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Presidential Message

Dear ICSA community,

Season's greetings to you all!!

I am excited to announce that the 2024 ICSA conference will be hosted by the University of Macau and held on June 13-14, 2024. Professor Cai Tianji at the University of Macau will chair the conference committee and work with his colleagues and several ICSA Board members. The theme of this conference is **Mobility after the pandemic: changes and long-term effects of COVID-19**. On Jan. 12, 2024, the online submission site for this conference will open. Please see details of the timelines for this conference on [the ICSA website](#). I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible in Macau in June 2024.

We could not find a colleague to co-organize a conference in Montreal to coincide with the 2024 ASA meeting. Given the high cost and other restrictions of hosting a conference at the ASA meeting site or outside of the conference hotel, the Board has decided not to organize a conference in Montreal. We are still exploring the possibility of organizing alternative activities for members to get together in Montreal during the ASA meeting.

A big shout-out to Xu Jun and Guo Jiao for their outstanding efforts in compiling the Newsletters for us and to Ye Yizhou for his tireless assistance in helping us maintain the ICSA website and other administrative duties. Also, gratitude goes to Song Lijun for kindly agreeing to continue to help the association co-manage ICSA's assets with Tong Yuying. Without them, ICSA cannot function well. We greatly appreciate your dedication to ICSA.

Finally, we are planning to organize an election for the next term of Board members in early 2024 so we have a President-Elect and Vice-President-Elect to facilitate a smooth transition to the next Board. More details about the process will be shared with you in due course. I hope to see colleagues come forth to serve the ICSA communities.

All good wishes for a restful and happy holiday with your loved ones.

Best,
Jean Yeung
President, ICSA

2024 ICSA Annual Conference

We are excited to announce that the 7th ICSA Annual Conference will be held by University of Macau, June 13-14, 2024! The conference will be organized by the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Macau.

The conference's theme is "Mobility after the pandemic: changes and long-term effects of COVID-19".

Committee Members:

Tianji Cai (Chair, University of Macau),

Ming Wen (Hong Kong University),

Yuying Tong (Chinese University of Hong Kong),

Zhuoni Zhang (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Guangzhou),

Yisu Zhou (FED, University of Macau),

Yi Li (FSS, University of Macau)

Important Dates

Jan 12, 2024: On-line submission site opens

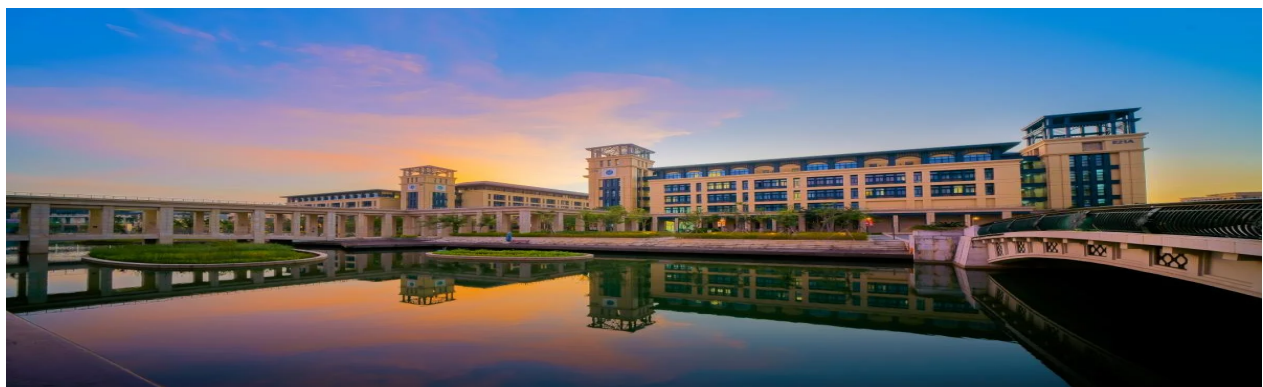
Feb 16, 2024: Deadline for submitting Abstracts

March 3, 2024: Formal acceptance letters by email

May 17, 2024: Provisional program available on the website

June 1, 2024: Full papers due to organizers/presiders/discussants

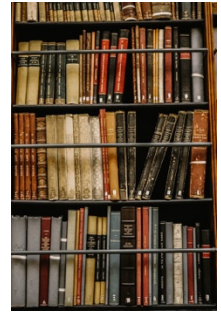
June 13-14, 2024: Conference



ACHIEVEMENT AND AWARDS

Bing Han - Purdue University

- Lois K. Cohen Graduate Education Endowment for Global Health in Sociology Award (\$4,000)



Yingyi Ma - Syracuse University

- 2023-2024 American Council of Education Fellowship
- 2023- Non-resident Senior Fellow-Foreign Policy, Brookings Institution



Cynthia Baiqing Zhang - Evergreen Campus LLC

- Honorable mention for the most significant 12 books in the area of rural criminology in the 21st century by Joseph Donnermeyer.

Jie Zhang - SUNY Buffalo State University, USA

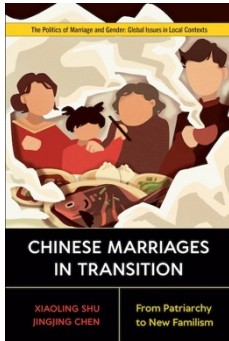
- Dr Zhang, SUNY Distinguished Professor, is selected as a member of the Sociological Research Association.

Min Zhou - University of California, Los Angeles

- Min Zhou was elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences and the (U.S.) National Academy of Sciences.



New Publications-Books

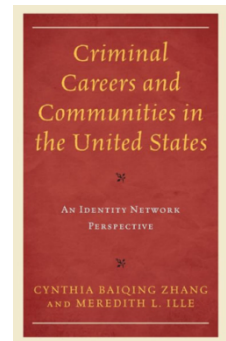


Xiaoling Shu - University of California Davis

- Shu, X. and Chen J.*. (2023). *Chinese Marriages in Transition: From Patriarchy to New Familism*. Rutgers University Press. Interdisciplinary book series on *The Politics of Marriage and Gender: Global Issues in Local Contexts*. Open Access <https://www.rutgersuniversitypress.org/9781978804661/chinese-marriages-in-transition/>

Cynthia Baiqing Zhang - Evergreen Campus LLC

- Zhang, Cynthia Baiqing, and Meredith L. Ille. (2023). *Criminal Careers and Communities in the United States: An Identity Network Perspective*. Lexington Books.



New Publications – Articles

Can Cui - East China Normal University

- Mu, X., Cui, C., & Cui, J. (2023). Migration up and down the urban hierarchy: The mediating effects of geographic mobility on migrants' homeownership. *Population, Space and Place*, 29(5), e2663. <https://doi.org/10.1002/psp.2663>
- Cui C., Yu S., Chen J., & Li J. (2023). How home buyers finance their homeownership in post-reform urban China? Changing dynamics of variegated financial pathways. *International Journal of Housing Policy*, 1-29. <https://doi.org/10.1080/19491247.2023.2189865>

Feng Hao - University of South Florida

- Hao, F., & Shao, W. (2023). Social network, political climate, income inequality, and Americans uptake of monovalent COVID-19 booster. *Vaccine*, 41(41), 6077-6082. doi:10.1016/j.vaccine.2023.08.064. *Vaccine*, 41(41), 6077-6082.
- Hao, F. (2023). Social network, Biden approval, and pediatric COVID-19 vaccine uptake. *Sociology Compass*, 17(10), e13126. doi:10.1111/soc4.13126.
- Hao, F., Shao, W., & Michaels, J. L. (2023). A Study of American Response to Climate Change and the Influence of Carbon Dependency, Social Capital, and Political Orientation. *Society & Natural Resources*, 1-21. doi:10.1080/08941920.2023.2212238.

Yao Li - Florida State University

- Li, Y., Cassard, M., & Holmes, B. (2023). Does Violent Protest Receive Negative Coverage?—Media Framing of Hong Kong Anti-Extradition Bill Movement and French Yellow Vest Movement. *International Journal of Sociology*, 53(3), 205-227. doi.org/10.1080/00207659.2023.2202992

Ruoxi Liu - University of Cambridge

- Liu, R. (2023). Identity Navigation and Self-Positioning in a Changing Craft World: Creativity and Cultures of Emerging Self-Employed Craft Workers in Jingdezhen. *The Journal of Modern Craft*, 1-20. <https://doi.org/10.1080/17496772.2023.2269671>

Yun Lu - South China University of Technology

- Lu, Y. (2023). Disease, Scapegoating, and Social Contexts: Examining Social Contexts of the Support for Racist Naming of COVID-19 on Twitter. *Journal of Health and Social Behavior*, 00221465231194355.

New Publications – Articles

Yingyi Ma - Syracuse University

- Baum, E., & Ma, Y. (2023). *China Studies in an Uncertain Age*, [https://www.acls.org/wpcontent/uploads/2023/10/Luce ACLS China Studies in an Uncertain Age Oct-2023.pdf](https://www.acls.org/wpcontent/uploads/2023/10/Luce_ACLS_China_Studies_in_an_Uncertain_Age_Oct-2023.pdf)
- Ma, Y., & Zhan, N. (Forthcoming). The Narratives of Freedom Before and After the COVID-19 Pandemic. In Guobin Yang (Eds.), *Narratives of COVID19 in China and the World: Technology, Society and Nations*. Michigan State University Press

Xiaoling Shu - University of California Davis

- Shu, X., & Ye, Y. *. (2023). Knowledge Discovery: Methods from data mining and machine learning. *Social Science Research*, 110, 102817. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ssresearch.2022.102817>, Special Issue on *Methodological Advances in Quantitative Social Science*.
- Shu, X., Chen J.* and Zhu Y.*. (2023). Changing Times and Subjective Well-being in Urban China. *Chinese Journal of Sociology*. 9(3):321-354.

Langyi Tian - Columbia University

- Tian, L., & Boucher, A. (2023). Consolidating temporal effects on aesthetical practices: Evidence from China. *Poetics*, 98, 101792.

Wei-Jun Jean Yeung - National University of Singapore

- Lu, S., Shogo, I., Feng, Q., & Yeung, W. J. J. (2022). Are centenarians successful agers? Evidence from China. *Journal of the American Geriatrics Society*. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1111/jgs.18200>
- Chen, L., & Yeung, W. J. J. (2023). Pre-pandemic family resources and child self-regulation in children's internalizing problems during COVID-19: a multi-level social-ecological framework for emotional resilience. *Frontiers in Psychology*, 14. doi.org/10.3389/fpsyg.2023.1203524
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New Publications – Articles

Tony Huiquan Zhang 张汇泉 - University of Macau 澳门大学

- Sun, G., & Zhang, T. H. (2023). Peer Influence on Youth Delinquency: How Does School-Level Teacher Quality Matter?. *Crime & Delinquency*. (Accepted and Forthcoming)
- Zhang, T. H., & Jiang, A. (2023). Urbanization, education, and religion: Rationalization and erosion of political trust in Asia. *Sociology Compass*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/soc4.13155>
- Hu, J., Zhang, T. H., & Jackson, C. J. (2023). The effects of leadership levels and gender on leader well-being. *Journal of Occupational Health Psychology*, 28(5), 325.

Jie Zhang - SUNY College at Buffalo

- Zhao, S., Yan, W., Tao, L., & Zhang, J. (2023). The association between relative deprivation, depression, and youth suicide: evidence from a psychological autopsy study. *OMEGA-Journal of death and dying*, 00302228231190595.
- Wang, W., & Zhang, J. (2023). Social support, psychological strain, and suicidality: Evidence from Chinese universities. *Psychology in the Schools*. <https://doi.org/10.1002/pits.23047>.
- Zhou, Q., Li, N., Zhang, J., & Fan, L. (2023). Impact of Position in Family on Suicide: A Case-Control Psychological Autopsy Study among Chinese Rural Youths. *Depression and Anxiety*, 2023:1797697.

Call for Papers

■ **Conference: Population Association of Singapore 2024 annual conference, May 16-17, 2024, National University of Singapore**

Call for Abstracts

<https://www.sgpopulation.org/pas-2024>

■ **Conference: 2023 International Symposium on Global Chinese Philanthropy**

2023 International Symposium on Global Chinese Philanthropy, hosted in-person by School of International Studies / Academy of Overseas Chinese Studies at Jinan University and UCLA Asia Pacific Center on December 15-16, 2023.

<https://www.international.ucla.edu/apc/event/16321>

■ **Conference: Conference on crime November 15-18 in Philadelphia organized by American Society of Criminology**

Website: <https://asc41.org/events/asc-annual-meeting/>

■ **Conference: Conference on crime (natural disasters) on November 29 in Australia**

There will be streaming of key presentations.

Website: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/rural-crime-justice-and-disaster-impacts-response-and-recovery-tickets-707585787137?aff=oddtcreator>

Job Advertisement

■ Multiple Tenure-Track Positions in the Department of Sociology at Zhejiang University

The Department of Sociology at Zhejiang University is a leading sociology department in China. It has a total of 48 full time faculties whose research covers the areas of historical sociology, political sociology, economic sociology, organizational sociology, sociology of religion, sociology of knowledge and demography, stratification, anthropology, social work and public policy, and more. We sincerely invite you to apply for our faculty positions and together to build a vibrant intellectual community.

Job Description

The Department of Sociology invites applications for tenure-track faculty positions. Fields of specialization are open. Priorities will be given to candidates with strength in the following areas: demography (including methodology/big data), economics/organizational sociology, history/political sociology, community studies/social work.

Qualifications: Candidates must have an earned doctorate, professional ethics and cooperative spirit, excellent academic credentials, and an outstanding teaching capacity.

Benefits: The university offers strong research support, competitive salary, generous housing benefits and light teaching load.

Application materials should include a cover letter, a complete curriculum vitae, full text of three representative papers, statements of research and teaching goals, and three recommendation letters. Please send all the materials to shxx@zju.edu.cn.

Deadlines: The priority deadline for applications is December 1, 2023. To be assured of full consideration, complete application files should be received by Jan 31, 2024. We encourage you to apply as early as possible.

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Miscellaneous

■ Course: Research Methods in Social Sciences

Evergreen Campus LLC Curriculum:

<https://cynthia-baiqing-zhang-s-school.teachable.com/p/methodology>

■ Workshop on Advanced Research Methods (WARM)

Workshop on Advanced Research Methods (WARM) is a free online workshop for sharing innovations and innovative uses of advanced research methods, held on selected Thursdays 8:30-9:30 pm (US ET), organized by several ICSA members, and co-sponsored by ICSA. The 2023 schedule of the presentations is shown below. For more information about WARM, please visit <https://www.starflame.org/warm>. To receive updates on forthcoming talks, please join the mailing list at <https://www.starflame.org/list>.

2023 Schedule

1. Feb 23, Causal Network Analysis, Weihua An, Emory University
 2. Mar 23, Bayesian Analysis: An Overview, Jun Xu, Ball State University
 3. Apr 20, Structural Equation Models: Applications and Frontiers, Shawn Bauldry, Purdue University
 4. Sep 21, Sequence Analysis: Past, Present, and Future, Tim Liao, State University of New York at Stony Brook
 5. Oct 19, Machine Learning for Social Science, Ian Lundberg, Cornell University
 6. Nov 17, Text Analysis for Social Science, Ana Macanovic, Utrecht University
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■ 2023-2024 Global Chinese Philanthropy (GCP) Training Program (online and free)

2023-2024 Global Chinese Philanthropy (GCP) Training Program (online and free) hosted by UCLA Asia Pacific Center. Registration is open for undergraduate and graduate students.

Please register at

http://forms.international.ucla.edu/ApplicationForm.aspx?BVK9Jrxjh_IDmdLF5-bf539f70iXLKinkxsLar_C1tg=

