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Ph.D. Economics, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada, 2014
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FIELDS

Empirical Microeconomics, Development, Health, Labour, Well-being, China

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

- “Early Childhood Health Shocks, Classroom Environment, and Social-Emotional Outcomes” (with Shun Wang) *Journal of Health Economics*, 2023, 87, 102698.
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