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Education

University of Texas at Austin (USA)

Ph.D. in Marketing, McCombs School of Business, 2028 (expected)

Fudan University (China)

Researh Training, Management, School of Management, 2021

University of Iowa (USA)

Visiting Scholar, Marketing, Tippie College of Business, 2020

Xiamen University (China)

Bachelor of Economics, School of Economics, 2014

Research Interests

Social influence on decision-making; technology; happiness; gift giving; consumption of information.

Publications and Working Papers

1. Yu, L., Zhao, T., & Fan, X. (2021), "Reason versus feeling: relational norms influence gift choices," *Asia Pacific Journal of Marketing and Logistics*, 33(8), 1723-1742. doi: 10.1108/APJML-02-2020-0122

2. Yu, L., & Fan, X., "Lonely human and dominant robot: similarity versus complementary attraction," *revising for 1st round at Psychology and Marketing*.

3. Ruan, B., Yu, L., & Hu, B., "The happiness of withholding happiness," *manuscript development in progress*.

4. Yu, L., & Fan, X., "Quantity matters: how online social interaction affects loneliness before and during COVID-19," *manuscript development in progress*.

Conference Presentations (*denotes presenter)

1. Ruan, B., **Yu, L.***, & Hu, B. (March 2022) "The Happiness of Withholding Happiness." Paper presented at *the Society for Consumer Psychology (SCP) Conference*, Virtual.

2. Ruan, B., **Yu, L.***, & Hu, B. (October 2021) "The Happiness of Withholding Happiness." Paper presented at *the Association for Consumer Research (ACR) Conference*, Virtual.

3. Yu, L.*, Zhao, T., & Fan, X. (October 2019) "Rational Gifts for Communal Recipients, Emotional for Exchange: How Relational Norms Influence Gift Choices." Poster presented at *the Association for Consumer Research (ACR) Conference*, Atlanta, GA.

Honors and Grants

Outstanding Graduate Assistant, Fudan University, 2019 China National Scholarship for Graduates, Government of China, 2015 China National Scholarship for Undergraduates, Government of China, 2012

Teaching and Advising

Teaching Assistant: School of Management, Fudan University Leadership Development (IMBA), 2016/2017/2018 Social Marketing and Social Entrepreneurship (MBA), 2016/2017 Service Marketing and Service Management (MBA), 2016 Strategic management (EMBA), 2017

Assistant Advisor: School of Management, Fudan University Assistant thesis advisor (EMBA), 2021 Assistant dissertation advisor (DBA), 2016-2018

Internship Experiences

1. Assistant Data Analyst, Orient Securities, Shanghai, China, 2015.11-2016.02

2. Customer Service Assistant, ICBC, Zhejiang, China, 2013.07-2013.09

Technical Skills

STATA; SPSS; Qualtrics; Microsoft Office including Word, Excel, and PowerPoint