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Research Interests

Topics Generative Artificial Intelligence, Digital Platform, Economics of IS
Methodologies Reduced-form Econometrics, Structural Modeling, Machine Learning, LLMs

Education

2020 – 2024 **Renmin University of China** – Beijing, China
Bachelor of Business Management
GPA: 3.95/4.0 (1/272)

Fall 2023 **New York University** – New York, USA
Visiting Student

Honors and Scholarships

2021 – 2023 First-Class Scholarship for Academic Study
Top 1% in academic study

2022 National Undergraduate Innovative Research Project (RMB 20,000)

Publications

* denotes author names in alphabetical order; † denotes presented by coauthor

WORKING PAPER

1. **Large Language Model for Business Research**
Xiang (Charlie) Cheng, Raveesh Mayya, Joao Sedoc, Lining Zhang*
2. **Threatened by AI: Analyzing User Demand on Community-based Question and Answer Platforms after the Launch of Generative AI**
Jingmei Zhou, Xiang (Charlie) Cheng, Bingjie Qian, Yulin Fang
– 2023 Conference on Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, and Business Analytics (AIML)
– 2023 Workshop on Information Technologies and Systems (WITS)
3. **Unintended Impact of Initial Prescribing in Hypnotics Abuse**
Xiang (Charlie) Cheng, Manqi (Maggie) Li, Yan Huang
– 2023 INFORMS Annual Meeting†

Technical Skills

Programming Languages

Python, R, Matlab, Stata, SQL

Languages

English (fluent); Chinese (native)