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EDUCATION

2022 Ph.D. in Public Administration and Policy, Florida State University

2016 Master in Public Policy, Rutgers University

ACADEMIC POSITION

2022-present Post-doctoral Scholar, Syracuse University
The Program for the Advancement of Research on Conflict and Collaboration

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Collaborative Governance, Citizen Participation, Performance Management,
Environmental Policy, Causal Inference, Mixed Methods

RESEARCH

Peer-Reviewed
Articles **Yixin Liu**, Heewon Lee, Frances Berry (2023). [How and when democratic values matter: Challenging the effectiveness-centric framework in program evaluation](#). *Public Performance & Management Review*.

—DeGuzman Award (2021 Askew School Best Doctoral Student Paper)

Yixin Liu (2022). [Public trust and collaborative governance: An instrumental variable approach](#). *Public Management Review*.

Yixin Liu and Chao Tan (2022). [The effectiveness of network administrative organizations in governing inter-jurisdictional natural resources](#). *Public Administration*.

Yixin Liu and Chengxin Xu (2022). [De-stereotyping public performance evaluation](#). *International Public Management Journal*, 26(1), 107-125.

Chengxin Xu and **Yixin Liu** (2021). [Does mislabeling COVID-19 elicit the perception of threat and reduce blame?](#) *Journal of Behavioral Public Administration*, 4(2).

Under Review **Yixin Liu** and Heewon Lee. All hands on deck: The role of collaborative platforms and lead organizations in achieving environmental goals.

Yixin Liu, Jiho Kim, Tina Nabatchi. The “watershed” of collaboration: The impact of legislation and collective actions on environmental outcomes.

Yixin Liu. Micro foundations of interlocal collaboration: An experimental test.
—2022 China-America Association for Public Affairs Best Student Paper Award

- Work in Progress
- Trust and two-way coproduction: A paired experiment on citizens and policymakers (with Heewon Lee, Wenhui Li, Tian Tang, Guimin Zheng). *Data analysis complete*
 - Pro-private or anti-public sector bias? The impact of organizational ownership on citizens' performance evaluation (with Sebastian Jilke and Ivan Lee). *Data analysis complete*
 - What public values does practitioner-scholar research collaboration seek to create? Evidence from a field experiment (with Heewon Lee, Wenhui Li, Tian Tang, Guimin Zheng). *Data analysis complete*
 - Policy actors in the same bed with different dreams: Experimental evidence of cross-sectoral partnership in local environmental actions (with Yuhao Ba). *Data collection process*
 - Who listens to health authorities? Determinants of willingness to comply with vaccine guidance in the US. (with Sabina Schnell and Tina Nabatchi). *Data analysis complete*
 - Outcomes of outcomes: Adaptations of collaborative actions in watershed management (with Jiho Kim and Tina Nabatchi). *Data collection process*
 - The mechanisms of reciprocity in collaborative network. *Data analysis complete*

INVITED TALK

- Aug 2023 "Governing Inter-jurisdictional Natural Resources and Environmental Policy Analysis" Invited by *Guangdong Research Institute of Water Resources and Hydropower*
- Aug 2023 "Public Trust and Collaborative Governance" Invited by *Public Management Community*
- Aug 2022 "Research in Public Administration: A Seminar of Contributions from Chinese Scholars." Invited by *Public Administration Journal*
- Nov 2021 "De-Stereotyping Public Performance Evaluation." (Presented by co-author Chengxin Xu) Invited by Evans School of Public Policy and Governance at the University of Washington
- Jan 2021 "The Effectiveness of Network Administrative Organizations in Governing Inter-jurisdictional Natural Resources." Invited by Online Seminar on Environmental Politics and Governance

RESEARCH GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2023 FSU Collaborative Collision Program on Resilience, (\$25,000)
- 2022 Best Student Paper Award, China-America Association for Public Affairs, (\$200)

- 2021 DeGuzman Best Paper Award, Florida State University, (\$500)
UROF Materials Grant, Principal Investigator, Florida State University, (\$500)
- 2020 Reubin Askew Eminent Research Fund, Florida State University, (\$850)
Reubin Askew Educational Endowment Fund, Florida State University, (\$1500)
- 2019 Jerry Collins Eminent Research Fund, Florida State University, (\$650)
ICPSR Travel Grant, Florida State University, (\$5000)
Travel Grant, National Social-Environmental Synthesis Center, (\$500)
- 2017 Dean's Scholarship, Florida State University, (\$1000)

CONFERENCE PANEL PRESENTATION

American Political Science Association 2023
 Public Management Research Conference 2019, 2021, 2022
 Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2023
 American Society for Public Administration 2022
 Southern Political Science Association 2020
 European Group for Public Administration 2020
 Sino-US International Conference of Public Administration 2018, 2021

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Lecturer

- 2021-2022 FSU PAD 3003 Public Administration in American Society (in-person & online)

Guest Lecturer

- Fall 2022 "Design Based Causal Inference in Collaborative Governance Research"
FSU PAD 6025 Theoretical Perspectives in Public Policy
- Fall 2021 "Open Science in Public Management"
FSU PAD 6707 Logics of Inquiry
- Fall 2020 "Conjoint Analysis in Social Science"
FSU PAD 6025 Theoretical Perspectives in Public Policy
- Fall 2019 "Behavioral Science and Sustainability"
FSU PAD 5935 Governing Sustainable Communities
- Fall 2018 "Experimental Methods and Causal Inference"
FSU PAD 5701 Research Methods

Research Mentor

- 2020-2021 FSU Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY

Reviewer	Public Administration Review; Public Management Review; Public Administration; Public Performance & Management Review; Journal of Behavioral Public Administration; Chinese Public Administration Review; Policy & Politics; International Journal of Public Administration; Urban Governance
Service	Chinese Policy Scholar Group: Diversity, Equity, Inclusion (DEI) Committee
Membership	Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management, Public Management Research Association, American Political Science Association

REFERENCES

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