

Ziyi Wu

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EDUCATION

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI Graduation: 05/2020 GPA: 4.0/4.0
B.S. in Political Science with Honors, Minor in Mathematics
Honors and Awards: Phi Beta Kappa, William Jennings Bryan prize, James B. Angell Scholar

Massachusetts Institute of Technology Expected Graduation: 06/2025
Ph.D. in Political Science
Memberships: Association of Asian Studies, American Political Science Association

CONFERENCE PAPER

Censorship Can be Counter-Productive: Sensitivity and Media Credibility
Annual Conference of American Political Science Association 09/2020
Attacking With Their Own Words: The Use of Censored Sources in News by Party Media in China
Annual Conference of American Political Science Association, iPoster 09/2021
Voluntary Sacrifice of Freedom: Why Are Some Chinese Nationals Supporting Government Censorship?
Annual Conference of American Political Science Association 09/2021
Outsiders in Media: Sense of Foreignness and the Support of Censorship in China
Annual Conference of Association of Asian Studies 03/2023

Grant and Fellowship

Walter A. Rosenblith Presidential Fellowship
Massachusetts Institute of Technology 02/2021

WORKING PAPERS

Motivations for Anti-China and Anti-Globalization Sentiments, Various Institutions
Co-Author with Professor Mary E. Gallagher, Professor Lawrence Root et. al 07/2020 – Now

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

Tax Compliance in China
Research Assistant to Professor Lily L. Tsai, Professor Xiaobo Lu, conducting survey experiment 06/2021 – 08/2021

Survival of Autocrats in Ancient Empires, Harvard University
Assistant to Professor Yuhua Wang, conducting data cleaning 05/2020 – 08/2020

Party Cell and Labor Protection Project, Lieberthal-Rogel Center for Chinese Studies, University of Michigan
Assistant to Professor Mary E. Gallagher, conducting primary source research 05/2019 – 01/2020

Chinese Social Welfare System Project, Lieberthal-Rogel Center for Chinese Studies, University of Michigan
Assistant to Professor Mary E. Gallagher, conducting secondary source research 04/2018 – 01/2020

The Logic of China's Media Control, Department of Political Science, University of Michigan
Assistant to Professor Mary E. Gallagher, conducting primary and secondary source research 04/2018 – 08/2018

World Bank Project, Various Locations
Assistant to Professor Mary E. Gallagher, conducting primary and secondary source research 04/2017 – 04/2018

Report on China Data Center, Vice President Office, University of Michigan
Assistant to Professor Mary E. Gallagher, conducting primary source research 01/2018 – 02/2018

The Influences of Confucius Institutes, Lieberthal-Rogel Center for Chinese Studies, University of Michigan
Assistant to Professor Mary E. Gallagher, conducting primary source research 08/2017 – 12/2017

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

MATH 412 – Abstract Algebra, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor

Tutor and Grader

09/2019 – 12/2019

Newnan Advising Center, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor

International Academic Peer Advisor

08/2017 – 08/2019

EXTRACURRICULAR EXPERIENCES

Graduate Student Council, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Co-President of Graduate Student Work-in-Progress Workshops

09/2021 - Now

International Center Student Council, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor

Member

09/2018 – 05/2020

Pi Sigma Alpha – Political Science Honor Society, University of Michigan – Ann Arbor

Vice President of External Affairs

04/2018 – 04/2019

LANGUAGE

Chinese (native speaker), English (proficiently fluent), Japanese (fluent speaking)

PROGRAMMING

R, Pythonß