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EDUCATION:		
2010	Intensive Chinese Study, Beijing Language and Culture University, Beijing, China	
2009	Ph.D., ABD, New School for Social Research, The New School, New York, NY Sociology	
	Dissertation Title: "Imagining Climate Change: Towards Understanding Chinese Citizenship"	
	Dissertation Committee: Jeffrey Goldfarb (Chair), Eiko Ikegami, and Guobin Yang	
2009	Summer Language Program in China, Columbia University, Beijing, China	
2007	Democracy and Diversity Institute, The New School, Krakow, Poland	
2005	M.A., New School for Social Research, The New School, New York, NY Sociology	
2002	B.A., Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, CA Sociology	
ACADEMIC P	OSITIONS:	
Present	Visiting Scholar, Beijing Normal University, China • Collaborative research with Prof. Dong Shikui and colleagues	
Present	 Instructor, Jun Yi High School, Beijing, China Courses: Conversational English, English Listening, English Reading, English Writing, and TOEFL Preparation Develop analytic and argumentation skills for study abroad track students 	
2010	Instructor, Cambridge High School, Beijing, China Courses: Conversational English, English Listening, English Reading, TOEFL Preparation • Teach beginning and intermediate speaking and listening skills for Chinese university track students . Develop analytic and argumentation skills for study abroad track students	
2010	 Volunteer Instructor, Rizhao Beidacun Grade School, Shangdong, China Course: Conversational English Taught beginning English speaking patterns to 3rd,4th,5th,6th year students 	
2008-2009	Teaching Assistant, The New School, New York, NY Courses: Media Politics; Design at the Edge • Grading of all materials • Organizing classroom discussions	
2007-2008	Instructor, Fashion Institute of Technology, New York, NY Course: Introduction to Sociology • Grading of all materials • Design of syllabus and all assignments • Weekly lectures and organizing classroom discussions	
2004	Archival Research Assistant, New York, NY	
PUBLICATION + PRESENTATIONS:		
2010	"Researching Environmental Problems in China." Invited talk given at High School #8, Beijing, China. September.	

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	Beijing, China. September.

"Environmental Futures Within Networks: Lessons from U.S. China Collaboration on 2010 Climate Change." Paper presented at the International Sociological Association World Congress of Sociology. Gothenburg, Sweden. July.

2009	"Contemporary China." Invited talk given at EF International School of English, Tarrytown, NY. May.
2009	"China as a Global Environmentalist State." Paper presented at <i>China's Rise and Its Impact on Asia: Democratization, Development and Culture</i> conference. University of Louisville, March.
2008	"Understanding the Mediated Kitchen Table." Paper presented at <i>Critical Themes in Media Studies</i> conference, The New School, April.
2008	"Contesting the nation-state in the space of media." Paper presented at <i>History Matters</i> conference, The New School, April.
2007	"Feeling the Media," Paper presented at <i>Critical Themes in Media Studies</i> conference, The New School, April.
2005	"Global Cities, Print News and Globalization." Immediacy. 04; Spring.

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Civil Society, Social Media, Social Movements/ Environmental Movements (China, Germany, Japan, United States), Public Sphere/Public Debate

HUNURS AND	AWARDS:
2011	New School for Social Research Tuition Scholarship
2010	Excellent Student Award Beijing Language and Culture University
2009	New School for Social Research Travel Fund Researching environmental organizations in China
2008	New School for Social Research Travel Fund Researching Bi-lingual Chinese/English environmental website chinadialogue.net
2008	India China Institute Student Fellow
2001	Inducted into National Sociology Honor Society Alpha Kappa Delta

LANGUAGE SKILLS:

English: Native Speaker

Chinese (Mandarin): reading, speaking and writing: intermediate

German: reading, speaking and writing: intermediate Spanish: reading, speaking and writing: beginning

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

2006-2010	Co-Director of Vision Logistics, imagining global asia, www.imaginingglobalasia.org • Develop and facilitate public programming • Develop and maintain website and train staff related to information technology • Coordinate all media-specific logistics
2008, 2010	Grant Reviewer, Corporation for National and Community Service, Washington, D.C.Advised on the adoption of new media for community service projects
2009	Fellowship Coordinator, India China Institute, The New School, New York, NY • Coordinate Selection of fellows from India, China and the United States

- 2003-2008 PT Admin Supervisor, Academic Technology, The New School, New York, NY
 Supervised cumulatively approximately 75-100 individuals from 15 countries
 - Created curriculum for lab aide and supervisor trainings
 - Wrote and edited online help resources for troubleshooting and software assistance
- 2005-2007 Website Coordinator, India China Institute, The New School, New York, NY
 - Supported Fellows in India, China and United States

- Co-developed and updated website
 Advised Director on issues of information technology
 Supervised research assistants and external contractor
- Coordinated virtual office space and managed database of multi-national contacts

CIVIC + PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

2008 - 2010	Co-organizer of "New Sociological Imagination" lecture series. The New School, New York.
2009 - 2010	Member of American Sociology Association
2008 - 2010	Member of The Association for Asian Studies
2004-2009	God's Love We Deliver New York, NY Weekly food preparation for approximately two thousand seriously ill persons.
2007-2008	Co-organizer of 2008 Sociology student conference <i>History Matters</i> , The New School, New York
2005-2009	Member of Park Slope Food Coop, Brooklyn, NY
2005-2009	Treasurer for New School for Social Research Sociology Student Association