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### Education:

- Yale University - Ph.D., 2001.
- University of Melbourne - B. Comm. (First Class Honours), Economics, 1994.

### Work Experience:

- Jan 17 onwards - Associate Professor, Yale-NUS College
- Sept 07 to Dec 16 – Associate Professor, Dept. of Economics, University of Calgary
- July 01 to July 07 – Assistant Professor, Dept. of Economics, University of Toronto
- Jan 12 to May 12 – Senior Visiting Fellow, Dept. of Economics, NUS
- Jan 15 to June 15 – Senior Visiting Fellow, Yale-NUS College
- July 15 to Dec 15 – Visiting Associate Professor, Yale-NUS College

**Research Interest:** Empirical Industrial Organization, Economics of the Family

### Published Papers:

- “Who Marries Whom and Why” (with Aloysius Siow) *Journal of Political Economy*, 2006, Vol. 114, No. 1, 175-201
- “Estimating a marriage matching model with spillover effects” (with Aloysius Siow) *Demography*, Vol. 43, No. 3, August 2006:463-490
- “Interregional Price Difference in the New Orleans Auction Market for Slaves” (with Jean Eid) *Journal of Business and Economic Statistics*, Vol 26, Issue 4, October 2008:486-509
- “The Collective Matching Model: Identification, Estimation and Testing” with Shannon Seitz forthcoming in *Advances in Econometrics, Volume 32, `Structural Econometric Models`* Emerald Publishing Group Limited (2014)
- *Advances in Econometrics, Volume 32, `Structural Econometric Models`* edited with Matthew Shum, Emerald Publishing Group Limited (2014)
- “Dynamic Marriage Matching: An Empirical Framework” *Econometrica*, Vol 83, No. 4 (2015):1373-1423

### Work in Progress:

- “Identification of Counterfactuals in Marriage Matching Models” with Charles Liang

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- ‘China’s Marriage Market and the Male Marriage Squeeze’ with Charles Liang
- “The US Military Draft and its Effect on Marriage and the American Family”

**Teaching:**

- Mathematical Statistics (undergraduate)
- Econometrics(graduate and undergraduate)
- Mathematical Economics (undergraduate)
- Empirical Industrial Organization (graduate)
- Intermediate Microeconomics(undergraduate)

**Conference Presentation and Attendance:**

- 2001 *7<sup>th</sup> International Conference of the Society for Computational Economics*
- 2003 *Canadian Economic Association* at Ottawa  
*Canadian Public Economic Group* meeting in Ottawa  
*Australasia Econometric Society Meeting* in Sydney
- 2004 *International Industrial Organization Conference*  
*Numerically Intensive Economic Policy Analysis*
- 2005 *Econometric Society World Congress* in London
- 2006 *40<sup>th</sup> Canadian Economic Association Meetings* at Montreal  
*North American Summer Meeting of the Econometric Society* at Minneapolis  
Two day conference on Marriage Matching and the Family at Columbia University
- 2007 *Society of Economic Dynamics Meeting* in Prague June, 2007  
*41<sup>st</sup> Canadian Economic Association Meeting* at Halifax  
*1<sup>st</sup> Canadian Labour Market and Skills Researcher Network (CLSRN)* in Toronto  
*Analytical Labor Economics Conference* at the University of Chicago
- 2008 *American Economic Association Winter Meetings* in New Orleans  
*Society of Economic Dynamics Meeting* in Boston June, 2008  
*Far Eastern Meetings of the Econometric Society* in Singapore, August, 2008  
*Canadian Economic Association Annual Meeting* in Vancouver
- 2009 *American Economic Association Winter Meetings* in San Francisco  
*CEA-CLSRN Summer Course* – “What is new in Econometrics” at Ryerson University  
*Canadian Economic Association Annual Meeting* in Toronto – conference attendee
- 2010 *American Economic Association Winter Meetings* in Atlanta  
*Society of Economic Dynamics Meeting* in Montreal June, 2010  
*Canadian Economic Association Annual Meeting* in Quebec City  
*Econometric Society World Congress* in Shanghai

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- 2011 *Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society* in Seoul  
*Singapore Economic Review Conference* in Singapore
- 2012 *Matching Problems Conference* at University of Chicago, June 2012
- 2013 *American Economic Association Winter meeting* in San Diego, Jan 13  
*Advances in Econometrics Research Conference* at Louisiana State University, Feb 13  
*Search and Matching Conference* at Mainz Germany, May 13  
*Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society* at NUS, Singapore Aug 13
- 2014 *Banff Microeconometrics Conference* Aug 14
- 2015 *Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society* in Taipei Aug 15
- 2016 *Banff Microeconometrics Conference* Aug 16  
*Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society* in Kyoto, Japan Aug 16

### Invited Seminar Presentations:

- “*Identification of Counterfactuals in Marriage Matching Models*” presented at SFU (Oct 2016)
- “*Dynamic Marriage Matching: An Empirical Framework*” presented at Singapore Management University (March 2012), University of Melbourne (May 2012)
- “*Marriage Matching, Risk Sharing and Family Labor Supplies: An Empirical Framework*” presented at Yale (Sept 2006 by Siow), MIT (March 2007 by Siow), UC Berkeley Economics
- “*The Collective Matching Model: Identification, Estimation and Testing*” presented at NYU (Oct 2007 by Seitz), Duke (Oct 2007 by Seitz), University Connecticut (Oct 2007 by Seitz), Boston College (Dec 2007 by Seitz), University of British Columbia (Nov 2009), University of Alberta (Nov 2010)
- “*Who Marries Whom and Why*” presented at the University of Chicago (April 2003), Carnegie Mellon GSIA (March 2004)

### Fellowships, Awards and Grants:

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| • SSHRC general Grant   | 2010-2013   |
| • Killiam Enhancement Award                                       | 2010        |
| • University of Calgary Starter Grant                             | 2009-2011   |
| • Excellence in Refereeing Award, <i>American Economic Review</i> | 2007-2008   |
| • SSHRC general Grant   | 2006-2009   |
| • Deans Merit Award, University of Toronto                        | 2005        |
| • Connaught Matching and Startup Grant, University of Toronto     | 2001, 2002  |
| • SSHRC Conference Travel Grant (Deans Travel Grant)              | 2002 – 2005 |
| • SSHRC Institutional Grant Program Fund                          | 2002 – 2006 |
| • Yale Graduate and Dissertation Fellowship                       | 1995-1999   |
| • University of Melbourne Graduate Scholarship                    | 1994 – 1995 |

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Principal advisor:

Safoura Moenni (on going)

Meng Sun (expected July 2017)

Razieh Zahedi – Aug 2015

Liang Chen – April 2014 (WuHan University, Economics Dept.)

Jean Eid – Sept. 2007 (Wilfred Laurier, Economics Dept.)

Junji Xiao – 2006 (Shanghai University of Finance and Economics)

Thesis committee:

Aisha Arooj Khan (on going)

Miguel Olivo-Villabrille (expected July 2017)

Jennifer Winter – July 2011 (Research and Data Development Division at Human Resources and Skills Development Canada in Ottawa)

Qiang Lu (Marketing) 2005 (University of Sydney, Faculty of Economics &amp; Business)

MingLi Zheng 2003 (University of Macau)

**Professional:**

- **Referee:** American Economics Review, Econometrica, Journal of Political Economy, Quarterly Journal of Economics Canadian Journal of Economics, Economic Journal, International Economic Review, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, Marketing Science, Review of Economic Studies.
  - **Committee work:** Organizing committee of Banff Microeconomic Conference (2016, 2014), Recruiting/Shortlisting Committee (2014, 2012, 2010), Graduate committee (2012), Research Committee (2008-2010), Tenure Committee (2010), Recruiting committee (2004-2005), Graduate Admissions Committee (2003-2004, 2005-2006), Internal Reading Committee (2005-2006)
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