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Education

2027 (Expected) Ph.D., Philosophy, Duke University
Dissertation: *Confucian Human Dignity*
Supervisor: David B. Wong

2022 M.A., Chinese Philosophy and Culture, Fudan University
Thesis: *Confucian Liberalism: Individuals, Freedom & Benevolent Government*
Advisor: Tongdong Bai
Dean's Award for Outstanding Master's Thesis

2017 P.B.D. Arts, Philosophy, Simon Fraser University
2009 Bcom., International Business, University of Northern British Columbia

Certifications

2027 (In progress) Certificate in College Teaching, Duke University
2016 Passport to Leadership Certificate Level I, Simon Fraser University

Publication: Book Reviews

2024 Review of “Vermander, Benoît, The Encounter of Chinese and Western Philosophies: A Critique”, *23 (3):519-527 (2024).*

Conferences & Invited Talks

2024 “Incomplete Bodies in Early Confucianism and Zhuangzi”: Invited Talk, Fudan University, Shanghai, May 28

2024 “Was Confucius irrational to pursue a hopeless goal? Evidence, prospects and haoxue 好學”, American Philosophical Association Pacific Division Meeting, Association of Chinese Philosophers of America Panel, Portland, OR, March 20-23

2024 “Haoxue 好學, Imperfect Exemplars and Society”, American Philosophical Association Central Division Meeting, International Society for Chinese Philosophy Panel, New Orleans, LA, February 22

2023 “Misrule and Min in the Mencius: A right of rebellion or merely reactive resistance?” MANCEPT Workshop, University of Manchester, Online, September 11-13

2023 “Min (民) in the Mencius: Not quite power to the people” American Philosophical Association Central Division Meeting, International Society for Chinese Philosophy Panel I, Denver, CO, February 24

2022 “Music as Experiential Moral Knowledge in Early Confucianism” American Philosophical Association Central Division Meeting, International Society for Chinese Philosophy Panel, Chicago, IL, February 24

2022 “A Confucian Human-Centered Account of Animal Care” American Philosophical Association Pacific Division Meeting, Association of Chinese Philosophers of America Panel, Vancouver, BC, April 14

Local Campus Talks

- 2024 “Filial Piety as the Cardinal Virtue of Confucian Moral Life”: Graduate Work-In-Progress, Duke University, November 15
- 2015 “Do Animals Have Rights?” Philosophy Undergraduate Student Colloquium, Simon Fraser University, Burnaby

Competitive Grants, Fellowships & Workshops

- 2025 Summer Research Fellowship for Third-Year Ph.D. Students and Beyond, Duke University
- 2021 Tuition scholarship, School of Philosophy, Fudan University
- 2020 Tuition scholarship, School of Philosophy, Fudan University
- 2013 Hy Aisenstat Scholarship, Simon Fraser University

Academic Awards

- 2022 Dean’s Award for Outstanding Master’s Thesis, School of Philosophy, Fudan University.
- 2022 Valedictorian, School of Philosophy, Fudan University
- 2008 Letter of Recognition from Dean of Mathematics, Excellence in Calculus for Non-Majors, University of Northern British Columbia

Courses as Instructor of Record

- 2026 Introduction to Philosophy (PHIL 103S)

Teaching Assistantships

- 2025 What Rules Do We Need? (PHIL 160), Dr. Alex Rosenberg, Duke University
- 2025 Marx, Nietzsche, Freud (Phil 380), Dr. Henry Pickford, Duke University
- 2024 Philosophy and Methodology of Economics (PHIL 345), Dr. Jennifer Jhun, Duke University
- 2024 Political Philosophy of Globalization (PHIL 237A), Dr. Alex Rosenberg, Duke University
- 2024 International Business (MMS 325A), Dr. Martha Reeves, Duke University
- 2024 Problems in Ethical Theory (PHIL 201), Dr. David B. Wong, Duke University
- 2023 Philosophy of Economics (PHIL 345), Dr. Alex Rosenberg, Duke University

Selected Service Activity

Conference organizing

- 2025 Co-Organizer, NECCT (Northeast Conference on Chinese Thought)
- 2025 Co-Organizer, MAP Colloquium, Panel Discussion, and Teaching Workshop

To Profession

- 2024 Organizer, Graduate Works-In-Progress, Department of Philosophy, Duke University
- 2024 Co-Chair, Minorities and Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, Duke University
- 2024 Session Chair, ISCP Panel at the Pacific APA, Portland
- 2024 Faculty Meeting Representative, Department of Philosophy, Duke University
- 2023 Fellow, Collaborative Learning (*Sihaiweixue* 四海為學) Works in Progress Series
- 2023 Faculty Meeting Representative, Department of Philosophy, Duke University
- 2023 Volunteer, North Carolina Philosophy Association Conference, Duke University

2022 Social activity organizer, Department of Philosophy, Duke University
2016 Tutoring Coordinator, Department of Philosophy, Simon Fraser University
2015 Vice-President, Undergraduate Philosophy Student Union, Simon Fraser University
2014 Tutoring Coordinator for PHIL 150 Natural Deductive Logic, Dr. Ray Jennings, Department of Philosophy, Simon Fraser University

Other Academic, Training, and Employment Activity

2023 Certificate, Early Modern Political Philosophy in Comparative Perspectives, International Philosophy Summer School at Fudan University (Certificate of Completion), August 5-16
2023 Delegate, Duke-UNC China Leadership Summit, Durham, NC, March 24-26
2021 Certificate, Confucian Studies Online Summer Institute, Beijing Foreign Studies University
2022 Classical Chinese Language Tutoring, Fudan University
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2020 20-Hour Power Yoga Teacher Training, One Yoga for the People, Vancouver
2012 500-Hour Registered Yoga Teacher Certification Prana Yoga College, Vancouver

Professional Associations

American Philosophical Association, 2016, 2018, 2021-24
China Studies Association of Australia, 2021-22

Languages

English: Native
Primary research language: classical Chinese
Low intermediate proficiency: Chinese, Japanese, German, French, Spanish

REFERENCES

Available upon request.