

Xiaoxu Tang

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EDUCATION

- 09/2008-05/2010 Master of Financial Mathematics(expected), School of Mathematics, University of Minnesota
- 09/2003-07/2006 M.S. of Human Geography, College of Environmental Science, Peking University, China
- Concentration: Urban and Regional Planning
- 09/1999- 07/2003 B.S. of Urban an Rural Planning & Resource Management, Peking University, China
- 09/1999-07/2003 B.A. of Economics, Peking university, China

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 07/2006-08/2006 **Associate Urban Designer**, *Shen Zhen Institute of Urban Planning and Design* (China)
- Database maintenance and project coordination
- 04/2004-08/2004 **Associate Analyst**, *China Reconstruct Urban Planning and Consulting Co. Ltd.* (Hong Kong)
- Interviewed with directors of Dali Bureau of Environment Protection, Industrial Bureau and Construction Bureau for project presentations and data collection
- 09/2005-06/2006 **Associate Analyst**, *Beijing Dig Planning & Consulting Co. Ltd.* (China)
- Helped lead the Comprehensive Land Use Planning of Beijing 2005-2020
- Conducted preliminary research on land use zoning and development goals of Beijing and wrote final reports
 - Led the team in the field study for interviews and surveys in various districts of Beijing
 - Developed a temporal database to trace the historical land use of Beijing

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 07/2005-09/2005 Macroeconomic Analysis on International Portfolio Diversification, **RA**
- Data entry and processing, model calibration and simulation, and office assistance
- 04/2005-07/2005 Comprehensive City Planning of Hefei, **Head RA**
- Compiled a dataset of the city's scale, transportation capacity and infrastructure system
 - Wrote a report on the urbanization and evolution of the city-town system

PUBLICATION

- 08/2007 Identifying the Urban-Rural Linkages: Case Study of Beijing's Center City. *Journal of Urban Planning*. 2007, (8), co-authored with Jian Lin (in Chinese)

HONORS & AWARDS

- 2004-2005 • PKU Annual Outstanding Graduate Student Award
- 2005-2006 • PKU Urban Planning Research First Rank Prize

EXTRA-CURRICULA ACTIVITIES

- 1999-2003 • Environmental Science College Soccer Team player.
First place prize for 2001 PKU Soccer Games
- 2000-2001 • Co-stared in the "Light of the Early Dawn". Top 10 theatre drama selected by the Theatre Society PKU.

COMPUTER SKILLS & LANGUAGES

- Proficient in Office packages, Matlab, C, AutoCAD, ArcGIS and Photoshop.
- Basic commands in C++, SPSS.
- Languages: Chinese Mandarin (Native); English (Fluent)