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EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

- 1994 Ph.D. in Organizations and Policy Analysis, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
- 1992 M. Phil. in Public Policy and Management, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
- 1988 M.S. Program in Human and Quantitative Geography, East China Normal University, Shanghai, China.
- 1986 B.S. in Computer Science, East China Normal University, Shanghai, China.

ACADEMIC AND BUSINESS EXPERIENCES

- 2010 - Full Professor (with Tenure) of Organizations, Strategy, and International Management, School of Management, the University of Texas at Dallas.
- 2001 - 10 Associate Professor (with Tenure) of Organizations, Strategy, and International Management, School of Management, the University of Texas at Dallas.
- 1998 - 01 Assistant Professor of Organizations, Strategy, and International Management, School of Management, the University of Texas at Dallas.
- 1997 - 98 Senior Research Analyst, Department of Business Analysis, Management

Science Associates, Inc., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

- 1994 - 97 Assistant Professor of Organizational Management, Department of Management of Organizations, School of Business and Management, the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology.
- 1989 - 94 Teaching Assistant/Research Assistant, the Heinz School of Public Policy and Management, Carnegie Mellon University.
- 1988 - 89 Sales Engineer, Shanghai Wang Computer Company, Ltd.

ACADEMIC ASSOCIATIONS

- 2004 - Strategic Management Society (SMS);
- 2001 - International Association for Chinese Management Research (IACMR);
- 1993 - Academy of Management (AOM);
- 1993 - Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences (INFORMS);

RESEARCH

Main Research Interests

Strategic Networks;
Corporate Governance;
Strategic Decision Making;
Computational Organization Theory.

Authored Book

Zhiang Lin and Kathleen Carley, (2003), Designing Stress Resistant Organizations: Computational Theorizing and Crisis Applications, Kluwer Academic Publishers (Springer), Boston, MA.

Refereed Journal Articles

David Weng and Zhiang Lin, (2012), "Beyond CEO Tenure: The Effect of CEO Newness on Strategic Changes," Journal of Management, conditionally accepted.

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- Bindu Arya and Zhiang Lin, (2007), “Understanding Collaboration Outcomes from an Extended RBV Perspective: The Roles of Organizational Characteristics, Partner Attributes, and Network Structures,” Journal of Management, 33(5): 697-723.
- Richard Harrison, Zhiang Lin, Glenn Carroll, and Kathleen Carley, (2007), “Simulation Modeling in Organizational and Management Research,” Academy of Management Review, 32(4): 1229-1245.
- Bindu Arya and Zhiang Lin, (2007), “Innovation Sourcing Decisions of Hi-Tech Firms:

An Embeddedness Perspective,” Strategic Management Review, 1(1): 1-21.

Madan Pillutla, Jiing-Lih Farh, Cynthia Lee, and Zhiang Lin, (2007), “An Investigation of the Moderating Effects of Traditionality as a Moderator of Reward Allocation,” Group and Organization Management, 32(2): 233-253.

Zhiang Lin, Xia Zhao, Kiram Ismail, and Kathleen Carley, (2006), "Organizational Design and Restructuring in Response to Crises: Lessons from Computational Modeling and Real World Cases," Organization Science, 17(5): 598-618.

Zhiang Lin, (2006), "Environmental Determination or Organizational Design: An Exploration of Organizational Decision Making under Environmental Uncertainty," Simulation Modelling Practice and Theory, 14: 438-453.

Haibin Yang and Zhiang Lin, (2005), “Interfirm Distances as Channels for External Resources: The Choice between Alliances and Mergers & Acquisitions,” Academy of Management Best Papers Proceedings, BPS(2005): 11-16.

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Steven Phelan and Zhiang Lin, (2001), "Promotion Systems and Organizational Performance: A Contingency Model," Computational and Mathematical Organization Theory, 7(3): 207-232.

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- James Robins and Zhiang Lin, (2000), "Institutional Influences on Organizational Control: A Comparative Examination of Agency Theory in Sino-Japanese and Sino-American Joint Ventures," Advances in International Comparative Management, 13: 119 -148.
- Zhiang Lin and Chun Hui, (1999), "Should Lean Replace Mass Organization Systems: A Theoretical Examination from a Management Coordination Perspective," Journal of International Business Studies, 30(1): 45-80.
- Kathleen Carley, Michael Prietula, and Zhiang Lin, (1998), "Design versus Cognition: The Interaction of Agent Cognition and Organizational Design on Organizational Performance," Journal of Artificial Societies and Social Simulation, 1(3): 1-19.
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- Zhiang Lin and Chun Hui, (1997), "Adapting to the Changing Environment: A Theoretical Comparison of Decision Making Proficiency of Lean and Mass Organization Systems," Computational and Mathematical Organization Theory, 3(2): 113-142.
- Zhiang Lin and Kathleen Carley, (1997), "Organizational Response: The Cost Performance Tradeoff," Management Science, 43(2): 217-234.
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- Kathleen Carley and Zhiang Lin, (1995), "Organizational Designs Suited to High Performance under Stress," IEEE Transactions on Systems, Man, and Cybernetics, 25(2): 221-230.
- Zhiang Lin and Kathleen Carley, (1993), "Proactive or Reactive: An Analysis of the Effect of Agent Style on Organizational Decision Making Performance," International

Journal of Intelligent Systems in Accounting, Finance, and Management, 2(4): 271-287.

Book Chapters, Book Reviews, and Technical Reports

Zhiang Lin, (1999), "Strategic Organizational Diagnosis and Design: Developing Theory for Application, by Richard M. Burton and Borge Obel," Computational and Mathematical Organization Theory, 5(4): 403-406.

Zhiang Lin, (1998), "The Choice between Accuracy and Types of Errors: A Contingency Analysis of External Conditions and Organizational Decision Making Performance," In Michael Prietula, Kathleen Carley, and Les Gasser (Eds.) Simulating Organizations: Computational Models of Institutions and Groups, pp. 67-87, Menlo Park, CA: AAAI Press/The MIT Press.

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Articles in Conference Proceedings

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Zhiang Lin and Kathleen Carley, (1992), "Maydays and Murphies: A Study of the Effect of Organizational Design, Task, and Stress on Organizational Performance," Sociological Abstract, The 87th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. (Refereed)

Conference Presentations

David Weng and Zhiang Lin, (2011), "Status Change: The Dynamic Roles of Resource, Partner, and Embeddedness Explorations," The 2011 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, San Antonio, Texas, August 12-16, 2011. (Refereed)

Weichieh Su and Zhiang Lin, (2011), "Informal Pressure for Corporate Charitable Activities," The 2011 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, San Antonio, Texas, August 12-16, 2011. (Refereed)

David Weng and Zhiang Lin, (2010), "When Do New CEOs Bring Strategic Changes of Organizational Designs?" The 2010 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois, August 6-10, 2010. (Refereed)

Hao Chen, Haibin Yang, and Zhiang Lin, (2009), "The Moderating Roles of Human and Social Capital in CEO Successions: Bridging the Resource-Based View and the Social Network Perspective," The 29th Strategic Management Society Annual International Conference, Washington, D.C., October 11-14, 2009. (Refereed)

Zhiang Lin, Hao Chen, and Haibin Yang, (2009), "The Performance Consequences of CEO Successions: Human Capital, Social Networks, and Industry Environment," The 2009 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois, August 7-11, 2009. (Refereed)

Haibin Yang, Irem Demirkan, and Zhiang Lin, (2008), "Strategic Alliance Formation as Firms' External Exploration and Exploitation: An Extended Resource-Based Perspective," The 28th Strategic Management Society Annual International Conference, Cologne, Germany, October 12-15, 2008. (Refereed)

Zhiang Lin and Haibin Yang, (2008), "Network Expansion and Consolidation through Partner Selections: Firm Characteristics, Environmental Conditions, and Network Attributes," The 2008 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Anaheim, California, August 8-13, 2008. (Refereed)

Haibin Yang and Zhiang Lin (2007), "Behind Mergers and Acquisitions: Alliance Network Embeddedness and Learning Approaches," The 2007 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 3-8, 2007. (Refereed)

Bindu Arya and Zhiang Lin, (2007), "Understanding Collaboration Outcomes from an Extended RBV Perspective: The Roles of Organizational Characteristics, Partner Attributes, and Network Structures," The 2007 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 3-8, 2007. (Refereed)

Haibin Yang, Steven Lui, and Zhiang Lin, (2007), "Alliance Scope Diversity and Firm Performance: An Organizational Identity Approach," The 2007 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, August 3-8, 2007. (Refereed)

Zhiang Lin, Mike Peng, Haibin Yang, and Li Sun, (2007), "How Do M&As in China and America Differ? The Roles of Network Embeddedness and Behavioral Learning," The Strategic Management Society Special Conference on China Strategies, Shanghai, China, May 28-30, 2007. (Refereed)

Bindu Arya and Zhiang Lin, (2006), "A Multidimensional View of Knowledge Transfer: The Facilitative Role of Social Networks," The 2006 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, August 9-13, 2006. (Refereed)

Zhiang Lin, Haibin Yang, and Irem Demirkan, (2006), "Exploration and Exploitation in Strategic Alliance Formation Decisions: Antecedents and Consequences," The 2006 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, August 9-13, 2006. (Refereed)

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Zhiang Lin and Haibin Yang, (2004), "Alliance Partners and Firm Performance: Resource Complementarity or Association for Legitimacy," The 2004 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, August 6-11, 2004. (Refereed)

Bindu Arya and Zhiang Lin, (2004), "Exploring the Ripple Effect of Organizational Layoffs: An Embeddedness Perspective," The 2004 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, New Orleans, Louisiana, August 6-11, 2004. (Refereed)

Lei Li and Zhiang Lin, (2004), "The Impact of Environmental Uncertainty on Foreign Direct Investment Decisions: Some Implications for the Chinese Market," The Inaugural Conference of the International Association for Chinese Management Research, Beijing, China, June 17-20, 2004. (Refereed)

Haibin Yang and Zhiang Lin, (2004), "The Impact of Alliance Network on the Formation of Mergers and Acquisitions: An Organizational Embeddedness Perspective," The 2004 Midwestern Academy of Management Annual Meeting,

Minneapolis, Minnesota, April 30 - May 1, 2004. (Refereed)

Lei Li and Zhiang Lin, (2003), "The Turtle-Hare Race Story Revisited: Achieving Late Mover Competitive Advantages through Social Capital," The 2003 Academy of International Business Annual Meeting, Monterey, California, July 5-8, 2003. (Refereed)

Zhi Huang and Zhiang Lin, (2002), "Exploring the Organizational Change Patterns Through the Lens of Interorganizational Networks," The 2002 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Denver, Colorado, August 9-13, 2002. (Refereed)

Zhi Huang, Dan Li, and Zhiang Lin, (2002), "A Social Network Perspective on the Dynamics of Group Performance: A Theoretical Framework and An Empirical Examination," The 2002 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Denver, Colorado, August 9-13, 2002. (Refereed)

Zhiang Lin and Dan Li, (2002), "Strategic Alliance Formations: Internal Dynamics and Parent Firm Performance," The Computational Social and Organizational Science Conference, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, July 21-23, 2002.

Zhi Huang, Dan Li, and Zhiang Lin, (2002), "A Social Network Perspective on the Dynamics of Group Performance: A Theoretical Framework and An Empirical Examination," The XXII International Sunbelt Social Network Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana, February 14-17, 2002.

Dan Li and Zhiang Lin, (2002), "The Strength of Strategic Networking in Resource Accumulation: Internal Dynamics and Network Effectiveness," The XXII International Sunbelt Social Network Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana, February 14-17, 2002.

Zhiang Lin and Kathleen Carley, (2001), "Organizational Design and Adaptation in Response to Crises: Theory and Practice," The 2001 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., August 3-8, 2001. (Refereed)

Zhiang Lin, (2001), "The Dynamics of Inter-Organizational Ties During Crisis: Empirical Evidence and Computational Analysis," The 4th International EUROSIM Congress on Shaping Future with Simulation, Delft, The Netherlands, June 26-29, 2001. (Refereed)

Steven Phelan and Zhiang Lin, (2000), "Promotion Systems and Organizational Performance: A Contingency Model," The Computational Social and Organizational Science Conference, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, July 21-24, 2000.

Zhiang Lin, (1999), "Organizational Restructuring and the Impact of Knowledge Transfer," The 1999 Annual Meeting of the Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences, Cincinnati, Ohio, May 2-5, 1999.

James Robins and Zhiang Lin, (1998), "Joint Ventures in Emerging Economies: International Organizations or Host Country Companies?" Fifth International Conference on Collaborative Strategies, Oxford, UK, October, 1998.

Madan Pillutla, Jiing-Lih Farh, Cynthia Lee, and Zhiang Lin, (1998), "Constrained Behavior: A Cultural Analysis of Reward Allocation in Chinese Groups," The 1998 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, San Diego, California, August 7-12, 1998. (Refereed)

James Robins and Zhiang Lin, (1997), "Institutional Influences on International Organizations: An Empirical Examination of Agency Relations in Sino-Japanese and Sino-American Joint Ventures," The 1997 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, August 8-13, 1997. (Refereed)

Zhiang Lin, (1996), "Averting Decision Chaos under External Threats: Exploring the Roles of Organizational Structures and Decision Making Rules," The Conference on Applications of Complexity Theory to Organization Science, The 1996 Annual Meeting of the Institute for Operations Research and Management Sciences, Atlanta, Georgia, November 3-6, 1996. (Refereed)

Jiing-Lih Farh, Cynthia Lee, and Zhiang Lin, (1996), "Individual Reactions to Perceived Equity in Teamwork: Do Differences in Individualism-Collectivism Matter?" The 1996 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Cincinnati, Ohio, August 9-14, 1996. (Refereed)

Zhiang Lin and Chun Hui, (1996), "Adapting to the Changing Environment of Decision Making: A Theoretical Comparison of Lean and Mass Management Systems," The International Conference on Comparative Management, National Sun Yat-sen University, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, May 26-28, 1996. (Refereed)

Chun Hui and Zhiang Lin, (1996), "Regulating Collective Actions: A Case of Two Cultural Systems," The Research Workshop on Global Organizations, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, January 12-13, 1996.

Zhiang Lin and Chun Hui, (1995), "Lean Production Versus Mass Production – A Theoretical Comparison From An Open System Perspective," The Hitotsubashi-Organization Science Conference on Asian Research in Organizations: Emerging Paradigms in Organization Studies, Tokyo, Japan, October 19-22, 1995. (Refereed)

Kathleen Carley and Zhiang Lin, (1994), "Organizational Shifts: Combining Computational Modeling and Empirical Analysis," The 89th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Los Angeles, California, August, 1994. (Refereed)

Zhiang Lin and Kathleen Carley, (1994), "An Analysis of the Effect of Training under

Dynamic Environment," The Workshop on Mathematical and Computational Organization Theory, The Annual Meeting of the Institute of Management Sciences, Boston, Massachusetts, April, 1994.

Zhiang Lin and Kathleen Carley, (1994), "Organizational Response: Trade-offs among Opportunities for Review, Cost, and Performance," The Spring Symposium on Computational Organizational Design, The American Association for Artificial Intelligence, Stanford University, California, March, 1994.

Zhiang Lin, Kathleen Carley, and David Krackhardt, (1994), "The Dynamics of Organizational Ties during Crisis – Theory and Practice," The 14th Annual International Sunbelt Social Networks Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana, February, 1994.

Zhiang Lin and Kathleen Carley, (1993), "Does Agent Style Matter in Organizational Decision Making Performance?" The 11th National Conference on Artificial Intelligence, The American Association for Artificial Intelligence, Washington, D.C., July, 1993.

Zhiang Lin, (1993), "A Dynamic Model of Organizational Performance – Theory and Reality," The Workshop on Computational and Mathematical Organization Theory, The 1993 Annual Meeting of the Institute of Management Sciences, Chicago, Illinois, May, 1993.

Zhiang Lin and Kathleen Carley, (1992), "Maydays and Murphies: A Study of the Effect of Organizational Design, Task, and Stress on Organizational Performance," The 87th Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, August, 1992. (Refereed)

Research Grants

“A Status-Based View of Firm Performance: Institutional, Environmental, and Network Influences,” Principal Investigator, Summer Research Grant, School of Management, University of Texas at Dallas, June – August 2011.

“Strategic Changes and Corporate Governance,” Principal Investigator, Summer Research Grant, School of Management, University of Texas at Dallas, June – August 2010.

“Understanding CEO Successions through a Social Capital Perspective,” Principal Investigator, Summer Research Grant, School of Management, University of Texas at Dallas, June – August 2009.

“Behavioral and Institutional Drivers of Strategic Networks: Empirical Investigations and Computational Modeling”, Principal Investigator, Summer Research Grant, School of Management, University of Texas at Dallas, June – August 2008.

“Understanding Cooperative Strategies from an Extended RBV Perspective”, Principal Investigator, Summer Research Grant, School of Management, University of Texas at Dallas, June – August 2007.

“Understanding Inter-Organizational Cooperation from the Social Network Perspective”, Principal Investigator, Summer Research Grant, School of Management, University of Texas at Dallas, June – August 2006.

“Strategic Networks”, Principal Investigator, Summer Research Grant, School of Management, University of Texas at Dallas, June – August 2005.

“Internal Designs and External Relations as Forms of Organizational Resources: An Embeddedness Perspective,” Principal Investigator, Summer Research Grant, School of Management, University of Texas at Dallas, June – August 2004.

“Strategic Alliance Formation and Firm Performance: An Organizational Decision Making Perspective”, Principal Investigator, Summer Research Grant, School of Management, University of Texas at Dallas, June – August 2002.

“The Impact of E-mail Usage on the Distribution of Power within Organizations,” Co-investigator, Competitive Earmarked Research Grant 1996-98 (Grant # HKUST584/96H), Research Grants Council of Hong Kong, July 1996 - June 1998.

“Designing Organizations for High Performance under Critical Situations,” Principal Investigator, Research Travel Grant 1996-97 (Grant # RTG96/97.BM03), Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, August 1996 – July 1997.

“A Structural Analysis of Organizational Decision Making Performance: With Applications to Selected Nuclear Power Plants,” Principal Investigator, Competitive Earmarked Research Grant 1995-97 (Grant # HKUST533/95H), Research Grants Council of Hong Kong, August 1995 – July 1997.

“A Structural Analysis of Highly Critical Organizations,” Principal Investigator, Research Travel Grant 1995-96 (Grant # RTG95/96.BM22), Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, August 1995 – July 1996.

“A Resource-Based View of International Cooperative Ventures: Theoretical and Empirical Analysis of Key Factors in the Successful Formation of Sino-American Firms,” Co-investigator, China Program Development Grant 1994-95 (Grant # CPDG94/95.BM01), Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, August, 1994 – July 1996.

“Organizational Decision Making and Performance,” Principal Investigator, Direct Allocation Grant 1994-95 (Grant # DAG94/95.BM63), Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, August 1994 – July 1995.

TEACHING

Main Teaching Interests

Strategic Management;
Social Networks of Organizations;
Organizational Decision Making;
Organizational Design and Theory;
Organizational Modeling.

Classroom Teaching

1998 - The University of Texas at Dallas (average teaching ratings in parentheses)

Undergraduate Level:

- ✓ Social and Political Environment of Business/ Strategic Management (4.2/5.0);
- ✓ Organizational Behavior (3.9/5.0).

Master's Level:

- ✓ Managerial Decision Making (4.3/5.0);
- ✓ Strategic Management (4.0/5.0);
- ✓ Foundations of Organization Theory (4.3/5.0);
- ✓ Comparative Management Methods (4.1/5.0).

Ph.D. Level:

- ✓ Social Networks of Organizations (4.0/5.0);
- ✓ Organizational Decision Making (4.2/5.0);
- ✓ Organizational Simulation (with Richard Harrison and Steven Phelan) (4.0/5.0).

1994 - 97 The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (average teaching ratings in parentheses)

Undergraduate Level:

- ✓ Organizational Design and Change (4.7/5.0);
- ✓ Organizational Behavior (3.5/5.0).

1990 - 94 Carnegie Mellon University (average teaching assistant ratings in parentheses)

Master's Level:

- ✓ Data Analysis for Managers (4.3/5.0);
- ✓ Empirical Methods for Public Policy and Management (4.2/5.0).

1987 - 87 East China Normal University (no formal teaching evaluation conducted)

Undergraduate Level:

- ✓ Quantitative Geography (n/a).

Ph.D. Student Supervisions

As Dissertation Chair

David H. Weng, "A Multilevel Framework of Strategic Changes: CEO Influences, Firm Conditions, and Network Embeddedness," University of Texas at Dallas. Proposal defended in May 2010 and dissertation defended in June 2011. Currently as an assistant professor at the City University of Hong Kong.

Bindu Arya, "Knowledge Diffusion and Organizational Effectiveness from Collaborative Relations in Multi-relational Networks," University of Texas at Dallas. Proposal defended in February 2005 and dissertation defended in June 2006. Currently an assistant professor at the University of Missouri – St. Louis.

Haibin Yang, "Interfirm Distances as Channels for External Resources: The Choice between Alliances and Mergers & Acquisitions," University of Texas at Dallas. Proposal defended in May 2004 and dissertation defended in April 2005. Currently an associate professor at the City University of Hong Kong.

As Dissertation Committee Member

Li (Sunny) Sun, "Internationalization, Diversification and Privatization in China," University of Texas at Dallas, Proposal defended in June 2009 and dissertation defended in April 2010. Currently an assistant professor at the University of Missouri – Kansas City.

Irem Demirkan, "Essays on the Evolution of Networks in the U.S. Biotechnology Industry," University of Texas at Dallas. Proposal defended in June 2006 and dissertation defended in July 2007. Currently an assistant professor at Northeastern University.

Kiram Ismail, "Networking and Leadership Approaches in Post-Soviet Countries: Essays on Relationships among Institutional, Organizational, and Individual Factors from A Macro and Micro Perspective", University of Texas at Dallas. Proposal defended in March 2005 and dissertation defended in August 2006. Currently an assistant professor at St. Johns University.

Xia Zhao, "The Voluntary Adoption of Corporate Governance Reforms in the Post-Enron Era", University of Texas at Dallas. Proposal defended in February 2005 and dissertation defended in June 2006. Currently an assistant Professor at the California State University – Dominguez Hills.

Nancy Kucinski, "Interest, Institutions, and Friends of the Court: An Analysis of Organizational Factors related to *Amicus Curiae* Participation," University of Texas at Dallas. Proposal defended in February 2001 and dissertation defended in March 2004. Currently an assistant professor at the Hardin Simmons University.

Alix Valenti, "Determinants of Board of Directors Composition: It's Who You Know," University of Texas at Dallas. Proposal defended in November 2001 and dissertation defended in June 2003. Currently an assistant professor at the University of Houston – Clear Lake.

Lei Li, "Multinationality and Performance Efficiency, Endogeneity, and Dynamics," University of Texas at Dallas. Proposal defended in February 2001 and dissertation defended in November 2002. First employed as an assistant professor at the University of Portland. Currently an associate professor at the University of Nottingham, Ningbo, China.

As Senior Co-Author for Papers

- Weichieh Su: One conference presentation (AOM);
- David Weng: Two conference presentations (AOM(2)) and one journal publication (JOM);
- Hao Chen: Two conference presentations (AOM, SMS);
- Li (Sunny) Sun: One conference presentation (SMS) and two journal publications (APJM, SMJ);
- Yasuhiro Yamakawa: One journal publication (RP);
- Irem Demirkan: Three conference presentations (AOM(2), SMS) and one journal publication (MS);
- Kiran Ismail: One journal publication (OS);
- Bindu Arya: Three conference presentations (AOM(3)) and four journal publications (APJM, JOM(2), SMJ);
- Xia Zhao: One journal publication (OS);
- Haibin Yang: Twelve conference presentations (AOM(9), SMS(3)) and ten journal publications (AMJ, AOMBP, APJM, CMOT, JOM, MS, SMJ(3), RP);

- Lei Li: Two conference presentations (AOM, IACMR) and one journal publication (APJM);
- Dan Li: Four conference presentations (AOM, CSOS, SUNBELT(2)) and three journal publications (GOM, JMS, JOM);
- Zhi Huang: Three conference presentations (AOM, SUNBELT(2)) and one journal publication (JOM).

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Journal Editorial Services

- 2007 - Co-Chief Editor:
Computational and Mathematical Organization Theory;
- 2011 - Editorial Board Member:
Strategic Management Journal
- 2011 - Editorial Board Member:
Management and Organization Review
- 2007 - Editorial Board Member:
Organization Science;
- 2002 - 06 Associate Editor:
Computational and Mathematical Organization Theory;
- 1994 - *Ad hoc* Reviewer:
Academy of Management Journal,
Asia Pacific Journal of Management,
IEEE Transactions on Systems, Man, and Cybernetics,
Industrial and Corporate Change,
International Journal of Intelligent Systems in Accounting, Finance, and
Management,
Journal of Artificial Societies and Social Simulation,
Journal of Business Research;
Journal of Business Studies,
Journal of International Business Studies,
Journal of Management,
Journal of Management Studies,
Journal of Mathematical Sociology,
Journal of World Business,
Management Science,
Simulation Modelling Practices and Theory.

Other Academic Services

Committee Member: Research Committee for the International Association for Chinese Management Research, 2010-2012.

Faculty Advisor: Ph.D. Dissertation Proposal Workshop, The 2010 Biannual Meeting of the International Association for Chinese Management Research, Shanghai, China, June 16-20, 2010.

Presenter (as Journal Editor): Professional Development Workshop on Applied Agent-based Modeling in Management Research, The 2009 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois, August 7-11, 2009.

Panel Member: National Science Foundation, Disasters and Decision-Making Panel, 2008.

Session Chair: The Strategic Management Society Special Conference on China Strategies, Shanghai, China, May 28-30, 2007.

External Reviewer: Research Grants Council of Hong Kong, 2004-2006.

Session Chair: The Inaugural Conference of the International Association for Chinese Management Research, Beijing, China, June 17-20, 2004.

Founding Member: The International Association for Chinese Management Research, 2001.

University Services

The University of Texas at Dallas

- Faculty Mentor for Dr. Cuihua (Cindy) Shen, School of Arts and Humanities (2010 – present);
- Teaching Committee, School of Management (2002 – present);
- Personnel Committee, School of Management (2010 – present);
- Chair of Doctoral Dissertation Examination Committee, School of EPPS (2008);
- Faculty Search Committees of OSIM, School of Management (1999 - 2010);
- *Ad hoc* Committees for Faculty Promotion, School of Management (2002 – present);
- *Ad hoc* Committees for Faculty Promotions, School of Social Sciences (2001, 2006);
- Ph.D. Sub-committee of OSIM, School of Management (2001 – present);
- Area Coordinator of OSIM, School of Management (2001 – 2002);

- Academic Policy and Planning Committee, School of Management (2001 – 2002);
- Instructional Resources and Responsibilities Committee for AACSB, School of Management (2000 – 2001);
- Ph.D. Program Committee, School of Management (1999 – 2001);
- Ph.D. Coordinator of OSIM, School of Management (1999 – 2001);
- Coordinator for BA 4305 - Social & Political Environment of Business, School of Management (1999 – 2001);
- Ph.D. Sub-committee of OSIM, School of Management (1998 – 2001);
- Master's Sub-committee of OSIM, School of Management (1998 – 2001);
- Undergraduate Sub-committee of OSIM, School of Management (1998 – 2001);
- Master's Program Committee, School of Management (1998 – 1999).

The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

- Extended Faculty Search Committee of the Department of Management of Organizations (1995 – 1997);
- Ph.D. Qualifying Exam Committee of the Department of Management of Organizations (1995 – 1996);
- Undergraduate Program Committee of the Department of Management of Organizations (1995- 1996);
- Teaching Coordinator for Organizational Behavior - MGTO221 (1995 – 1996);
- Technical Resources Coordinator for the Department of Management of Organizations (1995 – 1996).

ACADEMIC RECOGNITIONS AND HONORS

Award for Special Faculty Development Assignment by the School of Management, the University of Texas at Dallas, 2008.

Inclusion in the Best Paper Proceedings by the Business Policy and Strategy Division, the 2005 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, for the Paper Titled “Interfirm Distances as Channels for External Resources: The Choice between Alliances and Mergers & Acquisitions,” (with Haibin Yang), 2005.

Award for Special Faculty Development Assignment by the School of Management, the University of Texas at Dallas, 2002.

Inclusion in the Best Paper Proceedings by the Organization and Management Theory Division, the 2001 Academy of Management Annual Meeting, for the Paper Titled “Organizational Design and Adaptation in Response to Crises: Theory and Practice,” (with Kathleen Carley), 2001.

Recognition by the Research Grants Council of Hong Kong for the Highest Rating of

the Technical Report Titled "High Risk Organizations under Critical Situations – An Organizational Performance Examination from a Structural Perspective," (with Kathleen Carley and Chun Hui), 1997.

Honorable Mention for Excellence in Teaching from the School of Business and Management, the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, 1997.

Achievement Award for Excellence in Research from the Department of Management of Organizations, the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, 1997.