

## Jason Chun Yu Wong

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| CONTACT INFORMATION   | Department of Economics<br>Occidental College<br>1600 Campus Road, Los Angeles, CA 90041<br>United States of America   | <i>T</i> : +1 (323) 341-4058<br><i>E</i> : <a href="mailto:jasonwong@oxy.edu">jasonwong@oxy.edu</a><br><i>W</i> : <a href="https://jasoncwong.com">https://jasoncwong.com</a> |
| ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS | <b>Occidental College</b> , Los Angeles, CA, USA<br>Assistant Professor of Economics   | <b>August 2020 - Present</b>  |
|                       | <b>London School of Economics and Political Science</b> , London, UK<br>Visiting Fellow, Department of Geography and Environment<br>LSE Fellow in Environmental Economics  | <b>September 2020 - Present</b><br><b>June 2019-August 2020</b>   |
| EDUCATION             | <b>Columbia University</b> , New York, NY, USA<br>Ph.D., Sustainable Development<br>M.Phil., Sustainable Development<br>M.A., Sustainable Development  | <b>May 2019</b><br><b>May 2017</b><br><b>May 2016</b>   |
|                       | <b>Massachusetts Institute of Technology</b> , Cambridge, MA, USA<br>Exchange Scholar, Laboratory for Aviation and the Environment   | <b>2016-2017</b>  |
|                       | <b>University of Maryland</b> , College Park, MD, USA<br>B.S., Environmental Science and Policy (Environmental Economics), <i>summa cum laude</i><br>B.A., Germanic Studies, <i>summa cum laude</i><br><i>Certificate in Science, Technology, and Society; Minor in Statistics</i> | <b>May 2013</b><br><b>May 2013</b>  |
| PUBLICATIONS          | <b>Wong, J.C.Y.</b> , Blankenship, B., Urpelainen, J., Ganesan, K., Bharadwaj, K., Balani, K. (2021) <a href="#">Perceptions and acceptability of electricity theft: Towards better public service provision.</a> <i>World Development</i> . 140: 105301.                          |   |
|                       | Blankenship, B., Kennedy, R., Mahajan, A., <b>Wong, J. C. Y.</b> , & Urpelainen, J. (2020). <a href="#">Increasing rural electrification through connection campaigns.</a> <i>Energy Policy</i> . 139: 111291.   |   |
|                       | Blankenship, B., <b>Wong, J. C. Y.</b> , & Urpelainen, J. (2019). <a href="#">Explaining willingness to pay for pricing reforms that improve electricity service in India.</a> <i>Energy Policy</i> . 128: 459-469.  |   |
|                       | Missirian, A, Frank, E.G., Gersony, J.T., <b>Wong, J. C. Y.</b> , Naeem, S. (2019). <a href="#">Biodiversity and thermal ecological function: The influence of freshwater algal diversity on local thermal environments.</a> <i>Ecology and Evolution</i> 9: 6949–695              |   |
| WORKING PAPERS        | Increasing microsolar technology adoption: Comparing the efficacy of vouchers, cash transfers, and microfinance schemes (Resubmitted, with S.P. Harish, B. Blankenship, and J. Urpelainen)   |   |
|                       | Understanding electricity billing preferences in rural India: Evidence from a conjoint experiment (Revise and Resubmit, with J. Urpelainen and B. Blankenship)   |   |
|                       | Blue-sky thinking: Connectivity impacts on regional economies and innovation in the United States (Completed, with F. Allroggen and R. Malina)   |   |

Is there a rural-urban gap in energy access preferences? Evidence from electricity service in India (Completed, with J. Urpelainen and B. Blankenship)

WORKS IN  
PROGRESS

Boarding soon: Climate change impacts on severe thunderstorm-related delays in aviation

Friends from afar: Aviation connectivity and social connectedness (with undergraduate research fellow Niklas Piringer)

Sea level rise and aviation infrastructure in the United States (with undergraduate researchers Ben Ventresca, Jon Ekberg)

Economics of Balikpapan: Non-market value of remittance and gifting culture (with undergraduate researchers Rayhon Choudhry, Fritz Manzano, Julia Samson)

HONORS AND  
AWARDS  
(SELECTED)

**Occidental College**

Center for Research and Scholarship Microgrant and Article Production Grant 2021

Faculty Enrichment Grant 2021-22

Young Initiative Faculty Grant Program for Research in Global Affairs 2021-22

**London School of Economics and Political Science**

LSE Student Union Award for Masters Supervision (School-wide) 2020

LSE Class Teacher Award (Highly Commended) in Geography and Environment 2020

**Columbia University**

Graduate School of Arts and Sciences Ph.D. Convocation Student Speaker 2019

Presidential Award for Outstanding Teaching by Graduate Students Won, 2017

Finalist/Honorable Mention, Presidential Award for Outstanding Teaching 2015, 2016

Wueller Teaching Award for Outstanding Teaching in Undergraduate Electives Won, 2015

*Department of Economics* Runner up, 2016

Lead Teaching Fellow 2015-2016

Dean's Fellow 2013-2019

**National/International**

International Parliamentary Fellowship, Parliament of the Federal Republic of Germany 2018

National Academies Transportation Research Board Graduate Research Award 2016-2017

Phi Kappa Phi Walter and Adelheid Hohenstein Fellow 2013-2014

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Ernest F. Hollings Scholar 2011-2013

National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship (Honorable Mention) 2013

German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) Undergraduate Scholar 2012-2013

Leuphana University of Lüneburg, *Germanic Studies; Public and Labor Economics (M.A. level)*

Morris K. and Stewart L. Udall Undergraduate Scholarship (Honorable Mention) 2012

TEACHING  
EXPERIENCE

**Occidental College**

ECON 323 Urban Economics Fall 2021

ECON 322 Economics of Sustainable Development Fall 2020, Spring 2022

ECON 272 Applied Econometrics Spring 2021, 2022

**London School of Economics and Political Science**

GY121 Sustainable Development Michaelmas Term 2019

GY428 Applied Quantitative Methods Michaelmas Term 2019

GY489 MSc. Dissertations Lent Term 2020

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|                                   | <b>Columbia University</b>  |  |
|                                   | SDEV UN2300 Challenges of Sustainable Development   | <b>Spring 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019</b> |
|                                   | ECON S/W4625 Economics of the Environment   | <b>Fall 2015, Summer 2017</b>              |
|                                   | ECON W4750 Globalization and its Risks  | <b>Fall 2014</b>                           |
|                                   | <b>The City College of New York, City University of New York</b>                            |  |
|                                   | SUS 7400C/ECO B9526 Economics of Sustainability (Graduate Course)                           | <b>Spring 2017</b>                         |
|                                   | <b>New York University</b>  |  |
|                                   | ES 100 Environmental Systems Science  | <b>Fall 2015</b>                           |
|                                   | <b>Leuphana University of Lüneburg</b>  |  |
|                                   | MOOC - ThinkTank: Ideal City of the 21st Century, led by Daniel Libeskind                   | <b>Spring 2013</b>                         |
|                                   | <b>University of Maryland</b>   |  |
|                                   | AREC 200 Chesapeake Bay Ecosystem: Science, Economics & Policy                              | <b>Spring 2012</b>                         |
|                                   | CPSP 239G Science and Global Change Practicum   | <b>Spring 2012</b>                         |
|                                   | CPSP 118G The Nature of Science   | <b>Fall 2011</b>                           |
| OTHER TRAINING                    | Kraks Fond Hedonic Price Analysis and the Residential Location Choice Summer School         | <b>2017</b>                                |
|                                   | UC Berkeley Summer School in Environmental and Energy Economics                             | <b>2016</b>                                |
|                                   | UC Berkeley BITSS Transparency & Reproducibility Summer Institute                           | <b>2016</b>                                |
|                                   | Columbia University Certificate in Innovative Teaching                                      | <b>2015</b>                                |
| SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP (SELECTED) | Chair of University Relations, North American Bundestag Network                             | <b>2021-Present</b>                        |
|                                   | Academic Director, Global Circular Challenge, London School of Economics                    | <b>2021-Present</b>                        |
|                                   | NOAA Weather Program Office Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences (SBES) Grant Reviewer | <b>2021</b>                                |
|                                   | Judge, Hack for Humanity/Hult Prize, Imperial College London                                | <b>2019</b>                                |
|                                   | Peer Advocate, Gay Health Advocacy Project, Columbia Health                                 | <b>2017-2019</b>                           |
|                                   | Co-Chair, Sustainable Development Doctoral Student Committee                                | <b>2017-2018</b>                           |
|                                   | Vice President, Sustainable Development Doctoral Society                                    | <b>2014-2016</b>                           |
|                                   | Volunteer Translator and Interpreter, Odyssey of the Mind Competitions                      | <b>2011-Present</b>                        |
| PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS         | Urban Economics Association   |  |
|                                   | Grantham Research Institute, London School of Economics and Political Science               |  |
|                                   | MIT Laboratory for Aviation and the Environment   |  |
|                                   | University of Copenhagen Faculty of Law Transatlantic Maritime Emissions Research Network   |  |
|                                   | Columbia University Center for Sustainable Urban Development                                |  |
|                                   | Columbia University Center for Environmental Economics and Policy                           |  |
|                                   | Johns Hopkins SAIS Initiative for Sustainable Energy Policy                                 |  |
| LANGUAGES                         | Native/Fluent: English, Cantonese, Mandarin Chinese, German (C2)                            |  |
|                                   | Advanced Beginner: French (A2), Japanese (N5)   |  |
|                                   | MIT German Studies Excellence Award, Runner-up (Swiss Special Prize)                        | <b>2017</b>                                |
|                                   | Goethe Institut Großes Deutsches Sprachdiplom (C2 Certificate)                              | <b>2017</b>                                |
|                                   | NYU Deutsches Haus Certificate (C2 - Mastery)   | <b>2017</b>                                |
|                                   | Columbia Doctoral German Reading Proficiency Exam   | <b><i>Passed with Distinction</i> 2013</b> |
|                                   | Dual Certificate in Teaching Chinese and English as Foreign Languages,                      | <b>2016</b>                                |
|                                   | Columbia University Teachers College and Beijing Language and Culture University            |  |