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Education

- 2013-2019** **University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas**
 Ph.D. in Communication Studies
- Dissertation: “She did not come out, but we’ve come to terms”--family reconciliation of challenged expectations when a young adult child is gender and sexual minority/tongzhi: multiple perspectives”
 - Committee: Dr. Madeline Maxwell (Chair), Dr. Anita Vangelisti, Dr. Erin Donovan, Dr. Lauren Gulbas
 - 2020 National Communication Association Sandra Petronio Family Communication Dissertation Award
 - Inclusive Classroom Graduate Seminar Certificate
- 2010-2012** **Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas**
 M.A. in Applied Linguistics; graduated with Highest Distinction
- Certificate of Teaching English in International Contexts
 - Certificate of Cross-Cultural Teaching Strategies Graduate Seminar
- Summer 2010** **Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio**
 Certificate of SPEAC (Summer Programs East Asian Concentration)-Training Programs for Teachers of Chinese
- 2006-2007** **University of Washington, Seattle, Washington**
 Undergraduate Exchange Program - Comparative Literature
- Completed with High Scholar Award
 - Exchange Program Best Student Scholarship
- 2003-2007** **National Sun Yat-Sen University, Kaohsiung, Taiwan**
 B.A. in Foreign Languages and Literature

Academic Employment

- 2021-present** **Project Assistant Professor, The College of Public Health, Global Health Program, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan**
 2022 Fall (III-I)
- Lead instructor:
 - Critical Thinking in Academic Writing and Oral Presentation
 - Co instructor:
 - Introduction to Global Health Science
 - Social and Behavioral Foundations of Health and Health Care
 - Globalization and Social Determinants of Health
 - COVID-19 Pandemic : Science, Response and Future Prospects
 - Gender and Health
 - Social and Behavioral Sciences Research Methods
 - Health Social Science

2022 Spring (110-2)

- Lead instructor:
 - Health Communication and Public Health Advocacy
 - English Academic Writing and Oral Presentation
- Co instructor of
 - Cultural Competence in Global Health: Perspectives and Practices
 - Seminar in Global Health
 - Global Health Doctoral Seminar
 - Principle and Application in Health Research Methods
 - Applied Qualitative Methods in Global Health

2021 Fall (110-1)

- Co instructor:
 - Introduction to Global Health Science
 - Social and Behavioral Foundations of Health and Health Care
 - Globalization and Social Determinants of Health
 - COVID-19 Pandemic : Science, Response and Future Prospects
 - Global Health Law and Ethics

- 2021-2022** **Adjunct Assistant Professor**, Arete Honors Program and the Institute of Communication Studies, National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University, Hsin-Chu, Taiwan
 2022 Fall (110-2): Co-instructor in Classic Readings in Humanities
 2021 Fall (110-1): Lead instructor in Speech Communication and self presentation
- 2019-2021** **Adjunct Assistant Professor**, College of Business and the Department of Applied Linguistics and Language Studies, Chung Yuan Christian University, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- 2018 -2021** **Regional Expert**, Franklin & Marshall Global Barometer of Gay Rights/ Transgender Rights (F&M GBGR/GBTR), Franklin & Marshall College
- 2014-2019** **Teaching Assistant**, CMS S354 Conflict Resolution (web-based), Department of Communication Studies, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas
Assistant Instructor, CMS 314L Language, Communication, and Culture, Department of Communication Studies, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas
Teaching Assistant, CMS 371K Practicum in Conflict Mediation, Department of Communication Studies, The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas
- 2016-2017** **Instructor**, Indonesia-Taiwan PhD Government-Sponsored Bridging Program, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- 2012-2016** **Instructor**, Department of Applied Linguistics & Language Studies and The Office of International Affairs, College of Business and Language Center, Chung Yuan Christian University, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- 2012 Summer** **Instructor**, International Teaching Assistant Workshop, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas
- 2010-2012** **Graduate Instructor**, Department of Classical and Modern Languages and Literatures,

Academic Publications

- Zhang, W. H., **Jhang, J.**, & Greenwell, M. R. (R&R). Effects of replay and rehearsal expressive writing with mental health concerns: A randomized control trial. *Journal of Mental Health*. (SSCI: Social Sciences Citation Index)
- Jhang, J.** & Wu, C. H. (2022). 'Keywording Taiwan': Report of the 26th North American Taiwan Studies Association Annual Conference, Online, 20-21 May 2021. *International Journal of Taiwan Studies*. (ESCI: Emerging Sources Citation Index)
- Jhang, J.** (2020). Examining Cultural Discourses in Taiwanese Gender and Sexual Minority/Tongzhi Family-of-Origin Relationships. *Cross-Currents: East Asian History and Culture Review*, 9(1), 146-179.
- Jhang, J.** (2019). "She did not come out, but we've come to terms" -- Family reconciliation of challenged expectations when a young adult child is gender and sexual minority/tongzhi: Multiple perspectives. Unpublished doctoral dissertation. University of Texas at Austin.
- Jhang, J.** (2018b). Scaffolding in family relationships: A grounded theory of coming out to family. *Family Relations*. 67(1), 161-175. DOI: 10.1111/fare.12302 (SSCI: Social Sciences Citation Index)
- Jhang, J.** (2018a). [Review of *Celebrity health narratives and the public health*, by Christina S. Beck, Stellina M.A. Chapman, Nathaniel Simmons, Kelly E. Tenzek and Stephanie M. Ruhl]. *Health Communication*, 33(2), 225-228. DOI: 10.1080/10410236.2016.1250193 (SSCI: Social Sciences Citation Index)
- Bock, M. J., Pain, P., & **Jhang, J.** (2017). Covering Nipples: News Discourse and the Politics and Framing of Breastfeeding. *Feminist Media Studies*. 19(1), 53-69. DOI: 10.1080/14680777.2017.1313754 (SSCI: Social Sciences Citation Index)

Current research projects

Reproductive rights & women's health:

- **Jhang, J.** (2022). Female same-sex couples and single women's reproductive health research (NTU IRB: 202205HS001) (in preparation to be submit to the Ministry of Science and Technology as an individual proposal)
- **Jhang, J.** (2022). Double marginalization in assisted reproductive rights for low SES lesbians. Paper to be presented in the Annual Conference on Asian Studies (ACAS), Olomouc, Czech Republic (hybrid), November 25–26, 2022.
- **Jhang, J.** (2022). Pregnant women's experiences during COVID-19 and accompanying infodemic. Paper to be presented at The 2022 Taiwan Society for Medical Anthropology Conference. Taipei, Taiwan, November 12-13, 2022.

- **Jhang, J., & Lee, P. H. (2022).** Gendering the Pandemic: Precarious Women's Care Labour and Health Disparity. Paper to be presented at the 2022 Taiwan Feminist Scholars Association Conference. Taipei, Taiwan, October 1, 2022.
- **Jhang, J. (2022).** Reproductive Disparities: Female same-sex couples in Taiwan. Taiwan-UK Sex/Gender/Sexuality Minorities Health Research Network Conference (hybrid), July, 16, 2022.
- **Jhang, J. (2022).** Minority stress of the multiply marginalized: Policy denial and economic exclusion of low SES same-sex couples access to assisted reproductive technology (ART) in Taiwan. North American Taiwan Studies Association (NATSA) annual conference. Washington, DC. July 8-10, 2022.
- **Jhang, J. (2022).** Imagining multiple families, and uncoupling marriage and reproduction — the reproductive rights of female same-sex couples and single women in Taiwan. Population Association of Taiwan 2022 Annual Conference, Taipei, Taiwan, May, 14, 2022.

Mental health & interpersonal health:

- **Jhang, J. (2022).** Anti-Asian Racism in the US and Taiwanese International graduate students' mental health (NTU IRB: 202205HS052)
- **Zhang, W. H., Jhang, J., & Greenwell, M. R. (R&R).** Effects of replay and rehearsal expressive writing with mental health concerns: A randomized control trial. *Journal of Mental Health.* (SSCI: Social Sciences Citation Index)
- **Jhang, J. (2022).** Making Taiwan in family conflicts -- the model of scaffolding family reconciliation. World Congress of Taiwan Studies. Seattle, Washington, June 27-29, 2022.

Health risk perception and communication:

- **Chang, L. I., & Jhang, J. (2022).** Health risk perception: in climate change food safety (in preparation to submit to Ministry of Science and Technology as a part of an integrated proposal).
- **Jhang, J., & Hsu, H. H., (2022).** Health risk perception of microplastics among Taiwanese university students. Paper submitted to the Asian Regional Organization of the Society of Risk Analysis Conference, Seoul, Korea, November 18-19, 2022.

Awards, Research Fundings, and Honors

2022	Project Assistant Professor Teaching Excellence Grant, Center for Teaching and Learning Developments, National Taiwan University
2020	Sandra Petronio Family Communication Dissertation Award, National Communication Association
2019	Doctoral Honors Seminar (competitively selected), National Communication Association, July 21-24, 2019.
2019	Program Director Scholarship, North America Taiwan Studies Association
2018	Scholarship, Global Island: Taiwan and the World workshop, 2018 University of Washington, Taiwan Studies Program
2018	Travel funding to The National Conference on Dialogue & Deliberation Conference
2017	National Communication Association Student Caucus Travel Award, 2017 National Communication Association Annual Conference

- 2017** **Student Travel Grant, 2017 International Communication Association Preconference—**
Digital Asia: Recent Research and Practice. San Diego, CA.
- 2016** **Health Communication Scholar Program Research Grant, Moody College of**
Communication, University of Texas at Austin
- 2016** **Outstanding Ph.D. Student of the Year, Department of Communication Studies,**
University of Texas at Austin
- 2015** **Top Student Paper Award in the Language and Social Interaction Division,**
National Communication Association Annual Conference
- 2015** **National Communication Association Student Caucus Travel Award (The LGBTQ**
Caucus), National Communication Association Annual Conference
- 2014-2015** **Graduate School Continuing Scholarship, \$5,000. University of Texas at Austin**
- 2013-2014** **The Pic-Wagner Fellowship, University of Texas at Austin**
- 2010-2012** **Full Scholarship Grantee, Alliance for Language Learning and Educational Exchange**
(ALLEX) Scholarship Program
- 2007** **Top Exchange Students Grant, National Sun Yat-Sen University**

Research Engagement

- 2021-Present** **Researcher, Mental Health Association in Taiwan**
- 2021-Present** **Researcher, Taiwan-UK Sex/Gender/Sexuality Minorities Health Research Network**
(TUSHRN) Taskforce
- 2021-2022** **Selected invitee, Ministry of Science and Technology, the Graduate Institute for the**
Humanities and Social Sciences Knowledge, Society, and Future: Transdisciplinary Young
Scholar Forum
- 2020** **Selected invitee, Risk Society and Policy Research Center (RSPRC), National Taiwan**
University Participatory workshop on future-oriented governance
- 2016-2019** **Researcher, The Health Communication Scholar Program, Department of Asian Studies,**
University of Texas at Austin
- 2015-2017** **Researcher, The News as Cultural (NAC) Research Group, School of Journalism, University**
of Texas at Austin
- 2012-2013** **Research Assistant, Interdisciplinary Project on Computational Linguistics and**
Chinese Dialectics, Chang Gung University, Taipei, Taiwan

Conference Papers

- Jhang, J. (2022).** Double marginalization in assisted reproductive rights for low SES lesbians. Paper to be presented in the Annual Conference on Asian Studies (ACAS), Olomouc, Czech Republic (hybrid), November 25–26, 2022.
- Jhang, J. (2022).** Pregnant women's experiences during COVID-19 and accompanying infodemic. Paper to be presented at The 2022 Taiwan Society for Medical Anthropology Conference. Taipei, Taiwan, November 12-13, 2022.
- Jhang, J., & Lee, P. H. (2022).** Gendering the Pandemic: Precarious Women's Care Labour and Health Disparity. Paper to be presented at the 2022 Taiwan Feminist Scholars Association Conference. Taipei, Taiwan, October 1, 2022.
- Fell, D., Peng, Y. W., Wang, Y. H., & Jhang, J. (2022).** How do movement parties learn lessons of defeat in Taiwan? The case of the Green Party Taiwan. European Association of Chinese Studies (EACS). Olomouc, Czech Republic. August 24-27, 2022.
- Fell, D., Peng, Y. W., Wang, Y. H., & Jhang, J. (2022)** Taiwan's Green Party Diplomacy: Origins, Evolution and Impact. European Association of Taiwan Studies (EATS). Cyprus, 6-8 April 2022.
- Jhang, J. (2022).** Reproductive Disparities: Female same-sex couples in Taiwan. Taiwan-UK Sex/Gender/Sexuality Minorities Health Research Network Conference (hybrid), July, 16, 2022.
- Jhang, J. (2022).** Minority stress of the multiply marginalized: Policy denial and economic exclusion of low SES same-sex couples access to assisted reproductive technology (ART) in Taiwan. North American Taiwan Studies Association (NATSA) annual conference. Washington, DC. July 8-10, 2022.
- Jhang, J. (2022).** Making Taiwan in family conflicts -- the model of scaffolding family reconciliation. World Congress of Taiwan Studies. Seattle, Washington, June 27-29, 2022.
- Jhang, J. (2022).** Imagining multiple families, and uncoupling marriage and reproduction — the reproductive rights of female same-sex couples and single women in Taiwan. Population Association of Taiwan 2022 Annual Conference, Taipei, Taiwan, May, 14, 2022.
- Jhang, J. (2021).** Panel: Toward a Global Agenda for Interpersonal Communication Research and Pedagogy. National Communication Association. Seattle, Washington, (participated online). November 18-21, 2021.
- Jhang, J. (2021).** The Gendered Bargaining with Patriarchy in Post-marriage Equality Taiwan. The 26th North American Taiwan Studies Association conference. Irvine, California, May 20-21, 2021.
- Greenwell, M. R., Jhang, J., & Zhang, W. H. (2019).** Expressive writing and imagined interaction on mental health (Poster). Mental Health & Health Communication Symposium. Austin, Texas, February 21, 2019.
- Jhang, J., Greenwell, M. R., & Zhang, W. H. (2018).** Exploring themes in expressive writing responses.

The 2017 Annual Conference of the National Communication Association.
Salt Lake City, Utah, November 8-11, 2018.

- Greenwell, M., **Jhang, J.**, Zhang, W., Soibelman, D.R. (2018). Exploring Themes Present in Expressive Writing Responses Related to Mental Health. National Communication Association, Mental Health Communication Roundtable.
- Zhang, W. H. , **Jhang, J.**, Greenwell, M. R. (2018). Preliminary analysis: Effects of rehearsal and replay expressive writing on mental health (Poster). The American Public Health Association Conference. San Diego, California, November 10-14, 2018.
- Maxwell, M. M., & **Jhang, J.** (2018). Talking past each other from different ideologies - Analysis and solutions (Workshop). The National Conference on Dialogue & Deliberation Conference, Denver, Colorado, November 2-4, 2018.
- Jhang, J.** (2018). Rethinking family maintenance in challenged expectations, Global Island: Taiwan and the World Workshop. University of Washington, Taiwan Studies Program, Oct, 18-19, 2018.
- Jhang, J.** (2017e). A narrative analysis of LGB individuals' life changes around coming out in family The 2017 Annual Conference of the National Communication Association. Dallas, Texas, November 15-19, 2017.
- Jhang, J.** (2017d). Communicative management of the stigma in non-monogamous relationships in mediated contexts. The 2017 Annual Conference of the National Communication Association. Dallas, Texas, November 15-19, 2017.
- Jhang, J.** (2017c). "Sorry I have not come out yet": A narrative analysis of LGB individuals' life changes around coming out in family. The 2017 Annual Conference of the Chinese Communication Society, Taipei, Taiwan, June 24-25, 2017.
- Jhang, J.** (2017b). Digitally powered movement and countermovement of marriage equality in Taiwan. The 2017 International Communication Association Preconference: Digital Asia: Recent Research and Practice, San Diego, CA, May 25-29, 2017.
- Jhang, J.** (2017a). Marriage equality movement and countermovement on social media— How online interactions contribute to the social movement of marriage equality in Taiwan. The 2017 Annual Conflict Conference, Austin, Texas, April 7-9, 2017.
- Bock, A, M., Pain, P., & **Jhang, J.** (2016d). Covering Nipple: News Discourse and the Politics and Framing of Breastfeeding. The National Communication Association 2016 Annual Conference, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, November 8-13, 2016.
- Jhang, J.** (2016c). When coming out does not make you out: A grounded theory of coming out to family for Taiwanese LGB individuals. The Annual Conference of The Chinese Communication Society, Chiayi, Taiwan, June 17-19, 2016.
- Jhang, J.** (2016b). Examining the LGBTQ issues in Taiwan with Critical Discourse Analysis: The power of heteronormativity, homonormativity, and compulsory marriage. The International

Communication Association 2016 Annual Conference, Fukuoka, Japan, June 9-13, 2016.

Bock, A. M., Pain, P., & **Jhang, J.** (2016a). Covering the Nipple: News Discourse and the Politics and Framing of Breastfeeding. The 3rd Conflict Conference, Austin, Texas, April 8-9, 2016.

Jhang, J.(2015h). Coming out to mom and the world: Live coming out videos on YouTube. The National Communication Association 2015 Annual Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada, November 19-22, 2015.

Jhang, J. (2015g). Model of functional ambiguity- A new approach to framing relational dialectics. The National Communication Association 2015 Annual Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada, November 19-22, 2015.

Jhang, J. (2015f). Neither good nor bad, neither new nor old—Coming out news delivery sequences. **Top Paper Award.** The National Communication Association 2015 Annual Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada, November 19-22, 2015.

Jhang, J. (2015e). Examining LGBTQ issues in Taiwan with Critical Discourse Analysis: The Power of Heteronormativity, Homonormativity, and Compulsory Marriage. Seminar: Critical Discourse Studies in Communication: Embracing Opportunities for Research and Pedagogy. The National Communication Association 2015 Annual Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada, November 19-22, 2015.

Jhang, J. (2015d). Staying close afar – Building a model of functional ambiguity. The 2015 Annual Conference of the Chinese Communication Society, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, July 3-5, 2015.

Jhang, J. (2015c). Persuasive messages processing of the conflict of same-sex marriage in Taiwan. The International Communication Association 2015 Annual Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico, May 21-25, 2015.

Jhang, J. (2015b). Social identity theory, gender differences, and gender role beliefs in understanding homophobia (Poster). The 2015 Annual Conference International Communication Association, San Juan, Puerto Rico, May 21-25, 2015.

Pantoja, G. & **Jhang, J.** (2015a). Computer-mediated communication's influence over conflict management during difficult conversation over sexual orientation. The 2015 Annual Conflict Conference, Austin, Texas, April 10-11, 2015.

Jhang, J. (2014c). On the verge of secrets: How closeted lesbians, gays, and bisexuals negotiate forced conversations with their families. The 2014 Annual Conference of the National Communication Association, Chicago, Illinois, November 20-23, 2014.

Yang, M. J. & **Jhang, J.** (2014b) Framing same-sex marriage in Taiwan: The persuasive appeal frame (Poster). The 2014 Association for Education and Journalism and Mass Communication Annual Conference, Montreal, Canada, August 6-9, 2014.

Jhang, J. (2014a). Does the Internet catalyze conflicts over marriage equality? The case of Taiwan. The 2014 Annual Conflict Conference, Austin, Texas, April 10-11, 2014.

Jhang, J. (2012). A proposal of using needs analysis to establish Chinese-for-Special-Purpose course with a task-based syllabus. The Annual Conference of Teaching Chinese as a Second Language 2012, Taipei, Taiwan, December 28-30, 2012.

Jhang, J. (2012). Conversation analysis in task-based instruction—A pedagogical activity design model. The Fourth Asian Conference on Education, Osaka, Japan, October 24-28, 2012.

Jhang, J. (2012). The making of authentic materials from conversation analysis-Gaps, pauses and phatic functions. The 2012 International Conference on Chinese Language Teaching, New York, USA, May 25-26, 2012.

Jhang, J. (2012). From conversation analysis to authentic materials – How to teach topic management in daily conversation. The 10th New York International Conference on Teaching Chinese Language and Culture, New York, USA, May 12, 2012.

Liao, H. & Jhang, J. (2011). The lexical retrieval speed: The connection of semantic property, phonetic encoding and orthographical encoding of both English and Chinese. The 10th World Conference on Chinese Language Teaching, Taipei, Taiwan, December 25-29, 2011.

Academic Services

2022-2025 **Board of Director**, North American Taiwan Studies Association, USA

- Advising the association on important matters
- Assisting in networking and fundraising
- Serving as the review committee of NATSA research paper award

2021-Present **Faculty advisor**, InDiE (Inclusion, Diversity & Equality) Initiative, College of Public Health, National Taiwan University

2019-present **Journal Reviewer**

- Journal of Family Studies (SSCI)
- Journal of Homosexuality (SSCI)
- Feminist Review (SSCI)
- China Quarterly (SSCI)
- International Journal of Taiwan Studies (Emerging Sources Citation Index)
- 台灣公共衛生雜誌 Journal of Public Health (TSSCI)
- Taiwan Journal of Democracy

2014-Present **Conference Reviewer**

The National Communication Association

- Health Communication Division
- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Studies Interest Group
- Chinese Communication Association

Western States Communication Association

- The Organization for Research on Women and Communication (ORWAC)

Association for Education in Journalism & Mass Communication (AEJMC) 2017 Conference

The International Communication Association Annual Conference

- Interpersonal Communication Division
- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Studies Interest Group

The International Communication Association Annual Conference

- Family Communication Division
- Feminist Scholarship Division
- Interpersonal Communication Division
- Health Communication Division
- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Studies Interest Group

The National Communication Association Annual Conference

- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Queer Studies Interest Group

Southern States Communication Association Annual Conference

- Interpersonal Communication Division

The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Conflict Conference

2022 **Research Grant Committee, The Organization for Research on Women and Communication (ORWAC)**

2021-2022 **President, North American Taiwan Studies Association, USA**

- Recruiting and managed the annual conference team (about 20 people)
- Diversifying fundraising campaigns
- Planning the annual conference (for approximately 150 participants)
- Developing and Maintaining relationship with funders and partners
- Initiating the special projects (e.g., NATSA Podcast, Webinars)

2019-2021 **Program Director, North American Taiwan Studies Association, USA**

- Designed the conference program
- Managed the program team

2021 **Judge**

- National Taiwan University College of Public Health & Texas A&M Joined Three Minute Thesis competition
- Chung Yuan Christian University-University English Speech Competition

2020 **Discussant, the 14th Graduate Symposium of National Taiwan Normal University Department of Taiwan Culture, Language and Literature National Taipei University of Education Graduate School of Taiwanese Culture**

2018-2019 **Program Commissioner, North American Taiwan Studies Association, USA**

2018-2019 **Interpersonal Violence Prevention Specialist, Surewalk at UT Austin**

2017-2019 **Event Coordinator, Voices Against Violence, UT Counseling and Mental Health Center, UT Austin**

2015-2019 **Graduate Mentor, Intellectual Entrepreneurship Pre-Graduate School Internship, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas**

- 2018** **Camp Counselor**, Global Ethics & Conflict Resolution Summer Symposium, UT Austin
- 2016** **Volunteer (merit-based)**, The International Communication Association annual conference
- 2014-2016** **Assistant Director for Services**, UT Project on Conflict Resolution, UT Austin
- 2014-2016** **Representative**, The Society of Professional Mediators, UT Austin
- 2014-2016** **Representative**, Willie Nelson Center-Students for Peace, UT Austin
- 2013-2016** **Committee member, Committee Chair**, The 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Conflict Conference, Department of Communication Studies University of Texas at Austin
- Planning the annual conference (for 100 people)
 - Managing the planning team (about 8 members)
 - Raising fund and planning budget
- 2015** **Orientation Leader**, Department of Communication Studies, UT Austin
- 2014-2015** **Writing Chair**, Department of Communication Studies Graduate Committee, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas
- 2013-2014** **Graduate Assistant**, The Taiwanese International Spotlight Project, Department of Asian Studies, University of Texas at Austin
- 2012-2013** **Academic Advisor**, Learning Center of Chung Yuan Christian University, Taoyuan, Taiwan

Invited Talks: Academic

- Spring 2022** University of London SOAS Centre of Taiwan Studies
- Topic: “Building a model of family reconciliation from the ground-up: A Taiwan study” (English)
- Spring 2022** The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Graduate seminar in The High-Income Trap in East Asia (taught by Dr. Syaru Shirley Lin)
- Topic: “The feminist approach to the ultra low fertility problem” (English)
- Spring 2022** The National Taiwan Normal University, Department of Taiwan Culture, Languages, and Literature, Course: Taiwan’s Language and Society (taught by Dr. Tsiòh Bòk-bîn)
- Topic: “Gender, family, and the Hakka culture” (Mandarin and Hakka)
- Spring 2022** Reforming Speech Communication in Public Sphere: Examine the Contemporary Public Policy and Legal Communication:
- Topic: “Communicating public policy“ Forum (Mandarin)
- Spring 2022** National Chengchi University, International College of Innovation, Course: Global Civil Movement (taught by Dr. Cheng Hung-Ying)
- Topic: “Gender Equality/ LGBTIQ+ Activism” (English)

- Spring 2022** Taiwan Ireland Association
 • Topic: “LGBTQ/tongzhi movement in Taiwan: Past, present, and future” (English)
- Spring 2022** Department of Cultural Resources and Leisure Industries, National Taitung University, Taitung, Taiwan
 • Topic: “Twenty years into the 'Act of Gender Equality in Employment” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2021** Research Institute of The Humanities and Social Sciences, Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST), Taiwan
 • Topic: “State of the art of Taiwan Studies in North America: Observations from the North American Taiwan Studies Association“ (Mandarin)
 Moderator: Dr. Ching-Fang Hsu (Post-doc Researcher at Research Institute of The Humanities and Social Sciences, MOST)
 Speaker: **Dr. JhuCin Rita Jhang** (Project Assistant Professor, Global Health Program, National Taiwan University)
 Dr. Dominic Yang (Associate Professor, History, University of Missouri)
 Dr. Ying-Chao Kao (Assistant Professor, Sociology, Virginia Commonwealth University)
- Fall 2021** Graduate Program of Ethnicity and Culture, National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University, Hsin-Chu, Taiwan
 • Topic: “Families in Post same-sex marriage Taiwan” (Mandarin)
- Spring 2021** Communication Studies Department, Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, California (talk given online)
 • Topic: “Internationalizing the study of family and interpersonal communication” (English)
- Spring 2021** Department of Cultural Resources and Leisure Industries, National Taitung University, Taitung, Taiwan
 • Topic: “Empowering diversity in the workplace” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2020** Association for Taiwan Literature, Chung Hsing University, Taichung, Taiwan
 • Topic: “Current Trends in Taiwan Studies-North America Perspective” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2020** Department of Mass Communication, Providence University, Taichung, Taiwan
 • Topic: “Identity issues in same-sex marriage movement in Taiwan” (Mandarin)
- Spring 2020** Department of Cultural Resources and Leisure Industries, Taitung, Taiwan
 • Topic: “Gender issues in the workplace” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2019** College of Communication, National Chengchi University, Taipei, Taiwan
 • Topic: “Field observation and in-depth interviews: What are these?” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2019** Graduate Society of Applied Linguists, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas

- Topic: “She did not come out but we’ve come to terms”— family reconciliation of challenged expectations when a young adult child is a gender and sexual minority/ tongzhi” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2019** National Taiwan University Department of Sociology
- Topic: “International Conference submission workshop: NATSA call for paper information session” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2019** Research Center for Humanities and Social Sciences, National Chung Hsing University, Taichung, Taiwan
- Topic: “Went to America to get a PhD, and then what?” (Mandarin)
- Spring 2017** Department of Psychology and Counseling, Ming Chuan University, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- Topic: The daily lives for the sexual and gender minorities: Family relationship, and work” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2016** Department of Psychology and Counseling, Ming Chuan University, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- Topic: “A counselor’s guide to understanding the basics the sexual and gender minorities” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2016** Department of Mass Communication, Taiwan Normal University, Taipei, Taiwan
- Topic: “The endless possibilities that blossom when LGBTQ+ intersects with communication studies” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2016** Institute of Communication Studies, National Chiao Tung University, Hsinchu, Taiwan
- Topic: “Media communication: LGBTQ+ and gender” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2016** Department of Speech Communication, Shih Hsin University, Taipei, Taiwan
- Topic: “What has been communicated in speech communication?” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2016** Department of Mass Communication, Providence University, Taichung, Taiwan
- Topic: ”Sex and gender in communication studies: Binary and fluidity” (Mandarin)
- Spring 2015** Workshop: Cigarette smoking among sexual minority populations, Department of Public Health, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia (talk given online) (English)
- Topic: “LGBTQ+ substance use and abuse in Taiwan”

Invited Talks: Outside the Academia

- Fall 2021** Taiwan International Queer Film Festival-Screening Tour at National Taiwan University, Post-Screening Discussion
- Topic: “Where do we go from erotophobia?” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2021** Public Issues Marketing Convention, Taipei, Taiwan

- Topic: “The road to same-sex marriage: From NGOs to the Legislative Yuan (Mandarin)
- Moderator: **Dr. JhuCin Rita Jhang** (Project Assistant Professor, Global Health Program, National Taiwan University)
- Speaker: Yu Mei-Nu Attorney-At-law (former legislator)

Summer 2021 The Feminist and Contemporary Justice Book Club, Taiwan Platform for Democratic Sustainability & New Taiwan Constitution Youth Front

- Topic: “Reading ‘Justice and the Politics of Differences’ by Iris Marion Young” (Mandarin)
- Speakers: **Dr. JhuCin Rita Jhang** (former Secretary-General of Green Party Taiwan)
Wen-Wei Chen, Attorney-At-Law (Board Member, Awakening Foundation)

Spring 2021 Global Young Greens, Australia (talk given online)

- Topic: “Women’s struggles and challenges in political careers” (English)
- Speakers: **Dr. JhuCin Rita Jhang** (Secretary-General of Green Party Taiwan)
Robinah K. Nanyunjia (Green Party of Uganda)
Carolina Chaves (Engineer in sustainable development)

Spring 2021 Department of Public Health, Taoyuan, Taiwan

- Topic: “LGBTQ rights post same-sex marriage: Now what?” (Mandarin)

Spring 2021 Taiwan Environmental Protection Union (TEPU), Contemporary Environment and Energy Forum (Mandarin)

- Moderator: Lin Fei-Fan (DPP Deputy Secretary-General)
- Speakers: **JhuCin Jhang** (Green Party Taiwan Secretary-General)
Xuan You Lin (Spokesperson of NTU Climate Action Club)
Wei Jun Lee (TEPU Taitung Branch President)

Spring 2021 Constitutionalize Environmental Rights Forum, Taiwan New Constitution Foundation (Mandarin)

- Moderator: **JhuCin Jhang** (Green Party Taiwan Secretary-General)
- Speakers: Zoe Lee (Green Party Taiwan Deputy Secretary-General)
Zhi-Jian Liu (Taiwan Environmental Protection Union, President)
Zhong-Yum Tsai (Citizen of the Earth, Taiwan Deputy Executive Officer)

Fall 2020 National Taiwan University Graduate Students Association, A new imagination on the constitution for the next generation workshop (Mandarin)

- Topic: Human rights and the constitution
- Speakers: JhuCin Jhang (Green Party Taiwan Secretary-General)
Zoe Lee (Green Party Taiwan Deputy Secretary-General)

Fall 2020 Austin Asian American Film Festival-Prismatic Taiwan (talk given online)

- Topic: “Family relationship and communication in Small Talk (2016)” (English)

Summer 2016 LGBTQ+ workshop, Honki University, Tokyo, Japan

- Topic: “Knowing LGBTQ+: A chance for growth and reflection” (English)

Invited Talks: Teaching-Focused

- Fall 2021** Dr. Lin-Hsien Ho’s laboratory meeting, Institute of Epidemiology and Preventative Medicine, National Taiwan University
- Topic: “English Oral Presentation Workshop (1 hour)” (English)
- Fall 2021** Research Method, Global Health Program, National Taiwan University
- Topic: “English Oral Presentation Workshop (2 hours)” (English)
- Fall 2021** Language Center, Chung Yuan Christian University, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- Topic: “Mental health and studying abroad” (Mandarin)
 - Topic: “TOEFL exam preparation” (Mandarin)
 - Topic: “Studying abroad--application package”(Mandarin)
- Spring 2021** Language Center, Chung Yuan Christian University, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- Topic: “Why study abroad?” (Mandarin)
- Spring 2020** Language Center, Chung Yuan Christian University, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- Topic: “Studying abroad know-how“ (Mandarin)
 - Topic: “English leaning knacks” (Mandarin)
- Fall 2017** Student Enrichment Program, Chien Hsin U of Science and Technology, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- Topic: “Core principles of English grammar” (Mandarin)
- Spring 2017** Student Enrichment Program, Chien Hsin U of Science and Technology, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- Topic: “English grammar made easy” (Mandarin)
- Spring 2013** The Teaching Excellence Seminar-English Subject, Ching Hua High School, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- Topic: “Communicative pedagogy: What is it, why is it important, and how to use it” (Mandarin)
- 2012-2013** 2012-2013 The Language Center; The Office of International Affairs, Chung Yuan Christian University, Taiwan
- Topic: “Becoming yourself by leaving your comfort zone” (Mandarin)
 - Topic: “Culture is more than just food and movies” (Mandarin)
 - Topic: "Learning English through musicals: RENT“(Mandarin)
 - Topic: “Self-growth through words” (Mandarin)

Activism and Services

- 2019-present** Councilor (Taiwan representative), Asia Pacific Greens Federation & Global Greens
- Strategizing outreach programs for Asias Pacific green political movement

- Researching green political movement and policies

2004-Present Volunteer, Taiwan TongZhi Hotline Association, Taipei, Taiwan

- Serving as a senior speaker of gender, sex, LGBTQ+, family and relationship healthy
- Providing parent consultations and family education
- Initiating special projects (e.g., “Let the rainbow speak” video series)
- Translating reports and documents (e.g., international reports and International funding applications)
- Mentoring new volunteers and junior speakers
- Recognition: 2021 Volunteer of the Year in the Education Sector

2020-2021 Secretary-General, Green Party Taiwan

- Directed the party development and budget plans
- Designed election campaigns and candidates trainings
- Hosted press conferences, workshops, talks, and forums
- Coordinated the party’s annual magazine as the editor-in-chief
Link to the magazine: <https://bit.ly/3PtL5Mh>
- Cultivated cross-party and cross-groups collaborations
- Managed the party’s social media presence and personal social media presence
- Diversify fundraising campaigns and outreach programs
- Organized new member/volunteer recruitment and training

2021 CEO, Center for Public Government Empowerment Center, National Chengchi University, Taipei, Taiwan

- Directed the center development and budget plans
- Recruited and trained staff for the project
- Managed internal and external partners collaborations

2019-2020 Spokesperson & Vice Secretary-General, Green Party Taiwan

- Served as the media liaison
- Carried out election volunteers recruitment and training
- Assisted with fund raising campaigns

Academic On-The-Job-Training

2022-Present National Taiwan University Project Assistant Professor Training Plan

- Instructional Skills Workshop (ISW)
- Teaching Innovation Fund Awardee

2018-2019 Attended Workshops at UT Austin

- Trauma-Informed Pedagogy Workshop
- Grant Writing in Mental Health Research Field
- Inclusive Teaching & Learning Symposium

2010-2012 Attended Workshops at Teaching, Learning and Professional Development Center, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas

- “Lecture Well” Series: “How to excite your students (even at 8am)? ”
- Introductory Strategies and Tools to Develop a Quality Online Course
- Lecture Well Series: "Stop Professing and Start Mentoring: Building Positive Relationships with Students for More Effective Learning"
- Difficult Dialogues Seminar: "Diversity, Privilege, and Social Justice"
- Feminist Forum
- Grant Writing/Grantsmanship Workshop
- Difficult Dialogues Seminar: "Preparing a Classroom for Difficult Dialogues"
- Grading Subjective Assignments in the Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences
- Easy PPT Voice-Overs with Adobe Presenter
- Online Assessment Strategies

Other Professional Experiences

2004-Present Freelance translator, writing coach, editor

2011-2018 Writer, Queerology

2015 Honorable mentions, Hakka Writer Award

- Hakka poetry
- Mandarin Prose

2012-2013 Founder, Starfish Volunteer Group

- Trained the students volunteers in tutoring children in needed
- Planned the education curriculum for the NGOs in collaboration (Reindeer Child Home, and Adolescents’s Home, Taoyuan, Prison Fellowship Taiwan)

Certificates

2021 Fundamental Project Management Certificate, Fast Track Project Management Services, Taipei, Taiwan

2020 Professional Female Community Leader Training Program, National Alliance of Taiwan Women’s Associations

2020 Children Sexual Violence Prevention Story-Telling Curriculum Certificate, Taiwan Children Reading Association, Taipei, Taiwan

2020 Basic Mediator Certificate, Chinese Arbitration Association, Taipei, Taiwan

2020 Basic Hakka Language Proficiency Certificate, Executive Yuan, Hakka Affairs Council

Other Abilities

Languages:

- Chinese-Mandarin: Native
- English: Near-native
- Chinese-Hokkien and Chinese-Hakka: Intermediate

Children’s book illustration: Amateur with a few books bearing my name on it

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Adobe Illustrator: Intermediate

Adobe Photoshop: Intermediate