

# Linyuan Zeng

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## Education

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**University of Pittsburgh** 2024 - present

PhD Student: Sociology

**London School of Economics and Political Science** Sep 2023

MSc Gender, Peace and Security (Distinction)

**Sun Yat-sen University** Jun 2022

Bachelor of Japanese Language and Literature (Distinction)

### Awards:

Outstanding Graduate of Sun Yat-sen University 2022

AEON Scholarship 2019

Honors in the major, Sun Yat-sen University 2018, 2019, & 2020

## Research Experience

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**College Students' Innovation Training Program** Mar - Dec 2021

- Conducted in-depth interviews with 18 rural women and utilized participatory observations to gain insights into the intersectional employment and living conditions within the context of live-streaming commercial experiences.
- Awarded Provincial Outstanding Project.

## Conference Presentation

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**Flexible Employment and New Living Experience of Chinese Rural Women under Livestreaming Commerce**

- Delivered oral presentation at China Social Work Education Association South China Region 2021 Annual Conference and Seminar on Social Work for High-Quality Development of Urban and Rural Communities.
- Awarded First Prize for Outstanding Graduate Student Thesis.

## Professional Experience

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**Cultural Industry Research Center of Guangzhou Academy of Social Sciences** Feb - May 2022

- Prepared an independent analysis of the advanced models of 10 large-scale cultural exhibitions in 5 developed countries, and authored 20 pages of policy recommendations for the development of Guangzhou's cultural and tourism industries.

**Social Investigation Program by the Institute of Social Insurance and Progress under the Ministry of Civil Affairs** Jul - Sep 2021

- Undertook study of international advanced systems of investigation, was awarded a certificate as a qualified interviewer by the Institution of Social Science Survey of Peking University.
- Utilized a computer-aided system to conduct household survey work in the Guangdong area, successfully completing 80 valid questionnaires with designated households to investigate extreme poverty.

## Other Experience

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**Against Violence to Overseas Chinese Women Program** Aug 2022 - present

- Collaborated with a team of three international members to completed a report on gender and racial violence against Asian women, concluding the reasons for the lack of adequate data.

## Languages and Skills

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- Fluent in Chinese, , Cantonese, English and Japanese
- Computer Level II Certificate (Office); Interview; Feminist Discourse Analysis; Participant Observation; Feminist and Queer Archival Research Methods