

## 5th Asian Workshop on Econometrics and Health Economics

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## **About Jinan University**

Founded in 1906, Jinan University (JNU, 暨南大学) has a long and successful history in economics education and international cooperation. As one of the earliest universities in China to offer an economics and business major, JNU was the first university to enroll overseas students. Located in Guangzhou, China's third-largest city and a commercial and trading center, JNU is a rapidly growing university with over 300,000 alums in over 170 countries. In 2018, JNU was recognized by Tilburg University as the 7th-best university for economics in China and the 19th-best university for economics in Asia.



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The Institute for Economic and Social Research (IESR) was founded at Jinan University in December 2015. Since then, IESR has been leading in economics education, research, public service, and international cooperation. Operating under the leadership of internationally renowned scholars, including Professor Shuaizhang Feng as Dean and Professor James Heckman as Chair of the Advisory Board, IESR currently has 34 full-time faculty members, many of whom are graduates of renowned institutions such as the University of Chicago, London School of Economics and Political Science, Northwestern University, and University of California, Berkeley. Research at IESR covers all major economic fields, and undergraduate and graduate students receive rigorous training in economics. The Institute runs a Survey Data Center for data collection and management and a Policy Research Center for policy analysis and evaluation.



## **Workshop Program**

### **Monday, December 16, 2024**

9:00-18:00 Registration Desk at the lobby of the Workshop Hotel

16:30 Optional walking tour to Shipai Urban Village (石牌城中村), meeting at the lobby of the hotel

18:00 Pre-Workshop Dinner, Banana Leaf (蕉叶)

### **Tuesday, December 17, 2024**

All presentations will take place in Room 406, Zengxianzi Science Building (曾宪梓科学馆), Shipai Campus, Jinan University

8:15 Meet at the lobby of the Workshop Hotel, walk to the Workshop venue

8:40 Registration

8:45 Welcome and Introductions

8:50-9:00 Welcome remarks by Professor Shuaizhang Feng (Dean, IESR, Jinan University)

9:00-12:30 Keynote Lectures by Professor **Hanming Fang** (University of Pennsylvania)

*Addressing Population Ageing in China*

Introduction: Xiaoyan Lei (Peking University)

Moderator: Yun Qiu (Jinan University)

9:00-10:35 Lecture 1: *Retirement and Retirement Income*

10:35-10:55 Coffee Break

10:55-12:30 Lecture 2: *Mental Health Among the Elderly*

12:30 Workshop Photo

12:40-13:40 Lunch: Room 432, Zengxianzi Science Building

13:40 Session 1. Chair – Xiaoyan Lei (Peking University)

13:40-14:30 Paper 1

James Heckman, **Jin Zhou** (City University of Hong Kong)

*The Microdynamics of Early Childhood Learning*

Discussant: Zhihan Cui (Peking University)

14:30-15:20 Paper 2

**Qinyou Hu** (Aalto University & Rice University)

*Breaking Down Bullying: Empathy, Social Networks, and Adolescents*

Discussant: Meng-Chi Tang (National Chung Cheng University)

15:20-15:40 Coffee Break

15:40 Session 2. Chair – Akshar Saxena (Nanyang Technological University)

15:40-16:30 Paper 3

Hanming Fang, **Lin Lin** (East China Normal University), Wei Shi

*Affordable Care Act, Physicians' Location Choices, and Care Access Disparity*

Discussant: Sayaka Nakamura (Sophia University)

16:30 Dinner and Social Event

Dinner at To To Kui, then Flower City Plaza and Pearl River Night Cruise

## **Wednesday, December 18, 2024**

All presentations will take place in Room 406, Zengxianzi Science Building (曾宪梓科学馆), Shipai Campus, Jinan University

8:20 Meet at the lobby of the Workshop hotel, walk to the Workshop venue

8:45 Session 3. Chair – Rei Goto (Keio University)

8:45-9:35 Paper 4

**Toshiaki Iizuka** (The University of Tokyo), Shinya Sugawara, Masaki Takahashi  
*Vertical Integration and Agency with Cognitive Limitations: Evidence from Long-Term Care*

Discussant: Juan Pantano (University of Hong Kong and University of Arizona)

9:35-10:25 Paper 5

**Zhi Cao** (Chinese University of Hong Kong), Yan Chen, Wei Yan, Junjian Yi, Hang Zou

*Hospital Discharge: Model, Estimates, and Policy Analyses*

Discussant: Hanming Fang (University of Pennsylvania)

10:25-10:45 Coffee Break

10:45 Session 4. Chair – Makiko Omura (Meiji Gakuin University)

10:45-11:35 Paper 6

Sebastian Bauhoff, **Eeshani Kandpal** (Center for Global Development)

*Information, Loss Framing, and Spillovers in Pay-for-Performance: Experimental Evidence from Health Workers in Nigeria*

Discussant: Dan Han (National University of Singapore)

11:35-12:25 Paper 7

Zhihan Cui, **Lu Liu** (New York University Shanghai)

*Opportunity Cost Neglect in Preventive Health Decisions and Mitigating it by Talking Money*

Discussant: Shuangyu Yang (Jinan University)



12:25-13:55 Lunch: Restaurant on campus (招待所餐厅)

14:00 Session 5. Chair – Jin Feng (Fudan University)

14:00-14:50 Paper 8

Chiara Malavasi, **Han Ye** (University of Mannheim and ETH Zurich)

*Live Longer and Healthier: Impact of Pension Income for Low-Income Retirees*

Discussant: Chon-Kit Ao (National Cheng Kung University)

14:50-15:40 Paper 9

**Jianjing Lin** (University of Massachusetts Amherst), Juan Pantano

*Monitoring Pressure and Billing Practices: Evidence from Medicare Recovery Audits*

Discussant: April Yushan Wu (Chinese University of Hong Kong)

15:40-16:00 Coffee Break

16:00 Session 6. Chair – Hanming Fang (University of Pennsylvania)

16:00-16:50 Paper 10

**Xingguo Wang** (Texas A&M), Pourya Valizadeh, Rodolfo M. Nayga, Jr., Henry L. Bryant, Bart Fischer

*Broad-Based Categorical Eligibility Policy and SNAP Participation*

Discussant: Edward Norton (University of Michigan and NBER)

16:50-18:20 Session 7. Organized Poster Oral Session

Exhibition Hall, Zengxianzi Science Building (曾宪梓科学馆)

Facilitator – Sayaka Nakamura (Sophia University)

This session begins with a flash talk session (1 minute for each presenter), followed by four 15-minute small sub-sessions. In each sub-session, each presenter will give a short talk (approx. 6 mins) in front of a small audience, followed by questions and discussion. There will be 10-13 poster booths.

**Diem Hoang** (University of Duisburg-Essen)

*Export Growth and Demographic Changes: Evidence from Vietnam*



**Fabrice Kämpfen** (University College Dublin), Owen O'Donnell, Carlos Riumalló Herl, Xavier Gómez-Olivé

*How Effective is Population-Based Screening for Hypertension in South Africa? A Multidimensional Regression Discontinuity Design*

**Yinan Liu** (Renmin University of China)

*Does Telemedicine Alleviate Concerns About Healthcare Accessibility? Evidence from China*

**Makiko Omura** (Meiji Gakuin University)

*Peer Effects on Healthy Habit Formation Among School Children: Evidence from a Skill-Based Health Education Field Experiment in Bangladesh*

Pierre-André Chiappori, **David Ong** (Jinan University), Yu Yang, Junsen Zhang  
*Marrying for Height*

Nan Xiao, Meng Liu, **Yun Qiu** (Jinan University), Gordon G Liu  
*The Impact of Ozone on Hospitalizations*

Margherita Agnoletto, **Martina Repetto** (University of Melbourne)  
*Gender Mix Prescription: Is it the Cure for GPs' Job Satisfaction and Retention?*

Hongyu Guan, **Wei Shi** (Jinan University), Wenjie Wu, Yanwen Yun  
*Children's Care Policy and Inequality: Evidence from a Health Screening Program in Rural China*

**Meiping Aggie Sun** (Fordham University), Yinhe Liang, Xiaobo Peng  
*Long-Term Impacts of Growth and Development Monitoring: Evidence from Routine Health Examinations in Early Childhood*

**Yun Xiao** (University of Gothenburg)  
*Family Planning Policies, Heterogeneous Child Quality-Quantity Trade-off, and Intergenerational Mobility*

Wei Yan, **Hanmo Yang** (Stanford University), Junjian Yi, Chuanchuan Zhang

*Hospital Heterogeneous Responses to a Blended Payment Scheme Reform and the Distributional Consequences*

Xinxin Chen, Jin Feng, Zhen Wang, **Dandan Yu** (Macquarie University)

*Insurance Coverage for Chronic Diseases and Healthcare Utilization among Low-Income Populations: Evidence from China*

18:45 Dinner: Hai Men Yu Zai Chaozhou Restaurant 海门鱼仔店（农信店）

## **Thursday, December 19, 2024**

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8:40 Meet at the lobby of the Workshop hotel, walk to the Workshop venue

9:00 Session 8. Chair – Toshiaki Iizuka (University of Tokyo)

9:00-9:50 Paper 11

Partha Deb, **Edward C. Norton** (University of Michigan and NBER), Jeffrey M. Wooldridge, Jeffrey E. Zabel

*A Flexible, Heterogeneous Treatment Effects Difference-in-Differences Estimator for Repeated Cross-Sections*

Discussant: Wei Shi (Jinan University)

9:50-10:40 Paper 12

Ruixue Jia, Xiao Ma, **Jianan Yang** (Peking University), Yiran Zhang

*Improving Regulation for Innovation: Evidence from China's Pharmaceutical Industry*

Discussant: Karine Lamiraud (ESSEC Business School)

10:40-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 Session 9. Chair – Rachel Lu (Chang Gung University)

11:00-11:50 Paper 13

Barton H. Hamilton, Brian McManus, **Juan Pantano** (University of Hong Kong and University of Arizona), Justin G. Trogdon

*Dynamic Treatment Choices and Selection into RCTs: Evidence from Prostate Cancer*

Discussant: Nada Wasi (Bank of Thailand)

11:50-12:20 Best poster award, best discussant award, the 6th workshop, Final remarks

12:30 Transportation to optional Lunch and Excursion

13:30-14:30 Lunch: Tang Li Yuan Restaurant (唐荔园食艺馆)

14:30-17:00 Excursion: Chen Clan Ancestral Hall (陈家祠) and Yongqing Fang (永庆坊),  
Back at the hotel at around 17:45.

Notes:

Each paper presentation consists of 50 minutes: 25 mins for presentation, 8 mins for discussion, 12 mins for floor discussion, and 5 mins for change.

Session Chairs are in charge of time management, introducing presenters and discussants, and leading the discussion.