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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

National Taiwan University

Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, 2019-
Joint Appointment, Intl Program in Climate Change and Sustainable Development, 2021-
Faculty Affiliate, Global Asia Research Center, 2020-
Faculty Affiliate, Risk Society and Policy Research Center, 2023-

Occidental College

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, 2016-2019
Faculty Affiliate, East Asian Studies, 2016-2019

Harvard Kennedy School, Ash Center for Democratic Governance and Innovation

China Energy Policy Postdoctoral Fellow, 2015-2016
Non-resident Research Fellow, 2016-2017

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Sociology, University of Wisconsin–Madison. 2015.
M.E.M., Yale School of the Environment. 2009.
M.A., International and Development Economics, Yale University. 2008.
B.S. Chemical Engineering with Economics minor, National Taiwan University. 2004.

PUBLICATIONS (†GRADUATE STUDENT CO-AUTHOR *UNDERGRADUATE CO-AUTHOR)

Journal Articles

- [24] Hsieh, I-Yun Lisa, Cheng-Hsiang Shei†, and John Chung-En Liu. 2024. Distributional Effects of Carbon Pricing: An Analysis of Income-Based versus Expenditure-Based Approaches. *Journal of Cleaner Production*. (forthcoming)
- [23] Du, Juan, John Chung-En Liu, and Tamara Mix. 2024. "China Deserves its Hamburger: The Controversy Over WildAid's Shu Shi Campaign in China" *Environmental Sociology* (forthcoming)
- [22] Chen, Kenneth Han, and John Chung-En Liu. 2024. "Overcoming stigma: how academic ghostwriting companies neutralize their services in Chinese and English markets." *Higher Education*. (forthcoming)
- [21] John Chung-En Liu & Ting-Yu Kan*. 2023. "A Comprehensive Review of Environmental, Sustainability, and Climate Change Curriculum in Taiwan's Higher Education Institutions" *International Journal of Sustainability in Higher Education*. 25(2): 375-389

- [20] John Chung-En Liu & Chia-Wei Chao. 2023. "Politics of climate change mitigation in Taiwan: International isolation, developmentalism legacy, and civil society responses" *WIREs Climate Change*. e834
- [19] John Chung-En Liu. 2023. "China's Public Opinion on Climate Change: Evidence from two national surveys." *PLOS Climate*.
- [18] Prakash Kashwan, John Chung-En Liu, Jahnnabi Das. 2022. "Climate nationalisms: Beyond the binaries of good and bad nationalism" *WIREs Climate Change*. 14(2):e815
- [17] John Chung-En Liu and Chia-Wei Chao. 2022. "Equal Rights for Gasoline and Electricity? The Dismantling of Fossil Fuel Vehicle Phase-out Policy in Taiwan" *Energy Research & Social Science* 89:102571
- [16] Sara Newland and John Chung-En Liu. 2021. "Ethnic Identity and Local Government Responsiveness in Taiwan" *Governance* 34(3):875-892
- [15] Yao-Tai Li and John Chung-En Liu. 2021 "Auditing ethnic preference in Hong Kong's financial job market: The mediation of white privilege and Hong Kong localism" *International Sociology* 36(1):71-90
- [14] Yao-Tai Li and John Chung-En Liu. 2021 "Hong Kong, Add Oil!': Examining Post-it Notes on the Lennon Walls in the 2019 Hong Kong Anti-extradition Bill Movement" *Contexts* 20(1):68-69
- [13] Yating Chuang and John Chung-En Liu. 2020. "Who wears a mask? Gender differences in risk behaviors in the COVID- 19 early days in Taiwan" *Economics Bulletin* 40(4): 2619-2627
- Featured in United Daily News, GTV, CTi News, GTV
- [12] Ta-yang Hsieh† and John Chung-En Liu. 2020. "Lessons from the Taiwan Syllabus Project: Findings and New Directions" *International Journal of Taiwan Studies* 3(1):147-156
- [11] John Chung-En Liu, Brandon Gertz*, and Naomi Newman* 2019. "Shark Fin Bans in the United States: Animal Welfare, Cultural, and Policy Considerations" August 2019 *Case Studies in the Environment*
- [10] John Chung-En Liu and Andrew Szasz 2019. "Now is the Time to Add More Sociology of Climate Change to Our Introduction to Sociology Courses" *Teaching Sociology* 47(4) 273–283
- Featured in *Guardians*, *The Society Pages*, *The News Lens*, *Taiwan Street Corner Sociology*
- [9] John Chung-En Liu, Yoram Bauman, and Yating Chuang 2019. "Climate Change and Economics 101: Teaching the Greatest Market Failure" *Sustainability* 11(5), 1340
- [8] John Chung-En Liu, Huijing Huang*, and Jingyi Ma* 2019. "Understanding China's Environmental Challenges: Lessons from Documentaries" *Journal of Environmental Studies and Sciences* 9(2) 151-158
- [7] John Zinda, Yifei Li, and John Chung-En Liu 2018. "China's Summons for Environmental Sociology." *Current Sociology* 66(6): 867-885
- [6] John Chung-En Liu 2017. "Pacifying Uncooperative Carbon: Examining the Materiality of the Carbon Market" *Economy and Society* 46(3-4): 522-544
- [5] Jesse Turiel, Iza Ding, and John Chung-En Liu. 2017. "Environmental Governance in China: State, Society, and Market" *Brill Research Perspectives in Governance and Public Policy in China* 1(2): 1–67

- [4] John Chung-En Liu and Bo Zhao 2017. "Who Speaks for Climate Change in China? Evidence from Weibo." *Climatic Change*, 140(3):413-422
- [3] John Chung-En Liu 2015. "Low Carbon Plot: Climate Change Skepticism with Chinese Characteristics." *Environmental Sociology*, 1(4): 280-292
- Featured in *Nature Climate Change*, *Guardian*, *Foreign Policy*, and Public Radio International
- [2] John Chung-En Liu and Anthony Leiserowitz 2009. "From Red to Green? Environmental Attitudes and Behavior in Urban China." *Environment: Science and Policy for Sustainable Development*, 51(4): 32-45.
- [1] Chieh-Yang Hsieh, Sung-Pei Tsai, Ming-Hwa Ho, Da-Ming Wang, Chung-En Liu, Cheng-Hsuan Hsieh, Hsien-Chung Tseng and Hsyue-Jen Hsieh. 2007. "Analysis of Freeze-Gelation and Cross-Linking Processes for Preparing Porous Chitosan Scaffolds." *Carbohydrate Polymers*, 67(1), 124-132.

Book Chapters and Policy Reports

- [4] John Chung-En Liu and Mark Cooper. 2020. "Carbon Markets and International Environmental Governance" Vol.2, pp.267-284. Bell, Michael, et al., eds. *The Cambridge Handbook of Environmental Sociology*. Cambridge University Press
- [3] John Chung-En Liu "Saving the Environment" 2017. pp.275-293 in *Sociology in Action*. Ed. Kathleen Korgen and Maxine Atkinson. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
- Chapter updated in the 2nd edition in 2019
- [2] John Chung-En Liu and Michael Mayerfeld Bell. "Environmental Sociology." pp.435-444 in *Cambridge Handbook of Sociology* ed. Korgen, Kathleen. Cambridge, England: Cambridge University Press
- [1] John Chung-En Liu 2016. "Assembling China's Carbon Markets: the Carbons, the Business, and the Marginalized." Harvard Kennedy School Ash Center Policy Brief

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS

Taiwan National Science and Technology Council Grant (112-2119-M-002 -024) (2023-2027)

Taiwan National Science and Technology Council Grant (111-2627-M-259-001) (2022-2025)

NTU Outstanding Teaching Award (2022)

Climate Social Science Network (CSSN) Research Grant (2021-2023)

NTU Core Consortiums Research Grant (2021-2022)

Academic Sinica Sustainability Science Research Grant (AS-SS-110-06) (2021-2023)

Taiwan Ministry of Science and Technology Grant (109-2410-H-002-007-MY3) (2020-2023)

Nomination, Donald R. Loftsgordon Memorial Award for Outstanding Teaching (2018)

Occidental College Faculty Enrichment Grant (2017, 2018)

China Energy Policy Postdoctoral Fellowship, Harvard Kennedy School (2015-2017)

Dow Sustainability Fellowship, University of Michigan-Ann Arbor (declined) (2015-2017)

Crowe Scholarship, Dept of Community & Environmental Sociology, UW-Madison (2014)

Liao Scholarship, Dept of Sociology, UW–Madison (2012-2014)
Vilas Research Travel Award, UW–Madison (2013)
EU Center of Excellence Research Travel Grant, UW–Madison (2013)
UW–Madison-University of Bonn Exchange Scholarship (2013)
International Dissertation Research Fellowship, Social Science Research Council (2012-2013)
Taiwan Overseas Study Scholarship, Ministry of Education, Taiwan (2010-2012)
Nelson Institute Summer Travel Grant, UW–Madison (2010)
IGERT Summer Research Associate Grant, UW–Madison (2010)
Yale School of Forestry & Environmental Studies Summer Internship Fund (2008)
Yale University Carpenter/Sperry Summer Internship Fund (2008)
Yale Macmillan Center East Asian Studies Summer Research Grants (2008)
Yale F&ES-TERI Internship Fund (2007)

INVITED TALKS, GUEST LECTURES, AND RESEARCH SEMINARS

2024: Lanyang Museum, Taipei City Department of Social Welfare

2023: NCCU Sociology Student Association, NTPU Economics, NTU Atmospheric Science, NYCU STS Institute, NCCU Economics, NTU Bioenvironmental Systems Engineering, NTU Civil/Chemical Engineering, NTPU Sociology, CSSN Critical Studies of Climate Media

2022: University of Toronto, Munk School of Global Affairs & Public Policy Asian Institute, National Taitung University, Environmental Rights Foundation, NTU Agricultural Economics, Stockholm University, CCU General Education, THU Sociology

2021: University of Washington-Seattle, Taiwan Studies, NTU RSPRC, Taiwan National Academy of Civil Service, NTHU, Taiwan Youth Climate Action Camp, University of Alberta Taiwan Studies, Future Earth Taipei, NCCU Journalism, Taiwan National Museum of Natural Science, National Chung Cheng University

2020: NTPU Sociology, NSYSU Sociology, NTNU Geography, NTU Atmosphere Science, NTU Crossdisciplinary Exchange, Taiwan National Academy of Civil Service, NTU Geology, Research Center for Environmental Changes, Academia Sinica

2019: NTU RSPRC, NTU Sociology, NTU IPCS, Industrial Technology Research Institute (ITRI), Taichung First Senior High School

2018: North American Taiwan Studies Association (NATSA) Annual Conference, Closing Panel University of British Columbia, Liu Institute for Global Issues, Simon Fraser University, Taiwan Studies Group, North American Taiwanese Professor's Association (NATPA), Southern California Chapter

2017: National Chengchi University, Graduate Institute of Development Studies, National Taiwan University, Risk Society and Policy Research Center (RSPRC), California State University–Northridge, China Institute, North American Taiwan Studies Association (NATSA) Webinar, Green Citizen Action Alliance

2016: Linköping University, Sweden, Climate Change Skepticism Workshop (via video), Bridgewater State University, Union College, Environmental Science, Policy and Engineering Speaker Series,

Harvard Kennedy School, Ash Center of Democratic Governance and Innovation, Harvard School of Engineering and Applied Sciences, Harvard China Project Seminar, Green Citizen Action Alliance

2015: College of the Holy Cross, Department of Economics, UW–Madison, Culture, History, and Environment (CHE) Grad Symposium

2014: UW–Madison, Department of Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences

2013: Chang-An Elementary School

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

American Sociological Association (ASA) (2014, 2018, 2020, 2023)

American Association of Geographers (AAG) (2018)

AFHVS/ASFS (2019)

Association of Asian Studies (AAS) (2019)

Eastern Sociological Society (ESS) Annual Meeting (2016)

International Symposium on Society and Resource Management (ISSRM) (2019)

International Symposium on Environmental Sociology in East Asia (ISESEA) (2017, 2023)

North American Taiwan Studies Association (NATSA) (2019)

Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE) (2017, 2020)

Taiwanese Sociological Association (2020, 2021, 2022, 2023)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

National Taiwan University

Undergraduate

Introduction to Sociology (S23, S24)

Introduction to Sociology (*English Instruction*) (F19, F20, S22)

Economic Sociology (F19, F23)

Environmental Sociology (F20, S22, S24)

Contemporary American Society (S21)

Bachelor's Thesis (F21, F22, F23)

Graduate

Climate Change and Society (*English Instruction*) (S20, F21, S23)

Sociological Research Methods (S20, S21)

Economic Sociology (F22)

Occidental College

Introduction to Sociology (F16, F17)

Quantitative Research Methods (S17, F17, F18)

Economic Sociology (S17, S18, S19)

Environmental Sociology (S19)

China's Environmental Challenges: A Sociological Perspective (F16, S18)

The Game of Go and Society (F18)

University of Wisconsin–Madison

Introduction to Community and Environmental Sociology (F13, S15)

Environment, Natural Resources, and Society (S14, F14)

Chinese language tutor (2009-2011)

STUDENT ADVISING

PhD Dissertation Chair

Candice Chia-Fen Li (National Taiwan University, IPCS, Current)

Wei Yang (NTU, Sociology, Current)

PhD Dissertation Committee Member/Outside Examiner

Elle Yang (National Taiwan University, IPCS, current)

Meng-Hui Lin (National Taiwan University, IPCS, current)

Cong Ren (Hong Kong University, Geography, 2021)

Juan Du (Oklahoma State University, Sociology, 2021)

Muhan Cheng (National Cheng Kung University, Ocean Technology and Marine Affair, 2020)

Masters Thesis Committee Chair

Bonnie Tsoi (National Taiwan University, IPCS, current)

Liang-Yu Hsu (National Taiwan University, IPCS, current)

Yu-Hsien Chen (National Taiwan University, IPCS, current)

Szu-Hua Chen (National Taiwan University, Sociology, current)

Cheng-Hsuan Tsui (National Taiwan University, IPCS, current)

Hsin-Ping Su (National Taiwan University, Sociology, current)

Nanami Yano (National Taiwan University, IPCS, current)

Chun-Ching Tu (National Taiwan University, Sociology, 2024)

Rui Kao (National Taiwan University, Sociology, 2023) (co-advisor with Jeffrey Weng)

David Lim (National Taiwan University, Sociology, 2022) (co-advisor with Chih-Chieh Tang)

Dailing Wu (National Taiwan University, Sociology, 2021)

Master Thesis Outside Examiner

Yu-Hsuan Lin (National Taiwan University, GIND, 2024)

Ting-Hao Yu (National Taiwan University, GIND, 2023)

Sophia Roces (National Taiwan University, IPCS, 2023)

Linus Yu-Jie Chang (National Taiwan University, IPCS, 2023)

Aaron Ya-Luen Liu (National Taiwan University, Bioenvironmental System Engineering, 2023)

Hsin-Yu Tsai (National Taiwan Normal University, GIEE, 2022)

Kuan-Liang Chou (National Taiwan University, Sociology, 2020)

Undergraduate Research

Yun-An Ting (National Taiwan University, Sociology, 2021)
Claire Krelitz (Occidental College, Sociology, 2019)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Journal Editing

Associate Editor, *Journal of Environmental Studies and Sciences* (2019-)
Editorial Board Member, *Society and Natural Resources* (2019-)
Editorial Board Member, *Teaching Sociology* (2021-)
Advisory Editor, *East Asian Science, Technology and Society* (2022-)
Editorial Board Member, *Taiwanese Journal of Sociology* (2020-2022)

Journal Reviews

In English

American Sociological Review
Asian Studies Review
Case Studies in the Environment
China: An International Journal
Climate
Communications Earth & Environment
Economy and Society
Energy Research and Social Sciences
Environmental Communication
Environmental Politics
Environmental Sociology
Geoforum
International Affairs
International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health
Journal of Environmental Management
Journal of Environmental Policy and Planning
Journal of Environmental Studies and Sciences
Journal of Rural Studies
Journalism Studies
Law & Society Review
One Earth
PLOS ONE
Politics and Governance
Review of Religion and Chinese Society
Sage Open
Social Current
Society and Natural Resources
Sustainability
Teaching Sociology

The Pacific Review
The Sociological Review

In Chinese

Journal of Social Sciences and Philosophy (人文及社會科學集刊)
Taiwanese Journal for Studies of Science, Technology and Medicine (科技、醫療與社會)
Taiwanese Journal of Sociology (台灣社會學刊),
Taiwanese Sociology (台灣社會學)
Wenti yu Yanjiu (問題與研究)

Grant Proposal Reviews

Taiwan Ministry of Science and Technology (2020-)
Taiwan Ministry of Education (2020-2022)
Taiwan Ministry of Labor (2023)
Taiwan National Development Council (2023)
Taiwan Energy Administration (2020-)
Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation (2023)

Book Proposal Reviews

Routledge

Discussant/Panel Organizer

Taiwan-UK Energy Forum, Taiwan STS Annual Conference (2023), Rutgers Digital Ethnography Working Group (2022), Taiwan Sustainability Hub (2022), Carnegie Endowment (2022), Academia Sinica, Institute of Sociology (2021), The Breakthrough Institute (2021), Academia Sinica, Center for Sustainability Science (2021), Taiwan Sustainability Hub (2021), Taiwanese Sociological Association (2020), Taiwan STS Association Annual Conference (2020), Taiwan Ministry of Education, University Foresight Education Project (2020), Global China in Comparative Perspectives Workshop (2019), Taiwan Sociological Association (2019, 2020), Western Political Sciences Association (2019), American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting (2018), Harvard-Yenching and SSK Conference on Human Rights and the Environment (2016), Harvard Kennedy School Ash Center Seminar (2015), North American Taiwan Studies Association (NATSA) Annual Conference (2010, 2011, 2012, 2018)

Academic Organization

American Sociological Association, Environmental Sociology Section
Publication Committee Chair (2020-2022)
Marvin E. Olsen Student Paper Award Committee (2019)
Teaching and Mentorship Award Committee (2020)
International Association for Society and Natural Resources (IASNR)
Membership Committee (2021)
North American Taiwan Studies Association (NATSA)

Undergraduate Research Paper Award Committee (2018-2021)
Board of Directors (2017-2020)
Annual Conference Program Commissioner (2012-2014)
Taiwanese Sociological Association (TSA)
Deputy Secretary-General (2022-2023)

CAMPUS SERVICES (SELECTED)

National Taiwan University

College of Social Sciences Curriculum Committee Member (2022-)
Seed Instructor for Bilingual Education (2023-2024)

Occidental College

Human Subjects Research Review Committee (2017-2019)

University of Wisconsin–Madison

Student Representative, Department of Community & Environmental Sociology (2011, 2013)

Yale University

President, Yale Taiwanese Student Association (2008-2009)

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS & LANGUAGES

Professional Certificates

ISO14064 Greenhouse Gas Accounting and Verification, Internal Auditor
Taiwan EPA Carbon Offset Project Training
Taiwan EPA Wastewater Manager (Level II)

Languages

English (Fluent); Mandarin Chinese (Native); Taiwanese (Native); Spanish (Basic)

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