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DEGREES

Ph.D. Geography, Ohio State University, 1985-1989
M.Phil. Geography, Chinese University of Hong Kong, 1982-1984
B.A. Geography, University of Hong Kong, 1978-1981

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Professor of Geography, Professor of Asian American Studies, UCLA, 2001 – present.
Associate Professor of Geography, UCLA, 1995 – 2001.
Assistant Professor of Geography, UCLA, 1989 – 1995.
Graduate Teaching and Research Associate, Ohio State University, 1985 – 1989.
Teaching Assistant, Chinese University of Hong Kong, 1982 – 1985.
Teacher, St. Paul's Convent School, Hong Kong, 1981 – 1982.

ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

Vice Provost for International Studies and Global Engagement, UCLA, 2015 – present.
Interim Vice Provost for International Studies, UCLA, 2012 – 2014.
Associate Dean of Social Sciences, UCLA, 2009 – 2011.
Director, UCLA Global Classroom Program, UCLA, 2010 – present.
Chair, East Asian Studies Interdepartmental Program, UCLA (B.A. Program, 2009 – 2010; M.A. Program, 2009 – 2011).
Chair, Asian American Studies Department (2005 – 2007), Asian American Studies Interdepartmental Program (1997 – 2001), UCLA.
Graduate Advisor of Geography, UCLA, 1995 – 1997.

EDITORIAL APPOINTMENTS

Co-Editor (2006-2009), Regional Studies.
Co-Editor (2001-2005; 2008-2009), Associate Editor (2006-2007; 2009-2014), Eurasian Geography and Economics.
Associate Editor for Special Issue, Transactions in Planning and Urban Research (2023-present).
Editorial Board, Asian Geographer (2007-present); China: An International Journal (2002-present); Environment and Planning A (2013-2015); Eurasian Geography and Economics (2001-present); Geographical Analysis (2002-2009); Population, Space and Place (2024-present); Sage Handbook of Urbanization in China (2023-present); The Professional Geographer (2009-2010); Social Science Quarterly (1999-2010); Transactions in Planning and Urban Research (2021-present).

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Population, labor migration, marriage migration, household strategies, regional development and policy, inequality, gender, ethnicity in North America, post-Mao China.

HONORS, AWARDS, AND KEYNOTES

Visiting Professor, Distinguished Social Sciences Scholars Scheme, University of Hong Kong, 2024.

Keynote: “Gender Dynamics of Hypergamy: Insights from Parents in Shanghai’s Matchmaking Corner,” 35th Hong Kong Metropolitan University (HKMU) Anniversary School of Arts and Social Sciences International Workshop on Gender and the Urban in the 21st Century (HKMU + GenUrb Workshop), December 5, 2024 (with Yingchun Ji).

National Academy for International Education, 2024-present.

Keynote: “Hukou: Reforms, Mismatch, and Household Strategies,” The 18th International Association for China Planning (IACP) Conference, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China, July 7, 2024.

Visiting Scholar, School of Social Sciences, The University of Adelaide, June 26-July 1, 2024.

Keynote: “International Business: Cities and the Global East,” East Asian Regional Conference in Alternative Geography (EARCAG)-Geopolitical Economy (GPE) 2023 Workshop “The Global East as Borderland: Networking and Commoning,” Hong Kong, December 13, 2023.

Keynote: “Marriage Matchmaking: What Does it Tell us about Urban and Rural China?” 2023 Urban China Research Network Conference on Livable Cities for All: Re-imagining Urban China Research, Beijing, October 28, 2023.

Distinguished Geography Alumna, University of Hong Kong, 2022.

Keynote, “‘Left Behind’ by Migration? Generations of Rural Women in China,” GenUrb-China Network Summer Online Workshop on “Women and Urbanization in China: Building a Transformative Knowledge Network,” August 13, 2021.

Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree (Hon. LL.D.), University of Bristol, July 23, 2019.

Keynote, “Migrants in Asian Cities: Householding Experiences and Trajectories,” The 2019 International Conference on China Urban Development, Peking University-Lincoln Institute Center for Urban Development and Land Policy, June 28, 2019.

Keynote, “The Household Approach Toward Migration: Examples from China and Asia,” Asian Symposium, Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, April 5, 2019.

Keynote, “Familization of Rural-Urban Migration in China: Evidence from the National Floating Population Surveys,” Conference on Migration, Policy and Development – Experiences from China and Vietnam, University of Bristol, August 21, 2017.

Distinguished Scholar Award, Asian Geography Specialty Group, Association of American Geographers, 2017.

Keynote, “Gender and Diversity in American Higher Education,” “Decolonizing” Higher Education Transformation, Diversity in Higher Education Research Colloquium, Bloemfontein (University of the Free State), South Africa, February 3, 2017.

Keynote, “Gender Equity in U.S. Higher Education,” Asian Pacific Women in Leadership Workshop, Association of Pacific Rim Universities (APRU), Cebu, the Philippines, November 22, 2016.

Keynote, “Rural-Urban Migration, *Hukou*, and Split Households in China,” Conference on Migration and Development in China and Vietnam, Center for Social Research, Peking University, May 14, 2016.

Keynote, “International Education: A UCLA Global Perspective,” University Presidents’ Panel, Hohai University 100th Anniversary Celebration, Nanjing, China, October 27, 2015.

Keynote, “Rural-Urban Inequality, *Hukou* and Migration in China: A Puzzle,” International Conference on Inequality and Sustainability in China and Asia,” Salt Lake City, University of Utah, September 19, 2015.

- Keynote, “International Education: Why and How?” Tenth Annual Collegiate Model United Nations Conference, Los Angeles, April 16, 2015.
- Keynote, “Home and Away: Gender and Rural-Urban Migration in China,” “Gender and Migration: Changes and Challenges” International Conference, Chinese University of Hong Kong, December 10-11, 2013.
- Keynote, “Work, Family and Migration in China,” Fifth International Community, Work and Family Conference: Changes and Challenges in a Globalising World, University of Sydney, Australia, July 17, 2013.
- American Council on Education Fellowship, 2013-2014.
- Distinguished Teaching Award, UCLA, 2011-2012.
- Keynote, “Families that Straddle: Rural-Urban Migrant Households in China,” Inaugural Workshop, UCLA-Fudan Joint Center for Comparative Studies of Social Life, October 8, 2012.
- Keynote, “Cultivating Global Citizens: Recent Developments at UCLA and US Universities,” International Conference on General Education: Roles and Experiences in Cultivating Global Citizens, Bangkok, Thailand, January 11-13, 2012.
- C. Doris and Toshio Hoshide Distinguished Teaching Prize in Asian American Studies, UCLA, 2010-2011.
- Keynote, “Voting with Their Feet: Migration and Regional Development in China,” International Conference on Urbanization and Development in China, University of Utah, August 25-28, 2011.
- Visiting Professor, Beijing Normal University, 2009 – 2010.
- Keynote, “Migration and Household Organization: The Rural Family in China,” Graduate Conference on “Pacific Worlds in Motion II: An Interdisciplinary Conference of Asian Migrations,” National University of Singapore, March 12-13, 2009.
- Outstanding Scholar Award, China Geography Specialty Group, Association of American Geographers, 2008.
- Keynote, “The Migrant and the Household: Understanding China's Floating Population,” The 4th International Conference on Population Geographies, Hong Kong, July 10-13, 2007.
- Keynote, “Migration Research on China: Insights from the Institutional and Household Perspectives,” Second Cross-Strait New Economic Geography Conference, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, June 20-22, 2005.
- Inaugural J. Douglas Eyre Distinguished Lecture, "To Stay or to Return?: Rural-Urban Migration, State Policy, and Household Strategies in China," Department of Geography, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, February 18, 2005.
- Faculty Career Development Award, UCLA, 1991; 1992.
- Honorable Mention, Nystrom Dissertation Award Competition, Association of American Geographers, 1990.
- Graduate School Award, Chinese University of Hong Kong, 1984.
- Hui Oi Chow Prize in Geography and Geology, University of Hong Kong, 1981.

CLASSES TAUGHT

At UCLA:

Geography 40	Geographical Statistics
Geography 142	Population Geography
Geography 144	Ethnicity in the American City
Geography 186	Contemporary China
Geography 242	Graduate Seminar on Population Geography
Geography M272	Graduate Seminar on Spatial Statistics and Modeling (Architecture and Urban Planning M215)
Geography 286	Graduate Seminar on Contemporary China
Asian Studies 191A	Globalization and China (Travel Study Program, China), same as Geography 159A/ International Development Studies 191

Asian Studies 191B 21st Beijing and Shanghai/Hong Kong (Travel Study Program, China), same as Geography 159B

At Ohio State University (full responsibility teaching associate):
Geography 220 Physical Geography (required for major)

PUBLICATIONS

Books and Edited Volumes

- 2024 Liu, Zhilin; C. Cindy Fan and Fangzhu Zhang (eds.) “Women-led research in Urban China Studies,” Special issue of Transactions in Planning and Urban Research, 3(1-2).
- 2008 Fan, C. Cindy, China on the Move: Migration, the State, and the Household, London and New York: Routledge. Translated into Chinese as Liudong zhongguo: Qianyi, guojia, he jiating, translated by Youyun Qiu and He Huang (2013), Beijing: Shehui Kexue Wenxiang Chubanshe (Social Sciences Academic Press).
- 2001 Fan, C. Cindy (ed.), New Themes and Forces of Regional Development in China, Special Issue of Asian Geographer, 20(1 & 2).

Journal Articles and Book Chapters

- 2026 Fan, C. Cindy, “Migration, Marriage, and Split Households,” in Challenges for Chinese Women in the Early Twenty-first Century, ed. Gordana Malešević, pp. 105-120 (Chapter 6). World Scientific Publishing.
- 2025 Ji, Yingchun; Liu, Yue; and C. Cindy Fan, “Gender Dynamics of Hypergamy: Insights from Parents in Shanghai’s Matchmaking Corner,” in Feminist Explorations of Urban China, ed. Penn Tsz Ting Ip, pp. 23-40 (Chapter 2). Routledge Studies on China in Transition.
(<https://doi.org/10.4324/9781003442677-3>).
- 2025 Fan, C. Cindy (范芝芬), “户籍制度何去何从? 改革现状、资源错配及农村家庭的应对策略 (The Future of Hukou: Current Reforms, Mismatch of Resources, and Rural Household Response and Strategies),” Urban Insight (城市观察), 2025 issue 1: 45-49 (in Chinese).
- 2024 He-Schaefer, Yali and C. Cindy Fan, “Urban-Urban Split Households in China: Gender, Migration and Stay-Behind Women,” Transactions in Planning and Urban Research, 3(1-2): 11-26
(<https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/27541223241239639>).
- 2024 Liu, Zhilin; C. Cindy Fan and Fangzhu Zhang, “Women-led research in Urban China Studies: Introduction to a Special Issue,” Transactions in Planning and Urban Research, 3(1-2): 3-10
(<https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/27541223241247070>).
- 2024 Fan, C. Cindy, “Globalizing Research on Global Cities and International Business,” Journal of International Business Studies 55: 28–36 (<https://link.springer.com/article/10.1057/s41267-023-00670-7>).

- 2023 Chen, Chen; Rylee, Ryan and C. Cindy Fan, “Living Together or Apart: International Migrants and Family Coresidence in Yiwu, China,” *Eurasian Geography and Economics* (DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1080/15387216.2023.2282701>).
- 2023 Fan, C. Cindy, “Split Households and Migration in the Global South: Gender and Intergenerational Perspectives,” in *Handbook of Migration and the Family*, eds. Johanna L. Waters and Brenda S.A. Yeoh, pp. 173-196 (Chapter 9). Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar Publishing Limited.
- 2023 Ji, Yingchun, Yue Liu, and C. Cindy Fan, “高嫁还是低娶？人民公园的玻璃标尺 (She Marries Up? Or He Marries Down? Glass Ruler in People’s Park, Shanghai),” *Journal of China Women’s University*, 177: 12-22 (in Chinese).
- 2022 Fan, C. Cindy, “Intergenerational Gendered Livelihoods: Marriage, Matchmaking and Rural-Urban Migration in China,” *Transactions in Planning and Urban Research* 1(1-2): 99-114 (DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1177/27541223221109358>).
- 2022 Fan, C. Cindy, “Rural-Urban Migration,” *Oxford Bibliographies in Urban Studies*, ed. Richardson Dilworth. New York: Oxford University Press (DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1093/obo/9780190922481-0057>).
- 2021 Fan, C. Cindy, “Householding and Split Households: Examples and Stories of Asian Migrants,” *Cities*, 113, 103147 (DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cities.2021.103147>)
- 2020 Fan, C. Cindy, “Gender Inequity in American Higher Education,” in *Scholarly Engagement and Decolonisation: Views from South Africa, The Netherlands, and the United States*, eds. Maurice Crul, Liezl Dick, Halleh Ghorashi and Abel Valenzuela Jr., pp. 54-80 (Chapter 2). Stellenbosch, South Africa: African Sun Media (DOI: <https://doi.org/10.18820/9781928314578/02>).
- 2020 Fan, C. Cindy and Chen Chen, “Left Behind? Migration Stories of Two Women in Rural China,” *Social Inclusion* 8(2): 47-57 (DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.17645/si.v8i2.2673>)
- 2020 Fan, C. Cindy and Tianjiao Li, “Split Households, Family Migration and Urban Settlement: Findings from China’s 2015 National Floating Population Survey,” *Social Inclusion* 8(1): 252-263 (DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.17645/si.v8i1.2402>)
- 2020 Fan, C. Cindy, “Migrant Workers,” in *International Encyclopedia of Human Geography*, 2nd edition, vol. 9, edited by Audrey Kobayashi, Elsevier, pp. 73-80 (DOI: <https://dx.doi.org/10.1016/B978-0-08-102295-5.10286-0>).
- 2020 Li, Tianjiao and C. Cindy Fan, “Occupancy, Usage and Spatial Location of Second Homes in Urban China,” *Cities* 96 (DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cities.2019.102414>).
- 2019 Fan, C. Cindy and Tianjiao Li, “Familization of Migration in China: Evidence from the 2011 and 2015 National Floating Population Surveys,” *Area Development and Policy* 4(2): 134-156, published online on October 4, 2018 (DOI: [10.1080/23792949.2018.1514981](https://doi.org/10.1080/23792949.2018.1514981)).
- 2018 Fan, C. Cindy, “Population Mobility and Migration,” in *The SAGE Handbook of Contemporary China*, ed. Weiping Wu and Mark Frazier, pp. 848-877 (Chapter 40), Los Angeles, CA: SAGE.

- 2018 Chen, Chen and C. Cindy Fan, “Gender and Generational Differences in First Outward and First Inward-Moves: An Event-History Analysis of Rural Migrants in China,” EPA: Economy and Space 40(8): 1646-1669, published online on June 18, 2018 (DOI: <http://journals.sagepub.com/eprint/jiJwFbtXCyvJc5WFwXyI/full>)
- 2018 Chen, Chen and C. Cindy Fan, “Rural-Urban Circularity in China: Analysis of Longitudinal Surveys in Anhui, 1980-2009,” Geoforum 93: 97-104.
- 2018 Fan, C. Cindy, “Migration, Gender, and Space in China,” in Modernity, Space and Gender, ed. Alexandra Staub, pp. 305-319 (Chapter 17). New York, NY: Routledge.
- 2018 Howell, Anthony, Canfei He, Rudai Yang, and C. Cindy Fan, “Agglomeration, (Un)-Related Variety and New Firm Survival in China: Do Local Subsidies Matter?” Papers in Regional Science 97(3): 485-501, doi:10.1111/pirs.12269 (2016).
- 2016 Chen, Chuanbo and C. Cindy Fan, “China’s *Hukou* Puzzle: Why Don’t Rural Migrants Want Urban *Hukou*?” The China Review 16(3): 9-39.
- 2016 Howell, Anthony, Canfei He, Rudai Yang, and Cindy Fan, “Technological Relatedness and Asymmetrical Firm Productivity Gains Under Market Reforms in China?” Cambridge Journal of Regions, Economy and Society 9: 499-515.
- 2016 Fan, C. Cindy, “Household-Splitting of Rural Migrants in Beijing, China,” Triolog: A Journal for Planning and Building in a Global Context 116/117, 19-24.
- 2016 Fan, C. Cindy (2016) “定居意向及分離家庭:北京市城中村的調查發現,” in Gender, Society and Space: Selected Translations, edited by Lan-Hung Nora Chiang and Yu-Ling Song, pp. 182-202 (Chapter 10), Taipei, Taiwan: Tonsan Publications, Inc., Chinese translation by Xiaohu Wang of Fan, C. Cindy (2011) “Settlement Intention and Split Households: Findings from a Migrant Survey in Beijing, China,” China Review 11(2), 11-42.
- 2015 Fan, C. Cindy, “Migration, Remittances, and Social and Spatial Organization of Rural Households in China,” in Transnational Labour Migration, Remittances and the Changing Family in Asia, edited by Lan Anh Hoang and Brenda Yeoh, pp. 194-226 (Chapter 8). Basingstoke, UK: Palgrave Macmillan.
- 2013 Fan, C. Cindy and Chen Chen, “The new-generation Migrant Workers in China,” in Transient Urbanism: Migrants and Urbanized Villages in Chinese Cities, edited by Fulong Wu, Fangzhu Zhang and Chris Webster, pp. 17-35 (Chapter 2). London and New York: Routledge.
- 2012 Wang, Wenfei Winnie and C. Cindy Fan, “Migrant Workers’ Integration in Urban China: Experiences in Employment, Social Adaptation, and Self-Identity,” Eurasian Geography and Economics 53(6): 731-749.
- 2012 Wang, Wenfei Winnie and C. Cindy Fan, “Xifang guonei renkou qianyi yanjiu jinzhan ji qushi (Progress in Internal Migration Studies in Western Literature),” in Renkou Xue (Demography), edited by Zai Liang, pp. 174-208 (Chapter 6). Beijing: Renmin University Press (in Chinese).
- 2011 Fan, C. Cindy, “Settlement Intention and Split Households: Findings from a Migrant Survey in Beijing, China,” The China Review, 11(2), 11-42.

- 2011 Fan, C. Cindy, Mingjie Sun, and Siqi Zheng, "Migration and Split Households: A Comparison of Sole, Couple, and Family Migrants in Beijing, China," Environment and Planning A, 43(9), 2164-2185.
- 2011 Sun, Mingjie and C. Cindy Fan, "China's Permanent and Temporary Migrants: Differentials and Changes, 1990-2000," The Professional Geographer, 63(1), 92-112.
- 2011 Howell, Anthony and C. Cindy Fan, "Migration and Ethnicity: A Survey of Han and Uighur Migrants in Urumqi, Xinjiang," Eurasian Geography and Economics, 52(1), 119-139.
- 2009 Fan, C. Cindy, "Flexible Work, Flexible Household: Labor Migration and Rural Families in China," in Work and Organizations in China after Thirty Years of Transition, edited by Lisa A. Keister, pp. 381-412 (Chapter 13), Bingley, UK: Emerald Press. Reprinted in Guixin Wang and Yue-man Yeung (eds.) (2010) Jubian zhong di chengshi (Challenges and Development of Asian Cities), Shanghai: Renmin Chubanshe (People's Press), pp. 318-355.
- 2009 Fan, C. Cindy, "Migrant workers," in International Encyclopedia of Human Geography, Volume 1, edited by Rob Kitchin and Nigel Thrift, pp. 89-95. Oxford: Elsevier.
- 2009 Zheng, Siqi, Fenjie Long, C. Cindy Fan and Yizhen Gu, "Urban Villages in China: A 2008 Survey of Migrant Settlements in Beijing," Eurasian Geography and Economics, 50(4), 425-446.
- 2008 Fan, C. Cindy and Wenfei Winnie Wang, "The Household as Security: Strategies of Rural-Urban Migrants in China," in Migration and Social Protection in China, edited by Russell Smyth and Ingrid Nielsen, pp. 205-243 (Chapter 11). New Jersey, NY: World Scientific.
- 2008 Sun, Mingjie and C. Cindy Fan, "Regional Inequality in the Pan-Pearl River Delta Region," in The Pan-Pearl River Delta: An Emerging Regional Economy in Globalizing China, edited by Y.M. Yeung and Jianfa Shen, pp. 241-269 (Chapter 9). Hong Kong: The Chinese University Press.
- 2008 Fan, C. Cindy and Mingjie Sun, "Regional Inequality in China, 1978-2006," Eurasian Geography and Economics, 48(1), 1-20.
- 2008 Fan, C. Cindy, "Migration, Hukou, and the Chinese City," in China Urbanizes: Consequences, Strategies, and Policies, edited by Shahid Yusuf and Tony Saich, pp. 65-90 (Chapter 3). Washington, D.C.: The World Bank.
- 2008 Fan, C. Cindy and Joanna Regulska, "Gender and the Labor Market in China and Poland," in Urban China in Transition, edited by John Logan, pp. 89-111 (Chapter 4). Malden, MA: Blackwell.
- 2006 Fan, C. Cindy, "China's Eleventh Five-Year Plan (2006-2010): From 'Getting Rich First' to 'Common Prosperity'," Eurasian Geography and Economics, 47(6), 708-723.
- 2006 Wang, Wenfei Winnie and C. Cindy Fan, "Success or Failure: Selectivity and Reasons of Return Migration in Sichuan and Anhui, China," Environment and Planning A, 38(5), 939-958. Also in California Center for Population Research, On-Line Working Paper Series, Paper CCPR-037-06 (<http://repositories.cdlib.org/ccpr/olwp/CCPR-037-06>).
- 2006 Fan, C. Cindy, "Jincheng fanxiang: Sichuan Anhui nongcui nuxing laodongli di waichu jingli yu gongxian (Out to the City and Back to the Village: Experiences and Contributions of Rural Women

- Migrating from Sichuan and Anhui),” in Labor Migration in Transition China, eds. Fang Cai and Nansheng Bai, Beijing: Shehui kexue wenxian chubanshe (Social Sciences Academic Press), pp. 340-365 (in Chinese). Translation of chapter of the same title published in On the Move: Women in Rural-to-Urban Migration in Contemporary China, eds. Arianne M. Gaetano and Tamara Jacka, Columbia University Press, 2004.
- 2005 Fan, C. Cindy, “Modeling Interprovincial Migration in China, 1985-2000,” Eurasian Geography and Economics, 46(3), 165-184.
- 2005 Fan, C. Cindy, “Interprovincial Migration, Population Redistribution, and Regional Development in China: 1990 and 2000 Census Comparisons,” The Professional Geographer, 57, 2, 295-311.
- 2004 Fan, C. Cindy, “The State, Migration, and Maiden Workers in China,” Political Geography, 23, 3, 283-305.
- 2004 Fan, C. Cindy, “Out to the City and Back to the Village: Experiences and Contributions of Rural Women Migrating from Sichuan and Anhui,” in On the Move: Women in Rural-to-Urban Migration in Contemporary China, eds. Arianne M. Gaetano and Tamara Jacka, pp. 177-206 (Chapter 6). New York: Columbia University Press.
- 2004 Fan, C. Cindy, “Gender Differences in Chinese Migration,” in Changing China: A Geographic Appraisal, eds. Chiao-min Hsieh and Max Lu, pp. 243-268 (Chapter 15). Boulder, CO: Westview Press.
- 2003 Fan, C. Cindy, Laurence J.C. Ma, Clifton W. Pannell and K.C. Tan, “Geography of China,” in Geography in America at the Dawn of the 21st Century, eds. Gary L. Gaile and Cort J. Willmott, pp. 668-678 (Chapter 41). New York: Oxford University Press.
- 2003 Fan, C. Cindy, “Rural-Urban Migration and Gender Division of Labor in China,” International Journal of Urban and Regional Research, 27, 1, 24-47.
- 2003 Fan, C. Cindy and Allen J. Scott, “Industrial Agglomeration and Development: A Survey of Spatial Economic Issues in East Asia and a Statistical Analysis of Chinese Regions,” Economic Geography, 79, 3, 295-319.
- 2002 Fan, C. Cindy, “Population Change and Regional Development in China: Insights based on the 2000 Census,” Eurasian Geography and Economics, 43, 6, 425-442.
- 2002 Zhou, Shangyi, Liai Zhu, Wenfei Wang, and C. Cindy Fan, “Impacts of Urban Transportation Development on Ethnic Enclaves: A Case Study of Madian Hui Enclave in Beijing,” Beijing Social Science, No. 4, 33-39 and 50 (in Chinese).
- 2002 Fan, C. Cindy and Ling Li, “Marriage and Migration in Transitional China: A Field Study of Gaozhou, Western Guangdong,” Environment and Planning A, 34, 4, 619-638.
- 2002 Fan, C. Cindy, “The Elite, the Natives, and the Outsiders: Migration and Labor Market Segmentation in Urban China,” Annals of the Association of American Geographers, 92(1), 103-124.

- 2002 Fan, C. Cindy, “Chinese Americans: Immigration, Settlement and Social Geography,” in The Chinese Diaspora: Space, Place, Mobility, and Identity, eds. Laurence J.C. Ma and Carolyn Cartier, pp. 261-291 (Chapter 11). Lanham, ML: Rowman and Littlefield.
- 2002 Fan, C. Cindy, “Permanent migrants, temporary migrants, and the labour market in Chinese cities,” in Resource Management, Urbanization and Governance in Hong Kong and the Zhujiang Delta, eds. K.Y. Wong and J. Shen, pp. 55-78 (Chapter 4). Hong Kong: Chinese University Press.
- 2002 Wang, Wenfei, Shangyi Zhou, and C. Cindy Fan, “Growth and Decline of Muslim Hui Enclaves in Beijing,” Eurasian Geography and Economics, 43, 2, 104-122.
- 2001 Fan, C. Cindy, “Migration and Labor Market Returns in Urban China: Results from a Recent Survey in Guangzhou,” Environment and Planning A, 33(3), 479-508.
- 2001 Fan, C. Cindy and Jiantao Lu, “Foreign Direct Investment, Locational Factors and Labor Mobility in China, 1985-1997,” Asian Geographer, 20(1 & 2), 79-99.
- 2000 Fan, C. Cindy, “Migration and Gender in China,” in China Review 2000, eds. C.M. Lau and J. Shen, pp. 423-454 (Chapter 19). Hong Kong: Chinese University Press.
- 2000 Li, Ling, C. Cindy Fan and Hai-hong Jiang, “Migration and Economic Development in Densely Populated Agricultural Areas: A Case Study of Gaozhou, Guangdong,” Redai Dili (Tropical Geography), No. 3, 195-198 (in Chinese).
- 2000 Wei, Yehua and C. Cindy Fan, “Regional Inequality in China: A Case Study of Jiangsu Province,” Professional Geographer, 52(3), 455-469.
- 2000 Li, Ling and C. Cindy Fan, “Shehui jingji jigou zhuanxingqi qianyi yu feiqianyi renkou di gongzuo xuanze yu zhuanhuan (Job Choice and Transfer of the Migrant and Non-migrant Population during the Transformation of the Socioeconomic Structure: A Study of the Labour Market in Guangzhou),” Renkou Yanjiu (Population Research), 24(2), 16-25 (in Chinese).
- 1999 Fan, C. Cindy, “The Vertical and Horizontal Expansions of China's City System,” Urban Geography, 20(6), 493-515.
- 1999 Fan, C. Cindy, “Migration in a Socialist Transitional Economy: Heterogeneity, Socioeconomic and Spatial Characteristics of Migrants in China and Guangdong Province,” International Migration Review, 33(4), 950-983.
- 1999 Fan, C. Cindy and Youqin Huang, “Female Marriage Migration in China,” in Urban Growth and Development in Asia (Volume II): Living in the Cities, eds. Graham P. Chapman, Ashok K. Dutt and Robert W. Bradnock, pp. 303-328 (Chapter 20). Aldershot, UK: Ashgate.
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Curriculum Vitae – C. Cindy Fan

- 1998 Fan, C. Cindy and Youqin Huang, "Waves of Rural Brides: Female Marriage Migration in China," Annals of the Association of American Geographers, 88(2), 227-251.
- 1997 Fan, C. Cindy, "Uneven Development and Beyond: Regional Development Theory in Post-Mao China," International Journal of Urban and Regional Research, 21(4), 620-639.
- 1996 Fan, C. Cindy, "Economic Opportunities and Internal Migration: A Case Study of Guangdong Province, China," Professional Geographer, 48(1), 28-45.
- 1995 Fan, C. Cindy, "Of Belts and Ladders: State Policy and Uneven Regional Development in Post-Mao China," Annals of the Association of American Geographers, 85(3), 421-449.
- 1995 Fan, C. Cindy, "Developments from Above, Below and Outside: Spatial Impacts of China's Economic Reforms in Jiangsu and Guangdong Provinces," Chinese Environment and Development, 6(1 & 2), 85-116.
- 1994 Fan, C. Cindy, "The Temporal and Spatial Dynamics of Income and Population Growth in Ohio, 1950-1990," Regional Studies, 28(3), 239-256.
- 1994 Fan, C. Cindy and Emilio Casetti, "The Spatial and Temporal Dynamics of U.S. Regional Income Inequality," The Annals of Regional Science, 28(2), 177-196.
- 1993 Tang, Wing Shing, David K.Y. Chu and C. Cindy Fan, "Economic Reform and Regional Development in China in the 21st Century," in Pacific Asia in the 21st Century: Geographical and Developmental Perspectives, ed. Yue-man Yeung, pp. 105-133 (Chapter 5). Hong Kong: The Chinese University Press.
- 1992 Fan, C. Cindy, "Ethnicity in the School: A Case Study of Los Angeles Unified School District," The California Geographer, 32, 95-109.
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“Marriage-led Female Migration in China”	Academic Senate, UCLA	2,367	1996-1997
“Explaining Hong Kong and Taiwan Industrial Investment in South China”	Academic Senate, UCLA	2,500	1995-1996
“Determinants of Migration in China”	International Studies and Overseas Program, UCLA	3,300	1995-1996
Course development	Joint Advisory Committee on Multicultural Studies, UCLA	3,500	1994-1995
“The Role of Nonnative Population in the Pearl River Delta Economy”	Academic Senate, UCLA	2,650	1994-1995

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“China's New Labor Market: A Case Study of the Nonnative Population in Southern Guangdong”	International Studies and Overseas Program, UCLA	3,700	1994-1995
“Regional Policy, Spatial Polarization and Inequality in China, 1982-1990”	National Science Foundation (SES-9223163)	27,978	1993-1995
“Regional Policy and Spatial Inequality in China”	Academic Senate, UCLA	4,180	1993-1994
“Spatial Inequality in a Socialist Market Economy: A Case Study of Guangdong Province, China”	International Studies and Overseas Program, UCLA	2,350	1993-1994
“Changes in China's Regional Inequality”	Academic Senate, UCLA	3,100	1992-1993
“Development Inequalities in China”	International Studies and Overseas Program, UCLA	3,000	1992-1993
Course Development (Videotapes for Geography 186)	Office of Instructional Development, UCLA	1,721	1992-1993
“Changes in China's Regional Inequality in the 1980s”	Academic Senate, UCLA	2,830	1991-1992
“Ethnic Diversity in Schools: A Case Study of Los Angeles Unified School District”	Lewis Center for Regional Policy Studies, UCLA	3,500	1991
“Recent Changes in China's Foreign Trade Policy and Patterns”	Academic Senate, UCLA	2,965	1990-1991
“Regional Ramifications of Post-Mao Reforms in China”	International Studies and Overseas Program, UCLA	2,000	1990-1991
“The Dynamics of Settlement and Redistribution: Asian Americans in the U.S.”	Academic Senate, UCLA	3,200	1989-1990
“The Dynamics of Sectoral Shifts in Ohio” (with E. Casetti)	Urban Affairs and Urban Assistance Program, Ohio State University	11,286	1988-1989

INVITED TALKS

- “Migration, Marriage and Split Households,” Online Book Launch of “Challenges for Chinese Women in the Early Twenty-First Century,” ed. Gordana Malešević, World Scientific Publishing, November 25, 2025.
- “Does Hukou Still Matter?” International Association for China Planning (IACP) Research Seminar Series, Navigating New Frontiers: Understanding Internal Migration Dynamics and Impacts in Contemporary China (virtual), April 25, 2025.

- “Does Hukou Still Matter?” University at Buffalo 2025 Symposium: Social Transformations and Urban Transitions in China, Buffalo, New York, March 29, 2025.
- “Why Do Rural Chinese Continue to Do Migrant Work?” China Forum, Jesus College, University of Cambridge (virtual), February 25, 2025.
- “The Art of Success (and Failure): Some Thoughts on Academic Career Advancement,” Department of Urban Planning and Design Professional Development Workshop, University of Hong Kong, December 17, 2024.
- “The Art of Success (and Failure): Some Thoughts on Academic Career Advancement,” Faculty of Social Sciences Professional Development Forum, University of Hong Kong, December 6, 2024.
- “Why Do Rural Chinese Continue to Do Migrant Work: Gender and Social Explanations,” Research Hub of Population Studies Seminar Series, Social Sciences Colloquium, University of Hong Kong, December 3, 2024.
- “Does Hukou Still Matter? Reforms, Mismatch, and Household Strategies,” Beijing Forum (2024) Panel Session 10: Exploring Strategic Pathways for China’s Urban Development in Times of Great Changes, Peking University, November 14, 2024.
- “Marriage Matchmaking in Rural and Urban China: Hypergamy or Hypogamy,” Beijing Normal University (Zhuhai), November 12, 2024.
- “Advancing Academic Collaboration between US and Chinese Universities,” Sino-US University Presidents’ Dialogue 2024, University of Chicago, September 23, 2024.
- “Women in Academia,” The 18th International Association for China Planning (IACP) Conference, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China, July 6, 2024.
- “Matching Methods and Theory in Population and Migration Studies,” 2-in-20 Seminar Series, School of Social Sciences, The University of Adelaide, Adelaide, Australia, June 28, 2024.
- “Marriage Matchmaking in Rural and Urban China: Hypergamy or Hypogamy,” Stretton Institute's Hugo Population and Migration Studies Program & School of Social Sciences Research Seminar, The University of Adelaide, Adelaide, Australia, June 27, 2024.
- “Keynote Discussion: A Conversation on Driving Change Towards Gender Equality,” Association of Pacific Rim Universities (APRU) Asia Pacific Women in Leadership (APWiL) In-Person Summit, Auckland, New Zealand, June 23, 2024.
- “Globalizing Research on Global Cities and International Business,” Academy of International Business (AIB) Journals Webinar: Analyzing the Impact of a JIBS Decade Award-Winning Article, February 1, 2024.
- “Hypergamy or Hypogamy: Marriage Matchmaking in Rural and Urban China,” Sociology@CUHK Seminar Series, Department of Sociology, Chinese University of Hong Kong, December 4, 2023.
- “Commentary and Reflections: Global Cities,” Academy of International Business Annual Meeting, Warsaw, Poland, July 9, 2023.
- Special guest opening speech (virtual), First National Conference of Female Geographers in China, Changsha, China, July 7, 2023.
- “Migration in the Global South: Householding, Gender and Intergenerational Perspectives,” Geography Distinguished Webinar Series, Department of Geography, University of Hong Kong, October 7, 2022.
- “Migration and Split Households in the Global South: Gender and Intergenerational Perspectives,” Global Problems, Great Minds Seminar Series, Department of Social Sciences, Illinois Institute of Technology, September 22, 2022.
- “Going Global: Impact of Agency and Community,” Ninth Annual Going Global Student Conference, UCLA International Institute, May 26, 2022.
- “Gender, Rural-Urban Migration and ‘Left Behind’ Women in China,” Research Seminar Series in Urban China Studies, Centre of Urban Studies and Urban Planning, University of Hong Kong, June 23, 2021.

- “Going Global: A Lifelong Endeavor,” Eighth Annual Going Global Student Conference, UCLA International Institute, May 28, 2021.
- “International Agreements: Lessons Learned from Updating a Policy,” “International Agreements: Considerations” Panel, University of California Global Operations Weeks, September 18, 2020.
- “Stories of Women in China: Reflections of a Migrant and Academic,” Colloquium on “Fragility and Resilience: Facets, Features and (Trans)Formations in Higher Education,” University of the Free State, Bloemfontein, South Africa, January 30, 2020.
- Expert Panel at the International High-Tech Education Exchange “International Education Exchange in the Digital Age,” American Institute in Taiwan, Taipei, Taiwan, August 10, 2019.
- “The Magic of Crossing Borders: A Celebration of Past Paths and Future Journeys,” TEDx (Kecha Pucha) talks at UCLA’s International Centennial Celebrations, Jakarta (August 18, 2019), Hong Kong (August 26, 2019), and Shanghai (October 9, 2019).
- “The Householding Experiences of Migrants: Some Chinese and Asian Examples,” Plenary Session, International Conference on “International Immigration: Theory and Policy,” Zhejiang University, September 5, 2019.
- “Migration and Householding: Asian and Chinese Examples,” University of Bristol, UK, July 24, 2019.
- “Migrants and Split Households in Asia,” Central University of Finance and Economics, Beijing, China, June 28, 2019.
- “Circularity and Family Migration: Household Arrangements of Rural-Urban Migrants in China,” “Comparative Urbanism: Global Perspectives” Conference, Urban Studies Institute, Georgia State University, Atlanta, March 7, 2019.
- “Rural-Urban Migration in China: Circularity, Split Households, and Family Reunification,” ADRI/Sociology Department, Shanghai University, Shanghai, China, September 18, 2018.
- “Circularity, Split Households, and Family Migration of Rural-Urban Migrants in China,” Xi’an Jiaotong University-The Chinese University of Hong Kong Joint Research Center on Migration, Xi’an, China, September 16, 2018.
- “Living Room Chat: Two Trailblazing Women in Diplomacy and International Affairs,” Sister Cities of Los Angeles, Los Angeles, July 17, 2018 (with Ambassador Vilma Martinez).
- “Neither Here Nor There: What China’s Rural-Urban Migrants Need,” Panel on “Cities of Welcome:” Inclusion of Migrants and Refugees in Urban Areas, United Nations University, New York, June 8, 2017.
- “Split Households and Family Migration in China,” International Conference on the Transformation and Impact of the Chinese Urban Economy, University at Albany, April 4, 2017.
- “Why Don’t China’s Rural Migrants Want Urban *Hukou*?” London School of Economics Student Union China Development Forum, London, February 11, 2017.
- “From Split Households to Familization: Strategies of Rural-Urban Migrants in China,” University College London, February 10, 2017.
- “Population Migration in China: A Review,” UCLA-CUHK-HKUST Workshop on Migration Studies, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, December 7, 2016.
- “International Education and Exchange,” India-USA Synergy, City Club Los Angeles, Los Angeles, November 14, 2016.
- “China’s *Hukou* Puzzle: Why Don’t Rural Migrants Want Urban *Hukou*?” Beijing Forum, Beijing, November 5, 2016 (with Chuanbo Chen).
- “Developing and Enhancing International Collaboration Networks,” Enabling Data-informed Strategic Planning for the Research Enterprise North America Conference, Berkeley, California, September 29, 2016.
- “Migration, *Hukou*, and Split Households in China,” Qinghai University, China, May 5, 2016.
- “Global Urbanization: A University’s Response” and “Closing Plenary,” Global Economic Symposium, Kiel, Germany, October 12-14, 2015.

- “International Education and Study Abroad: A UCLA Perspective,” Third Global Education Conference, West Los Angeles College, Los Angeles, October 9, 2015.
- “Leading Institutional Change,” Deans and Provosts Conversation, The Language Flagship’s Annual Meeting, Norman, Oklahoma, May 17-18, 2015.
- “Rural-Urban Migration in China,” London School of Economics Student Union China Development Forum, London, February 7, 2015.
- “International Education: Why and How?” Education as an International Business Summit: A Presidential Panel, The California State University System and the International Committee of City Club Los Angeles, Los Angeles, January 29, 2015.
- “Social and Spatial Organization of Rural Migrant Households in China,” Conference on “Multilocality in the Global South and North: Factors, Features and Policy Implications,” TU Dortmund University, Dortmund, Germany, September 18-19, 2014.
- “China’s Human Tide,” the Seventh China Town Hall, following live webcast of the Honorable Madeleine Albright, Santa Barbara Committee on Foreign Relations & the Channel City Club, in partnership with the National Committee on United States-China Relations, October 28, 2013.
- “Dealing with Complexity,” Global Economic Symposium (GES), Kiel, Germany, October 1-2, 2013.
- “Migration and Migrant Households in China,” International Conference on Urbanisation in China: Challenges and Prospects, East Asian Institute, National University of Singapore, September 5, 2013.
- “International Education and UCLA,” Enriching the Middle East’s Economic Future Conference, Doha, Qatar, May 21, 2013.
- “Roundtable on Post-Communism: A Focus on Migration in China,” Russian and East European Institute, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana, April 5, 2013.
- “Navigating International Partnerships in the UC System: A Compliance Roadmap,” 2013 University of California Compliance and Audit Symposium, Costa Mesa, February 12, 2013.
- “Interprovincial Migration: A Comparison of Three Censuses,” Workshop on Census Analysis, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong, January 8-9, 2013.
- “Households and Houses: Gender, Migration and Work in Rural China,” Lorwin Lecture Program on Gender Equality and Capitalism: The Impact of Capitalist Development on Women’s Economic Status and Rights, University of Oregon, Eugene, March 8-9, 2012.
- Panelist on Executive Panel “Hard or Soft Landing for China’s Economy,” UCLA Anderson Forecast December 2011 Economic Outlook, December 7, 2011.
- “Rural-Urban Migration and Split Households in China: Diverse Forms of Migrant Household Arrangement,” Workshop on “Householding in Transition: Emerging Dynamics in ‘Developing’ East and Southeast Asia,” National University of Singapore, July 25-26, 2011.
- “Who Leaves and Who Stays?: Split Migrant Households in Urban China,” Second International Conference on China’s Urban Transition and City Planning, Cardiff University, United Kingdom, May 27-28, 2011.
- Panelist in the Workshop “New Media, Old Sentiments: A Community Discussion on ‘Asians in the Library,’” Asian and Pacific Islander Law Students Association, UCLA, April 20, 2011.
- “Migration and Split Households,” Social Science in Practice Workshop, Division of Social Sciences, UCLA, March 8, 2011.
- “Rural-Urban Migration, Split Households, and Settlement Intention: Findings from a Survey of Urban Villages in Beijing,” International Conference on China Urban Development, University of Hong Kong, December 7-8, 2010.
- “Myth or Fact,” Forum on Experiencing China through Expos and Olympics: Reflections on 2010 Travel Study in China, Asia Institute, UCLA, October 15, 2010.
- “Got GDP? Got People? Got Ideas?” “Got China?” Workshop, Asian American Studies Center, October 14, 2010.

- “Living together or living apart? Household decisions of rural-urban migrants in China,” Conference on Migration and Mobility in a Global Historical Perspective, National Taiwan University, August 25-28, 2010.
- “Migration and Split Households: Findings from a Survey in Beijing,” Department of Urban and Regional Planning, Center for Urban Planning and Design, Peking University, August 18, 2010.
- “The Chinese in America,” Auto Club, Los Angeles, UCLA History-Geography Project, July 15, 2010.
- “Sojourners or Settlers? A Comparison of Sole, Couple, and Family Migrants in Beijing, China,” University of Bristol, June 11, 2010.
- “Migrants and the City: Findings from a Survey in Beijing,” Shanghai Forum, May 2010.
- “Split Households and Urban Villages: Strategies of Rural-Urban Migrants in China,” National Geographic Society, January 4, 2010.
- “Flexible Work, Flexible Household: Labor Migration and Rural Families in China,” Shanghai Forum, Fudan University, May 11-12, 2009.
- “Circularity, Flexibility, and Security: Labor Migration and Split Households in China,” Centennial Celebrations, Department of Geography, Ohio State University, April 30-May 1, 2009.
- “Circularity, Flexibility, and Division of Labor: Rural-Urban Migration in China,” Conference on “Reconceptualizing Migration: Economies, Societies, Biopolitics,” Committee on Global Thought, Columbia University, New York, April 2-3, 2009.
- “People and Region: A Demographic and Geographic Overview of China,” Pre-Tour Seminar for Harvard-Westlake Teachers, Center for Chinese Studies, UCLA, February 21, 2009.
- “Migrant Workers and HIV/AIDS in China,” International Conference on “The U.S. and China: Parallel Challenges in Health Care,” University of Utah, Salt Lake City, December 4-5, 2008.
- “Migration Workers in China,” Department of Geography, California State University- Northridge, November 14, 2008.
- “Migration and Labor in China,” U.S.-China Institute (University of Southern California) Teaching Training Programs, Palos Verdes, March 3, 2008.
- “The Household as Security: Strategies of Rural-Urban Migrants in China,” Conference on Migration and Social Protection in China, Beijing, September 25-26, 2007 (with Wenfei Winnie Wang).
- “Migration and Urbanization in China,” Conference on Perspectives on Global Energy: Geopolitics, Sustainability, and China, World Affairs Council of Houston, Houston, Texas, June 13, 2007.
- “The Chinese Immigration Experience,” UCLA History-Geography Project, April 28, 2007.
- “Migration, Hukou, and the Chinese City,” The University of Southern California U.S.-China Institute Inaugural Conference: The Future of U.S.-China Relations, Los Angeles, California, April 20-21, 2007.
- “Rural-Urban Migration in China: Institutional Change and Household Strategies,” School of Humanities and Social Science, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, March 8, 2007.
- “Internal Migration in China: Institutional Change and Household Strategies,” Department of Geography and Resource Management, Chinese University of Hong Kong, June 27, 2006.
- “To Float or Not to Float: The Role of the Household in Migration Decision Making in China,” China at Its Crossroads Conference, Kutztown University, Pennsylvania, March 27-28, 2006.
- “A Globalizing China,” UCLA Extension, February 14, 2006.
- “China’s Century,” UCLA Global Studies 1, May 25, 2005; November 17, 2005.
- “Gender and the Labor Market in China and Poland,” Workshop on Urban China in Transition, New Orleans, Louisiana, January 15-16, 2005 (with Joanna Regulska).
- “Chinese Families on the Move,” UCLA Asian Families Seminar for Educators, August 3, 2004.
- “Rural-Urban Migration in China: A Review of Recent Findings and Policy Recommendations,” World Bank, Beijing, June 30, 2004.
- “Gender and the Labor Market in China and Poland,” Workshop on Urban China in Transition, Santa Monica, California, May 1-2, 2004 (with Joanna Regulska).

- “Migration in China: Recent Trends and Methodological Issues,” Quantitative Methods in Social Sciences Colloquium, University of California, Santa Barbara, April 15, 2004.
- “The Next Great Wall: China’s Three Gorges Dam Project,” UCLA History-Geography Project, February 5, 2004.
- “Scholar Roundtable,” UCLA History-Geography Project (Cultural Encounters: Time and Space), July 11, 2002.
- “The State, Migrant Labor Regime, and Maiden Workers in China,” 8th China’s Provinces in Reform Workshop “Translocal China: Place-Identity and Mobile Subjectivity,” organized by University of Technology Sydney-University of New South Wales Centre for Research on Provincial China, Haikou, Hainan, China, June 3-5, 2002.
- “Language Issues for International Students,” UCLA History Teachers of English Language Institute, June 27, 2002.
- “Social Outcomes of Migration in China: Rural-Urban and Gender Segmentation and Divisions of Labor,” Department of Geography, University of Wisconsin, Madison, April 5, 2002.
- “Regional and Social Inequalities in China,” Meeting of the Urban China Research Network Working Group on Urban Transformation in China and Reorganization of the State in an Era of Globalization, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California, March 19, 2002.
- “China: Perceptions and Self-Perceptions,” UCLA History-Geography Project, March 7, 2002.
- “Migration and Socialist Transition: Labor Market Segmentation and Gender Division of Labor in China” and “Marriage migration in China,” International Studies Program and Department of Geography, Miami University, Ohio, March 4-5, 2002.
- “Migration and Divisions of Labor in China,” Department of Geography, University of Southern California, January 18, 2002.
- “Industrial Clusters and Regional Development Policy in East Asia,” East Asia’s Future Economy, a conference jointly organized by the Development Economic Research Group, the World Bank; the Asia Pacific Policy Program and Asia Center, Harvard University, October 1-2, 2001 (with Allen Scott).
- “Migration and Divisions of Labor in China,” The California Center for Population Research, UCLA, May 30, 2001.
- “Population Policy of China” Environment M1B (GE Cluster), UCLA, February 21, 2001.
- “Migration, Labor Market, and Gender in Transitional China,” Department of Geography, Arizona State University, April 21, 2000.
- “The Population of China: Size and Mobility,” Environment M1A (GE Cluster), UCLA, October 13, 1999.
- “The Human Avalanche: Peasant Migrants in China,” UCLA History-Geography Project, July 19, 1999.
- “Socialist Transition, Migration, and Social Change in China,” UCLA History-Geography Project, April 24, 1999.
- “Regional Policy, Migration, and Social Change in China,” Asia Media Network, February 26, 1999.
- “Migration and Gender and *Hukou* Constructs in China,” China Program Colloquium, University of Washington, May 7, 1998.
- “Hong Kong, China: Ten Months Later,” part of “The Dragon Stirs: Geographies of a Waking China” series, Central Washington University, May 6, 1998.
- “China’s Floating Population: Peasants as Agents of Economic Social Change,” part of the “Tension Areas in the World Today” series, UCLA Extension, May 5, 1998.
- “China’s Hong Kong,” UCLA History-Geography Project, UCLA and Cerritos College, July 1997.
- “Geography of Contemporary China,” UCLA East Asian-Pacific Rim Summer Institute, August 1996.
- “Contemporary China,” UCLA History-Geography Project, UCLA and Cerritos College, July 1996.
- “Uneven Regional Development and Internal Migration in Post-Mao China,” Department of Geography, University of Hong Kong; Institute of Sociology, Jiangsu Provincial Academy of Social Sciences, Nanjing, PRC; Centre of Hong Kong and Macao Studies, Zhongshan University, Guangzhou, PRC; November-December 1995.

- “Contemporary China” and “Ethnic Geography of Los Angeles,” UCLA History-Geography Project, July-August, 1995.
- “Ethnic Geography of Los Angeles,” UCLA History-Geography Project, August 1994.
- “Issues in Chinese Urbanization and Population,” UCLA History-Geography Project, December 1993.
- “Ethnic Geography of Los Angeles,” UCLA History-Geography Project, July 1993.
- “Issues in China's Regional Development,” Department of Geography, California State University, Northridge, March 1993.
- “Los Angeles, Environment and People,” Friends of Geography (FOG), June 1992.
- “Ethnic diversity in schools: a case study of Los Angeles Unified School District,” The Lewis Center for Regional Policy Studies, UCLA, May 1992.
- “The Geography of China's Economic Reforms,” Friends of Geography (FOG), March 1992.
- “China's Population Problem,” UCLA-Community College Series, May 1990.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2025 “Hukou in China: Will Reforms Work?” 2025 American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting and Exhibition, Vancouver, Canada, September 14.
- 2025 “Why Do Rural Chinese Continue to Do Migrant work: Gender and Social Explanations,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Detroit, Michigan, March 28 (with Yu Wang).
- 2025 “Urban-Urban Split Households in China: Navigating Flexible Masculinity,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Detroit, Michigan, March 28 (with Yali He-Schaefer).
- 2025 “Negotiating Gender Roles and Norms: The Experience of Southeast Asian Male Migrant Domestic Workers in Hong Kong,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Detroit, Michigan, March 28 (with Kylie Poon).
- 2024 “Hukou Reforms in China: Governance and Agency,” 35th International Geographical Congress 2024, Dublin City University, Dublin, Ireland, August 26.
- 2024 “Hukou Reforms, Migration and Urbanization in China,” Population Association of Singapore 2024 Annual Meeting, Singapore, May 16.
- 2024 “China’s Hukou: Reforms, Mismatch, and Household Strategies,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Honolulu, Hawai’i, April 16.
- 2024 “Opportunities via International Sports Events,” 2024 Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) Annual Conference, Washington, DC, February 21.
- 2023 “Women at a Crossroads: Split Households and Gender Relations Among Urban-Urban Migrants in China,” Hong Kong Sociological Association 24th Annual Conference, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, December 2, 2023 (with Yali He-Schaefer).
- 2023 “Women at a Crossroads: Gender Dynamics Among Urban-Urban Migrants in China,” 2023 Urban China Research Network Conference on Livable Cities for All: Re-imagining Urban China Research, Beijing, October 28 (with Yali He-Schaefer).
- 2023 “Gender Dynamics of Hypergamy: Insights from Parents in Shanghai’s Matchmaking Corner,” Population Association of Singapore 2023 Annual Meeting, Singapore, May 11 (with Yingchun Ji).
- 2023 “Gender Dynamics of Hypergamy: Insights from Parents in Shanghai’s Matchmaking Corner,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Denver, Colorado, March 25 (with Yingchun Ji and Yue Liu).
- 2023 “Women at a Crossroads: Gender Dynamics Among Urban-Urban Migrants in China,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Denver, Colorado, March 23 (with Yali He-Schaefer).
- 2022 “Split Households and Migration in the Global South: Gender and Intergenerational Perspectives,” International Geographic Union (IGU) Centennial Congress, Paris, France, July 19.

- 2022 “U.S. Government Collaboration with Higher Education Institutions: Advancing International Education,” NAFSA 2022 Annual Conference and Expo, Denver, Colorado, June 2.
- 2022 “International Scholars at U.S. Universities: Sustaining and Repairing Research Pipelines,” NAFSA 2022 Annual Conference and Expo, Denver, Colorado, June 2.
- 2022 “Intergenerational Gendered Livelihoods: Marriage, Matchmaking and Rural-Urban Migration in China,” 4th International Feminist Geography Conference, Boulder, Colorado, June 16.
- 2022 “Intergenerational Gendered Livelihoods: Marriage, Matchmaking and Migration in Rural China,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers (Virtual), March 1.
- 2022 “Advancing JEDI (Justice, Equity, Diversity, Inclusion) Principles in International Education,” 2022 Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) Annual Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana, February 22.
- 2022 “Anti-Asian Hate and the SIO,” 2022 Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) Annual Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana, February 21.
- 2021 “Webinars as a Tool of Global Learning,” NAFSA (Association of International Educators) 2021 Annual Conference & Expo (Virtual), June 2.
- 2021 “Left Behind? Migration Stories of Two Women in Rural China,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers (Virtual), April 7 (with Chen Chen)
- 2019 “Second Homes in Urban China: Analysis of the 2015 China Household Finance Survey,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Washington, DC, April 4 (with Tianjiao Li).
- 2019 “Leveraging Collegiate Athletics to Advance Internationalization” and “Amplifying Impact: Transformative Solution to Asia-Pacific Challenges,” 2019 Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, January 21-22.
- 2018 “Occupancy, Usage and Spatial Location of Second Homes in Urban China,” A Decent Home for All: International Symposium on Housing in China, Chengdu, China, July 5 (with Tianjiao Li).
- 2018 Expert Panel at the Presidential Forum “Public Trust and the Changing Role of Universities,” 22nd APRU (Association of Pacific Rim Universities) Annual Presidents’ Meeting, June 26.
- 2018 “Rural-Urban Circularity in China: Analysis of Longitudinal Surveys in Anhui,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, New Orleans, LA, April 12 (with Chen Chen).
- 2018 “Rural-Urban Circularity of Migrants’ Children in China: Analysis of Longitudinal Surveys in Sichuan and Anhui,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, New Orleans, LA, April 12 (with Chen Chen).
- 2018 “The Spatial Disparity of Family Migration in Eight Cities in China,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, New Orleans, LA, April 12 (with Tianjiao Li).
- 2018 “Belt and Road: Mapping Imaginations,” Panel on China’s Belt and Road Initiative (VI): Local Experiences and International Implications of China’s “Global Integration,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, New Orleans, LA, April 12.
- 2018 “Strategic Plans and the SIO: The UCLA Experience,” 2018 Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) Annual Conference, Washington, DC, February 21.
- 2017 “First Out-Migration and First Return of Rural-Urban Migrants in China: An Event-History Analysis,” Population Association of America 2017 Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, April 30 (with Chen Chen).
- 2017 “Generational and Gender Differences in Out-Migration and Return-Migration Rates: An Event-History Analysis of Six Villages in China,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Boston, MA, April 5 (with Chen Chen).
- 2017 “Familization of China’s Floating Population,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Boston, MA, April 5 (with Tianjiao Li).
- 2017 “Together or Separately? Couple Migration Pattern and Its Mechanisms,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Boston, MA, April 5 (with Tianjiao Li and Guangzhong Cao).

- 2017 “Migration, Gender and Space in China,” Panel on “Modernity, Space and Gender 3,” Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Boston, MA, April 8.
- 2017 “Faculty Innovations in International Collaborative Networks,” Asia-Pacific Association for International Education (APAIE) 2017 Conference & Exhibition, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, March 23.
- 2017 “APRU (Association of Pacific Rim Universities) Impact Report 2016,” Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) Annual Conference, Washington DC, February 21.
- 2016 “Occupational Changes of Migrants in China: Analyses of Three Censuses from 1990 to 2010,” The 33rd International Geographical Union, Beijing, China, August 23 (with Zhongdong Ma).
- 2016 “China’s Urban *Hukou* Puzzle: Why Don’t Rural Migrants Want It?” Annual Meetings of the Association of American Geographers, San Francisco, CA, March 31.
- 2015 “Hong Kong and Me,” Annual Meetings of the Association of American Geographers, Chicago, IL, April 23.
- 2015 “Labor Migration, Employment, and Occupational Changes in China, 1985 to 2010,” Annual Meetings of the Association of American Geographers, Chicago, IL, April 21 (with John Zhongdong Ma).
- 2014 “Social and Spatial (Re)organization of Rural Migrant Households in China,” Annual Meetings of the Association of American Geographers, Tampa, FL, April 10.
- 2013 “The New-Generation Migrant Workers in China,” Annual Meetings of the Association of American Geographers, Los Angeles, April 12.
- 2013 Panel on “Geographers and Public Discourse on China, Annual Meetings of the Association of American Geographers, Los Angeles, April 10.
- 2012 “Neither Here nor There: Household Organization and Reorganization of Rural-Urban Migrants in China,” Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference, Toronto, March 15-18.
- 2012 “Rural-Urban Migration in China since the 1980s: What has Changed and What hasn’t?” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, New York, February 24-28.
- 2012 Panel on “Debating the Asian Century: The Promise and the Reality,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, New York, February 24-28.
- 2011 “Settlement Intention and Split Households: Findings from a Migrant Survey in Beijing, China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Seattle, April 14.
- 2011 “Settling Down or Returning Home: Migration Intention and Split Households of Rural Migrants in Beijing,” Association for Asian Studies and International Convention of Asia Scholars Joint Conference, Honolulu, March 31.
- 2010 “Sole, Couple, and Family Migrants: Findings from a Survey of Beijing’s Urban Villages,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Washington, DC, April 14-18 (with Mingjie Sun and Siqi Zheng).
- 2010 Panel on “Author Meets Critics: George Lin's Developing China: Land, Politics and Social Conditions,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Washington, DC, April 14-18.
- 2009 “Urban Villages in China: A 2008 Survey of Migrant Settlements in Beijing,” 10th Asian Urbanization Conference, Hong Kong, August 16-19 (with Siqi Zheng, Fenjie Long, and Yizhen Gu).
- 2009 “Inside-Outside and Outside-Outside: Migration and the Rural Family in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Las Vegas, March 22-27 (with Wenfei Winnie Wang).
- 2009 Panel on “Transformation of China’s Cities and Regions,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Las Vegas, March 22-27.
- 2009 Panel on “Capitalism, Chinese Styles,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Las Vegas, March 22-27.
- 2008 “Straddling City and Countryside: Security and Strategies of Rural-Urban Migrants in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Boston, April 15-19 (with Wenfei Winnie Wang).

- 2008 “New Migrants: A Cross-generational Comparison of Rural-urban Migration in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Boston, April 15-19 (with Wenfei Winnie Wang).
- 2008 Panel on “National Research Council Study: Strategic Directions for the Geographical Sciences in the Next Decade,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Boston, April 15-19.
- 2008 Panel on “Understanding Transnationalism and the Chinese Diasporas,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Boston, April 15-19.
- 2008 Panel on “In memory of Dr. Chor-Pang Lo: Reflections on Dr. Lo's Life, Accomplishments, and Scholarly Contributions to the Geography of China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Boston, April 15-19.
- 2007 “Rural-Urban Migration and Urban Transition in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, San Francisco, April 17-21.
- 2007 Panel on “Ten Years After: How is Hong Kong Surviving as Part of China?” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, San Francisco, April 17-21.
- 2007 Panel on “Three Decades of Research on China since the 1977 Sino-American Exchange of Geographers I: Views from the U.S. and China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, San Francisco, April 17-21.
- 2006 “Household Strategies and Rural-Urban Migration in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Chicago, March 7-11 (with Wenfei Winnie Wang).
- 2006 “Regional Inequality in the Pan-Pearl River Delta Region,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Chicago, March 7-11 (with Mingjie Sun).
- 2006 “China Geography” Panel on Research on China Geography, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Chicago, March 7-11.
- 2005 “Migration and HIV in China,” Panel on Health and (Missed) Development: Issues and Imperatives, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Denver, April 5-9.
- 2005 “The Impacts of Migration on Rural China: A Review of Research Findings and Insights from the Institutional and Household Perspectives,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Denver, April 5-9.
- 2004 “Interprovincial Migration, Population Redistribution, and Regional Development in China: Data Analysis Based on the 1990 and 2000 Censuses,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Philadelphia, March 14-19.
- 2004 “International Students and Funding,” Panel on Mentors and Mentorees: Immigrant/International Geographers in North American Academia, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Philadelphia, March 14-19.
- 2003 “Interprovincial Migration, Population Redistribution, and Regional Development in China: Data Analysis Based on the 1990 and 2000 Censuses,” International Conference on Globalization, the State, and Urban Transformation in China, Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong, December 15-17.
- 2003 “Out to the City and Back to the Village: The Experiences and Contributions of Rural Women Migrating from Sichuan and Anhui,” 55th Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian Studies, New York, March 27-30.
- 2003 “Out to the City and Back to the Village: The Experiences and Contributions of Rural Women Migrating from Sichuan and Anhui,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, New Orleans, March 4-8.
- 2002 “A Tale of Two Enclaves: Growth and Decline of Hui Neighborhoods in Beijing,” International Conference on Human Geography, Third US-China Symposium, Los Angeles, California, March 23-24 (with Wenfei Wang and Shangyi Zhou).
- 2002 “Industrial Clusters in East Asia,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Los Angeles, California, March 19-23 (with Allen Scott).

- 2001 “Industrial Clusters in East Asia with Special Reference to China,” The Second Meeting of the East Asian Regional Conference on Alternative Geography, Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong, December 6-9 (with Allen Scott).
- 2001 “Out to the City and Back to the Village: Experiences and Contributions of Rural Women Migrants in China,” 2nd International Symposium on WTO and Chinese Rural Development in the 21st Century, jointly sponsored by the Rural Development Institute of the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (RDI-CASS), Maoming Municipal Government, and the China Society of Foreign Agricultural Economy (CSFAE), Maoming, Guangdong, June 25-29; the 2001 International Forum on Rural Labor Mobility in China, jointly sponsored by the Department of Research on Rural Economy, Development Research Center (DRC) of the State Council, the Research Center for Rural Economy (RCRE) of the Ministry of Agriculture, and the Department of Training and Employment of the Ministry of Labor and Social Security, Beijing, China, July 3-5; and Cross-Strait Geographical Conference, jointly organized by the Institute of Geography, Chinese Academy of Sciences, and East China Normal University, August 12-15.
- 2001 “The Transitional State, Rural-Urban Migration and Gender Division of Labor in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, New York, February 27-March 3.
- 2000 “Migration and Labor Market Segmentation in Urban China,” Pacific Rim Workshop, Lewis Center for Regional Policy Studies, UCLA, August 3-4.
- 2000 “Migration and the Urban Labor Market in Transitional China: A Case Study of Guangzhou,” International Workshop on Resource Management, Urbanization and Governance in Hong Kong and the Zhujiang Delta, Hong Kong, May 23-24.
- 2000 “The Geography of Socialist Transition in China,” Panel on China’s Socialist Transition, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, April 4-8.
- 2000 “Chinese Americans: Immigration, Settlement and Social Geography,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, April 4-8.
- 2000 “Globalization, Socialist Transition, and Internal Migration in China,” Special session on “New Migrations and the Global Economy,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, April 4-8 (with Youqin Huang).
- 2000 “Foreign Investment and Regional Development in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, April 4-8 (with Jiantao Lu).
- 1999 “Strategies in a Transitional Economy: Marriage Migration in Western Guangdong, China,” International Conference on Urban Development in China: Last Half Century and into the Next Millennium, Zhongshan, Guangzhou, China, December 6-9 (with Ling Li).
- 1999 “Job Choice and Transfer of Migrants and Non-migrants in a Transitional Economy: A Case Study of the Labor Market in Guangzhou, China,” International Conference on Urban Development in China: Last Half Century and into the next Millennium, Zhongshan, Guangzhou, China, December 6-9 (with Ling Li).
- 1999 “Heterogeneity of Population Movements in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Honolulu, Hawaii, March 23-27.
- 1998 “Migration, Gender, and the Labor Market,” Migration in Contemporary China, Southern California China Colloquium Series, UCLA, December 5, 1998.
- 1998 “Gender Differences in Chinese Migration,” International Conference on “China and the World in the 21st Century,” Hong Kong, August 13-15.
- 1998 “Migration and Gender and *Hukou* Constructs in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Boston, Massachusetts, March 25-29.
- 1997 “Female Marriage Migration in China,” The 5th Asian Urbanization Conference, London, August 26-30 (with Youqin Huang).
- 1997 “China’s Non-*hukou* Migrants: Relevance of the Underclass Framework,” International Conference on the Past, Future and Applications of Human Geography (The 2nd Sino-American Symposium on Human Geography), Xi’an Foreign Language University, Xi’an, China, June 23-25.

- 1997 “Intraprovincial Inequality in China: A Case Study of Jiangsu,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Fort Worth, Texas, April 1-5 (with Yehua Wei).
- 1997 “Marriage and Female Migration in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Fort Worth, Texas, April 1-5 (with Youqin Huang).
- 1996 “City Size Distribution and the Vertical and Horizontal Expansions of China's Urban System,” International Conference: “Rural-Urban Transition and Development in China”, sponsored by the Commission on Urban Geography of Chinese Geographical Society; Department of Geography and Geology, University of Hong Kong; and Centre for Urban and Regional Studies, Zhongshan University, December 11-15.
- 1996 “Causes of Migration to and within Guangdong Province,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Charlotte, North Carolina, April 9-13.
- 1996 “Economic Reforms, Development Path, and Spatial Disparity: The Case of Jiangsu and Guangdong” (poster), Annual Meeting of the Association for Asian Studies, Honolulu, Hawaii, April 11-14.
- 1995 “The New Migration and Migrants in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Chicago, Illinois, March 14-18.
- 1995 “The Application of Western Theories in Research on China's Regional Inequality,” International Symposium on the Economic Cooperation between the Pearl River Delta and other Asian and Pacific Regions, Jiangmen, Guangdong, China, January 10-14.
- 1994 “Chinese Models of Regional Development,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, San Francisco, California, March 29-April 2.
- 1994 “Chinese Regional Policy since 1949,” Association for Asian Studies Annual Meeting, Boston, March 24-27.
- 1993 “China's Regional Development: Theories, Models and Policies,” California State University, Fresno, Pacific Rim Studies Institute's conference “The Pacific Rim Faces the 21st Century”, October 3-5.
- 1993 “Inter- and Intra-Provincial Inequalities in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Atlanta, Georgia, April 6-10.
- 1993 “Recent Trends in China's Regional Inequality,” Association for Asian Studies Annual Meeting, Los Angeles, March 25-28.
- 1992 “Economic Reforms and Regional Inequality in China: A Comparison of Guangdong and Hunan,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, San Diego, California, April 18-21 (with C.K. Leung).
- 1991 “The Spatial-Temporal Variations in Regional Income Inequalities in the U.S.: An Inquiry by Expanded Rank-Size Functions,” North American Regional Science Association Meeting, New Orleans, November 8-10 (with E. Casetti).
- 1991 “Foreign Trade and Regional Disparities in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Miami, Florida, April 13-17.
- 1991 “The Spatial Spread of the AIDS Epidemic in Ohio: Empirical Analysis Using the Expansion Method,” Annual Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), Washington, D.C., February 14-19 (with E. Casetti).
- 1990 “Economic Reforms, Trade and Spatial Development of China in the 21st Century,” Commonwealth Geographical Bureau Workshop on Geography and Development in Pacific Asia in the 21st Century, Hong Kong, December 10-14 (with Wing-Shing Tang and David K.Y. Chu).
- 1990 “The Dynamics of Growth and Manufacturing in the Old Industrial Core: A Case Study of Ohio,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Toronto, Canada, April 19-22.
- 1989 “The Temporal Dynamics of Regional Growth and its Relationship with the Manufacturing Sector: A Case Study of Ohio,” Thirty-sixth North American Meetings of the Regional Science Association, Santa Barbara, California, November 10-12.

- 1989 “The Spatial Spread of the AIDS Epidemic in Ohio: Empirical Analyses Using the Expansion Method,” International Conference on ‘Diffusion of Technologies and Social Behavior’, International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis, Laxenburg, Austria, June 14-16 (with E. Casetti).
- 1989 “Growth Dynamics in the Old Industrial Core: A Case Study of Ohio,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Baltimore, Maryland, March 19-22.
- 1988 “Sectoral Shifts in Manufacturing and Service Sectors in Ohio,” Thirty-fifth North American Meetings of the Regional Science Association, Toronto, Canada, Nov. 11-13 (with E. Casetti).
- 1988 “Recent Trends in Regional Income Distribution in the United States,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Phoenix, Arizona, April 6-10.
- 1987 “An Investigation of the Temporal and Spatial Dynamics of City-Size Distributions in China via Expanded Rank-Size Functions,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Portland, Oregon, April 22-26.
- 1986 “An Investigation of the Dynamics of Development Inequalities via Expanded Rank-Size Functions,” Thirty-third North American Meetings of the Regional Science Association, Columbus, Ohio, November 14-16.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Professional Organizations

- Member, International Advocacy Coordinating Committee (IACC), Commission on International Initiatives (CII) of Association of Public and Land-grant Universities (APLU), 2022 – present.
- Moderator, “Global Perspectives on Anti-Asian Racism” series, Part I: “Understanding and Overcoming Anti-Asian Hate,” Association of Pacific Rim University (APRU), October 28, 2021.
- Organizer and Moderator, “Fireside Chat with Women Presidents and Vice Presidents,” Asia Pacific Women in Leadership (APWiL) Mentoring Program, Association of Pacific Rim Universities (APRU), June 1, 2021.
- Mentor, Asia Pacific Women in Leadership (APWiL) Mentoring Program, Association of Pacific Rim Universities (APRU), 2020-2021.
- Peer Mentor, American Council of Education (ACE) Fellowship, 2020 – 2022.
- Chair, Pac-12 Senior Information Officers (SIO) Group, 2017-2018.
- Co-Chair, International Policy Advisory Committee (IPAC), Association of Pacific Rim Universities (APRU), 2016 – 2019.
- Editorial Advisory Group, Association of Pacific Rim Universities (APRU) Impact Report, 2015 – 2019.
- Gateway Convenor, Regional Studies Association Global Conference 2012 (Beijing, China).
- Chair (2008-2010) and member (2007-2010), Membership Committee, Association of American Geographers.
- Advisory Panel, Geography and Regional Science (GRS), National Science Foundation, 2000 – 2002.
- Annual Meeting Program Committee, Association of American Geographers, 2002.
- Chair (1997-1998), Vice-Chair (1996-1997), Secretary-Treasurer (1993-1995) and Secretary (1991-1993) of the China Specialty Group of the Association of American Geographers.
- Student coordinator of the Mathematical Models and Quantitative Methods Specialty Group of the Association of American Geographers, 1988 - 1989.

Other Advisory and Reviewing Service

- Member of U.S.-China Education Cooperation Consultative Committee, part of the U.S.-China Higher Education Dialogue organized by the Institute of International Education (IIE) and China Education Association for International Exchange (CEAIE), 2024 – present.
- Member of Review Team, Buffett Institute for Global Affairs, Northwestern University, 2023.

Member of External Review Team for Western University's (Ontario, Canada) Internationalization Activities, September 2022.

Member of External Review Team for the Office of Global Strategies and Initiatives, Emory University, 2018.

Member of Advisory Board, Sister Cities of Los Angeles, 2016 – 2018.

International Member, External Review Panel for the Institutional Quality Audit of Wuhan University conducted by the Higher Education Evaluation Center of China's Ministry of Education, May 9-12, 2016.

Member of External Review Team for the Institute for International Studies (IIS), University of California, Berkeley, 2015.

Social Sciences Panel, Research Assessment Exercise (RAE), University Grants Committee (UGC) of Hong Kong, China, 2014-2015, 2019-2020.

Member of Research Grants Council (RGC) of Hong Kong, 2017-2023.

Humanities and Social Sciences Panel, Research Grants Council (RGC) of Hong Kong, 2010-2014 (Member of Social and Behavioural Sciences Sub-Panel); 2015-present (Chair of Social and Behavioural Sciences Sub-Panel); 2017-2023 (Chair of Humanities and Social Sciences Panel).

Review Panel for the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Hong Kong, 2012.

Assessment Panel, Program for Changjiang Scholars and Innovative Research Team (PCSIRT) for Sun Yat-sen University, Ministry of Education, China, 2009.

External Examiner, MA Program in China Development Studies, University of Hong Kong, 2008-present.

External Reviewer, Geography Program Assessment Plan, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona, 2006-2007.

Visiting Examiner, Department of Geography and Resource Management, Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2004-2007.

Consultant, World Bank, 2001, 2004.

External Examiner for PhD dissertation, University of Hong Kong.

External Examiner for PhD dissertation, Chinese University of Hong Kong.

Institute Scholar-in-Residence, "Making Modern China," UCLA History-Geography Project, July 23-27, 2001.

Site Scholar for the "Urban Geography Mini-Institute" (funded by the History-Social Science Project), Costa Mesa, California, June 26-29, 1995.

Panelist, "Geographic approaches to democratization" workshop, National Science Foundation, December 1994.

Consultant, "Yangtze River Basin" symposium (Ford Foundation), Earlham College, November 1994.

Consultant, "Collective contention in Mainland and Taiwan," principal investigators James Tong and Yunhan Chu, funded by the Chiang Ching-Kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange (USA), 1991 - 1993.

Referee for Journals, Publishers, and Funding Agencies

Amerasia; Agricultural Economics; Annals of the Association of American Geographers; Asian Geographer; Built Environment; China: An International Journal; China Information; China Quarterly; China Review; Chinese Environment and Development; Cities; Cultural Geographies; Demography; Economic Development and Cultural Change; Economic Geography; Education About Asia; Environment and Planning A; Environment and Planning D; Eurasian Geography and Economics; Gender; Place and Culture; Geoforum; Geographical Analysis; Geographical and Environmental Modelling; Geography Research Forum; The Geographical Review; Growth and Change; The Industrial Geographer; International Journal of Urban and Regional Research; International Migration; International Migration Review; International Regional Science Review; Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies; Journal of Historical Geography; Journal of Comparative Economics; Journal of Mexican Studies; Journal of Regional Science; Modern China; Pacific Affairs; Papers in Regional Science; Population and Development Review; Population and

Environment; Population, Space and Place; Political Geography; The Professional Geographer; Regional Studies; Scandinavian Journal of Economics; Social Inclusion; Social Forces; The Social Science Journal; Social Science Quarterly; Social Science Research; Studies in Family Planning; Tijdschrift voor Economische en Sociale Geografie; Transactions; Institute of British Geographers; Urban Affairs Review; Urban Geography; The Chinese University Press; The Israel Science Foundation; John Wiley & Sons; Longman; McDougal Littell; Oxford University Press; Prentice Hall; Routledge; National Geographic Society; National Science Foundation; Research Grants Council of Hong Kong; SAGE; Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada; and the World Bank.

Organizer or Discussant in Conferences

- Discussant, “Migration Intention and Decision” session, Singapore Population Association 2024 Annual Meeting, Singapore, May 17, 2024.
- Organizer of the “Sports and International Education” session, 2024 Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) Annual Conference, Washington, DC, February 21, 2024.
- Discussant, “Ethnicity & Migration” Session, Singapore Population Association 2023 Annual Meeting, Singapore, May 11, 2023.
- Discussant, “Centering the Left-behind: Translocality, Transnationalism, and the Gendered Reconfiguration of Families across Asia-Pacific” Session, Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference, Boston, March 17, 2023.
- Moderator, “Morning Plenary Session: Meet the Experts Panel,” UCLA Health in Asia Conference, Bali, Indonesia, August 29, 2022.
- Moderator, “Heat Waves, Wildfires, and iPhones: Mental Health in the New Millennium” Session, UCLA Health in Asia Conference, Bali, Indonesia, August 30, 2022.
- Organizer of the “Anti-Asian Hate and the SIO” session, 2022 Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) Annual Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana, February 21, 2022.
- Organizer, Annual Presidents’ Meeting of the Association of Pacific Rim Universities (APRU), Los Angeles, June 23-25, 2019.
- Moderator, Keynote entitled “Different Migration Policies Around the World” by Jared Diamond, Annual Presidents’ Meeting of the Association of Pacific Rim Universities (APRU), Los Angeles, June 25, 2019 (with UCLA Chancellor Gene Block).
- Discussant, “Access to Homeownership” and “Housing, Migration, and Mobility” sessions, A Decent Home for All: International Symposium on Housing in China, Chengdu, China, July 5, 2018.
- Organizer of “Contemporary Migration in China: Reciprocity, Circularity, Return, and the Migrant Household” session, Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, New Orleans, LA, April 12, 2018.
- Organizer and chair of “Strategic Plans and the SIO” session, Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA) Annual Conference, Washington, DC, February 21, 2018.
- Co-organizer of “Migration, Circularity and Return Migration in China” session, Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Boston, MA, April 5, 2017.
- Discussant of the “Formal and Informal Dynamics of Affordable Housing Development (III)” session, Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Boston, MA, April 9, 2017.
- Discussant of the “Theorizing Migration and Mobility Across Contemporary Chinese Society” session, Annual Meetings of the American Association of Geographers, Boston, MA, April 5, 2017.
- Discussant of “Dealing with the Challenges of Urban Development,” Young Economic Summit, Kiel, Germany, October 12, 2015.
- Organizer of “From Here to There: Destinations and Experiences of Chinese Migrants” session, Association for Asian Studies Annual Conference, Toronto, March 15-18, 2012.
- Discussant of “Slums, Enclaves, and Migrant Settlement in China” session, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, New York, February 24-28, 2012.

- Discussant in the “The State of the Chinese Economy” Conference, US-China Institute, University of Southern California, February 25-26, 2011.
- Discussant in the “Work and Inequality in the Global Economy: China, Mexico, and the US” Conference, UCLA Institute of Research on Labor and Employment, Los Angeles, October 8-10, 2009.
- Discussant of “Geography at Work in Developing Regions” plenary session, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Boston, April 15-19, 2008.
- Discussant of “Immigrants, returnees and globalization” session, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Boston, April 15-19, 2008.
- Organizer of “China's Regional Development: New Inequalities and Challenges” session, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Chicago, March 7-11, 2006.
- Organizer of “Rural China II: Migration and Human Resources” session, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Denver, March 5-9, 2005.
- Moderator, The Third Wilbur K. Woo Conference on the Greater China Economy, UCLA, Los Angeles, February 22, 2005.
- Organizer of “Migration in China: Urban, Rural and Regional Perspectives” session, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Philadelphia, March 14-19, 2004.
- Discussant of “Regulating or Accommodating: State and the High-Tech Industry in China” session, Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Philadelphia, March 14-19, 2004.
- Co-organizer and chair of plenary session, “Community Leader Meeting Academics: Immigration and Public Policy in Multiethnic Los Angeles,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Los Angeles, California, March 19-23, 2002.
- Discussant in “Conditions of Decolonization,” International Conference on “After the End: Hong Kong Culture after 1997,” Comparative and Interdisciplinary Research on Asia, UCLA, May 25-26, 2001.
- Discussant in China specialty group session, “Agriculture and Sustainable Development in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, New York, February 27-March 3, 2001.
- Conference organizer, “Regions, Spaces, and Landscapes: Geographic Approaches in China Studies,” Southern California China Colloquium Series, UCLA, May 13, 2000.
- Organizer of “Reflections, Connections, and Future Directions: A Conference on Asian Americans Studies Curriculum,” UCLA, May 7, 1999.
- Discussant and invited participant, “Internal Migration and Its Impacts on Chinese Urbanization,” The Albany Workshop, Center for Social and Demographic Analysis, University at Albany, State University of New York, May 1, 1999.
- Conference organizer, “Migration in Contemporary China,” Southern California China Colloquium Series, UCLA, December 5, 1998.
- Conference Organizing Committee, “International Conference on Urban Development in China: Last Half Century and into the next Millennium,” Zhongshan University, Guangzhou, China, December 6-9, 1999.
- Organizer and chair of China specialty group sessions, “Twenty years of reforms in China: retrospect and prospect,” “Twenty years of reforms in China: international perspectives,” “Regional economic development in China I,” “Regional economic development in China II,” “Migration and population changes in China,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Boston, Massachusetts, March 25-29, 1998.
- Discussant in China specialty group sessions, “Urbanization from below I: small town development in China - case studies,” “Urbanization from below II: small town development in China - theoretical issues,” Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Boston, Massachusetts, March 25-29, 1998.
- Organizer of China and Geographical Perspectives on Women specialty group session, “Women's role, work, and migration in China under reform,” for the Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Fort Worth, Texas, April 1-5, 1997.

- Organizer of China specialty group session, “Models of Chinese development,” for the Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, San Francisco, California, March 29-April 2, 1994.
- Organizer of session “China's economic development: regional and spatial perspectives,” for the Association for Asian Studies Annual Meeting, Boston, March 24-27, 1994.
- Organizer of three special sessions, “Spatial problems, regional development and the expansion method I, II, III,” for the Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Toronto, Canada, April 19-22, 1990.
- Discussant in the session “Analysis of Producer Services,” Thirty-sixth North American Meetings of the Regional Science Association, Santa Barbara, California, November 10-12, 1989.
- Organizer of three special sessions, “Modeling parametric contextual drift: The philosophy and applications of the expansion method I, II, III,” for the Annual Meeting of the Association of American Geographers, Baltimore, Maryland, March 19-22, 1989.

UNIVERSITY AND DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

University of California Office of the President (UCOP)

- Advisory Committee, University of California Education Abroad Program (UCEAP), 2018-present.
- Member, Senior International Leadership Council/Senior International Officers (SIO) Group, 2012-present.
- Chair, Ad Hoc Review Committee for the 5-year review of the Associate Vice Provost and Executive Director of the University of California Education Abroad Program (UCEAP), 2020.
- Director, University of California Foundation Limited, 2016-2020.
- Tiger Team on International Student Issues, 2018.
- Planning Committee, University of California International Thinking Day, 2016-2017.
- Governing Committee, University of California Education Abroad Program (UCEAP), 2015-2018.
- Search Committee for the Associate Vice Provost and Executive Director of the University of California Education Abroad Program (UCEAP), 2015-2016.
- International Activities Policy Working Group, 2014-2017.

University Service (UCLA)

- Lead, “Expand Our Reach as a Global University” Goal of the UCLA Strategic Plan, 2022-present.
- Chair, Committee on five-year administrative review of Monroe Gordon, Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs, 2022-2023.
- Director, International Education Week at UCLA, 2016 – present.
- Moderator, “Global Challenges, Local Responses,” UCLA Global Conversation (in collaboration with the Los Angeles Consular Corps), International Education Week, November 10, 2022.
- Moderator, “Bruins Abroad: A Virtual Panel Discussion on the Study Abroad Experience,” International Education Week, November 15, 2021.
- Moderator, “A Conversation with Attorney General Rob Bonta: My Heritage and My Journey,” UCLA Global Conversation, International Education Week, November 15, 2021.
- Moderator, “Developing Global Leaders: A View from Los Angeles with Ambassador Nina Hachigian,” UCLA Global Conversation, International Education Week, November 16, 2021.
- Chair, Committee on five-year administrative review of Jayathi Murthy, Dean of the Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science, 2021.
- Co-moderator, “Resolved: United Nations in a Divided World,” Book Talk by Ban Ki-Moon, 8th Secretary-General of the United Nations, Center for Chinese Studies, June 28, 2021.
- Moderator, “Japan and COVID-19,” Global Japan Form 2021, Terasaki Center for Japanese Studies, May 18, 2021.
- Moderator, “Transforming Education Using AI” featuring speaker Derek Li, Wilbur K. Woo Greater China Business Conference: Focus on AI and Innovations in Internet Services, April 13, 2021.
- Faculty Fellow, California Center for Population Research (CCPR), 2021-present.

Judge, Final Round of UCLA Global Health Case Competition, February 6, 2021.
Co-chair, Risk Committee for Study Abroad Programs, 2021-2022.
Committee on Foreign Engagement/Influence, UCLA Office of Vice Chancellor for Research and Creative Activities, 2019-present.
Global Citizens Fellowship Board, UCLA Office of Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs, 2016-present.
Leadership Mentor, UCLA Office of Vice Chancellor for Academic Personnel, 2019-2021.
UCLA Centennial Celebration Steering Committee, 2017-2020.
Global Outreach Task Force (UCLA Strategic Plan), 2017-2018.
Director, UCLA Global Classroom Program, 2009-present.
Committee for the Renewal of the Walter and Shirley Wang Chair in US-China Relations and Communications, UCLA Asian American Studies Center, 2017.
UCLA Center for World Health Internal Advisory Committee, 2016-2018.
Joint Academic Senate-Administration Task Force on Self-Supporting Degree Programs, UCLA, 2012-2014.
Search Committee for the new Neikirk Term Chair to honor undergraduate teaching, UCLA, 2011-2012.
Chair, Committee on Educational Initiatives, Division of Social Sciences, UCLA, 2010-2011.
Search Committee for the Vice Chancellor-Academic Personnel, UCLA, 2010-2011.
Academic Senate Committee on Developing Electronic Dossier and Review Systems, UCLA, 2009-2010.
Task Force for Revising the International Institute Interdepartmental Programs, 2009-2010.
Search Committee for the Dean of Social Sciences, UCLA, 2008-2009.
Faculty Advisory Committee, Institute for Social Research, UCLA, 2008-2010.
Academic Senate Task Force on Interdepartmental Degree Programs, UCLA, 2006-2007.
Faculty Advisory Committee, International Institute, UCLA, 2006-2011.
China Committee, Office of the Chancellor, UCLA, 2006-2011.
Infrastructure Development Committee, California Center for Population Research, UCLA, 2006-2007.
Affiliated Faculty, Global Studies Interdepartmental Program, UCLA, 2006-present.
Faculty Executive Committee, Global Studies Interdepartmental Program, UCLA, 2004-2006.
Search Committee for the Director of the Asia Institute, UCLA, 2002-2003.
Committee for Establishing a New Major in Global Studies, UCLA, 2003-2004.
Faculty Advisory Committee, East Asian Studies Interdepartmental Program, UCLA, 2000-2011.
Faculty Grant Review Committee, Asia-Pacific Institute, UCLA, 2001-2002.
Committee to Supervise the Program in Asian-American Studies, UCLA, 1992-2004.
Faculty Advisory Committee, Center for Joint East Asian Studies, UCLA, 1999-2002.
Faculty Advisory Committee and Executive Committee, Center for Chinese Studies, UCLA, 1989-present.
Faculty Advisory Committee, Asian American Studies Center, 1992-present.
Colloquia Series Committee, Center for Chinese Studies, UCLA, 1997-1998.
Fellowship Committee, Center for Chinese Studies, UCLA, 1998-2001.
Graduate Committee, Women's Studies Program, UCLA, 2000-2001.
Selection Committee, Sammy Lee Scholarship, UCLA, 2001.
Executive Committee of the Lewis Center for Regional Policy Studies, UCLA, 1994-2001.
Editorial Board, Lewis Center for Regional Policy Studies Working Papers, UCLA, 1996-1998.
Faculty Advisory Executive Committee for the Center for Pacific Rim Studies, UCLA, 1994-1997.
Southeast Asia Search Committee, UCLA, 1998.
Faculty Library Advisory Committee of the East Asian Library, UCLA, 1995-1996.
Faculty Fellow, Office of Residential Life, UCLA, 1995-1996.
Selection Committee, University of California Education Abroad Program, 1994-1995, 1997-1998, 1999-2000, 2000-2001.
Small Grants Review Committee, International Studies and Overseas Programs, UCLA, 1992.
Board Member, Association of Academic Women, UCLA, 1990-1992.

Co-facilitator in the Ford Ethnic Women's Curriculum Transformation Project (Crossing borders crossing cultures), funded by the Ford Foundation, College of Letters and Science, UCLA, and Center for the Study of Women, UCLA, April - June 1991.

Faculty participant in the Ford Ethnic Women's Curriculum Transformation Project (Interdisciplinary seminar), funded by the Ford Foundation, College of Letters and Science, UCLA, and Center for the Study of Women, UCLA, April - June 1990

Yenching Fellowship Selection Committee, Center for Pacific Rim Studies, UCLA, 1990.

University Service (Other)

Executive Committee of the Hong Kong Students' Association, Ohio State University, 1987-1988.

Faculty-Student Festival Committee, Department of Geography, Chinese University of Hong Kong, 1984.

Departmental Service

Chair, Honors Committee, Department of Geography, UCLA, 2025-present.

Chair and member of Ad Hoc Review Committees for merits and promotions, Department of Geography, UCLA, various years.

Mentor for Assistant Professors, Department of Geography, UCLA, various years.

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