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Academic Positions

University Lecturer (Assistant Professor), Institute for Area Studies, *Leiden University* August 2022-
Postdoctoral researcher, Global Transformations and Governance Challenges, *Leiden University*
May 2021-July 2022

Education

Ph.D., Political Science and International Relations, *University of Southern California* 2014- 2021
M.A., Environmental Policy and Planning, *University of Michigan-Ann Arbor* 2011-2013
B.A., Environmental Science, *University of Virginia* 2007-2011

Peer-Reviewed Publications

“Growing Apart: China and India at the Kigali Amendment to the Montreal Protocol.” 2023. *Global Environmental Politics*. 23(2):1-26.

“Political Economy of Vaccine Diplomacy: Explaining Varying Strategies of China, India, and Russia’s COVID-19 Vaccine Diplomacy,” with Mao Suzuki. 2022. *Review of International Political Economy*. doi.org/10.1080/09692290.2022.2074514

“Trade for the Environment: Transboundary Hazardous Waste Movements after the Basel Convention,” 2020. *Review of Policy Research*, 37(5): 713-738.

“Fiscal Decentralization or Centralization: Diverging Paths of Chinese Cities,” 2019. *China & World Economy*, 27(3): 102-125.

Book Manuscript

A Global South Divided: Rising Powers in International Environmental Politics

Peer-Reviewed Publications (in Chinese)

Zhongmei Lv, **Shiming Yang**. 2021. “Environmental Law Enforcement in the United States: Environmental Public Interest Remedy.” *Journal of Social Science of Hunan Normal University*, 50(2):18-30.

Zhongmei Lv, **Shiming Yang**. 2018. “The Environmental Health Regulatory System: Experience of the United States.” *Chinese Journal of Environmental Management*, 2018(2): 19-25.

Zhongmei Lv, **Shiming Yang**. 2017. “Controlling Environmental and Public Health Risk: Lessons from Environmental Standard-making of the United States,” *Chinese Journal of Environmental Management*,

2017 (1): 52-58.

Other Publications

Zhongmei Lv, **Shiming Yang**. 2024. "The Systematic Development Path of the Dutch Environment and Planning Act and its Implications". *Environmental Protection* (Chinese). 2024(6): 19-21.

Shiming Yang, 2023. "Vaccine diplomacy strategies by China and India." *China-India Brief #221*. Centre on Asia and Globalization, Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy. National University of Singapore.

Shiming Yang, 2021. "Rising-Power Competition: The Covid-19 Vaccine Diplomacy of China and India," *Emerging Voices on the New Normal in Asia Series*, National Bureau for Asian Research, March 19, 2021.

Shiming Yang, Jefferey Sellers. 2019. "Chapter 10: Case Study: Portland Urban Growth Management". In Zheng Zhao (Ed.) *Green Development of Asia-Pacific Cities: Building Better Cities Towards 2030*. China Social Science Press & World Scientific. Page 193-204.

Shiming Yang, 2012. "Aquaculture Pollution Management and Policy Making: Foreign Experience". *Hubei Water Sustainable Development Yearbook 2011*. Peking University Press. Page 195-202.

Selected Teaching Experience

Instructor

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| China and World Environment | Spring 2024 |
| Economy, Society & Environment | Fall 2024 |
| Political economy: East Asia | Fall 2022 |
| Research methods: Environmental Challenges and Governance | Fall 2022-2024 |
| Thesis Seminar East Asia | Spring 2022 - 2024 |
| Humanities -based International Relations | Spring 2023, Fall 2023 |

Guest Lecturer

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| China and India competition in the Indo-Pacific | 2024 |
| China's health and vaccine diplomacy | 2023 |
| Environment and climate-related violence | 2022,2023 |
| China and environmental protection | 2021 |

Teaching Assistant

Technology and International relations, China in International Affairs, World Economy in 2040, Politics of Global Environment, International Organizations, International Relations: Introductory Analysis, Environmental Challenges

Grants and Fellowships

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| Leiden University GTGC Seed Grant | 2024 |
| "Understanding emerging institutional approaches to climate finance beyond multilateral | |

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| developmental banks ” | |
| €10,800 | |
| PI: Shiming Yang; Co-PI: Jue Wang and Michael Sampson | |
| University of Southern California, Graduate Student Research Grant | 2020 |
| “Coding multilateral environmental agreements” | |
| \$1,000 | |
| University of Essex, DERN/GSAN Resilience Fellowship (Summer School) | 2020 |
| University of Pittsburgh Summer Institute of Chinese Studies | 2020 |
| \$1,000 | |
| The National Social Sciences Fund of China Yangtze River Watershed Legislation Study | 2016-2019 |
| CN¥50,000 | |
| University of Southern California ACE-Nikkaido Fellowship | 2017 |
| \$2,000 | |
| American Political Science Association Travel Grant | 2016 |
| \$170 | |

Media

“[Dubai Climate Summit: Virtually all funds are underfunded.](#)” *Leiden University News*. November 30, 2023.

“[Alle handen in de lucht: Wat de klimmataanpak kan leren van de maanmissie.](#)” *NEMO Kennislink*. February 20, 2023.

“[Another global environmental conference is far more successful than the UN Climate Conference.](#)” *Leiden University News*, November 4, 2022.

“[Chinese and Indian Vaccine Diplomacy in the Indo-Pacific](#)” (podcast), *Asia Insight*, National Bureau for Asian Research, May 21, 2021.

Select Conference Presentations

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| International Studies Association Annual Conference, USA | 2018 - 2024 |
| American Political Science Association Annual Conference, USA | 2016, 2018, 2023 |
| John Hopkins SAIS Asia Conference, USA | 2019 |
| Western Political Science Association Annual Conference, USA | 2016, 2019 |
| International Studies Association International Conference, Hong Kong | 2017 |
| Workshop on Environmental Politics and Governance, Washington University-Seattle, USA | 2016 |
| International Studies Association West Annual Conference, USA | 2016 |

Select Invited Talks

“China’s enforcement of international environmental law: The case of the Montreal Protocol.” Symposium on China and the Environment: Taking Stock of Domestic and Global Developments in Law and Governance.

University of California -Los Angeles. April, 2024.

“China’s attitude towards non-state actor participation in international environmental negotiations.”
Workshop on Authoritarian states and international organizations. Leiden University. December, 2023.

“Political economy of vaccine diplomacy: Explaining varying strategies of China, India, and Russia’s Covid-19 vaccine diplomacy.” (with Mao Suzuki) School of Regulation and Global Governance, Australian National University School. August 2022.

“China and global climate change.” Liveable Planet, Leiden University. October 2021.

“Fiscal decentralization or centralization: Diverging paths of Chinese cities.” Southwest Mixed Method Research Workshop, University of California Riverside. October 2017.

“Trade for the environment: Transboundary hazardous waste movements after the Basel Convention.”
Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO). August 2017.

Academic Service

Book Proposal Reviewer, Springer 2022
Journal Article Reviewer, 2018-
American Political Science Review, Asia Europe Journal, Contemporary Politics, Environmental Politics, Global Environmental Politics, Global Governance, Journal of Current Chinese Affairs, Policy Studies.

Professional Experience

Research Analyst, Fung Global Institute, Hong Kong 2013-2014
Coauthor of Chapter 3 and Chapter 10, *The Future of China: The Foshan Model*. 2016, China Citic Press

Intern, United Nation Environmental Programme, Nairobi, Kenya 2012-2013

Skills and Training

ArcGIS, Gelphi, LaTeX, R, Stata, UCInet

Languages

Chinese (mandarin): Native
English: Proficient
Japanese: Intermediate
German: Intermediate
Dutch: Intermediate

Teaching

USC Center for Excellence in Teaching: Future Faculty Teaching Institute (2020)