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EDUCATION

Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, MA

Doctoral Candidate in Health Systems, Department of Global Health and Population, degree expected 2011

Thesis: “*Strategic Provider Behavior under Global Budget Payment*”

Harvard School of Public Health, Boston, MA

M.P.H. in International Health, June 2006

Thesis: “*A Comparative Analysis of Disease Surveillance Systems in U.S. and China*”

National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan

M.D., *summa cum laude*, Rank in Class: 1/137, June 2003

RESEARCH FIELD

Health Economics, Political Economics, Impact Evaluation, Health Sector Reform

PUBLICATIONS

- **Chen, B.**, Fan, V.Y., Manne, J. “Effect of development assistance on domestic health expenditures”, *Lancet*, 376(9741):592
- **Chen, B.**, Fan, V.Y. (2010) “Retrospective evaluation of UNICEF’s ACSD programme”, *Lancet*, 375(9725):1521-2
- **Chen, B.**, Chang, Y.M. (2008). “CPR with Assisted Extracorporeal Life Support”, *Lancet*, 372(9653): 1970
- **Chen, B.** “Disastrous Impact of Imprudent Massive Use of Antivirals”. *United Daily News*. Sep 11, 2009. (Chinese)

WORKING PAPERS AND WORK IN PROGRESS

- “Measuring the Health of the Indian Elderly: Evidence from National Sample Survey Data”, with Ajay Mahal. Revised and re-submitted
- “The Role of Political Institutions in Health Inequalities in Lebanon.” with Melani Cammett. Accepted for presentation at Global Symposium on Health System Research. Nov. 18, 2010.
- “Provider Strategic Behavior in the Global Budget System: A Theoretical Discussion”
- “Non-cooperative Competition and Strategic Action among Hospitals in the Global Budget System: Empirical Evidence from Taiwan.”
- “Impact of Immigration on Tax Rate: The Political Economy of State Income Tax in the U.S.”
- “The Failure of Financial Incentive? The Seemingly Inexorable Rise of Cesarean Section”, with Tsai-Ching Liu and Chin-Shyan Chen.
- “Impact of Family Structure on Access to Preventive Services among Children in Taiwan.” with Yenru Lin.
- “Regulation of Health Care Providers in China”, *China Initiative Working Paper*, with Shufang Zhang and Victoria Fan.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Program in Health Care Financing, Harvard School of Public Health (July 2007 – present)

Research Assistant, Professors William Hsiao and Winnie Yip

- Data analysis and technical assistance in designing universal health care system commissioned by Vermont Health Care Reform Commission
- Research on the reform and implementation of National Health Insurance in Taiwan and editing of a forthcoming book on the Taiwanese Health system
- Development of disease treatment guidelines for a health sector reform project in rural Ningxia, China
- Research on impact of health insurance schemes on medical impoverishment in rural China

Department of Political Science, Brown University (September 2008 – present)

Research Consultant, Professor Melani Cammett

- Research on the impact of political activism on welfare provision in Lebanon

China Initiative, Harvard School of Public Health (October 2006 – December 2008)

Research Assistant, Dr. Yuanli Liu

- Research on the public hospital reform in China and policy recommendations for the Ministry of Health
- Research on the regulation reform of the Chinese health system

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Department of Economics, Harvard University, Instructor, Economics of Health Systems (Spring 2010)

Department of Global Health and Population, Harvard School of Public Health, Teaching Assistant (2007-2009)

- Political Economy Doctoral Seminar (Professor William Hsiao, Spring 2009)
- Foundations in Global Health and Population (Professor David Bloom, Fall 2008)
- Health Systems Doctoral Seminar (Professor William Hsiao and Dr. Thomas Bossert, Spring 2008)
- Health Sector Reform: A Worldwide Perspective (Dr. Thomas Bossert, Fall 2007)

EMPLOYMENT

The World Bank (Summer 2009)

Evaluation Specialist Consultant, China Impact Evaluation Workshop

- Moderated small group discussions and guided the development of an impact evaluation proposal by Chinese provincial and ministerial government officials

Combined Logistics Command, Taiwan (August 2003 – January 2005)

Second Lieutenant Medical Officer, Pei-Gou Field Hospital

- Supervised the emergency department and trained paramedics
- Planned and managed regional Infectious Disease Preparedness Project

National Taiwan University Hospital, Taiwan (June 2002 – June 2003)

Intern, General Medicine

HONORS

- Honorary Member, Phi Tau Phi Scholastic Society (June 2003 – present)
- Distinguished Performance in Qualifying Exam (June 2008)
- Award for Outstanding Public Service, National Taiwan University (June 2003)
- Best Intern Award, National Taiwan University (June 2003)
- Presidential Award, National Taiwan University (1996 – 2002)

SCHOLARSHIPS

- Chiang Ching-Kuo Foundation Dissertation Fellowship (2010-Present)
- Horace W. Goldsmith Fellowship, *full scholarship* (2007 – present)
- Taiwanese Physician Fund Full-Tuition Scholarship (2005 – 2007)
- Du Chong-Ming Memorial Scholarship Award, Formosan Medical Association, *for academic excellence* (2003)
- Lin Hsiung Chen Memorial Foundation Scholarship, *for academic excellence* (2001)
- Scholarship of Medicine, Tzu-Chi Charity Foundation, *for writing project* (1998)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Referee for *Health Economics*

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

- “Global Health Challenges in Asia”, Harvard Project for Asian and International Relations Academic Conference, Seoul, Korea (August 14, 2009)
- “Health Financing for Healthy China 2020”, Panelist, West Lake Forum, China (February 10, 2009)
- “Global Health in the Globalized World”, Kaohsiung Medical University (January 16, 2009)
- “Global Health and Health Systems”, College of Medicine, National Taiwan University (September 26, 2008)
- “Chinese Health System”, Global Chat, Harvard School of Public Health (April 26, 2006)
- “Avian Flu”, Harvard College in Asia Project Seminar (February 24, 2006)
- “Regulation Reform of the Chinese Health System”, Ministry of Health, China (January 19, 2006)

LANGUAGES

- Chinese (Mandarin, Taiwanese), *Native*
- English, *Fluent*