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## **EDUCATION**

- 08/2002-08/2006      Ph.D. in Public Administration, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University  
Dissertation: *Two Essays: School District Responses to State Building Aid and Determinants of Pay-As-You-Go Financing of State Capital Projects*  
Chair: William Duncombe
- 08/2000-05/2002      Master of Public Administration (M.P.A.), University of Georgia
- 09/1998-07/2000      Student of the part-time Master of Economics Program, Department of Economics, Renmin University of China
- 09/1988-07/1992      B.A. in English Language and Literature, Nankai University, China

## **ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

- 09/2016-              Associate Professor, School of Public Affairs and Administration, Rutgers University-Newark (RU)
- 07/2016-06/2017      Associate Professor, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis (SPEA-IUPUI)
- 08/2013-06/2016      Assistant Professor, School of Public and Environmental Affairs, Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis (SPEA-IUPUI)
- 08/2009-07/2013      Assistant Professor, Department of Public Policy, City University of Hong Kong (CityU)
- 08/2008-07/2009      Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of South Carolina (USC)
- 08/2006-07/2008      Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, East Carolina University (ECU)

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES**

- 04/2015-              Senior Associate, Research Center for Chinese Politics and Business, Indiana University

- 02/2008-06/2008 Asia Fellow, Mossavar-Rahmani Center for Business & Government, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, (on research sabbatical from East Carolina University)
- 08/2002-07/2006 Research Associate and Teaching Assistant, Center for Policy Research, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University
- 05/2001-07/2001 Intern, the Commissioner's Office of Morgan County, Georgia
- 08/2000-05/2002 Research Assistant, Department of Political Science, University of Georgia
- 06/1996-12/1996 Study Fellow, the School of Public Policy, the University of Birmingham, U.K.
- 07/1995-07/2000 Program Manager, Office of International Exchange & Cooperation, Chinese Academy of Governance, Beijing, China
- 07/1992-06/1995 Program Manager, Office of International Exchange & Cooperation, Beijing University of Aeronautics and Astronautics, Beijing, China

## **AWARDS AND HONORS**

- 2011 Winner of the Richard A. Musgrave Prize for the best paper published in the *National Tax Journal*
- 2009 Best Conference Manuscript Award, Public Budgeting and Finance Section, Annual Conference of Western Social Science Association (WSSA), Albuquerque, NM
- 2008 College Research Award, Harriot College of Arts & Sciences, East Carolina University (for research sabbatical from January–August 2008)
- 2007 Syracuse University Doctoral Prize for best dissertation
- 2007 Maxwell School, Syracuse University, Doctoral Award for best dissertation
- 2005–2006 Dissertation Fellowship, Maxwell School, Syracuse University
- 2002–2004 University Fellowship, Syracuse University
- 2000–2002 Graduate School Assistantship, University of Georgia

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### ***Peer-Reviewed Articles***

1. Guo, Hai (David) and **Wen Wang**. *Forthcoming*. A Spatial Analysis of Florida County Governments' Unreserved General Fund Balances, *Public Budgeting and Finance*. DOI: [10.1111/pbaf.12160](https://doi.org/10.1111/pbaf.12160).
2. **Wang, Wen**. 2017. The Effects of Political and Fiscal Incentives on Local Government Behavior: An Analysis of Fiscal Slack in China. *International Public Management Journal*, 20(2): 294-315. DOI: [10.1080/10967494.2016.1160014](https://doi.org/10.1080/10967494.2016.1160014).
3. **Wang, Wen** and Fangzhi Ye. 2016. The Political Economy of Land Finance in China, *Public Budgeting and Finance*, 36(2): 91-110. DOI: [10.1111/pbaf.12086](https://doi.org/10.1111/pbaf.12086).
4. Zhao, Zhirong and **Wen Wang**. 2015. Local Option Sales Tax, State Capital Grants, and Disparity of School Capital Outlays: The Case of Georgia, *Journal of Public Budgeting, Accounting, and Financial Management*, 27(2): 129-152.
5. **Wang, Wen**. 2014. Decomposing Inequality in Compulsory Education Finance in China: 1998-2008. *Public Finance and Management*, 14(4): 437-458.
6. **Wang, Wen** and Zhirong Zhao. 2014. Spatial Decomposition of Funding Inequality in China's Basic Education: A Four-level Theil Index Analysis. *Public Finance and Management*, 14(4): 416-436.
7. Li, Linda Chelan and **Wen Wang**. 2014. Pursuing Equity in Education: Conflicting Views and Shifting Strategies, *Journal of Contemporary Asia*, 44(2): 279-297. DOI: [10.1080/00472336.2014.880255](https://doi.org/10.1080/00472336.2014.880255). Reprinted in *Good Governance in Asia: Multiple Trajectories to Development*, edited by Linda Chelan Li, London and New York: Routledge, 2015.
8. Zhang, Weiwen, **Wen Wang**, Xuewen Li, and Fangzhi Ye. 2014. Economic Development and Farmland Protection: An Assessment of Rewarded Land Conversion Quotas Trading in Zhejiang, China, *Land Use Policy*, 38: 467-476. DOI: [10.1016/j.landusepol.2013.12.008](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.landusepol.2013.12.008).
9. Ye, Fangzhi and **Wen Wang**. 2013. Determinants of Land Finance in China: A Study Based on Provincial-level Panel Data, *Australian Journal of Public Administration*, 72(3): 293-303. DOI: [10.1111/1467-8500.12029](https://doi.org/10.1111/1467-8500.12029).
10. Wu, Alfred M. and **Wen Wang**. 2013. Determinants of Expenditure Decentralization: Evidence from China, *World Development*, 46, pp.176-184. DOI: [10.1016/j.worlddev.2013.02.004](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.worlddev.2013.02.004).
11. Wu, Yan and **Wen Wang**. 2012. Does Participatory Budgeting Improve the Legitimacy of the Local Government?: A Comparative Case Study of Two Cities in China. *Australian Journal of Public Administration*, 71(2): 122-135. DOI: [10.1111/j.1467-8500.2012.00771.x](https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1467-8500.2012.00771.x).

12. **Wang, Wen** and Yilin Hou. 2012. Do Local Governments Save and Spend across Budget Cycles?: Evidence from North Carolina. *American Review of Public Administration*, 42(2): 152-169, DOI: [10.1177/0275074011398387](https://doi.org/10.1177/0275074011398387).
13. **Wang, Wen**, Xinye Zheng and Zhirong Zhao. 2012. Fiscal Reform and Public Education Spending: A Quasi-natural Experiment of Fiscal Decentralization in China. *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*, 42(2): 334-356, DOI: [10.1093/publius/pjr039](https://doi.org/10.1093/publius/pjr039).
14. **Wang, Wen** and Zhirong Zhao. 2012. Rural Taxation Reforms and Compulsory Education Finance in China. *Journal of Public Budgeting, Accounting, and Financial Management*, 24(1): 134-162.
15. **Wang, Wen**, William Duncombe and John Yinger. 2011. School District Responses to Matching Aid Programs for Capital Facilities: A Case Study of New York's Building Aid Program. *National Tax Journal*, 64(3): 759-794. Awarded the Richard A. Musgrave Prize for the best paper published in the *National Tax Journal* in 2011.
16. **Wang, Wen** and Zhirong Zhao. 2011. Fiscal Effects of Local Option Sales Taxes on School Facilities Funding: The Case of North Carolina. *Journal of Public Budgeting, Accounting, and Financial Management*, 23(4): 507-533. Received the Best Conference Manuscript Award, Public Budgeting and Finance Section, Annual Conference of Western Social Science Association (WSSA) in 2009.
17. Wu, Yan and **Wen Wang**. 2011. The Rationalization of Public Budgeting in China: A Reflection on Participatory Budgeting in Wuxi. *Public Finance and Management*, 11(3): 262-283.
18. Wu, Alfred M. and **Wen Wang**. 2011. How to Explain Sub-provincial Fiscal Decentralization?: An Empirical Analysis on China, *Comparative Economic and Social Systems (Jingji Shehui Tizhi Bijiao)*, 158(6): 62-72, (in Chinese).
19. **Wang, Wen** and Yilin Hou. 2009. Pay-As-You-Go Financing and Capital Outlay Volatility: Evidence from the States over Two Recent Economic Cycles. *Public Budgeting and Finance*, 29(4): 89-106. DOI: [10.1111/j.1540-5850.2009.00944.x](https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1540-5850.2009.00944.x).
20. **Wang, Wen** and William Duncombe. 2009. School Facilities Funding and Capital Outlay Distribution in the States. *Journal of Education Finance*, 34(3): 324-350.
21. **Wang, Wen**. 2009. China's Education Finance Reform and Spatial Inequality in School Funding, *Journal of Public Administration (Gonggong Xingzheng Pinglun)*, No. 2: 101-125, (in Chinese).
22. **Wang, Wen**, Yilin Hou and William Duncombe. 2007. Determinants of Pay-As-You-Go Financing of Capital Projects: Evidence from the States. *Public Budgeting and Finance*, 27(4): 18-24. DOI: [10.1111/j.1540-5850.2007.00892.x](https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1540-5850.2007.00892.x).

### ***Book Chapters and Encyclopedia Entries***

1. Johnson, Thomas, Ting Gong, and **Wen Wang**. 2017. Regulatory Capture as a Two-way Street: Hong Kong Small and Medium Enterprises in the Pearl River Delta Region. In *Routledge Handbook of Corruption in Asia*, edited by Ting Gong and Ian Scott, London, UK: Routledge, 144-161.
2. Hou, Yilin and **Wen Wang**. 2016. Budget Stabilization Fund. In *Encyclopedia of Public Administration and Public Policy*, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, edited by Melvin Dubnick and Domonic Bearfield, New York: Taylor & Francis, published online, 1-6. [DOI: 10.1081/E-EPAP3-120053773](https://doi.org/10.1081/E-EPAP3-120053773).
3. Hou, Yilin and **Wen Wang**. 2016. Economic Policy: Subnational Counter-Cyclical Fiscal Policy. In *Encyclopedia of Public Administration and Public Policy*, 3<sup>rd</sup> edition, edited by Melvin Dubnick and Domonic Bearfield, New York: Taylor & Francis, published online, 1-5. [DOI: 10.1081/E-EPAP3-120053772](https://doi.org/10.1081/E-EPAP3-120053772).
4. **Wang, Wen**. 2015. The Great Recession and the Use of Fund Balances in North Carolina Counties. In *Local Government Budget Stabilization: Explorations and Evidence*, edited by Yilin Hou, New York: Springer, 17-32. [DOI: 10.1007/978-3-319-15186-1](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-15186-1).
5. **Wang, Wen**, Yilin Hou, and William Duncombe. 2013. Appendix 10, Pay-As-You-Go Financing and Its Impact on Capital Outlay Volatility, in *Government Budget Stabilization over the Economic Cycle: Policy, Tools and Impacts*, Yilin Hou, New York: Springer, 248-272. [DOI: 10.1007/978-1-4614-6061-9](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-1-4614-6061-9).
6. **Wang, Wen**. 2008. State Aids and Their Impact on School Funding in the U.S.: Implications for China. In *Public Finance and Government Reform (Gonggong Caizheng Yu Zhengfu Gaige)*, edited by Chunkui Zhu, Yilin Hou, and Jun Ma, Shanghai: Shanghai People's Publishing House, 96-114, (in Chinese).
7. **Wang, Wen**. 2004. Appendix C, A Guide to State Building Aid Programs for Elementary and Secondary Education. In *Helping Children Left Behind: State Aid and the Pursuit of Educational Equity*, edited by John Yinger, Cambridge, MA: MIT Press, 353-366.

### ***Book Review***

8. **Wang, Wen**. 2013. Improving the Capacity to Govern Based on Rules in China, Book Review for *Ten Principles for a Rule-Ordered Society: Enhancing China's Governing Capacity*, written by Shui-Yan Tang, Beijing: China Economic Publishing House, 2012. *Public Administration Review*, 73(5): 771-774. [DOI: 10.1111/puar.12107](https://doi.org/10.1111/puar.12107).

### ***Symposium Editor's Introduction***

9. **Wang, Wen.** 2009. Introduction to the Symposium on Public Finance and Taxation Reform in China, *Journal of Public Administration (Gonggong Xingzheng Pinglun)*, No. 2: 33-35, (in Chinese).

### ***Consulting or Contract Research Report***

10. Gong, Ting, **Wen Wang**, Thomas Johnson, Ying Liu, and Ian Scott. 2010. *Study of Corruption Risks Faced by Small and Medium Enterprises Operating in the Pearl River Delta Region*, project report for Independent Council Against Corruption (ICAC), Hong Kong SAR Government, China.

### **MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW**

1. Zhao, Bo and **Wen Wang**. Transparency in State Debt Disclosure.
2. **Wang, Wen**, Alfred M. Wu, and Fangzhi Ye. Land Use Reforms: Towards Sustainable Development in China (chapter for a Springer book).

### **RESEARCH IN PROGRESS**

1. Shon, Jongmin and **Wen Wang**. Managing Fiscal Slack: An Analysis of California County Governments' Unreserved Fund Balances.
2. Nguyen-Hoang, Phuong, **Wen Wang**, and John Yinger. The Impact of School Capital on Student Performance.
3. **Wang, Wen** and Zhirong Zhao. Has Minnesota Spent Too Much on Roads?
4. **Wang, Wen** and Yonghong Wu. Why Are We Lagging Behind? An Empirical Analysis of Capital Spending in U.S. Cities.
5. **Wang, Wen**, Ping Zhang and Yilin Hou. Building Subnational Counter-cyclical Fiscal Capacity: Testing Its Performance in the Last Three Recessions.
6. Noonan, Douglas and **Wen Wang**. Sustainably Financing Local Public Safety.
7. **Wang, Wen**, Pengju Zhang and Joyce Y. Man. Local Fiscal Autonomy and the Pattern of Public Spending in China.

### **GRANTS AND CONTRACTS**

1. Sustainably Financing Local Public Safety, funded by Charles G. Koch Charitable Foundation, 2016-2017, US\$112,102. Co-Principal Investigator.

2. How does Minnesota Really Compare in Transportation Funding? A Comparative Study of the 50 States, funded by the Center for Transportation Studies, the University of Minnesota, 2015-2016, US\$9,000. Principal Investigator.
3. Soft Budget Constraint and Economic Growth: The Logic of Local Government Behaviors in China, funded by Indiana University International Partnership Development Fund, 2015, US\$3,000. Co-Principal Investigator.
4. Cost Function Analysis of State of Nevada Elementary and Secondary School Finance System, funded by the Lincy Institute at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, 2014, US\$30,000, Co-Principal Investigator.
5. Collaborative Research: Fiscal Slack and Budget Stability-A Spatial Analysis of U.S. Local Governments, grant proposal submitted to National Science Foundation (NSF) but not funded, 2013, US\$229,096, Co-Principal Investigator.
6. City University of Hong Kong Start-up grant, "Subnational Counter-cyclical Capacity: U.S. State and Local Governments' Options in Face of Economic Downturn," 2011, HK\$97,654, Principal Investigator.
7. Hong Kong General Research Fund (GRF), "Demarcating the Responsibilities of Government across Tiers in China: Reform Discourse, Change Processes, and Significance," 2010, HK\$919,632, Co-Principal Investigator.
8. City University of Hong Kong CHASS grant, "Restructuring Intergovernmental Fiscal Relations in China: the Equity and Adequacy of Compulsory Education Finance," 2010, HK\$59,828, Principal Investigator.
9. City University of Hong Kong SRG grant, "Demarcating the Responsibilities of Government across Tiers in China: A Preliminary Study," 2009, HK\$160,000, Co-Principal Investigator.
10. The Independent Council Against Corruption (ICAC) project, "Corruption Risks Faced by the Hong Kong Small- and Medium-sized Enterprises Operating in the Pearl River Delta Region," 2009, HK\$499,974, Co-Principal Investigator.
11. Research Start-up Fund, University of South Carolina, 2008, US\$10,000.
12. Summer Research Stipend, Department of Political Science, East Carolina University, 2007, US\$5,162.
13. University Research Start-up Fund, East Carolina University, 2006, US\$13,286.

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

Wang, Wen and Yonghong Wu. Why Are We Lagging Behind? An Empirical Analysis of Municipal Capital Spending in United States. 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Urban Affairs Association (UAA), Minneapolis, MN, April 19-22, 2017.

Wang, Wen and Yonghong Wu. Why Are We Lagging Behind? An Empirical Analysis of Municipal Capital Spending in United States. 59<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Western Social Science Association (WSSA) Wang, Wen and Yonghong Wu. Why Are We Lagging Behind? An Empirical Analysis of Municipal Capital Spending in United States. 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Urban Affairs Association (UAA), Minneapolis, MN, April 19-22, 2017., San Francisco, CA, April 12-15, 2017.

Wang, Wen and Yonghong Wu. Why Are We Lagging Behind? An Empirical Analysis of Capital Spending in U.S. Cities. 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Seattle, WA, October 6-8, 2016.

Guo, Hai (David) and Wen Wang. A Spatial Analysis of Florida County Governments' Unreserved General Fund Balances. International Workshop on Public Finance and Governance, Chengdu, China, June 18-19, 2016.

Guo, Hai (David) and Wen Wang. Fiscal Sustainability: A Close Look at Florida Local Governments' Unreserved Fund Balance. 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of International Research Society for Public Management (IRSPM), Hong Kong, April 13-15, 2016.

Wang, Wen and Joyce Y. Man. Fiscal Decentralization, Political Leaders, and Public Service Delivery: An Analysis of Prefectural Cities in China. 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Urban Affairs Association (UAA), San Diego, CA, March 16-19, 2016.

Zhao, Bo and Wen Wang. Transparency in State Debt Disclosure: Unintended Consequences of GASB 44. 108<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the National Tax Association (NTA), Boston, MA, November 19-21, 2015.

Wang, Wen and Anna Lukemeyer. Adequacy and Equity in Nevada School Funding: A School-level, Cost Function Analysis. 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Washington D.C., October 1-3, 2015.

Wang, Wen and Fangzhi Ye. The Political Economy of Land Finance in China. International Symposium on Land Public Finance, Local Debt and Economic Growth in China, organized by the Research Center for Chinese Politics and Business at Indiana University, IU Gateway Office, Beijing, China, July 17, 2015.

Wang, Wen and Fangzhi Ye. The Fiscal and Political Incentives of Land Finance in China. 90<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Western Economic Association International, Honolulu, Hawaii, June 28-July 2, 2015.



Wu, Yan and Wen Wang. Assessing the Experimenting Strategies: Two Approaches of Province-Managing-County Reform in China. International Conference on Innovation, Institution, and Governance, Fudan University, Shanghai, China, May 25-26, 2015.

Wang, Wen, and Fangzhi Ye. The Fiscal and Political Incentives of Land Finance in China. Symposium on Local Government Innovation, Southwestern University of Finance and Economics, Chengdu, China, May 24, 2015.

Wang, Wen. The Effects of Political and Fiscal Incentives on Local Government Behavior: An Analysis of Fiscal Slack Holdings in China. Annual Conference of the American Society for Public Administration (ASPA), Chicago, IL, March 6-10, 2015.

Zhao, Bo and Wen Wang. Transparency in Public Debt Disclosure: The Determinants of Undisclosed Debt in U.S. States. Financing Local Investments within a Sustainable Development Strategy for P.R. China, Sun Yat-sen University, Guangzhou, China, January 9-10, 2015.

Zhao, Bo and Wen Wang. Transparency in Public Debt Disclosure: The Determinants of Undisclosed Debt in U.S. States. Annual Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM), Albuquerque, NM, November 6-8, 2014.

Zhao, Bo and Wen Wang. The Impact of Economic, Fiscal, and Political Factors on State Debt Disclosure. 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Grand Rapids, MI, October 2-4, 2014.

Wang, Wen. Great Recession and Responses to the Crisis in North Carolina Counties. 106<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the National Tax Association (NTA), Tampa Bay, FL, November 21-23, 2013.

Guo, Hai (David) and Wen Wang. Fiscal Sustainability: A Close Look at Florida Local Governments' Unreserved Fund Balance. 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Washington D.C., October 3-5, 2013.

Wang, Wen. Great Recession and Responses to the Crisis in North Carolina Counties. 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Washington D.C., October 3-5, 2013.

Wang, Wen. The Political Economy of Fiscal Slack Holdings by Localities in a Fast-Growing Economy – Evidence from Chinese Prefectural Government, Improving Chinese Public Service: Theories and Empirical Evidence Workshop, Hong Kong, April 18-19, 2013.

Wang, Wen and Fangzhi Ye. Determinants of Land Finance in China: An Analysis Based on Multilevel Panel Data Model. 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference of the Urban Affairs Association (UAA), San Francisco, April 3-6, 2013.

Hou, Yilin, Wen Wang and Ping Zhang. Counter-cyclical Fiscal Policy and Capacity Revisited: Its Performance in the Great Recession. 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), New York City, October 11-13, 2012.

Zhang, Weiwen, Wen Wang, Xuewen Li, and Fangzhi Ye. Farmland Protection and Economic Development: An Assessment of Rewarded Land Conversion Quotas Trading in Zhejiang, China. 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), New York City, October 11-13, 2012.

Hou, Yilin, Wen Wang and Ping Zhang. Defining Subnational Counter-cyclical Fiscal Capacity: Testing Its Average Effects and Performance in the Great Recession. The 6<sup>th</sup> Sino-US Public Administration International Symposium, Beijing, June 5-6, 2012.

Zhang, Weiwen, Fangzhi Ye, Xuewen Li, and Wen Wang. Farmland Protection and Economic Development: An Assessment of Transferable Land Quota Trading in Zhejiang, China. The 3<sup>rd</sup> International Symposium of Chinese Public Administration Scholars, Jinan, Shandong, June 1-3, 2012.

Hou, Yilin, Wen Wang and Ping Zhang. Defining Subnational Counter-cyclical Fiscal Capacity: Testing Its Average Effects and Performance in the Great Recession. Public Management Research Conference (PMRC), Shanghai, May 25-27, 2012.

Wang, Wen and Yilin Hou. Pay-as-You-Go Financing and Its Impact on Capital Outlay Volatility, Workshop on Local Government Debt, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, Shanghai, China, May 19, 2012.

Wang, Wen and Zhirong Zhao. The Equality of Funding for China's Basic Education: An Analysis Based on National County-level Data. Annual Conference of the American Society of Public Administration (ASPA), Las Vegas, March 2-6, 2012.

Wang, Wen and Zhirong Zhao. The Equality of Funding for China's Basic Education: An Analysis Based on National County-level Data. Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Washington D.C., October 13-15, 2011.

Zhao, Zhirong and Wen Wang. State Capital Grants, Local Option Sales Tax, and School Capital Outlay Disparities. Annual Conference of Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Washington D.C., October 13-15, 2011.

Wu, Yan and Wen Wang. Does Participatory Budgeting Improve the Legitimacy of the Local Government? A Comparative Case Study of Two Cities in China. China-Australia Dialogue Workshop, Guangzhou, China, June 15-17, 2011.

Wang, Wen and Zhirong Zhao. The Equality of Funding for China's Basic Education: An Analysis Based on National County-level Data. Barometer of China's Development: Potential in Research for China Studies, a workshop organized by Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, May 27-29, 2011.

Ma, Jun, Wen Wang and Zhiping Mou. Agencies' Development and Use of Performance Information in Budgeting: The Case of Guangzhou Municipality in China. The Annual Conference of American Society of Public Administration (ASPA), Baltimore, Maryland, March 11-15, 2011.

Wang, Wen, Xinye Zheng and Zhirong Zhao. Province-Managing-County Reform and Its Impact on Education Expenditures in China: Evidence from Henan Province. The Pre-ABFM Symposium on China Studies, Omaha, Nebraska, October 6, 2010.

Zhao, Zhirong and Wen Wang. State Capital Grants, Local Option Sales Tax, and Disparities in School Capital Outlays: Decomposing the Inequality Measures. Annual Conference of Western Social Science Association (WSSA), Reno, Nevada, April 14-17, 2010.

Wang, Wen. Regional Disparities in School Funding in China-A Provincial-Level Analysis. Annual Conference of American Society for Public Administration (ASPA), San Jose, California, April 9-13, 2010.

Wang, Wen and Yilin Hou. Fund Balance Policy and Counter-Cyclical Expenditure Stabilization: Evidence from North Carolina Local Governments. Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Washington D.C., September 24-26, 2009.

Wang, Wen and Zhirong Zhao. Local Option Sales Tax and Disparity in Funding for Public School Facilities: Evidence from North Carolina. Annual Conference of Western Social Science Association (WSSA), Albuquerque, NM, April 15-18, 2009.

Wang, Wen. The Development of the Study of Public Administration: from the Perspective of Education Finance and Policy Research. The International Conference on the Disciplinary Boundary and Research Paradigm of Public Administration at Xia'men University in Xiamen, China, December 15-16, 2008.

Wang, Wen. China's Education Finance Reform and Spatial Inequality in School Funding. The International Symposium on the Remaking of Chinese Administrative State since the 1978 Reform, Guangzhou, China, December 12-14, 2008.

Wang, Wen and Zhirong Zhao. Local Option Sales Tax and Disparity in Funding for Public School Facilities: Evidence from North Carolina. Annual Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management (APPAM), Los Angeles CA, November 6-8, 2008.

Wang, Wen and Zhirong Zhao. The Effects of China's Tax-for-Fee Reform on China's Rural Education: for Better or Worse? Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Chicago IL, October 23-25, 2008.

Wang, Wen. Local Option Sales Tax and Disparity in Funding for Public School Facilities: Evidence from North Carolina. Annual Conference of Western Social Science Association (WSSA), Denver CO, April 23-26, 2008.

Wang, Wen and Yilin Hou. Pay-As-You-Go Financing and Its Effects on the Cyclical Stability of State Capital Outlays. Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Washington D.C., October 25-27, 2007.

Wang, Wen. Intergovernmental Grant and Disparities in School Funding in the U.S.: Implications for China. The International Conference on Public Finance and Government Reform, Shanghai, China, June 2-3, 2007.

Wang, Wen and Yilin Hou. Pay-Go Financing of Capital Projects and Its Effects on Cyclical Stability of State Budgets. Annual Conference of Western Social Science Association (WSSA), Calgary, Alberta, April 11-14, 2007.

Wang, Wen and William Duncombe. School Facilities Funding and Capital Outlay Distribution in the States. Annual Conference of American Education Finance Association (AEFA), Baltimore, MD, March 22-24, 2007.

Wang, Wen, William Duncombe and John Yinger. School District Responses to Building Aid in New York State. Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Atlanta, GA, October 19-21, 2006.

Wang, Wen and Yilin Hou. Determinants of Pay-As-You-Go Financing of Capital Projects: Evidence from the States. Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Washington D.C, November 10-12, 2005.

Wang, Wen and William Duncombe and John Yinger. Financing Bricks and Mortar: State Building Aid and School District Response. Annual Conference of the Association for Budgeting and Financial Management (ABFM), Chicago, IL, October 7-9, 2004.

## **INVITED PRESENTATIONS**

2015. The Fiscal and Political Incentives of Land Finance in China, Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China, January 6.

2012. Capital Budgeting and Capital Financing, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, Shanghai, China, May 23.

2012. The Determinants of Sub-provincial Fiscal Decentralization: An Empirical Analysis on China, Universities Service Center for China Studies, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, May 16. (with Alfred M. Wu).

2010. Financing Basic Education: A Comparative Perspective, Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, Shanghai, China, December 25.

2010. Debt Financing in the U.S., Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China, June 8.

2010. Education Finance Reforms in the U.S., Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China, June 4.

2010. Climate Change Levy in the U.K., Tsinghua University, Beijing, China, May 20.

2010. Rural Tax Reforms and Compulsory Education Finance in China, Universities Service Center for China Studies, Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, May 18. (with Zhirong Jerry Zhao).

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCES**

### ***Courses Taught:***

Rutgers University-Newark

- Public Budgeting Systems (MPA)

Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis, 2013-2016

- SPEA-V 526 Financial Management for Nonprofit Organizations (MPA)
- SPEA-V 560 Public Finance and Budgeting (MPA)
- SPEA-V 372 Government Finance and Budgets (undergraduate)

City University of Hong Kong, 2009-2013

- SA8612, Social Research: Design and Methods (PhD)
- SA6302, Public Budgeting and Management of Financial Resources (MAPPM)
- SA3307, Managing Financial Resources in the Public Sector (undergraduate)
- SA3318, Managing Financial Resources in the Public & Private Sectors (undergraduate)

University of South Carolina, 2008-2009

- POLI778T, Financial Management in Public and Nonprofit Organization (MPA)
- POLI778U, State and Local Public Finance (MPA)
- POLI371, Politics of Taxing and Spending (undergraduate)

East Carolina University, 2006-2008

- PADM6100, Politics and Management in Public Agencies (MPA)
- PADM6120, Public Budgeting and Finance (MPA)
- PADM6900, MPA Professional Paper Seminar (MPA)

Syracuse University, 2002-2006

- PPA721, Introduction to Statistics (MPA)
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### ***Editorial Board Member***

- *Journal of Public Budgeting, Accounting, and Financial Management*
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- *Administration & Society*
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- *Economic Letters*
- *Governance*
- *International Review of Administrative Sciences*
- *Journal of Geography and Regional Planning*
- *Journal of Public Budgeting, Accounting and Financial Management*
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- *Journal of Regional Science*
- *Journal of Transport and Land Use*
- *Municipal Finance Journal*
- *Public Administration Review*
- *Public Budgeting and Finance*
- *Public Finance and Management*
- *Public Finance Review*
- *Public Performance and Management Review*
- *Public Works Management and Policy*
- *Publius: The Journal of Federalism*
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- SPAA Research Committee (RU)
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- Co-founder, and President, China-America Association for Public Affairs (CAAPA).
- Conference organizer and panel chair, International Workshop on Public Finance and Governance, Chengdu, China, June 18-19, 2016.
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- Guest editor, Symposium on Public Finance After the Crisis: Asia, *Public Finance and Management*, 2013-2014.
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- Panel chair and discussant, The 3<sup>rd</sup> Cross-Strait Ph.D. Forum on Civil Society and Governance in Greater China, Guangzhou, China, November 24-25, 2012.
- Panel discussant, The 6<sup>th</sup> Sino-US Public Administration International Symposium, Beijing, China, June 5-6, 2012.
- Panel discussant, The 3<sup>rd</sup> International Symposium of Chinese Public Administration Scholars, Jinan, China, June 1-3, 2012.
- Panel chair and discussant, The 2<sup>nd</sup> Cross-Strait Ph.D. Forum on Dilemmas of Governance: Problems, Cases, and Reflections, Hong Kong, March 23-24, 2012.
- Panel organizer, Panel on Education Finance in China and the U.S., Annual Conference of the American Society for Public Administration (ASPA), Las Vegas, March 2-6, 2012.
- Panel organizer, Panel on Local Government Fiscal Risks and Intergovernmental Fiscal Relations in China, Annual Conference of the American Society for Public Administration (ASPA), Las Vegas, March 2-6, 2012.
- Panel chair and discussant, The 1<sup>st</sup> Cross-Strait Ph.D. Forum, Guangzhou, China, April 8-11, 2011.
- Panel discussant, The Pre-ABFM Symposium on China Studies, Omaha, Nebraska, October 6, 2010.
- Guest editor, Symposium on Public Finance Reforms in China, *Journal of Public Administration*, No. 2, 2009.
- Panel chair, annual conference of Western Social Science Association, Denver, April 24, 2008

- Panel discussant, annual conference of Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM), Washington D.C., November 10, 2007

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