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EDUCATION

- 2017-Present Indiana University Bloomington, Bloomington, Indiana
Ph.D. Student in Gender Studies
- 2013-2017 East China Normal University, Shanghai, China
B.A. in Sociology, with honors
Thesis Supervisor: Wei Wei
Title: Same-sex Family as a “China Question”? A Reformulation Based on
Family Formation Process

AREAS OF INTERESTS

Globalization and Cross-Cultural Sexualities; East Asia Family Change and Alternative Households; Same-sex Intimacy and Parenthood; Rurality, Migration, and Sexuality; Health Disparity; Mixed Methods Research.

WORK IN PROGRESS

Wang, Suisui and Wei Wei. “The Making of Same-Sex Household: Locating Gay Couplehood and Parenthood in the Landscape of Family Change in China”.

Wang, Suisui. “Mapping Territories of Sexual Revolution: Attitudes towards Non-Marital Sexual Behavior in China, 1990-2014.”

Wang, Suisui and Mian Chen. “Out to the Whole Village: Intersectionality and Identity Awareness among Rural-Urban Migrant Gay Men in Changsha.”

Wang, Suisui. “Migration Scale, Urban/Rural Integration, and Mental Health among Rural-Urban Migrants in China.”

SELECTED CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION

Presenter

(With Wei Wei) “The Making of Same-sex Family: (Re)Locating Same-sex Couplehood and Parenthood within the Chinese Family Change Landscape.” Paper to be Presented at Annual Conference of Association for Asian Studies, Washington D.C., March 2018.

(With Jose Mamman) “Case Study on Rural Self Employment Training Institute (RSETIs) in India as Social Enterprise.” Paper Presented at Third International Conference on Emerging Research Paradigms in Business and Social Sciences (ERPBS-2015) at Middlesex University Dubai-UAE, Dubai, November 2015.

(With Mian Chen) “Creating New Lives in Cities? Investigating the Everyday Life of Rural Gay Men Who Migrated to Cities.” Paper Presented at Countryside, Culture, and Communication Young Scholars Forum at Annual Meeting of Critical Communication, Jinyun, China, March 2015.

Organizer, Chair, and Discussant

Chair and Organizer, “Contextualizing (Un)Queer Kinship in China and Beyond: Family Change, Transnational Mobilities, and Masculinity Construction.” Panel submitted to Annual Conference of Association for Asian Studies, Washington D.C., March 2018.

HONORS AND AWARDS

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| 2017 | Dissertation Year Writing Fellowship, Department of Gender Studies, Indiana University Bloomington, \$20,000. |
| 2017 | CRN Scholarship, Finalist. |
| 2017 | Cross-Campus Mentoring Award, NYU-ECNU Institute for Social Development, New York University Shanghai, \$1,500. |
| 2016 | China-Netherlands Scholarship, Summer Institute of Introduction to Sexualities Studies, University of Amsterdam, \$3,600. |
| 2016, 2014 | Undergraduate Academic Excellence Award, East China Normal University. |
| 2015 | Best Student Paper Award, Middlesex University Dubai. |

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

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| 2016-2017 | Research Assistant for Wei Wei, Department of Sociology, East China Normal University <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Transcribing and analyzing qualitative interviews with same-sex couples• Reviewing literature on alternative family forms and assisting writing research papers |
| 2016 | Research Assistant for Jiangang Zhu, Department of Sociology and Social Work, Sun Yat-sen University |

- Outreaching and recruiting 20 community foundations directors in Shanghai
- Recruiting and training 5 interviewers.
- Gathering data on the development of community foundations by in-depth interviews and questionnaires.

2015 Research Assistant for Jose Mamman, Department of Commerce, Manipal University

- Conducted participant observation and in-depth interview of trainees' experiences in an Indian government-sponsored entrepreneurship training institute.
- Conducted evaluation studies regarding the efficacy of the institute.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Indiana University Bloomington, Teaching Assistant, Gender Studies
Gender, Sexuality and Pop Culture (Fall 2017)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Association for Asian Studies

OTHER SKILLS

Language Competence: Mandarin Chinese

Software Packages: Stata, SPSS