao Era, Popular Culture in the Cultural Revolution, Information Studies, China in the First World War, East Asian International Relations, Trans-Pacific Relations, World History;
* Primary advisor: Professor Arthur Waldron.

**Peking University:** M.A., History

Beijing, China

September 2011—July 2014

* Completed research dissertation titled “Relying on America: A Study of Committee on Public Information’s Propaganda in China and China’s Pursuit of a New National Identity, Sep.1918-May 1919”;
* Conducted archival research across a range of government, university, and private archives in Beijing and Washington D.C. in 2012 and 2013;
* Primary advisor: Wang Lixin;
* GPA: 3.8/4.0 (GPA in history major 3.96/4.0).

**Sichuan University:** B.A., History

Chengdu, China

September2007**—**July 2011

* Completed research dissertation titled “The Analysis of U.S. Congress and the Issue of Most Favored Nations Treatment of the PRC, 1989-1994”;
* Primary Supervisor: Yuan Zujie;
* GPA: 3.56/4.0 (GPA in history major: 3.62/4.0).

**HONORS and AWARDS**

**The University of Pennsylvania:**

* Benjamin Franklin Fellowship 2015-2020
* Upenn CSCC Research Grant 2020
* Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship 2018-2019
* Upenn CEAS Student Research Travel Grant 2018-2019
* Henry Luce Foundation Predissertation-Summer Travel Grant 2019
* Lynn H. Lees and Annenberg Dissertation Travel Grant 2017

**Peking University:**

* The Second-Grade Graduate Fellowship, Peking University 2013
* The Second-Grade Graduate Scholarship in History Department, Peking University 2013
* The First-Grade Graduate Fellowship, Peking University 2011-2012

**Sichuan University:**

* The Third-Grade Undergraduate Scholarship, Sichuan University 2010
* Outstanding Student Award, Sichuan University 2010
* The Third-Grade Specialized Scholarship for Excellent Academic Records, Sichuan University 2009
* The Second-Grade Specialized Scholarship for Excellent Academic Records, Sichuan University

2008

**PUBLICATIONS**

* “‘Relying on America’: The CPI’s Propaganda in China and Its Influence on China’s Pursuit of a New National Identity before the May Fourth Movement,” *Frontiers of History in China*, Vol.14, No.3, 2019, pp.427-457.

(The Chinese version of this article was published on *Collected Papers of History Studies,* Vol.1, 2016, pp.46-57)

* “Historiography on U.S. Foreign Propaganda during WWI,” in Xu Lan edited, *Modern International Relations* (No. 11), World Knowledge Publisher, 2017.
* “Introduction on CPI Archive,” in Xu Lan edited, *Modern International Relations* (No.11), World Knowledge Publisher, 2017.
* “The Analysis of U.S. Congress and the Issue of MFN Treatment to PRC, 1989-1994,” *Journal of Department of History,* Tsinghua University, Vol.5, pp.152-175.
* “Du *Shiji wudi benji* zhaji” [The Reading and Analysis of “Five Emperors of the Millennium” Chapter in *Shih Chi*], *Dajia* [Master], Vol.15, 2010, pp.34-35.
* Forthcoming Project: Translator for the Chinese version of William H. McNeill, *The Global Condition: Conquerors, Catastrophes, and Community,* Princeton University Press, 1992 (Published in China in 2020).

**ACDEMIC EXPERIENCE**

**Presenter:** New England Regional Conference for Asian Studies (NEAAS)

Brandeis University, U.S.

Oct 6, 2018

* Presented paper titled: “From City to Hinterland: Rethinking the Cultural Revolution Popular Entertainment"

**Presenter:** New York Conference on Asian Studies (NYCAS)

Rochester Institute of Technology, U.S.

Sep 21-22, 2018

* Presented paper titled: “The Reception of the Cultural Revolution Opera in Countryside China: A Case Study in Xiying Village”.

**Dissertation Workshop and Archival Research:**

U.S., China

May 2017—August 2017

* Completed the research proposal on “Study of Transpacific Shipping Liners from China to the U.S., 1867-1912.”
* Conducted archival research across a range of government, university, institution, and private archives in the Guangdong Province.

**Research Fellow:**  *The National Social Science Fund of China*

U.S., China

2015—2017

* Data-gathering, research, and translation for the National Project “American Culture Foreign Relations before the Cold War”.

**Research Fellow:**  *Key Project of Beijing Ministry of Education*

U.S., China

2015—2017

* Data-gathering, research, and translation for the Project “Archival Collection and Historiography on Cultural Foreign Relations”.

**Research Assistant and Workshop Organizer:**  American History Workshop in PKU history department

Beijing, China

September 2011—June 2014

* Selected and organized reading on the study of American History, especially on issues of Chinese-American relations;
* Attendants included faculty and students from the department of history at Peking University

**Research Fellow and Presenter:** Academic Workshop organized by Peking University, Tsinghua University, and Renming University of China

Beijing, China

September 2011—June 2014

* Presented Paper titled “U.S. Congress and the Issue of MFN Treatment to PRC, 1989-1994”. The paper was incorporated into my B.A. dissertation.

**Research Fellow:** Summer Workshop “U.S. Immigration, Ethnicity and Race” (cosponsored by Organization of American Historians and American History Research Association of China)

Changchun, China

June 3-21, 2013

**Conference Assistant:** International Symposium on Democracy, Republicanism, and State Building in the Age of Jefferson (cosponsored by Peking University and the Robert H. Smith International Center for Jefferson Studies at Monticello)

Beijing, China

November 16-18, 2012

* Assisted in planning for conference by preparing program and promotional materials; coordinated catering logistics during the days of the conference.

**EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE**

**Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, University of Pennsylvania:** Teaching Fellow

Philadelphia, PA

August 2016- May 2018

* Grader for course “American Diplomatic History since 1776” under Professor Walter McDougall; responsible for grading all assignments of 46 undergraduate students.
* Grader for course “Introduction to Asian American History” under Professor Eiichiro Azuma; responsible for grading all assignments of 44 undergraduate students.
* Teaching assistant for course “East Asian Diplomacy” under Professor Frederick Dickinson; responsible for assignments for 32 undergraduate students; hold weekly recitation sections for discussion of course materials including primary sources, second sources, and multimedia sources.
* Teaching assistant for course “Making of A Modern World” under Professor Lee Cassanelli; responsible for grading all assignments of 29 students; hold weekly recitation sections for discussion of source materials including primary sources, second sources, and multimedia sources; helped to design discussion questions and exam questions; guest lecturer for “The Opium Wars in China.”

**SKILLS**

**Languages:** native level in Mandarin Chinese; proficient in written Traditional and Simplified Chinese; fluent in English; reading knowledge in Japanese.