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POSITIONS

Assistant Professor Since Aug 2024
Department of Agricultural & Resource Economics
University of Connecticut

EDUCATION

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities Sep 2019 - Jun 2024
PhD in Applied Economics

National Taiwan University Sep 2016 - Jun 2018
MA in Agricultural Economics

National Taiwan University Sep 2012 - Jun 2016
BA in Agricultural Economics

WORKING PAPERS

Liu, Jhieh-Yun. “The Dust Bowl and Occupational Persistence in US Agriculture.”

Liu, Jhieh-Yun. “Compulsory Education and Occupational Persistence: Evidence from US Agriculture”

Bellemare, Marc F., **Liu, Jhieh-Yun**, and Hadrich, Joleen. “Commodity Price Shocks and Rural Mortality.”

WORK IN PROGRESS

“Land Redistribution Policy, Life Expectancy, and Social Mobility.” (with Evan Robert, Henry Thomson, and Robert Schub).

“Agricultural Child Labor and Education: Evidence from Boll Weevil in the US South.” (with T. Terry Cheung).

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS FROM MASTER’S RESEARCH

Liu, Jhieh-Yun, Lee, Brian, and Chang, Hung-Hao (2024). “Place-Based Rural Development Programs and Labor Allocation of Farm Household.” *China Agricultural Economic Review*, Vol. *ahead-of-print* No. *ahead-of-print*.

Lee, Brian, **Liu, Jhieh-Yun**, and Chang, Hung-Hao (2020). “The Choice of Marketing Channel and Farm Profitability: Empirical Evidence from Small Farmers.” *Agribusiness*, (36)3 : 402-421.

Wang, Szu-Yung, **Liu, Jhieh-Yun**, and Chang, Hung-Hao (2018). “An Old Bottle with New Wine: Examining the Association between Contract Farming and Farm Income Using the Matching Frontier Approach.” *Empirical Economics Letters*, (17)12 : 1507-1515.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

National Institute on Aging Funded Research Project Minnesota, USA
Research Assistance for Dr. Evan Roberts Sep 2023 - Present

Department of Applied Economics, University of Minnesota Twin Cities Minnesota, USA
Teaching Assistance, “Applied Microeconomics: Consumers, Producers, and Markets” Sep 2022 - Jan 2023

State Health Access Data Assistance Center Minnesota, USA
Research Assistance for Robert Hest and Elizabeth Lukanen Jun 2020 - Present

Agriculture Policy Research Center Taipei, Taiwan
Research Assistance for Dr. Yu-Shan Liu Sep 2018 - Jun 2019

Department of Agricultural Economics, National Taiwan University Taipei, Taiwan
Research Assistance for Dr. Hung-Hao Chang Jun 2017 - Jun 2019

Department of Agricultural Economics, National Taiwan University <i>Research Assistance for Dr. Yir-Hueih Luh</i>	Taipei, Taiwan <i>Sep 2016 - May 2017</i>
Department of Agricultural Economics, National Taiwan University <i>Teaching Assistance, “Industrial Economics”</i>	Taipei, Taiwan <i>Feb 2018 - Jun 2018</i>
Department of Agricultural Economics, National Taiwan University <i>Teaching Assistance, “Microeconomics(I)(II)”</i>	Taipei, Taiwan <i>Sep 2016 - Jan 2017</i>
Consumers’ Foundation <i>Research Assistance for Dr. Alan Yun Lu</i>	Taipei, Taiwan <i>Jun 2016 - Aug 2016</i>

HONORS AND AWARDS

Third Place, Graduate Student Paper Competition <i>Canadian Agricultural Economics Society (CAES)/Western Agricultural Economics Association (WAEA)</i>	Jul 2023
Chester O. McCorkle Jr. Student Scholarship <i>Agricultural & Applied Economics Association (AAEA)</i>	Jul 2023
Best Poster Prize <i>Population Association of America (PAA)</i>	Apr 2023
Scholarship of Pilot Project—Agriculture Field <i>Ministry of Education, Taiwan</i>	Jan 2020
Outstanding Master’s Thesis Award <i>Rural Economics Society of Taiwan</i>	Dec 2018
Presidential Award—Spring Semester <i>Department of Agricultural Economics, National Taiwan University</i>	Jun 2016
Presidential Award—Fall Semester <i>Department of Agricultural Economics, National Taiwan University</i>	Jan 2016

SELECTED PARTICIPANT

Western Economic Association International—Graduate Student Workshop <i>Selected PhD student</i>	Jul 2023
American Economic Association—Successfully Navigating Your PhD <i>Selected PhD student of a workshop for 3rd year + women/non-binary PhD students in economics</i>	Sep 2022
Amie Association Mentoring in Economics—2022 Mentorship Program <i>Selected PhD student of the mentoring program</i>	Sep 2022 - May 2023

GRANTS

Travel Grant (\$1,000) <i>Center for International Food and Agricultural Policy (CIFAP)</i>	Jul 2023
Research Grant (\$750) <i>College of Food, Agricultural, and Natural Resource Sciences (CFANS), University of Minnesota</i>	Apr 2023

OUTREACH AND EXTENSION

Data Party and Workshop for Local and Regional Markets <i>Volunteer Worker</i> <i>Co-hosted by Minnesota Department of Agriculture and University of Minnesota</i>	Minnesota, USA <i>Feb 2023</i>
Taiwan-Minnesota Agriculture Trade Round-Table Forum <i>Assistant and Translator</i> <i>Co-hosted by Minnesota Department of Agriculture, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office, and University of Minnesota</i>	Minnesota, USA <i>Sep 2022</i>

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Referee for *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*, *Food Policy*, *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, and *Q Open*

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2024: Agriculture Policy Research Group (New Orleans, LA), Applied Demography Conference (Online), Population Association of America Annual Meeting (Columbus, OH)

2023: Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting (Washington, DC), Canadian Agricultural Economics Society and Western Agricultural Economics Association Joint Annual Meeting (BC, Canada), Population Association of America Annual Meeting (New Orleans, LA), Online Agricultural and Resource Economics Seminar (Online), Data-Intensive Research Conference (University of Minnesota).

2022: Agricultural and Applied Economics Association Annual Meeting (Anaheim, CA).

2018: Agriculture Economy Conference and Symposium, Rural Economics Society of Taiwan (Taipei, Taiwan), 16th International Conference of the East Asian Economics Association (Taipei, Taiwan)

LANGUAGES

Mandarin - native; **English** - advanced; **Japanese** - intermediate

REFERENCES

Dr. Marc F. Bellemare, Distinguished McKnight University Professor, Distinguished University Teaching Professor, and Northrop Professor

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Dr. Joleen Hadrich, Professor and Associate Dean for the Minnesota Agricultural Experiment Station and CFANS Research & Outreach Centers

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