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EDUCATION

Pennsylvania State University

Ph.D., Department of Political Science, 2022-

Major Field: Comparative Politics

National Taiwan University

M.A., Department of Political Science, 2018-2022

Major Field: Comparative Politics; Minor Field: International Relations

National Chengchi University

B.A., Department of Political Science, 2014-2018

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Research and Projects

2022 “Sexual Harassment against Women in Politics: A Case Study of Taiwan.” (M.A. Thesis)

2019 “Feeling (In)Secure in Public Space: Experiences of Taiwanese Transgender Youth.” (term paper for the course Qualitative Research)

Conference Presentations

2021 “Violence and Harassment against Female Politicians and Female Political Staffers: Exploration of Definition and Theoretical Approaches.” Paper presented at the 2021 Taiwanese Feminist Scholars Association Annual Conference, online conference, October 2 (〈女性從政者及政治工作者所遭受的暴力與騷擾：定義、定位與理論途徑之初探〉，發表於2021台灣女性學學會「亞洲、性別、非人權」年度研討會).

2019 “Russia’s Semi-Presidential System and Its Authoritarian Resilience.” Paper presented at the 10th Conference on Semi-presidentialism and Democracy, National Taiwan University, Taipei, May 4 (〈俄羅斯半總統制憲政與威權韌性〉，發表於第十屆半總統制與民主學術研討會).

AWARDS, SCHOLARSHIP, AND GRANTS

2022 Florence and Angelo Paterno Graduate Fellowship, the College of Liberal Arts, Pennsylvania State University

2020 Government Scholarships for Overseas Study, Ministry of Education, Taiwan (R.O.C.).

- Covers the tuition for the Ph.D. program for 4 years, with a maximum of US\$ 120,000, and living expenses for 4 years, US\$ 17,000 per year.
- Research Field: Gender Studies - Gender and Politics.

- 2018 Academic Achievement Award, College of Social Sciences, National Chengchi University, Taiwan.
- 2017 Professor Chun-Yi Lu Memorial Scholarship, Department of Political Science, National Chengchi University, Taiwan.
- 2017 Outstanding Academic Performance – First Place in the Fall Semester, National Chengchi University, Taiwan.
- 2017 Outstanding Academic Performance – Third Place in the Spring Semester, National Chengchi University, Taiwan.
- 2016 Outstanding Academic Performance – First Place in the Fall Semester, National Chengchi University, Taiwan.
- 2016 Outstanding Academic Performance – Second Place in the Spring Semester, National Chengchi University, Taiwan.
- 2015 Outstanding Academic Performance – Third Place in the Spring Semester, National Chengchi University, Taiwan.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Taiwanese Feminist Scholars Association

Oct. 2020 - Nov. 2021 Administrative Assistant

- Responsible for all administrative affairs, including liaison, applying for funding for forums and the annual conference, and attending meetings with the board of directors.
- Organized a forum on women's political participation, particularly on the diverse experiences of grassroots, local, non-elite women.
- Organized the 2021 online annual conference, which included a keynote speech, 3 forums, and 24 panels, with more than 80 papers represented, and around 1200 participants (online counts).

Department of Political Science, National Taiwan University

2020	Fall Semester	Teaching Assistant for “Gender Politics” and “Chinese Politics”
2019	Fall Semester	Teaching Assistant for “Gender Politics” and “Chinese Politics”
	Spring Semester	Teaching Assistant for “Political Science II”
2018	Fall Semester	Teaching Assistant for “Political Science I”

Women’s and Gender Studies Program, National Taiwan University

2020 Spring Semester Teaching Assistant for “Introduction to Gender and Women’s Studies”

The President’s Office, Legislative Yuan, Taiwan (R.O.C.)

Sep. 2017 – Dec. 2017 Intern at President Jia-Chyuan Su’s Office (Stage 9 Session 4)

- Helped with caseworks, constituency service, and administrative affairs.
- Drafted press releases, speeches, and posts for President Su's official Facebook page.
- Gave briefings on events the President was attending.
- Helped with the 2017 Double Tenth National Day Ceremony preparation.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

Taiwanese Feminist Scholars Association

LANGUAGE

Mandarin: Native

Taiwanese: Advanced

English: Fluent

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Gender Politics, Comparative Politics, Women's Political Representation, Violence and Harassment against Women in Politics, East-Asia Comparative Politics, Democratization of East Asian Countries, and Transitional Justice.