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EDUCATION

PhD candidate in Economics, Brown University	2020 - present
Visiting student, New York University Abu Dhabi	Spring 2024
Visiting student, Princeton University	Fall 2022 & Fall 2023
M.Sc. Finance, The Chinese University of Hong Kong Business School	2018 - 2020
B.A. Economics and Finance (Hon.), University of Hong Kong	2012 - 2015

PUBLICATIONS AND WORKING PAPERS

“Returns to capital for whom? Experimental evidence from small firm owners and workers in Ghana”, with Morgan Hardy and Jamie McCasland, *Working Paper*

“Climate change beliefs and subsidy for adaptation: Evidence from cocoa farmers in Ghana”, with Yunyu Shu, *Work In-progress*

“Credit constraint and green energy adoption: Evidence from small firms in Kenya”, with Wycliffe Oluoch and Yunyu Shu, *Work In-progress*

“Unseen economy”, with Morgan Hardy, Gisella Kaggy and Monica Lambon-Quayefio, *Work In-progress*

“Interpreting survey-based federal funds rate forecasts: how accurate are they in reflecting market expectations?,” with Max Kwong, David Leung and Alfred Wong, *International Journal of Monetary Economics and Finance*, 2020, 13(1), 68-88.

“Risk of window dressing: quarter-end spikes in the Japanese yen Libor-OIS spread,” with Mayu Kikuchi and Alfred Wong, *Journal of Regulatory Economics*, 2019, 56(2-3), 149-166

“Breakdown of covered interest parity: mystery or myth?,” with Alfred Wong, *BIS Working Papers*, 2019, 96, 57-78.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND INVITED TALKS

2024 :	IPA Northwestern Methods & Measurement Conference; Berkeley/Sloan Summer School in Environmental and Energy Economics; Firms, Labor Markets and Development Workshop; Webinar Series in Finance and Development; NYU Abu Dhabi
2023:	PEDL Young Scholars Matchmaking Workshop; Nature-based Climate Solutions and Biodiversity Conservation; Princeton Research Program in Development Economics
2021:	Oberlin College Danforth-Lewis Speakers Series
2018:	ECB-FRB-FRB NY Conference
2017:	FIW Research Conference; HKMA-BIS Conference; Central Bank of Brazil Annual Seminar

GRANTS

- 2024 - 2025: International Growth Centre (IGC) Small Research Grant (*Green Energy Adoption*) (£29,920)
Orlando Bravo Center for Economic Research PDBF Research Fund (*Green Energy Adoption*) (\$6,000)
- 2023 - 2024: IGC Small Research Grant (*Farmers' Climate Change Adaptation*) (£39,622.66)
PEDL Exploratory Research Grant (*Green Energy Adoption*) (£39,989)
Population Studies and Training Center Summer Research Grant (\$1,200)
- 2022 - 2023: PEDL Exploratory Research Grant (*Farmers' Climate Change Adaptation*) (£39,777)
Orlando Bravo Center for Economic Research PDBF Research Fund (*Farmers' Climate Change Adaptation*) (\$7,760)
- 2021 - 2022: Brown University Travel Grants (\$1,700)
Watson Institute Graduate Program in Development Summer Funding (\$1,500)

SCHOLARSHIPS, HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2023 - 2024: Stephen R. Ehrlich Fellowship, Brown University
- 2022 - 2023: Stephen Robert Graduate Fellowship, Brown University
Global Mobility Fellowship, Brown University
- 2021 - 2022: Manning Graduate Fellowship, Brown University
- 2020 - 2021: Doris I. Eccleston 1925 Fellowship, Brown University
- 2018 - 2020: CUHK Distinguished Academic Performance Scholarship for Graduates (1st place)
- 2018 - 2019: CUHK Distinguished Academic Performance Scholarship for New Students
CUHK Business School Admission Scholarship

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2021 - 2024: RA for Dr. Morgan Hardy, New York University Abu Dhabi
- 2022: RA for Professor Andrew Foster, Brown University
- 2015 - 2018: Assistant Economist, Hong Kong Monetary Authority

JOURNAL REFEREE

The European Journal of Finance

SKILLS

Computer: Python, Stata, Matlab, R, Earth Engine, ArcGIS, QGIS, LaTeX, SurveyCTO, Eviews

Language: English, Cantonese, Mandarin Chinese (native)