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Academic Appointments

Beijing Foreign Studies University

Assistant Professor, School of History, 2023-

Postdoctoral Researcher, School of History, 2021-2023

Education

Ph.D., School of History of Art, University of Edinburgh, 2021

M.Sc. with distinction, School of History of Art, University of Edinburgh, 2015

B.A., School of Economics & School of History, Peking University, 2014

Research Interest

Modern Chinese Art, Visual Culture in East Asia, Transculturalism

Publications

“Cai Yuanpei’s Visit to Edinburgh and the Implementation of His Aesthetic Education Philosophy” *Archives of New Literary History* (CSSCI), 2025, 2025 (01), pp. 31-41.

“The Society of Literature and Arts and the Light White Society: The Rise of Modern Chinese Art Societies” *Art Journal (Journal of Guangzhou Academy of Art)* (CSSCI Extended Version), 2023, 2023(05), pp. 88-94.

“Knowledge Transfer and Chen Shizeng’s Introduction and Re-creation of Graphic Design in the Early Republic of China” *Journal of Capital Normal University (Social Science Edition)*(CSSCI), 2023, 2023(03), pp. 47-55.

“The Rise, Development and Influence of Art Salon in the Early Republican Beijing: The Example of the Beijing School of Painting” *Journal of Beijing Union University (Humanities and Social Sciences Edition)*(CSSCI), 2023, 21(03), pp. 29-37.

“Chen Shizeng’s Academic Exploration in Tokyo, 1902-1909” *Journal of China Academy of Art (CSSCI)*, 2023, 44(01), pp. 191-216.

“The International Image of the Beijing School of Painting in the 1920s: Interpreting Modern Chinese Painting” *Art Observation (Journal of Chinese National Academy of Arts)* (CSSCI Extended Version), 2021, 2021(11), pp. 49-54.

Working Papers

PhD thesis: “Chen Shizeng (1876-1923) and His Practice for Modernising Chinese Scholarly Painting in Early Twentieth-Century Beijing” 2021, *British Library Interim Catalogue*

“Reviving National Painting through Modern Practices: Introduction and Development of Graphic Design in the Early Twentieth Century Beijing” *Twentieth-Century China (Revise and Resubmit)*

Grants and Awards

Social Science Fund of Beijing (SSFB), Youth Project (80,000 *yuan*), 2024-2027

National Social Science Fund of China (NSSFC), Youth Project (200,000 *yuan*), 2023-2026

China Postdoctoral Science Foundation (CPSF), International Postdoctoral Exchange Fellowship Program (400,000 *yuan*), 2021-2023

Internal Grant (total amount 300,000 *yuan*), Beijing Foreign Studies University, 2021-2024

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China Scholarship Council (CSC), Special Training Project for Art, Ph.D. Scholarship,
2017-2019

Scotland's Saltire Scholarship, Eric Liddell China Saltire Scholarship, 2014-2015