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CURRENT POSITION

2014 - Lecturer and Research Associate, University of California, Santa Cruz
Santa Cruz, the USA
2011 - Research Fellow, Max Planck Institute for Tax Law and Public Finance,
Munich, Germany

EDUCATION

2008 - 2012 Ph.D in Economics, Tilburg University
Thesis Title: "Behavioral Heterogeneity in Economic Institutions:
An Experimental Approach"
Advisor: Charles Noussair
2006 - 2008 M.Phil in Economics, *Cum Laude*, Tilburg University
2002 - 2006 B.A. in Finance, Chu Kochen Honors College, Zhejiang University
(top 3% GPA)

RESEARCH VISITS

03/2013 Department of Decision and Social Sciences, Carnegie Mellon University
11/2012- 12/2012 The Interdisciplinary Center for Economic Science, George Mason University
10/2012 Department of Economics, University of Zurich (Chair: Roberto Weber)
04/2012 Department of Decision and Social Sciences, Carnegie Mellon University
02/2010 - 06/2010 Department of Economics and CESS lab, New York University

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Experimental Economics, Behavioral Economics, Applied Microeconomics, Public Economics

PUBLICATIONS

Erte Xiao and Fangfang Tan, "Justification and legitimate punishment", *Journal of Institutional and Theoretical Economics*, 170(1), 168-188.

Fangfang Tan and Andrew Yim, "Can strategic uncertainty help deter tax evasion? - An experiment on auditing rules", *Journal of Economic Psychology*, 40, 161-174.

Wieland Müller and Fangfang Tan, "Who acts more like a game theorist? Group and individual play in a sequential market game and the effect of the time horizon", *Games and Economic Behavior*, 82, 658-674.

Fangfang Tan and Erte Xiao, "Peer punishment with third-party approval in a social dilemma game", *Economics Letters*, 2012, 117(3), 589-591.

Charles Noussair and Fangfang Tan, "Voting on punishment systems within a heterogeneous group", *Journal of Public Economic Theory*, 2011, 13(5), 661-693.

Fangfang Tan, "Punishment in a linear public good game with productivity heterogeneity", *The Economist*, 2008, 156(3), 269-293.

SUBMITTED PAPERS

“‘Success breeds success’ or ‘Pride goes before a fall’? Individuals and teams in the best-of-three contests”, with Changxia Ke and Qiang Fu (revise and resubmit at *Games and Economic Behavior*).

“Third-party punishment: retribution or deterrence”, with Erte Xiao (under review).

“Providing global public goods: Electoral delegation and cooperation”, with Martin Kocher and Jing Yu (under review).

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Economics of the recommender system”, with Daniel Friedman, Yi Zhang and Qi Zhao

“Learning dynamics in tax evasion”, with Te Bao.

“A field experiment on social distance and the willingness to help”, with Erte Xiao and Pinghan Liang

“Groups and individuals in auctions”, with Martin Kocher and Maria Sabrina

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2014	Instructor (undergraduate level)	Experimental Economics	UC Santa Cruz
	Evaluation: 3.72/5 (5 to be the highest)		
2012	Instructor (graduate level)	Behavioral Economics	University of Munich
	Evaluation: 1.36/5 (1 to be the highest)		
2011	Instructor (undergraduate level)	International Economics	Tilburg University
	<i>Excellent Teacher Award</i> of the year, Evaluation: 9/10 (10 to be the highest)		
2010	Instructor and coordinator	International Economics	Tilburg University
2009	Instructor (undergraduate level)	International Economics	Tilburg University

HONORS AND AWARDS

11/2012	CREED Small Grant for Experimental Projects, University of Amsterdam
12/2011	Excellent Teacher Award, Department of Economics, Tilburg University
11/2010	SAEe Conference Grant
08/2010	Mannheim Graduate School of Economic and Social Sciences for Summer School Scholarship
07/2009	Bonn Graduate School of Economics/Hausdorff Research Institute for Mathematics Summer School Scholarship
06/2009	CESifo Venice Summer Institute Workshop Conference Grant
2007-2008	HSP Huygens Scholarship from Nuffic
2007-2008	CentER Koopmans Scholarship
06/2006	Best Degree Paper of School of Economics, Zhejiang University
10/2005	Foreign Exchange Scholarship
09/2005	Meilinkai Scholarship for Excellent Research Performance

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

2014	Public Economic Theory Annual Conference, Seattle, the USA International Society of Justice Research (ISJR) meeting, New York City, the US Yahoo! Labs University of British Columbia California State University, San Marcos University of Pennsylvania University of Vermont
2013	Liberty and responsibility in polycentric circles: The Ostrom legacy ESA North American Meeting, Santa Cruz, the USA California State University East Bay INFORMS Annual Meeting, Minneapolis, the USA

- Tax day for the Max Planck Institute, Munich, Germany
 ESA World Meeting, Zurich, Switzerland
 SABE Session at the Western Economic Association International Meeting
 VCEE Seminar Series, University of Vienna
 the Bay Area Behavioral and Experimental Economics Workshop
 University of San Francisco
 Experimental Economics Seminar Series, University of California at Santa Cruz
 ESI Mini Workshop on Experimental Economics, Jena, Germany
 Brownbag Lunch Seminar at University of Pittsburgh
 2013 Conference on Tournaments, Contests and Relative Performance Evaluation, the US
 MPI - Innsbruck Workshop on Behavioral Public Finance, Innsbruck, Austria
 Workshop on Contests: Experiments and Theory, Munich
- 2012 ICES Brownbag Lunch Seminar, George Mason University
 ESA North American Meeting, Tuscon, the USA
 ESI Mini Workshop on Experimental Economics, Munich, Germany
 Frankfurt School of Finance and management
 Lunch seminar at ETH Zurich
 Behavioral and experimental seminar, University of Zurich, Switzerland
 ESA European conference, Cologne, Germany
 Tiber Symposium on Psychology and Economics, Tilburg, the Netherlands
 Economic Colloquia seminar, University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands
 Micro Workshop, University of Munich, Munich, Germany (July and October)
 International ESA Conference, New York, the USA
 Deception, incentives and behavior symposium, San Diego, the USA
 Royal Economic Society Annual Conference, Cambridge, England
 Tax day for the Max Planck Institute (January, May and September), Munich, Germany
- 2011 Institute for Advanced Social Science Seminar, Sun Yat-Sen University
 Experimental Economics Seminar, Jinan University
 ESA Asia-Pacific meeting, Xiamen, China
 ESI Mini Workshop on Experimental Economics, Jena, Germany
 ESA European conference, Luxembourg
 10th Tiber Symposium on Psychology and Economics, Tilburg, the Netherlands
 The Shadow Economy, Tax Evasion and Money Laundering, Muenster, Germany
 Symposium on Industrial Organization and Management Strategy, Chengdu, China
 Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, Chengdu, China
 TIBER Work-In-Progress Seminar, Tilburg University
 DUHR Seminar, Maastricht University
 Max Planck Institute for Tax Law and Public Finance
 VCEE Seminar Series, University of Vienna
 Accounting Department Seminar Series, Tilburg University
 6th PhD Presentation Meeting of the Royal Economic Society, London, England

SUMMER SCHOOLS

- 2010 Mannheim Graduate School of Economic and Social Sciences (GESS)
 and Collaborative Research Center SFB/TR 15 “Governance and
 the Efficiency of Economic Systems”, Kloster Bronnbach, Germany
“Incentives and Behavioral Economics” (with presentation)
 Instructors: Uri Gneezy and Eyal Winter
- 2009 Bonn Graduate School of Economics (BGSE) and
 Hausdorff Research Institute, Bonn, Germany
“Limited Cognition, Strategic Thinking and Learning in Games”
 Instructors: Vincent Crawford and Philippe Jehiel

- 2006 Santa Fe Institute Summer School, Beijing, China
“Complex System Summer School”
 Instructors: Dave Feldman, Jon Wilkins among others
- 2005 NUS-ZJU Entrepreneurship Immersion Program, Singapore

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

REFEREE

Games and Economic Behavior(4); *Management Science*(2); *Journal of Public Economics*(3);
Journal of European Economic Association; *Economic Inquiry*(2); *European Economic Review*;
Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization(7); *Experimental Economics* (2); *PLOS One* (2);
Journal of Environmental Economics and Management; *Journal of Economic Psychology* (3); *Jour-*
nal of Public Economic Theory(2); *Southern Economic Journal*; *Social Choice and Welfare*;
Judgment and Decision Making; *National Tax Journal*; *Theory and Decision*(2);
Economics of Governance; *Pacific Economic Review*; *Eastern Economic Journal*;
Environmental and Resource Economics; *Journal of Socio-Economics*;
Journal of Neuroscience, Psychology and Economics; *Bulletin of Economic Research* (4)

CONFERENCE ORGANIZER

- 01/2013 Workshop on Contest: Experiment and Theory, the Max Planck Institute
 06/2012 Taxation and Redistribution Workshop: Theory and Experiment, the Max Planck Institute
 01/2012 Experimental Workshop on Public and Labor Economics, Tilburg University

RECRUITING COMMITTEE

- 2012 Department of Public Economics, Max Planck Institute for Tax Law and Public Finance ll

SKILLS

Analytical: Python, Matlab, R, SPSS, Stata
 Experimental: Z-Tree
 Editing: Scientific Workplace, L^AT_EX, Lyx, Eclipse
 Languages: English, Mandarin, Cantonese

REFERENCES

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