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### **EDUCATION**

- 2015 Ph.D. in Sociology, University of California San Diego  
2011-2013 Visiting Graduate Student, Department of Sociology, The University of Chicago  
2006 M.A. in Contemporary China Studies and Sociology, National Tsing Hua University and Academia Sinica, Taiwan  
2001 B.A. in Gender and Women's Studies, University of California, Berkeley

### **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT**

- 2020-present Assistant Professor, Gender Studies Programme, Chinese University of Hong Kong  
2019-present Affiliate Fellow, Center on China Social Innovation and Contemporary History, Tsing Hua University, China  
2018-2020 Research Fellow, Asia Centre for Social Entrepreneurship and Philanthropy (ACSEP), National University of Singapore Business School  
2015-2018 Postdoctoral Fellow, Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society (PACS), Stanford University

### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Gender and Sexualities, Social Innovation, Social Entrepreneurship, Technology, Sustainability, Philanthropy and Nonprofit Organizations, Transnational Civic Culture, China and Greater Asia

### **TEACHING INTERESTS**

Gender, Technology, and Social Innovation; Gender and Organizational Change; Qualitative Research Methods; Gender in Global Asia; Field Research in Gender Studies

### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Accepted "Becoming INGO: A Case Study on Taiwan's Tzu-Chi in the United States." *VOLUNTAS: International Journal of Voluntary and Nonprofit Organizations*. (with Chengpang Lee) (SSCI. IF: 1.779)  
Forthcoming "Taiwanese Buddhism and Environmentalism: A Mixed Method Study." *Review of Religion and Chinese Society*. (with Chengpang Lee)  
2020 "University Social Innovation: Social Impact Education in Top Global Universities. A White Paper" *ACSEP Technical Report Series*. Singapore: ACSEP, NUS Business School (ISBN: 978-981-14-4251-3).  
2020 "Crowdfunding in Digital Humanities: Some Evidence from Indonesian Social Enterprises." *Aslib Journal of Information Management*. Epub ahead of print (with Aluisius Hery Pratono et al.) [[Link](#)] (SSCI. IF: 1.818)

- 2019 “[Creating a Vibrant Social Innovation Ecosystem.](#)” Special Issue on Business for Good in Asia. *Stanford Social Innovation Review*. Spring 2019. (with Swee-Sum Lam)
- 2019 “Nudity, feminists, and Chinese online censorship: A case study on the anti-domestic violence campaign on SinaWeibo.” *China Information*. 33(3): 257-273. (SSCI. IF: 1.481)
- 2019 “Grassroots Philanthropy in Singapore in the New Millennium.” *Philanthropy in Asia: Working paper No.7*. Singapore: ACSEP, NUS Business School (lead author, with Swee-Sum Lam and Hioe Zhi Hui Joanna). (ISBN: 978-981-14-2174-7)
- 2016 “Faith-Based Organization and Transnational Voluntarism in China: A Case Study of the Malaysia Airline MH370 Incident.” *VOLUNTAS: International Journal of Voluntary and Nonprofit Organizations* 27(5): 2353-2373. (with Chengpang Lee) (SSCI. IF: 1.779)
- 2016 “Mother and Moral Activist: Two Models of Woman’s Social Engagement in Contemporary Taiwanese Buddhism.” *Nova Religio: The Journal of Alternative and Emerging Religion* 19(3):54-77. (with Chengpang Lee) (A&HCI)
- 2015 “Recycling Bodhisattva: The Tzu-Chi Movement’s Response to Global Climate Change.” *Social Compass* 62(3):311-325. (with Chengpang Lee) (SSCI. IF: 0.870)
- 2012 “Risk Behaviors for Reproductive Tract Infection in Women Who Have Sex with Women in Beijing, China.” *PLOS One* 7(7):1-6. (with Xiaofang Wang et al.) (SCI. IF: 2.776)

### **WORKING PAPERS**

- “The Effect of Gender Ambivalence: Women in Social Innovation Sector in China.”
- “Caught between State and Motherhood: The Public Image of Female Entrepreneurs in Singapore.”
- “Alternative Media and the Queer Feminist Community: The Lesbian Print Magazine in China”
- “Contesting social and cultural value of community enterprises.”(with Aluisius Hery Pratono and Frederik Claeys)
- “A Comparative Development of Social Innovation in Higher Education: Cases of U.S. and Asia.”
- “The Logic of Field Emergence: A Comparative Study of the B Corp Movement in Asia.”

### **NON-PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS** \*IN CHINESE

- 2020\* “社会创新是否会带来性别平等” (Will Social Innovation Bring about Gender Equality?) 斯坦福社会创新评论 *Stanford Social Innovation Review China*.
- 2019\* “[摇篮还是阻碍？高校在社会创新中的角色很尴尬](#)” (Cradle or Barrier? The Awkward Position of University in Social Innovation). 斯坦福社会创新评论 *Stanford Social Innovation Review China*.
- 2019\* “[混合型组织的兴起：一种对于营利与非营利二分框架的挑战](#)”(The Emergence of Hybrid Organizations: A Challenge Toward a Polarized Profit and Nonprofit Framework). 斯坦福社会创新评论 *Stanford Social Innovation Review China*.
- 2019\* “找一根钓竿：实现系统性变革点评” (Commentary on “Mastering Social Change”). 斯坦福社会创新评论 *Stanford Social Innovation Review China*. Issue 7.
- 2018\* “[為什麼我們需要不同性別和出身的大學校長](#)”(Why Do We Need University President from Different Gender and Background). 報導者 The Reporter.
- 2011\* “[飄浪的學術人生：博士生涯的一點體會](#)”(Academic Life at Float: Reflections from the PhD Career).當代中國研究通訊 *Contemporary China Newsletter*. 16: 22-25.

- 2006\* “[性別作為發展策略：中國新興婦女組織運動](#)” (Gender as a Development Strategy: The Emergent Chinese Women’s Organizing Movement). 當代中國研究通訊 *Contemporary China Newsletter*. 7:41-44.
- 2005 Lin, Wei-hung and Hsiao-chin Hsieh. eds. *Gender, Culture & Society: Women’s Studies in Taiwan*. Seoul: Ewha Womans University Press. (Served as managing editor)
- 2004\* “中國印象蒙太奇” (China Impressionistic Montage). 當代中國研究通訊 *Contemporary China Newsletter*. No.3 (November).
- 2004\* “社會調查與中國大陸研究” (Social Survey and China Studies). 當代中國研究通訊 *Contemporary China Newsletter*. No. 2 (March).
- 2001\* 台灣婦女研究摘要 1991-1995 (Taiwan Women’s Studies Abstract 1991-1995). 台灣大學婦女與性別研究室出版 Women’s Research Program Book Series, Population and Gender Studies Center, National Taiwan University.

### **FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECTS**

- 2019-2021 Co-I, “Civic Life of Cities: The Co-Evolution of the Nonprofit and Business Sector” with Winnie Jiang (Stanford University and INSEAD Hoffman Global Institute for Business & Society, €15,000)
- 2018-2020 PI, “University Social Innovation Research Initiatives and Business for Good in Asia.” (Enlight Foundation and Leping Foundation Research Fund, US\$150,000)

### **MEDIA AND PROFESSIONAL REPORT** \*IN CHINESE

- 2020 Leveraging Intermediaries to Maximise Corporate Social Impact: NPI (Enpai). Case Study for Asian Venture Philanthropy Network.
- 2019 Media Interview on Grassroots Philanthropy in Singapore. *Channel News Asia CNA938* (August 30) and *Singapore Tonight* (September 6).
- 2019 “[因愛而閃耀：真人圖書館贊頌新加坡兩百年慈善事業展覽](#)”(For Love Shines: “Human Libraries” Commemorates Singapore’s 200 Years of Philanthropy Exhibition) 新加坡聯合早報(*Lianhe Zaobao*). 22 August.
- 2019\* White Paper on University Social Innovation Programmes in Top 300 World Universities. (世界三百大頂尖大學社會創新教育白皮書). Singapore: Asia Centre for Social Entrepreneurship and Philanthropy, NUS Business School.
- 2019\* 高等教育發展研究系列：美國大學與社會創新教育(Series on Higher Education: Social Innovation Education in Top American Universities). Research Report supported by Macao Tong Chai Charity Association (澳門同濟慈善會) and Leping Social Entrepreneur Foundation (北京樂平公益基金會).
- 2014 “[Social Work as a Social Wedge](#).” Research covered by *Stanford Social Innovation Review*.

### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

- 2011 Young Scholar Award, China Times Cultural Foundation, New York.
- 2010 Best Paper Award, The 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of North American Taiwan Studies Association, University of California, Berkeley.
- 2008 First Place, Paola Sandri Prize of Innovative and Original Research Work, China, Europe and the World Postgraduate Research Summer School, University of Bristol.

### **ACADEMIC GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS**

### **Selected External Grants**

- 2019-2021 Civic Life of Cities Project: Singapore, INSEAD-Singapore \*Co-I (€15,000/Yr)
- 2018-2019 Enlight-Leping Research Fund, NUS Business School (US\$150,000)  
\*University Social Innovation Research Initiatives & Business for Good Database
- 2016-2018 Beijing Leping Social Entrepreneur Foundation, China. (US\$30,000)  
\*Co-I: Building the Capacity for Social Innovation Education in China  
Phase I: Social Innovation Education in the U.S.
- 2014-2015 Chiang Ching-Kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange,  
Dissertation Fellowship. (US\$15,000)
- 2012-2014 Taiwan Ministry of Education Study Abroad Scholarship. (US\$32,000)
- 2010-2011 Pacific Rim Research Program Advanced Graduate Research Fellowship, Pacific  
Rim Research Program, University of California. (US\$19,459)
- 2010 Residential Dissertation Workshop, "Transnationalism, Feminism, Justice"  
Dissertation Workshop organized by the Institute for Advanced Feminist  
Research at UC Santa Cruz and the UC Transnationalizing Justice Multicampus  
Research Group.

### **CONFERENCE ORGANIZED**

- 2019 *A Comparative Perspective on Leveraging Social Innovation in Education*. Asia Venture Philanthropy Network (AVPN) Annual Conference, Singapore. (Co-organized by NUS ACSEP and Leping Social Entrepreneur Foundation) (June 28)
- 2018 *Blurring of the Boundaries: Exploring the Role of Social Innovation and Philanthropy in China*. Stanford Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society at Stanford Center at Peking University. (Mar 27-28)
- 2017 *International Conference on Civic Sphere in East Asia*. Collaboration between Stanford Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan., Taiwan Association of Third Sector Research (TATSR), and the Center for the Third Sector, National Chengchi University. (Mar 27-28)
- 2017 *Blurring of Boundaries: Exploring the Role of Social Innovation for Inclusive Development*. Stanford Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society at Stanford Center at Peking University. (Mar 22-23)
- 2016 *Blurring of the Boundaries China's New Socially Responsible Economy*. Stanford Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society at Stanford Center at Peking University. (Mar 16-17)

### **SELECTED INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

- 2019 Closing Keynote on "Global Trends on University Social Innovation " (国际高校社会创新趋势:美国与亚洲案例) for the Institute of Leadership and Education Advancement Development (ILEAD) at Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University in Suzhou on for the inaugural University Social Innovation Education Alliance in China (西交利物浦大学 ILEAD 社会创新方案大赛与跨学科社会创新课程研讨会闭幕演讲嘉宾).
- 2018 Opening Keynote on "Leading Social Innovation Practices in Universities." Changemaker Forum, Ashoka Singapore-Malaysia. Online Streaming:  
<https://www.facebook.com/AshokaMalaysiaSingapore/videos/246124926044770/>
- 2017 "Community Governance in Transition: A Relational Approach to the Changing Community Welfare Provision in Urban China." Presented at Catalyst Workshop on Policymaking in East Asia, Wesleyan University.

- 2013 “‘Naked Against Domestic Violence’: Mobilization and New Media of a Feminist *Weibo* Activism in China.” Presented at East Asia Workshop: Politics, Economy and Society, University of Chicago.
- 2011 “Helping People Help Themselves: Discourses on Social Work in China 1949-2011.” Presented at East Asia Workshop: Politics, Economy and Society, University of Chicago.

### **SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

- 2019 “The Encroachment of Business? A Comparative Study of the B Corp Movement in Asia.” International Third Sector Research (ISTR)-Asia, Bangkok, Thailand.
- 2019 “Teaching Social Innovation: Higher Education and Social Innovation from a Comparative Perspective.” Asia Venture Philanthropy Network (AVPN) Annual Conference, Singapore.
- 2019 “Against the Fear of Losing Out: Grassroots Philanthropy in Singapore in the New Millennium.” Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA-Asia), Taichung, Taiwan.
- 2018 “The Logic of Field Emergence: A Comparative Study of the B Corp Movement in Asia.” Social Innovation and Change Initiative (SICI) conference on “Rethinking Cross-Sector Social Innovation.” Harvard Kennedy School-Harvard Business School.
- 2017 “Organizing Before Knowing: Social Problem Construction and the Development of Nonprofit Organizations in Contemporary China” American Sociological Association. Montreal, Canada.
- 2017 “The Dilemma of Organizations: Identity, Organizational Forms, and Women’s Groups in China.” Presented at the International Conference on *Civic Sphere in East Asia*. Co-organized by Stanford University Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society and Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan.
- 2016 “Engendering the Nonprofit Sector: Women Working in Chinese NGOs.” American Sociological Association. Seattle, Washington.
- 2016 “Governing Social Stability: Professionalizing Community Service Provision and the Institutionalization of Social Work in Urban China.” Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference. Seattle, Washington.
- 2016 “The Third Sector in China: Emergent Topics, Changing Institutions, and the Entanglement of State-Society Relations.” Scholar Workshop on Building Capacity for Civil Society: Scholarly Research. Stanford University Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society. Stanford Center Peking University.
- 2015 “Strangers in the Community: Social Workers, Old Street Bureaucracies, and the Re-organization of Community Life in Urban China.” Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference. Chicago, Illinois.
- 2014 “Contested Social Work: Service-Provision NGOs and Community Change in Urban China.” Center on Philanthropy and Civil Society Junior Scholars Workshop. Stanford University.
- 2013 “Constructing the Categories of ‘Need’: Women, Power, and the State Welfare Regimes in China.” Panel on Gender and Power: Theorization and Empirical Studies. Midwest Sociological Society. Chicago, Illinois.

### **TEACHING AND ADVISING**

#### ***National University of Singapore Business School***

*Program Designer & Lecturer* on Social Innovation and Social Entrepreneurship

Lead the Change Community, Vietnam (July 2019)

NUS Temasek Foundation Leadership Enrichment and Regional Networking Programme

Skillsfuture Course on Social Innovation and Social Entrepreneurship

***Stanford Center at Peking University***

*Co-Instructor* with Paul Brest (Former Dean and Professor Emeritus, Stanford Law School)

Outcome Oriented Movements: Basics of Strategic Philanthropy, Impact Investment and Pay for Success (March 2019)

Creating Your (Nonprofit or Funding) Strategy for Social Impact (March 2019)

***Stanford University Graduate School of Business***

*Course Assistant* for Paul Brest (Former Dean and Professor Emeritus, Stanford Law School)

Essentials of Program Strategy and Evaluations (MOOC & China Workshop) (Winter 2018)

Strategic Philanthropy and Impact Investing (Graduate School of Business) (Spring 2018)

**PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANCY AND ACADEMIC SERVICE**

- 2018-present Contributor/Academic Advisory Board 学术顾问, *Stanford Social Innovation Review China* (斯坦福社会创新评论)
- 2020-present Asian Venture Philanthropy Network Research Consultant
- 2018-2020 NUS Social Impact Catalyst (formerly NUS Enactus) Faculty Advisor
- 2019-2020 International Third Sector Research (ISTR) The Asia Pacific Third-Sector Researchers Network (ISTR) Singapore Representative
- 2015-2018 Program Manager, Stanford PACS China Program (斯坦福 PACS 中心中国项目)
- Annual March Conference and Workshop Coordinator at Stanford Center at Peking University (over 250 scholars and leaders)
  - Contributor and Reviewer, *Stanford Social Innovation Review* (SSIR) China
  - Contributor, SSIR Supplement *Business for Good in Asia*
  - Facilitate communications and host study tours for foundation and corporate leaders from Asia.
- 2017 Reviewer for Stanford PACS Graduate Fellowship and Junior Scholars Forum  
Stanford Local Staff, The North American Taiwan Studies Association Annual Conference
- 2015-2016 Panel Organizer, Association of Asian Studies
- 2013-2015 UCSD Local Representative, The North American Taiwan Studies Association
- 2010-2011 Contributor and Consultant, The CEDAW NGO Shadow Report for China
- 2008-2010 Program Convener, The North American Taiwan Studies Association Annual Conference
- 2001-2003 Program Manager, Women's Research Program, National Taiwan University (台灣大學婦女研究室婦女與性別研究學程)

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP**

American Sociological Association, Association of Asian Studies, Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action, International Society for Third-Sector Research.

- Occasional Reviewers: *American Journal of Sociology*, *Gender & Society*, *Issues and Studies*, *Voluntas*, *International Society for Third-Sector Research Section on Social Innovation*