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FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT

- ✧ Visiting Fellow 2016-2017. Department of Public Policy & Center for East Asian and Comparative Philosophy, City University of Hong Kong

EDUCATION

- ✧ Ph.D. 2016. Department of Political Science, Columbia University
 - Dissertation: *Value Pluralism and Liberal Democracy*
 - Committee: David Johnston (advisor), Jon Elster (advisor), Andrew Nathan (chair), Stephen Darwall, and Jeremy Waldron
- ✧ M.A. 2007. Department of Philosophy, Peking University
- ✧ B.S. 2004. School of Life Science, Peking University

AWARD & FELLOWSHIP

- ✧ 2014-2016 Global Justice Fellowship, Yale University
- ✧ 2008-2011, 2012-2014 Teaching Fellowship, Columbia University
- ✧ 2011-2012 Dissertation Fellowship, Columbia University
- ✧ 2007-2008 Faculty Fellowship, Columbia University
- ✧ 2006 Qianhua Philosophy Scholarship Award, Peking University

ACADEMIC PUBLICATION

- ✧ 2014. 'Isaiah Berlin's Conception of Freedom' (in Chinese), in *Archives for Legal Philosophy and Sociology of Law, Vol. XIX*. Edited by Zheng Yongliu. Beijing: Law Press, pp. 1-27
- ✧ 2009. 'The Heterogeneity of Domination' (in Chinese), in *Foreign Philosophy, Vol. XX*. Edited by Xu Xiangdong et al. Beijing: The Commercial Press, pp. 46-60

WORK IN PROGRESS

- ✧ 'Negative versus Positive Freedom: Making Sense of the Dichotomy'
- ✧ 'The Left and the Right: Political Labels and Political Discourses'
- ✧ 'The Nature and Point of Philosophy: A Normative Account'
- ✧ 'Free Will, Supervenience, and Naturalism'
- ✧ 'Collective Responsibility in Transitional Justice'
- ✧ 'The Allocative Justice of Fertility Quota'
- ✧ 'Public Reason and Comprehensive Doctrines' (in Chinese)
- ✧ '*Zhi* and *Luan* in Ancient Chinese Thought: The Making of a Political Antithesis'

CONFERENCE PRESENTATION

- ✧ '*Zhi* and *Luan* in Ancient Chinese Thought: The Making of a Political Antithesis'
 - American Philosophical Association (APA) Pacific Division 90th Annual Conference. San Francisco. April 1, 2016

- Politics, Order and Law: 4th Cambridge Graduate Conference in Political Thought and Intellectual History. King's College, Cambridge University, March 22, 2011
- ✧ 'Negative versus Positive Freedom: Making Sense of the Dichotomy'
 - Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) 73rd Annual Conference. Chicago, April 17, 2015
- ✧ 'Value Pluralism and Liberalism: A Reconstruction of Isaiah Berlin'
 - Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) 72nd Annual Conference. Chicago, April 3, 2014
- ✧ 'Democratic Deliberation, Agonism, and Populism: Confronting the Problem of Order in Liberal Democracies'
 - Order and Change: 5th Penn Graduate Student Conference in Political Science. University of Pennsylvania. March 29, 2013
- ✧ 'Towards a Theory of Political Order'
 - Association for Political Theory (APT) 10th Annual Conference. University of South Carolina, October 12, 2012
- ✧ 'Constitutional Pluralism and the Right to Secede from a *Bund*'
 - New York State Political Science Association (NYSPSA) 64th Annual Conference. SUNY Empire State College. April 16, 2010

INVITED TALK

- ✧ 'The Left and the Right: Political Labels and Political Discourses'
 - Simian Institute for Advanced Studies in Humanities. East China Normal University. Shanghai, China, December 15, 2015
- ✧ 'The Nature and Point of Philosophy: A Normative Account'
 - New York Culture Salon. CUNY Graduate Center, May 3, 2015
- ✧ 'Debunking the Myth of the Nominating Committee's "Substantive Power to Nominate": A Perspective from Comparative Constitutional Law'
 - Panel on Human Rights and Democracy in Hong Kong. Amnesty International Yale Chapter. Yale University, October 24, 2014

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- ✧ Instructor. City University of Hong Kong
 - *Values and Justice in the Contemporary World*. Spring 2017 (expected)
 - *Issues in Contemporary World Politics*. Spring 2017 (expected)
- ✧ Teaching Assistant. Columbia University
 - *Race, Law and American Politics* (Prof. Daniel Kato). Spring 2014
 - *Freedom of Speech and Press* (Prof. Lee Bolinger). Fall 2012 & Fall 2013
 - *Political Theory* (Prof. Michelle Smith). Spring 2013
 - *Introduction to Contemporary Chinese Politics* (Prof. Xiaobo Lu). Spring 2011
 - *Introduction to Human Rights* (Prof. Andrew Nathan). Fall 2009 & Fall 2010
 - *Chinese Foreign Policy* (Prof. Andrew Nathan). Spring 2009 & Spring 2010
 - *Chinese Politics* (Prof. Kay Shimizu). Fall 2008
- ✧ Guest Lecturer. Columbia University
 - 'Mill's Political Philosophy.' April 23 & 25, 2013

- ‘*Schenck v. United States.*’ September 12, 2012
- ‘Human Rights and the Internet.’ November 17, 2010
- ‘Universalism and Cultural Relativism.’ October 12, 2009
- ‘Taiwan’s Mainland Policy and Cross-Strait Relations since 2000.’ April 27, 2009
- ‘Minorities and Ethnic Politics in China.’ November 13, 2008

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

✧ Discussant:

- Anna Stilz, ‘Settlement, Expulsion, and Return.’ Global Justice Workshop, Yale University. April 19, 2016
- Samuel Freeman, ‘Rawls on Distributive Justice and the Difference Principle.’ Global Justice Workshop, Yale University. September 15, 2015
- Lea Ypi, ‘Structural Injustice and the Irrelevance of Attachment.’ Global Justice Workshop, Yale University. December 4, 2014
- Rebecca Wolitz, ‘Intellectual Property and Access to Medications.’ Global Justice Workshop, Yale University. February 4, 2014
- Shmulik Nili, ‘The Global Game and Global Justice: On Soccer, Natural Resource Trade, and Global Reform.’ Global Justice Workshop, Yale University. January 21, 2014
- Benedict Chan, ‘An East-West Debate on Torture and Animal Rights.’ Association of Chinese Philosophers in North America (ACPA) Panel, American Philosophical Association (APA) Eastern Convention. December 29, 2013
- Daniel Putnam, ‘Expression, Recognition, and Autonomy.’ Global Justice Workshop, Yale University. November 19, 2013
- James Gledhill and Guido Parietti, ‘Political Autonomy and the Autonomy of the Political.’ Columbia University Political Theory Work-in-Progress Workshop. March 8, 2013

✧ Rapporteur:

- Neo-Confucian Studies Seminar. University Seminar at Columbia University. Spring 2014 – Fall 2015

✧ Co-organizer:

- Chinese Philosophy Reading Group. Sponsored by the Department of Philosophy, Columbia University. Summer 2012

✧ Research assistant (syllabus design):

- David Johnston. *Justice*. Fujen Summer School, Shanghai, China. July – August 2015

✧ Book translator (from English to Chinese):

- Sharon Krause, *Liberalism with Honor* [*Rongyu yu Ziyou Zhubuyi*]. Shanghai: Yilin Press, 2015
- Paul Slovic, *The Perception of Risk* [*Fengxian de Ganzhi*]. Co-translated with Zhao Yandong and Feng Xin. Beijing: Beijing Publishing House, 2007