

Curriculum Vitae

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Education:

1992-1993 Harvard University, School of Public Health, Master of Science (Population Studies and International Health)
1977-1983 Brown University, Ph.D. (History, Thesis directed by Prof. Jerome B. Grieder)
1976-1977 Brown University, M.A. (Asian History)
1975-1976 National Taiwan University, Graduate Program (Modern History)
1971-1975 National Taiwan University, B.A. (History)

Languages:

Chinese (native), English, Spanish, Russian (reading)

Academic Fields:

Late Imperial and Modern China
Comparative Cultural and Social History
History of Children and Pediatric Medicine
Gender Studies and Population
Public Health, Society, Technology and Medicine (STM)
Russian Cultural and Intellectual History

Present Position:

Director, Taiwan Research Centre, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (since 2016.8)
Professor of History, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (since 2009.7)
President, Asian New Humanities Network (ANHN) (since 2016.7)

Founder and President, Asian New Humanities Network (ANHN) (Since 2004)

Member, International Advisory Board, Consortium of Humanities Centers and Institutes (CHCI) (since 2005)

Adjunct Professor, School of Translation, Hang Seng Management College (since 2017)

Visiting Chair Professor, Xiamen University

Senior Visiting Fellow, Asian Pacific Centre, University of California, Los Angeles

Visiting Professor, Brown University

Visiting Scholar, School of Humanities, University of California, Irvine (2018.8-2020.8, renewable)

Member, Advisory Board Council, UNESCO chair on Humanities Cultural Landscape Management at Polytechnic Institute of Tomar

Member, General Assembly / Outreach Strategy Team (led by Vice-President Rosalind Hackett) / Board Nomination Committee of International Council for Philosophy and Human Sciences (CIPSH) of UNESCO (since 2015.12)

Executive Committee Member, Asia-Pacific Charter of International Council for Philosophy and Human Sciences (CIPSH) (since 2016.06)

Chair, Sub-Committee of CHCI-CCK Summer Program (since 2015)

Visiting Professor, Department of History, University of California, Los Angeles (since 2013.10)

Visiting Professor, College of Public Health, National Taiwan University, Taipei (since 2015. 8)

Visiting Fellow, "The Formation of Mordern China," Humanities Research Center, National Chengchi University (2016. 8 to 2017. 7)

Chief Editor, New Humanities Series, National Taiwan University Press (since 2014)

Member, Humanities and Social Sciences Panel of the Research Grants Committee (RGC) of Hong Kong, China (since 2013)

Assessor of Research Proposals, the Hong Kong Scholarship for Excellence Scheme (HKSES), Hong Kong (since 2015)

Member, the Academic Contract Renewal Panel of the Faculty of Social Sciences, The University of Macau (since 2015)

Member, Editorial board, The Humanities in Asia (THIA), Springer (since 2016)

Member, New Course Review Panel, Tamkang University (since 2016)

Senior Fellow, Administrative Policies and Compliance Office (APC), University of California, Los Angeles (2017-2020)

Advisor, Female Professorial Staff Support Network, The Chinese Univeristy of Hong Kong (since 2016)

Positions Held:

- 2012.1-2016.7 Director, Research Institute for the Humanities, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2012.4-2016.7 Acting Director, Taiwan Research Centre, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2013.7-2016.7 Adjunct Research Fellow, Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taipei
- 2015.9-2015.12 Visiting Fellow, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Macau
- 2012.1-2015.7 Senior Adviser to the Vice-Chancellor, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2014.11-12 Visiting Scholar, The Cogut Center for the Humanities, Brown University, U.S.A.
- 2013.3-2014.7 Visiting Professor, College of Public Health, National Taiwan University, Taiwan
- 2013.10-12 Visiting Professor, Department of History, University of California, Los Angeles
- 2009.7-2011.12 Dean, Faculty of Arts, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2004.8-2007.7 Dean, College of Liberal Arts, National Central University, Taiwan (on a circum basis with Research Fellow at the Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica and return to Academia Sinica after leaving the office)
- 1990-2009 Research Fellow, Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
- 2008.7 The Dibner Research Fellow in the History of Science and Technology at the Huntington, the Huntington Library, USA
- 2008.2- Joint Chair, Graduate Institute of History, National Central University and Academia Sinica, Taiwan
- 2007.9-12 Visiting Professor, Department of History, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2006.7-8 Visiting Fellow, Harvard-Yenching Institute, Harvard University, U.S.A.
- 2005.7-8 Visiting Fellow, Harvard-Yenching Institute, Harvard University, U.S.A.
- 2005.1-2 Visiting Professor, Department of History, Grinnell College, U.S.A.
- 2004.8-2007.7 Professor, Department and Graduate Institute of English, National Central University, Taiwan
- 2004.1-5 Visiting Professor, Department of History, Cornell University, U.S.A.
- 2003.9-10 Visiting Professor, Fachbereich Geschichts- und Kulturwissenschaften, Freie Universität Berlin, Germany
- 2003.5 Fellow, Wellcome Institute, U.K.

- 2003.3 Visiting Professor, Department of Chinese Studies, Singapore National University, Singapore
- 2002.4-7 DAAD Visiting Professor, Fachbereich Geschichts- und Kulturwissenschaften, Freie Universität Berlin, Germany
- 2002.3-4 Visiting Professor, Ècole des Hautes Études en Science Sociale, Paris, France
- 2002.1-2 Visiting Professor, Faculty of Law, Keio University, Tokyo, Japan
- 2001.9-12 Visiting Professor, School of Historical Studies, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, U.S.A.
- 2001.5 Provost's Distinguished Visitor, University of Southern California, U.S.A.
2001. 4 Visiting Scholar, Department of History, Virginia Polytechnic and University, U.S.A
- 2001.1-4 Visiting Professor, Department of History, University of California, Los Angeles, U.S.A.
- 1999-2000 Deputy Director, Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan
- 1999.1-4 Visiting Professor and Hughes Research Scholar, History Department and Center for Chinese Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, U.S.A.
- 1996-1999 Chair, Division of Cultural and Intellectual History, Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
- 1995.11 Visiting Professor, Fachbereich Geschichts- und Kulturwissenschaften, Freie Universität Berlin, Germany
- 1993.10 Visiting Scholar, Japanese Center for International Studies, Kyoto, Japan
- 1992-1993 Visiting Scholar, Department of Social Medicine, Harvard Medical School, U.S.A.
- 1991.2 Visiting Fellow, Fairbank Center for East Asian Studies, Harvard University, U.S.A.
- 1990.1-2 Visiting Scholar, Department of Pediatrics, University of Chicago, U.S.A.
- 1990-1992 Adjunct Professor of History, National Taiwan Normal University, Taiwan
- 1989.5 Visiting Fellow, Shaw College, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong
- 1987-1988 Research Associate, China Program, University of Washington, Seattle, U.S.A.
- 1983-1986 Director, Archive Center, Institution of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
- 1983-1990 Associate Research Fellow, Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taiwan

- 1982-1983 Visiting Scholar, Center of Far Eastern Languages and Civilizations, University of Chicago, U.S.A.
- 1982-1983 Lecturer, Department of History, Augustana College, Rock Island, Illinois, U.S.A.
- 1977-1980 Teaching Assistant, Department of History, Brown University, U.S.A.
- 1977-1978 Research Assistant, Mao Project, Department of Political Science, Brown University, U.S.A.
- 1975-1976 Research Assistant, Department of History, National Taiwan University, Taiwan

Honor:

- 2012 Keynote speech, “New Humanities in a New Asia: Perspective from the 21st Century.” Keynote at the 10th Annual Meeting of the Asian New Humanities Net, National Cheng Kung University, Taiwan, Nov 3, 2012
- 2012 Keynote speech, “Health and Humanities Initiative: Hong Kong, Taiwan, and Elsewhere.” Keynote at the 2nd Health and Humanities Symposium, National Taiwan University, Taiwan, Oct 29, 2012
- 2012 Keynote speech, “Health and Humanities, a Millennium Review: the Case of Chinese Pediatric Medicine 健康、人文、千古巡禮：中國幼科之例” Keynote at the Joint Symposium of Medicine and History, Fu-Jen Catholic University, Taiwan, Oct 25, 2012
- 2010 Founding Fellow, Hong Kong Academy of Humanities
- 2009.7 Founding College Member, S.H. Ho College, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2008.6 Keynote speech, the 14th Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, USA
- 2008 The Dibner Research Fellow in the History of Science and Technology, the Huntington, USA
- 2007 Outstanding Scholarship Award, Ministry of Education, Taiwan (Euro\$ 18,000)
- 2006- K. T. Li Chair, National Central University, Taiwan
- 2005-2010 Outstanding Scholar Award, Foundation for the Advancement of Outstanding Scholarship, Taiwan
- 2004.1-2 John Heath Professorship, Grinnell College, USA
- 2003.11 Fellow, Institute for Advanced Study, Indiana University, USA
- 2003.8 Wu Teh-yao Lectureship, National University of Singapore, Singapore

- 2003.5.5-18 Fellow, The Wellcome Institute for the History and Understanding of Medicine, UK
- 2002.4-7 DAAD Visiting Professor, Fachbereich Geschichts- und Kulturwissenschaften, Freie Universität Berlin, Germany
- 2002.4 Cutting Edge Research of the Field of Asian Studies, Association for Asian Studies Annual Meeting
- 2001.9-12 Fellow, School of Historical Studies, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, U.S.A.
- 2001 Golden Tripod Book Award, Taiwan (*Childhood in the Past: A History of Chinese Children* 童年憶往——中國孩子的歷史)
- 2000 Readers' Choice of the Year, Taiwan (*Childhood in the Past: A History of Chinese Children* 童年憶往——中國孩子的歷史), E-News. (Taipei)
- 1999 Publication Grant for Outstanding Scholarly Work, Government Information Office, Taiwan (*Childhood in the Past: A History of Chinese Children* 童年憶往——中國孩子的歷史)
- 1998 Publication Grant for Outstanding Scholarly Work, Government Information Office, Taiwan (*Ill or Well: Diseases and Health of Young Children in Late Imperial China* 安恙: 中國近世兒童的疾病與健康)
- 1994 Publication Grant for Outstanding Scholarly Work, Government Information Office, Taiwan (*To Nurse the Young: Infant Care in Traditional China* 幼幼: 傳統中國的襁褓之道)

Literary Awards:

- 1971 First Prize, National Essay Competition for College Students, Taiwan
- 1969 First Prize, Prose Section, National Literature Competition, Taiwan

Administrative Experiences:

- 2012.1-2016.07 Director, Research Institute for the Humanities, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009.7-2011.12 Dean, Faculty of Arts, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2004.8-2007.7 Dean, College of Liberal Arts, National Central University, Taiwan
- 2004.8-2006.6 Director, Humanities Center, National Central University, Taiwan
- 1999-2000 Deputy Director, Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
- 1996-1999 Head, Division of Cultural and Intellectual History, Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taiwan

- 1990 Founder & Director, Research Center for Medicine and Culture in China, College of Medicine, National Taiwan University, Taiwan
- 1988-1992 Project director, Oral History on Modern Chinese Medicine and Culture, Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
- 1983-1986 Director, Archive Center, Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
- 1982-1983 Director, Asian Studies, Augustana College, Illinois, Taiwan

Professional Service:

- 2017- Steering Committee of CUHK – Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation Asia-Pacific Centre for Chinese Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2012- Senate Committee, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2012- Research Institute for the Humanities Executive Committee, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009.7 Founding Fellow, S.H. Ho College, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009- Research Institute for the Humanities Management Board Committee, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009- History Graduate Panel Committee, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009- History Board Committee, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009- Faculty Board Committee, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009- Strategic Collaboration Subcommittee, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009- Steering Committee on Internationalization and Mainland Engagement at CUHK, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009- Steering Committee for Internationalization Collaboration, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009- Internationalization of Higher Education and Engagement of Mainland China - Research Subgroup, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009- Steering Committee on Taiwan Collaboration, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2009- Committee on Global Scholarship, The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- 2008.10-2009.7 Member, Academic Assessment Committee, School of Post-baccalaureate Chinese Medicine, China Medical University, Taiwan
2007. 3-4 Member, International Search Committee for Sinology Chair, Cambridge University.
- 2006-2009 Coordinator, National Central University Plan for Enhancing Research and Teaching, Humanities and Social Sciences Section. (Plan funded by the Ministry

	of Education, Republic of China, 2004-2009)
2006-2007	Coordinator, Committee for the Establishment of Core Curriculum for the Schools of Liberal Arts and Sciences, National Central University
2006-2009	Convener, Commission for the Establishment of Humanities Centers in Higher Education Institutions in Taiwan, Ministry of Education, Republic of China
2006-2011	Member, Academic Review Committee, Ministry of Education, Republic of China (Taiwan)
2005.8-2009.7	Member, Advisory Committee, Center of Chinese Studies, University of Michigan, U.S.A.
2004-present	Founder, Secretariat, Asian New Humanities Network (ANHN)
2001-2003	Member, Publication Committee, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
1999-	Board Member, Ming Studies Society, U.S.A.
1998-2009	Member, Committee for International Graduate Program, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
1998-2009	Member, Committee for International Exchange, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
1998-2009	Advisor, Association for Chinese Pediatric Medicine, Taiwan
1995-2009	Founder and Convener, Ming-Ch'ing Studies Group & Website, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
1998-2009	Member, Committee for International Exchange, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
1998-2009	Member, Committee for International Graduate Program, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
1998-2007	Advisor, Association for Chinese Pediatric Medicine, Taiwan
1995-2009	Founder, Ming-Ch'ing Studies Group & Website, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
1994-2009	Member, Academic Committee, Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
1991-2007	Editor, Newsletter of Modern Chinese History, Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taiwan
1990-1995	Founder & Director, Research Center for Medicine and Culture in China, College of Medicine, National Taiwan University, Taiwan
1990-1994	Member, Editorial Board, <i>Bulletin of the Institute of Modern History</i> , Taiwan
1983	Overseas Coordinator, Asian Program, Augustana College, Illinois.

Courses Taught:

1. Women and Children in Chinese History (Georg-August-Universität Göttingen)

2. Modern Russia: History, Fiction, and Film (Department of History at The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
3. Revolutions: East and West (Department of History at The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
4. "Historical and Cultural Context of Health Behaviors." (Institute of Health Policy and Management, National Taiwan University)
5. Selected Themes in Modern Chinese History: Early Modern Chinese Intellectual and Cultural History (Department of History at The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
6. Ideas and Society in Late Imperial China: A Public History Consideration (Department of History at The Chinese University of Hong Kong)
7. Eat, Drink, Man, Woman: Material Culture and Social Life in Late Imperial China (Department of History at the University of California, Los Angeles)
8. Health and Humanities (Summer course at the College of Public Health at National University of Taiwan)
9. Selected Themes in Comparative History: Comparative Social History in Early Modern Era (Department of History at The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong)
10. Topic Studies in Modern Chinese History: Health, Disease and Medicine in Modern China (Department of History at The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong)
11. Topics in Family History (National Central University, Taiwan)
12. Topics in Childhood History (National Central University, Taiwan)
13. Gender and Family in Late Imperial China: A Comparative Seminar (Cornell University, USA)
14. History of Modern China: 1800-Present (Cornell University, USA)
15. Comparative Family History: Late Imperial China and Early Modern Europe (Free University, Berlin)
16. Women and Children in Modern China (Free University, Berlin)
17. Chinese Social History after 1800 (Free University, Berlin)
18. Family Relations and Private Life in Late Imperial China (UCLA)
19. Thought and Society of China after 1000 (UCLA)
20. Women and Children in Late Imperial China (University of Michigan)
21. Comparative Family History (Fu-jen Catholic University)
22. History of Women in Late Imperial China (Fu-jen Catholic University)
23. History of Children (Fu-jen Catholic University)
24. Seminar on Late Imperial China (Fu-jen Catholic University)
25. Intellectual History of Modern Russia (National Taiwan Normal University)
26. History of Russia (National Taiwan Normal University)

27. Traditional East Asia (Augustana College)
28. Modern East Asia (Augustana College)

Post-doctoral Fellows Sponsored:

1. Maxim Kupreyev (Ph.D. Free University of Berlin, Germany)
2. Kilian Sven (Ph.D. Free University of Berlin, Germany)
3. Liu Siyuan (Ph.D. Shanghai Jiaotong University)
4. Jens Damm (Ph.D. Free University of Berlin, Germany)
5. Chang Yea-Tyng (Ph.D. Vienna University, Austria)
6. Paola Zamperini (Ph.D. Berkeley)
7. Yang Rui-song (Ph.D. UCLA)
8. Lu Miao-fen (Ph.D. UCLA)
9. Yang Fang-yen (Ph.D. University of Wisconsin-Madison)
10. Wang Wan-Jui (Ph.D. University of Exeter)
11. Zhao Siyuan (Ph.D. Shanghai Jiaotong University)

Academic Awards & Grants:

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| 2014-17 | Grant for Taiwan Studies Lectureship, Ministry of Education, Taiwan (HKD\$2,070,000) |
| 2014-16 | Research Grant for “Medical Humanities,” A. W. Mellon Foundation (Eur\$546,600) |
| 2014-2015 | Research Grant, Research Grant Council, Hong Kong (Eur\$56,400) |
| 2013-2014 | Research Grant, Ministry of Education, Taiwan (HkD\$250,000) |
| 2013-2015 | Research Grant for “Religion, Secularism, and Political Belonging,” A. W. Mellon Foundation (Eur\$455,500) |
| 2012-2014 | Research Grant, CUHK—CCK Foundation Asia-Pacific Centre for Chinese Studies (HKD\$360,000) |
| 2012-2015 | Research Grant, Fo Guang Shan—CUHK “Humanist Humanities” Global Concern Project (HKD\$1,500,000, with HK Government matching \$150,000) |
| 2007 | Outstanding Scholarship Award, Ministry of Education, Taiwan (Euro\$ 18,000) |
| 1994-1999 | Publication Grants for Distinguished Scholarly Work, Information Bureau, Taiwan (Eur\$18,000) |
| 1991-1993 | Research Grant, Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange, Taiwan (Eur\$88,700) |

1991-2009 Taiwan National Science Council Grants, total 21 projects. (Eur\$256,000)

1987 Harvard-Yenching Visiting Scholar Fellowship, Harvard University, U.S.A. (declined)

1987 Post-Doctoral Fellowship, University of California, Berkeley, U.S.A. (declined)

1987-1988 Post-Doctoral Fellowship, University of Washington, Seattle, U.S.A.

1981-1982 Dissertation Grant, American Association of University Women, U.S.A.

1980-1981 Dissertation Travel Grant, Brown University, U.S.A.

1980 Mellon Fellow, Ming History Project, Princeton University, U.S.A.

1976-1979 University Scholarship, Brown University, U.S.A.

Research Project:

2018-2020 Principal Investigator, General Research Fund (Project ID. 14600117) “Male Medicine and Reproduction in Late Imperial China” (Research Grant Council, Hong Kong)

2016-2017 Principal Investigator, General Research Fund (Project ID. 14605615) “Aging in Late Imperial China: Advice and Practice” (Research Grant Council, Hong Kong)

2014-2016 Member Center Representative, “Principles of Cultural Dynamics” by the Dahlem Humanities Center at Berlin Free University, Germany (Deutscher Akademischer Austausch Dienst, Germany)

2014-2017 Principal Investigator, Taiwan Lectures “Focusing on Taiwan: Health, Peace, and Memory” (Pending result; Ministry of Education, Taiwan)

2014-2016 Member Center Representative, CHCI-Mellon Project “Medical Humanities” (A. W. Mellon Foundation)

2014-2015 Principal Investigator, General Research Fund (Project ID. 443913) “Records of a Local Pediatrician: The Life and Practice of Dr. Hsü Yü-ho (1724-1805) of the She (歙) District in Hui-chou during Ch’ien-lung Era” (Research Grant Council, Hong Kong)

2013-2014 Principal Investigator, Taiwan Lectures “Taiwan Angle: Literature, Film, and History” (Ministry of Education, Taiwan)

2013-2015 Member Center Representative, CHCI-Mellon Project “Religion, Secularism, and Political Belonging” (A. W. Mellon Foundation)

2012-2015 Principal Investigator, “Fo Guang Shan—CUHK ‘Humanist Humanities’ Global Concern Project” (Hong Kong Fo Guang Vihara)

2012-2014 Principal Investigator, “Health and History” (CUHK—CCK Foundation Asia-

- Pacific Centre for Chinese Studies)
- 2012-2014 Principal Investigator, “Taiwan Research” (CUHK—CCK Foundation Asia-Pacific Centre for Chinese Studies)
- 2009- Maritime History and the Discovery of Ginseng.
- 2009- From a Singing Bird to a Fighting Bug: Cricket- Fight and the Cultural Rhetorics in Late Imperial China
- 2008-2009 Changing Attitudes toward Food in Late Imperial China.
- 2007-2008 The Domestic, the Personal, and the Intimate: Mother-Daughter Ties and Father-Daughter Bonds in Ming-Qing China.
- 2007-09 Pediatric Medicine and Family Fortune: The Case of Huizhou in Late Imperial China, 1400-1800 (National Science Council, Taiwan).
- 2006- Cultural Memory, Knowledge Production and Digital Learning (National Central University, Distinguished Research Area, Selected by the Ministry of Education)
- 2005-2007 Narration, Performance, and Oblivion—An Analytical Reconstruction of Family Memory in Later Imperial China (National Science Council, Taiwan).
- 2005-2007 Cross-Sexual Self-Cultivation: Gender and Bodily Sentiments in Late Imperial China (Academia Sinica, Collective Theme Project).
- 2003-2005 The Culture of Amusement and Children’s Playful Things in Late Imperial China (National Science Council, Taiwan).
- 2002-2004 Material Foundations of the Infant-Care and Child-Rearing Culture in the Lower Yangtze Region during the Ming-Ch’ing Period (National Science Council, Taiwan).
- 2001-2002 Teacher-Disciple Relations in Ming-Ch’ing China (National Science Council, Taiwan).
- 2001-2002 The transformation and development of Child Care and Early Education System: The Example of Taipei City (Co-PI) (National Science Council, Taiwan).
- 2000-2001 Non-biological Parent-children Relations in Late Imperial China (National Science Council, Taiwan).
- 1998-2000 Same Sex Parent-Children Relations in Late-Imperial China (National Science Council, Taiwan).
- 1996-1997 Children’s Infective Diseases and the History of Children’s History in Late-Imperial China (National Science Council, Taiwan).
- 1995-1996 Children’s Diseases and Health in Early Modern China (National Science Council)
- 1989-1991 History of Infant Care in China (1600-1949) (National Science Council, Taiwan).

- 1986-1987 Study on the History of Children in Late Imperial China (1600-1830) (National Science Council, Taiwan).
- 1985-1986 Bibliography on pre-1937 Economic Archives of the Republic of China (National Science Council, Taiwan).
- 1984-1985 Regional Modernization Project—Kiangsi Province (1860-1937) (National Science Council, Taiwan).

Invited Lectures:

1. “Discovering Childhood and Paediatrics in Chinese History: Further Consideration”, Gottingen University, Germany. Nov.28, 2017.
2. “Androgyny and Phases of Life: Further Considerations”, The Second Forum on Recent Research in Gender and Ming-Qing Culture, Hong Kong Baptist University, Nov.22, 2017.
3. 幼教與童年：歷史的洗鍊與文化之積累，第五屆海峽兩岸學前教育論壇，Opening Keynote, Fuzhou, China, Nov.06, 2017.
4. “Taiwan: A Global Gaze”, Taiwan Week, McGill University, Montreal, Canada, Oct 26, 2017.
5. “Global History of Humankind: Introductory Presentation Asia” Moderator Speech, World Humanities Conference, Liège, Belgium, Aug 11, 2017.
6. “The Meaning of the Classics for Global Humanities Today”, “Cultural comparison and China's approach.”, World Humanities Conference, Liège, Belgium, Aug 6-12, 2017.
7. “Food and Aging in Late Imperial China: Material Provision and Textural Evidence in Comparison.”, PCD Joint Workshop, Berlin, Germany, Jul 26, 2017.
8. “Joys of the Fall: Observations on the Season of Life, As of Old”, The 2nd Astronomical Silk Road: International Workshop on Astronomy and Archaeoastronomy in China and Central Asia, Urumqi, China, Jul 6-9, 2017.
9. “How Long is Enough to Examine Modernity? Thoughts from Two Cases”, Asian Modernity: A Search for Common Path Sub-forum, Shanghai Forum, Shanghai, China, May 27-28, 2017
10. “Conceptual and Intellectual Implications of Research on Silk Road”, 國際絲綢之路科學與文明學會項目學術研討會暨第一次籌備會, Beijing, China, May 20-21, 2017
11. “Belonging as an Existential Struggle: Further Thoughts on ‘If Taiwan, then what?’”, 2017 Nexus Taiwan Conference on “Expats, Migrants, and Immigrants: Taiwan/ese in Flux”, Brown University, April 20-21, 2017
12. “Reflection on the Agency on Modernity over the Longue Duree: Theoretical Considerations of the Case of China.” Chinese Modernity: Reflection and Perspective, Fudan University, Sep 23-26, 2016
13. “Families and Children in History: Comparisons with Early Modern Europe and Colonial America,” Xiamen University, 3 Jun 2016.
14. “Repositioning Taiwan and the Americas: Formosa to the Present”, Opening Keynote, Inaugural Nexus Taiwan Conference, Brown University, Apr 7, 2016.

15. "What is the Reality in History? 什麼是歷史的真實?" CYT College, University of Macau, Mar 14, 2016.
16. "Home Away From Home: Migration, Memory, and Childhood in Comparative Perspective" General Education Foundation Course, The Hong Kong Institute of Education, Mar 14, 2016.
17. "The Evolution of Chinese Humanities." World Civilization Center, Fudan University, Shanghai, China, Dec 5, 2015.
18. "Beyond Taiwan and Literary Studies: Reflections 臺灣與文學研究之外：若干有關臺灣研究比較研究之學術省思" "臺灣文學的抗日意識與原鄉情懷——紀念臺灣光復70週年"學術會議, Xiamen University, Xiamen, China, Oct 28-30, 2015.
19. "Envisioning an Eurasian Humanities Exchange" Free University of Berlin, Germany, Jun 30, 2015.
20. "What to do with China's Millions of 'Little Ancestors'", Panel: The Education of Youth in Different Cultures, from China to the Muslim World to the West (In a Comparative Approach), The Estonia International History Festival, May 29, 2015.
21. "The Inspiration of Silk Road on Global Humanities Networking." Keynote speech, The 12th ANHN Meeting & the International symposium on "The Maritime Silk Routes: Review and Prospects." Xiamen University, Xiamen, China, March 21-22, 2015.
22. "China as Seen From Within or Outside Its Border." Conference of "China in the Global Academic Landscapes", Hanover, Germany, Dec 11, 2014.
23. "The Discovery of American Ginseng: A Case Study in Historical Anthropology and Medical Humanities" The Department of American Studies, Brown University, Dec 1, 2014
24. "Chinese History as National Humanities: Views from Taiwan and Hong Kong." The Cogut Center for the Humanities, Brown University, Nov 14, 2014.
25. "Chinese Humanities." Fairbank Center, Harvard University, Nov 11, 2014
26. "Searching for Roots: North America Ginseng and Jesuits in Early Modern China and Europe." European Association of Chinese Studies Conference, Coimbra, Portugal, Jul 17, 2014.
27. "And Yet Miles to Go: Taiwan Health and Humanities in Global Perspective" National Taiwan University, Mar 30, 2014
28. "The International Recognition of Academic Chinese: in the Context of assessment and reform of the humanities 如何使學術中文為國際承認？—人文學科的評價及改革問題." Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Mar 21, 2014
29. "Compare So As to Connect: The Mirror Effect of Europe and Asia." Dahlem Humanities Centre, The Free University, Berlin, Jan 23, 2014
30. "Health, Culture, and History 健康、文化與歷史." National Taiwan University, Dec 17, 2013
31. "History of Childhood 童年往事." Cultural Salon Series, EMBA Program, The Chinese

University of Hong Kong, Jun 28, 2013

32. “ANHN & CHCI as Examples of Global Humanities.” The Eighth International Convention of Asian Scholars: Conference on Asian Studies and Interdisciplinary Humanities, University of Macau, June 24, 2013.
33. “Reflection on Children’s Studies: The Perspective from Chinese History.” Washington University in St. Louis, Apr 19, 2013
34. “Breaking the Ground in Chinese Children’s History: in connection with the International ‘New Humanities Movement’ 中國兒童史的開拓與前景：兼及國際「新人文」之發展.” Xiamen University, China, Mar 08, 2013
35. “Regional Logic vs. Global Humanities: Where to from Here?” Inaugural lecture for the project “Asia in the Humanities/Humanities in Asia.” Asian Institute, University of California, Los Angeles, USA, Nov 30, 2012.
36. “Compassion and Charitable Activities in Late Imperial China: Two Examples.” University of California, Los Angeles, USA, Nov 13, 2012
37. “A Review of the History of Childhood 驀然回首.” Fu-Jen Catholic University, Taiwan, Oct 24, 2012
38. “Medical Humanities: Collaboration and Mutual Support 生醫路上之會友與輔仁.” Fu-Jen Catholic University, Taiwan, Oct 24, 2012
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