

# Jin Zhou

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## Personal Information

Gender: Female  
Citizenship: China, Citizen; Canada, Permanent Resident

## Education

Ph.D., Economics, University of Western Ontario, expected August 2016  
M.S., Economics, Beijing Normal University, 2010  
B.A., Finance, Beijing Normal University, 2007

## Employment

2016- Postdoctoral Scholar, University of Chicago Center for the Economics of Human Development

## Fields of Research Interest

Labor Economics, Applied Econometrics and Development Economics

## Teaching Fields

Graduate Level: Labor Economics, Applied Econometrics and Development Economics  
Undergraduate Level: Econometrics, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics

## Research Positions

2012-2015 Research Assistant to Professor Salvador Navarro  
2014-2015 Research Assistant to Professor Terry Sicular  
2010 Internship, China Development Research Foundation

## Teaching Experience

Instructor		University of Western Ontario
Fall	2014	Intermediate Micro I (Undergrad)
Summer	2014	Econometrics (Undergrad)
Teaching Assistant		University of Western Ontario
Winter/Fall	2013	Intermediate Econometrics (Undergrad)
Fall	2012	Economics of China (Undergrad)
Winter	2011	Macroeconomics (Undergrad)
Fall	2011	Mathematical Economics (Graduate, Tutorial Leader)
Fall	2010	Microeconomics (Undergrad)

## Honors and Awards

2013 Sir Arthur Currie Memorial Scholarship, University of Western Ontario  
2010-2014 University Fellowship and Departmental Scholarship, University of Western Ontario  
2009-2010 Development Research Scholarship, China Development Research Foundation  
2007 Excellent Graduate Student in Beijing, Beijing Municipal Commission of Education

## Conference Presentations

- 2016 Asian Family in Transition Conference (Guangzhou) “Internal Migration with Endogenous Social Networks in China”
- 2016 69<sup>th</sup> European Meeting of the Econometric Society (Geneva) “Internal Migration with Endogenous Social Networks in China”
- 2016 North American Summer Meetings of the Econometric Society (Philadelphia) “Internal Migration with Endogenous Social Networks in China”
- 2016 50<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Canadian Economics Association (Ottawa) “Quantifying Credit Constraints, Preferences, and Uncertainty in a Lifecycle Model of Schooling Choice”
- 2015 4<sup>th</sup> Society of Labor Economists World Meeting (Montreal) “Internal Migration with Endogenous Social Networks in China”
- 2015 49<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Canadian Economics Association (Toronto) “Internal Migration with Endogenous Social Networks in China”
- 2014 University of Michigan-Michigan State University-University of Western Ontario Labor Day Conference (London) “Internal Migration with Endogenous Social Networks in China”
- 2014 48<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Canadian Economics Association (Vancouver) “Internal Migration with Social Networks in China”
- 2013 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Canadian Economics Association (Montreal) “Job Search with Return Migration Option in China”
- 2010 1<sup>st</sup> Annual SEBA-GATE Workshop (Beijing) “Does Chinese Rural Migrants’ Assimilation in Urban Labor Market Exist?”

## Journal Referee

*Economic Inquiry, Canadian Journal of Economics*

## Research Papers

- “Internal Migration with Endogenous Social Networks in China” (Job Market Paper, Oct 2015)
- “Job Search with Return Migration Option in China,” (mimeo, Aug 2015)
- “Quantifying Credit Constraints, Preferences and Uncertainty in a Lifecycle Model of Schooling Choice,” with Salvador Navarro (R& R by *Review of Economic Dynamics*)
- “Human Capital Investment with Migration Option in China,” with Salvador Navarro (work in progress)

## Computer Skills

Fortran, Stata, Python, Matlab, R