

# Jianbo Luo

## *Curriculum Vitae*

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### **Education**

Ph.D., Economics, GPA 3.71, University at Buffalo, The State University of New York, 2017 (expected)

Committee Members: Dr. Neel Rao (Advisor), Dr. Alex Anas, Dr. Peter Morgan

M.A., Economics, University at Buffalo, The State University of New York, 2013

MBA, Nanjing University, *Excellent Graduate Student*, 2011

B.S., Mechanical Engineering and Automation, Tsinghua University, 2004

### **Field of Interest**

Labor Economics, Behavioral Economics, Public Economics, Applied Microeconomics

### **Revise/Resubmit Papers**

TCR = ISI (Journal Citation Reports 2014) total cites ranking in the relevant category.

Unemployment and Unhappiness: The Role of Pecuniary Factors (Rejected with invitation to resubmit as new manuscript, *Journal of Happiness Studies*, TCR=14/95 in Interdisciplinary Social Science; TCR=42/129 in Multidisciplinary Psychology)

### **Working Papers**

A Pecuniary Explanation for the Heterogeneous Effects of Unemployment on Happiness (Job Market Paper.

Under review, *Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics*, until 2014 titled *Journal of Socio-Economics*, TCR=114/333 in Economics)

Intertemporal and Reference-dependence? The Wage Elasticity of New York City Taxi Drivers

### **Work in Progress**

The Fixed Cost of Living and Its Applications.

Why Is There No Happiness Adaptation to Unemployment?

Is Work a Burden? It Depends!

The Wage Income Growth of EITC Recipients.

Is Wage Income Elasticity a Sufficient Statistic? Evidence from EITC Recipients.

The Role of In-work Benefit in Optimal Income Taxation.

### **Teaching Experience (University at Buffalo)**

*Primary Instructor*

Fall 2015              Money and Banking

Spring 2015         Econometrics I

Fall 2014             Microeconomic Theory

### *Teaching Assistant*

2011-2014          Intro to Micro, Intro to Macro, Macroeconomic Theory, Microeconomic Theory, International Finance, Financial Economics II, Development Economics, Urban Economics, Economics Public Sector, Econ Fluctuation & Forecast

### **Scholarships**

2015                  Conference trip funding  
2011-2014          TA Assistantship

### **Working Experience**

2007-2011          Ford Motor Research & Engineering (Nanjing) Co., Ltd  
2004-2007          Beijing Hyundai Motor Company  
2002-2004          Excellence Network

### **Reference**

The reference letters are provided by

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2. My committee member, Dr. Alex Anas, 716-645-8663, alexanas@buffalo.edu
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