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APPOINTMENTS

The Ohio State University

2024- Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology
Faculty Affiliate, Center for Ethnic Studies
Faculty Affiliate, Asian American Studies

University of Pennsylvania

2021-2024 Provost's Postdoctoral Fellow, Department of Sociology

EDUCATION

Columbia University in the City of New York

2021 PhD, Sociology
2019 MPhil, Sociology
2018 M.A., Sociology

University of Michigan School of Public Health

2014 Master of Public Health, Health Management and Policy

University of California, Berkeley

2010 Bachelor of Arts, Public Health and French

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-Reviewed Articles

- 2026 Huang, Tiffany J., Van C. Tran, and Mehr Mumtaz. "Asian Diaspora Research in *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, 1978-2025." *Ethnic and Racial Studies* (online first).
- 2025 Huang, Tiffany J. and Estela Diaz. "Inequality and moral meaning-making in the admissions consulting profession." *Social Problems* (online first).
- 2024 Huang, Tiffany J. "Translating authentic selves into authentic applications: private college consulting and selective college admissions." *Sociology of Education* 97(2):174-192.
- Honorable Mention, Outstanding Emerging Scholar Research Article award, Social Science Caucus, Association for Asian American Studies (AAAS)

- Featured on the *Sociology of Education* podcast (April 2024)
- 2023 Huang, Tiffany J. “What We Talk About When We Talk About Ethnicity: Revealing Norms Governing Hispanic Self-Classification and Appraisal in an Online College Forum.” *Sociology of Race and Ethnicity* 9(4):502-517.
- 2023 Huang, Tiffany J. “Misperceptions of Immigrant Flows and Their Associations with Anti-Immigrant Attitudes.” *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 49(19):4870-4886.
- 2021 Abascal, Maria, Tiffany J. Huang, and Van Tran (equal co-authors). “Intervening in Anti-Immigrant Sentiments: The Causal Effects of Factual Information on Attitudes Toward Immigration.” *The ANNALS of the American Academy of Political and Social Sciences* 697(1):174-191.
 - Featured in Edsall, Thomas, “The ‘Third Rail of American Politics Is Still Electrifying,” *New York Times* (2021)
- 2021 Huang, Tiffany J. “Perceived Discrimination and Intergroup Commonality Among Asian Americans.” *RSF: The Russell Sage Foundation Journal of the Social Sciences* 7(2):180-200.
 - Featured on NBC New York (2021)
- 2021 Huang, Tiffany J. “Negotiating the workplace: second-generation Asian American professionals’ early experiences.” *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies* 47(11):2477-2496.
- 2020 Tran, Van C., Fei Guo and Tiffany J. Huang. “The Integration Paradox: Asian Immigrants in Australia and in the United States.” *The ANNALS of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* 690(1):36-60.
- 2019 Tran, Van C., Jennifer Lee, and Tiffany J. Huang. “Revisiting the Asian Second-Generation Advantage.” *Ethnic and Racial Studies* 42(13): 2248-2269.
 - Featured on Marketplace, *Inside Higher Ed*, Southern California Public Radio, Phys.org, and InHerSight

Commentary and Opinion-Editorials

- 2021 Lee, Jennifer and Tiffany J. Huang. "Reckoning with Asian America." *Science* 372(6537):8.
- 2021 Lee, Jennifer and Tiffany J. Huang. “Why the trope of Black-Asian conflict in the face of anti-Asian violence dismisses solidarity.” The Brookings Institution.
 - Featured in Edsall, Thomas, “Will Asian Americans Bolt From the Democratic Party?,” *New York Times* (2022)
- 2021 Lee, Jennifer and Tiffany J. Huang. “Re-imagining safety, belonging, and justice in the wake of anti-Asian violence.” The Brookings Institution.
- 2017 Huang, Tiffany J. “Yes, All Women. Asian-American Women, Too.” *Reappropriate.co*.

Research Reports

- 2022 Huang, Tiffany J. “The importance of Asian American identity for Asian Americans: a quantitative analysis.” *Data Bits*. AAPI Data.
- 2020 Abascal, Maria, Tiffany Huang, Jennifer Lee, and Van Tran. “The Effect of Factual Information About Immigration on Attitudes Toward Immigration and Related Policies.” Report prepared for the Southern Poverty Law Center, February 2020.

Book Reviews

- 2022 Huang, Tiffany J. Review of “Race at the Top: Asian Americans and Whites in Pursuit of the American Dream in Suburban Schools” by Natasha Warikoo in *ASA Sociology of Culture Newsletter* 39(3):25-26.
- 2021 Huang, Tiffany J. and Estela Diaz. Review of “Hyper Education: Why Good Schools, Good Grades, and Good Behavior Are Not Enough” by Pawan Dhingra in *Social Forces* 99(3):e11.
- 2020 Huang, Tiffany J. and Jennifer Lee. Review of “Origins and Destinations: The Making of the Second Generation” by Renee Luthra, Roger David Waldinger, and Thomas Soehl in *Contemporary Sociology* 49(2):184-186.
- 2019 Huang, Tiffany J. and Jennifer Lee. Review of “Raising Global Families: Parenting, Immigration, and Class in Taiwan and the US” by Pei-Chia Lan in *Social Forces* 97(4): e1-e3.

AWARDS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

Research grants

- 2025 Research grant (\$75,000), Russell Sage Foundation (co-funded by The Spencer Foundation), “The Effects of the 2023 Supreme Court Affirmative Action Rulings on College Presentation Strategies” (PIs: Byungkyu Lee, Maria Abascal, Tiffany J. Huang)
- 2023 Short Studies Program, Time-Sharing Experiments for the Social Sciences (TESS)
- 2017-2020 Research Support Grants (\$2,274 total), Department of Sociology, Columbia University
- 2018 Research Assistant under research grant, Southern Poverty Law Center, “Intervening in Attitudes About Immigration” (PIs: Maria Abascal, Jennifer Lee, and Van Tran)

Travel grants

- 2019 William T. Grant Foundation Travel Award (\$1,500), RC28, International Sociological Association
- 2019 Conference Travel Grant, Eastern Sociological Society

Fellowships

- 2025 Scholar, Inaugural Cohort, Public Persuasion Project, AAPI Data
- 2022-2024 Provost's Postdoctoral Fellowship, University of Pennsylvania
- 2020-2021 Fellow in Academic Administration (\$2,000), Office of the Executive Vice President for Arts & Sciences, Columbia University
- 2016-2021 Paul F. Lazarsfeld Fellow, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Columbia University
- 2019 Research Collective Fellow, Office of Academic Diversity and Inclusion, Columbia University
- 2017 Student Fellow, Summer School on Social Cohesion, Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences

Awards

- 2026 Honorable mention, Outstanding Emerging Scholar article award, Social Science Caucus, Association for Asian American Studies
- 2021 Daniel Bell Award for Public Sociology (\$1,500), Department of Sociology, Columbia University

PRESENTATIONS

Invited Presentations

External

- 2026 Author Meets Critics panel for *Race, Class and Affirmative Action* by Julie J. Park, Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting
- 2024 Culture and Social Analysis Workshop, Harvard University
- 2023 Department of Sociology, Rutgers University
Department of Sociology and Brooks School of Public Policy, Cornell University
Department of Sociology, The Ohio State University
Department of Sociology, Boston University
Department of Sociology, Hunter College
- 2022 Department of Sociology, University of British Columbia
Department of Sociology and Education Studies Program, Brandeis University

Internal

- 2022 *Asian America Across the Disciplines* series, University of Pennsylvania
Asian Pacific Student Coalition, University of Pennsylvania
- 2021 Asian American Studies Program, *Food for Thought* series, University of Pennsylvania
Department of Sociology Colloquium Series, University of Pennsylvania
Panel, *Combating Anti-Asian Racism and Xenophobia*, Columbia Global Centers | Beijing
- 2019 *Scholars on Scene*, Office of Academic Diversity and Inclusion, Columbia University

Conference Presentations (Refereed Submissions)

2026	Annual Meeting, Eastern Sociological Society
2025	Section session, Annual Meeting, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Association for Asian American Studies
2024	Annual Meeting, Association for Asian American Studies Annual Meeting, Eastern Sociological Society (with Estela Diaz) Annual Meeting, Sociology of Education Association (with Estela Diaz)
2023	Regular session, Annual Meeting, American Sociological Association
2021	Roundtable, Annual Meeting, American Sociological Association
2020	Annual Meeting, Association for Asian American Studies (accepted; event canceled) Annual Meeting, Eastern Sociological Society
2019	<i>Asian Americans: Heterogeneity and Diversity</i> symposium, Russell Sage Research Symposium, Office of Academic Diversity and Inclusion, Columbia University RC28 Summer Meeting, International Sociological Association Section session, Annual Meeting, American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Eastern Sociological Society
2017	Summer School on Social Cohesion, Bremen International Graduate School of Social Sciences

Workshop Presentations

2025	SocPIE (Power, Inequality, and Economy), Ohio State University
2024	Education Research Section, Princeton University (with Estela Diaz)
2022	Experimental Design Workshop, Columbia University (with Maria Abascal) Asia and Asian America Working Group, University of Pennsylvania
2021	Race, Ethnicity, and Migration Workshop, Columbia University
2020	Center for Wealth and Inequality, Columbia University
2018	Race, Ethnicity, and Migration Workshop, Columbia University
2017	Experimental Design Workshop, Columbia University Race, Ethnicity, and Migration Workshop, Columbia University

TEACHING

The Ohio State University

The Sociology of Asian American Life (Fall 2026)
Sociology of Immigration (Fall 2024, Spring 2025, Fall 2025, Spring 2026)

University of Pennsylvania

Instructor of record, Asian Americans in Contemporary Society (Spring 2024)

Columbia University

Instructor of record, Sociology of Immigration (Summer 2020)
Instructor & mentor, Summer Research Program (Summer 2019)
Teaching Assistant, The Social World, Dr. Teresa Sharpe (Fall 2018)
Teaching Assistant, Sexuality and Society, Dr. Benjamin Haber (Spring 2018)
Teaching Assistant (co-lead), Global Urbanism, Dr. Saskia Sassen (Fall 2017)

ADVISING AND MENTORSHIP

The Ohio State University

Dissertation committees

2026 Fei Xie

Exam committees

2025 Rezwanul Karim

Columbia University

2017-2018 Mentor, INCITE Social Sciences Summer program

ACTIVITIES, SERVICE, AND AFFILIATIONS

Service to the Profession

American Sociological Association

2025 Roundtable organizer, International Migration Section
2021-2024 Communications Committee, International Migration Section
2022, 2024 Book Award Committee, Asia and Asian America Section

Journals

2023- Editorial Board member, *Ethnic and Racial Studies*

Ad hoc	Reviewer for:	
	<i>American Journal of Sociology</i>	<i>Social Currents</i>
	<i>American Sociological Review</i>	<i>Social Forces</i>
	<i>Ethnicities</i>	<i>Social Problems</i>
	<i>Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies</i>	<i>The Social Science Journal</i>
	<i>International Migration Review</i>	<i>Social Science Research</i>
	<i>Population Research and Policy Review</i>	<i>Sociological Science</i>
	<i>Race and Social Problems</i>	<i>Sociology of Race and Ethnicity</i>
	<i>Research in Social Stratification and Mobility</i>	

University and Departmental Service

The Ohio State University

2025-2026 Faculty recruitment committee member (social inequality), Sociology
2024-2025 Events committee member, Sociology

University of Pennsylvania

2022-2023 Coordinator, Asia and Asian America Working Group

Columbia University

2018-2021 Student Co-Coordinator, Race, Ethnicity, and Migration Workshop

2017-2018 Committee Member, ISERP Interdisciplinary Graduate Seminar Series

Public Service

2022 Member, Narrative Advisory Council, Asian American Futures (501(c)(3))

2017-2021 Research Committee volunteer, The Gathering for Justice (social justice 501(c)(3))

Affiliations

American Sociological Association

Association for Asian American Studies