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Education

Ph.D. Candidate, Economics and Education, Columbia University	Expected 2024
M.Phil, Economics and Education, Columbia University	2023
MA, Economics and Education, Peking University	2018
BA, Public Affairs Administration, Beijing Normal University	2015

References:

Professor Alex Eble Columbia University eble@tc.columbia.edu	Professor Randall Reback Columbia University rreback@barnard.edu
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Research Fields:

Primary fields: Economics and Education, Industrial Organization
Secondary fields: Labor Economics, Applied Microeconomics

Research Projects

School Competition, Resource Allocation, and Inequality in Student Outcomes (Job Market Paper)

The Impact of Unexpected School Closures on Student Achievement: Evidence from California (with Yifeng Luo)

Winners and Losers: The Distributional Effects of Transportation on College Monopsony Power (with Yifeng Luo)

The Impact of Tuition Free Policy in Secondary Vocational Schools in China on Student Enrollment (with Zhilei Tian)

Teaching Experience:

Fall 2023	TA, Statistics for Economics, Barnard College
2021-2023	TA, Data Analysis for Policy and Decision Making II, Teachers College
Summer 2023	TA, Behavior Economics with Applications to Education, Teachers College

Fall 2022 TA, Economics and Education, Barnard College
Fall 2017 TA, Advanced Quantitative Methods, Peking University
Spring 2017 TA, Education Statistics and Econometrics, Peking University

Awards and Fellowships:

2024 Research Dissertation Fellowship, Teachers College
2023 Education Policy Dissertation Fellowship, Teachers College
2023 The Provost's Grant for Conference Presentation, Teachers College
2022 Dean's Grant for Student Research at Teachers College, Top Two Finalist
2020-2021 Russell Sage Foundation Grant for Improving Education Equality, Co-PI (\$13,740)
2018-2021 EPSA Departmental Doctoral Fellowship, Columbia University
2018 Honored Graduates, Outstanding Thesis Award, Peking University.
2017 National Scholarship, Central Government of China.

Publications:

Yang, Po, & Xu, Ying. (2017). Digital Divide and Inequality in Household Education Investment. *Peking University Education Review*, 15(4), 126-154. (In Chinese)
Yang, Po, & Xu, Ying. (2020). Information Capital and Household Education Choice: Evidence from China. *Journal of East China Normal University Education Science*, 38(11), 39-55. (In Chinese)
Gao, Wenjuan, & Xu, Ying. (2022). Empirical Research on Publication Output of American Doctoral Students During Their Studies: Taking 19 Economics Schools of Research Universities as Examples. *China Higher Education Research*, (9):102-108. (In Chinese)

Conference Presentations:

2023 APPAM, AAFP, Industrial Organization Colloquium at Columbia University
2022 RSF and William T. Grant Foundation: Improving Education and Reducing Inequality Conference, Econ & Ed Ph.D Students' Colloquium, Industrial Organization Colloquium at Columbia University,
2021 Econ & Ed Ph.D Students' Colloquium, Teachers College

Technical Skills:

Tableau, SPSS, Stata, Python, Julia, R, HLM, ArcGIS, LaTeX