

## Ningzi Li

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### EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Sociology, Cornell University**, Ithaca, New York (2017)  
Committee: David Strang (Chair), Richard Swedberg, Benjamin Cornwell, Eli Friedman  
Dissertation: *Structure Multiplicity and Market Outcomes: Corporate Bond Issuances in China During 2009-2013*
- B.A. Sociology, Tsinghua University**, Beijing, China (2010)  
Thesis: *The Structure of Production Markets: Empirical Research Based on Chinese Field Interviews and Industrial Survey Data*
- B.A. Economics, Tsinghua University**, Beijing, China (2010)  
Thesis: *Crime Rates and Economic Development*

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Networks and Organizations, Sociology of Finance, Non-Market Strategy, China

### PUBLICATIONS

- Shahid, Abdullah and **Ningzi Li**. (2018). Review of *Information Overload Paradox: Drowning in Information, Starving for Knowledge*, by L.V. Orman. *IEEE Technology and Society Magazine* 37 (1): 11-12
- Li, Ningzi** and Qi Song. (2017). "Public-Private Partnership in Developing China: Evolution, Institutionalization and Risks." In João Leitão, Elsa Sarmento and João Aleluia (Ed.), *Handbook on PPPs in Developing and Emerging Economies: Perspectives on Public Policy, Entrepreneurship and Poverty* (pp. 113-139). Emerald Publishing Limited.
- Li, Ningzi**. (2010). "The Structure of Production Markets: Empirical Research Based on Chinese Field Interviews and Industrial Survey Data." (In Chinese) *Sociological Studies* 25(3): 29-47.

### WORKING PAPERS

- Li, Ningzi** and Yue Qian (equal authorship). "The Impact of Educational Pairing and Urban Residency on Household Finance among China's Urban Couples." 2nd R&R at *Journal of Family and Economic Issues*
- Li, Ningzi** and Abdullah Shahid. "Network Formation in a New Market: Strategic Resource Dependence or Legitimacy Seeking?"
- Li, Ningzi**. "Pricing China's Corporate Bonds: The Interplay of State Ownership and Firm-Bank Networks in Emerging Markets."

### AWARDS AND HONORS

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| 2018       | SASE Early Career Workshop (Kyoto, Japan)  |
| 2018       | OMT Paper Development and Reviewing Workshop (Vancouver, Canada)                       |
| 2017–2020  | National Natural Science Foundation of China (Participant;PI: Sixue Jia) (RMB 170,000) |
| 2017, 2015 | C.V Starr Fellowship, Cornell University (Tuition and Stipend)                         |
| 2016       | OMT Doctoral Consortium (Anaheim, CA)  |
| 2015-2016  | Russell Sage Fellowship, Cornell University (Tuition and Stipend)                      |
| 2015-2016  | Adam Smith Fellowship, The Mercatus Center, George Mason University (\$5000)           |

- 2015 Creativity, Innovation, and Entrepreneurship Theme Project, Seed Grant, Cornell University (\$200)
- 2014 Einaudi Center, International Research Travel Grant, Cornell University (\$1000)
- 2011 Center for the Study of Economy and Society, Seed Grant, Cornell University (\$1500)
- 2010-2011 Russell Sage Fellowship, Cornell University (Tuition and Stipend)
- 2007 Scholarship for Academic Excellence, Tsinghua University

**INVITED TALKS**

- 2017 “Structural Multiplicity: Pricing China’s Corporate Bonds”  
University of Washington, China & Inter-Area Workshop, Seattle, WA, June 2017  
University of Colorado Boulder, Program on International Development, Boulder, CO, Oct 2017

**CONFERENCE PARTICIPATION**

**Panels Organized**

- 2017 “Information Overload: Challenges and Opportunities for Valuation in the Information Economy”  
(Presenter Symposium Organized with Abdullah Shahid)  
Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Atlanta, Georgia, Aug 2017

**Papers Presented**

- 2017 “Educational Pairing and Urban Residency in Household Finance”  
American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Quebec, Aug 2017  
“Political and Non-Political Connections in Pricing China’s Emerging Corporate Bonds”  
“Fellow Travelers on Different Roads” ES OOW mini-conference, Montreal, Quebec, Aug 2017
- 2016 “Bond Issues: Political Relations and Financing Capacities of China’s Large Corporations”  
Academy of Management Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA, Aug 2016  
Western Economic Association International Annual Conference, Portland, OR, July 2016  
East Asia Program Graduate Student Colloquium, Ithaca, NY, Apr 2016  
Institute for Humane Studies Fall Graduate Research Colloquium, Arlington, VA, Oct 2015
- 2015 “Local Government Initiative and Industrial Development”  
North American Chinese Sociologists Association Annual Conference, Chicago, IL, Aug 2015  
“The Restructured Relationship: The Pattern of Interactions Between Firms and Financial Institutions after the Financial Revolution in China”  
Eastern Sociological Society, New York, NY, Feb 2015
- 2014 “Ownership Structure and Manager Affiliation: China’s State Banks after the Ownership Reform”  
American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA, Aug 2014
- 2013 “Local Government Initiative and Industrial Learning”  
American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, New York, NY, Aug 2013  
Graduate Student Mini-Conference, Ithaca, NY, Mar 2013
- 2012 “Dynamic Inter-Organizational Structures”  
American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Denver, CO, Aug 2012
- 2011 “The Structure of Production Market”  
Inter-Ivy and Sorensen Memorial Sociology Conference, Economic Sociology Session, Harvard University, Boston, MA, Apr 2011  
Eastern Sociological Society, Mini-Conference Session, Philadelphia, PA, Feb 2011

**Discussant**

- 2017 China & Inter-Area Workshop, University of Washington, Seattle, WA Apr 2017
- 2016 Western Economic Association International Annual Conference, Portland, OR July 2016

2016 Cornell Contemporary China Initiative & Cornell Institute for China Economic Research Symposium, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY Apr 2016

### **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

Postdoctoral Research Assistant, University of Colorado Denver Business School, 2017-2018

Graduate Research Assistant, Cornell University, 2012-2013

### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Introduction to Sociology Guest Lecturer, University of Colorado Denver, Department of Sociology (Fall 2017)

Teaching Assistant, Cornell University, with Kendra Bischoff (Spring 2016), Dennis Bogusz (Spring 2014), Benjamin Cornwell (Fall 2013, Spring 2012), Paromita Sanyol (Spring 2013)

Evaluating Statistical Evidence Teaching Assistant, Cornell University, with Matt Brashears (Fall 2012, Graduate Level; Fall 2011, Undergraduate Level)

### **PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

OMT Research Committee, OMT Best Student Paper Award Subcommittee, 2018

Program Committee, "Fellow Travelers on Different Roads" ES OOW mini-conference, 2017

Student Library Advisory Council, Cornell University, 2015-2016

Co-chair of Sociology Brown-Bag Presentation Series, Cornell University, 2011-2013

### **RESEARCH SKILLS**

R, Stata, UCINet, SPSS, Gephi, LaTeX

### **MEMBERSHIP AFFILIATIONS**

American Sociological Association, Academy of Management, Eastern Sociological Society, North American Chinese Sociologists Association, Western Economic Association International

### **REFERENCES**

(Available upon request)