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EDUCATION

2001-2005 PhD in Sociology (Crime, Law & Justice), Pennsylvania State University, University Park
Supervisor: Prof. Darrell Steffensmeier

2000-2001 MA in Sociology, the University of Akron, Ohio, United States
Supervisor: Prof. Celia Lo

1995-1999 BA in Sociology (Minor in law), Peking University, Beijing, China
Supervisor: Prof. Xin Tong

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Jan 2012-Present, Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, CUHK

Aug 2018-Present, Associate Director, Chinese Law Programme, Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, CUHK

Aug 2018-July 2022, Director, Gender Studies Programme, CUHK

Jan 2006-Dec 2011, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, CUHK

MAIN RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Sociology of Crime and Deviance
- Criminology
- Youth Studies
- Gender Studies
- Development and Social Change
- China Studies

LIST OF RESEARCH OUTPUTS OR CREATIVE WORKS

Refereed Journal Papers (*corresponding author)

X. Jia, **H. Zhong***, Q. Wang & Q. Wu. 2025. "Gender Disparities in Pandemic-Related Strains, Digital Coping Strategies, and Protective Mechanisms Among Rural-to-Urban Migrant Working Adolescents in China" *Behavioural Science* (online first)

Xiao, J., Q. Xiao, T. Luo and **H. Zhong***. 2024. "What Happens After "Nora Leaves Home"? Chinese Female Rural-to-Urban Migrants in the Sex Webcamming Industry." *Feminist Criminology*: 15570851241297655.

- Shuling, Gao, Yannan Tian, Mark Assink, Xianxin, Meng, **Hua Zhong*** and Ko Ling Chan. 2024. "Child Maltreatment as a Risk Factor for Callous-Unemotional Traits: A Three-Level Meta-Analytic Review." *Trauma, Violence & Abuse*, 15248380241287160
- Siu, Jacky Cheuk Lap, **Hua Zhong*** & Amy Nivette. 2024. "Exploring the Impact of Routine Activity and Financial Strain on Fraud Victimization during the COVID-19 Pandemic in Hong Kong". *Asian Journal of Criminology* 19(3): 441-458.
- Gloria, Yuxuan Gu and **Hua Zhong***. 2024. "The Relationship between Gender Inequality and Female-Victim Intimate Partner Homicide in China: Amelioration, Backlash or Both?" *Justice Quarterly*, DOI: 10.1080/07418825.2024.2368135
- Lu, Huan, Lin Liu, **Hua Zhong**, and Bin Jiang. 2024. "A dose of nature to reduce sexual crimes in public outdoor spaces: Proposing the Landscape-Sexual Crime Model." *Landscape and Urban Planning* 250 (2024): 105143.
- Chen, Xi, Yue Liu and **Hua Zhong***. 2023. "Generalized trust among rural-to-urban migrants in China: Role of relative deprivation and neighborhood context." *International Journal of Intercultural Relations* 94: 101784.
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- Kelvin, Lam, **Hua Zhong***, and Gloria Yuxuan Gu. 2023. "Classic assimilation, self-selection and parent status: An analysis of the central-local political trust among highly educated Mainland migrants in Hong Kong". *Asian and Pacific Migration Journal* 32 (1): 83-104.
- Gao, Shuling, Ko Ling Chan, Shimin Chen, and **Hua Zhong**. 2023. Bullying victimization and depression among left-behind adolescents in rural China: Roles of hopelessness and grit. *School Mental Health*, 15(3), 1–11. DOI: 10.1007/s12310-023-09579-w.
- Cheung, Nicole WT. and **Hua Zhong**. 2022. "Assessing the Victim-Offender Overlap among Adolescents in Rural China". *Crime & Delinquency*, 00111287221083888.
- Cheung, Nicole WT, & **Hua Zhong**. 2022. "Deviant versus nondeviant routines, social guardianship and adolescent victimization in the rural context of China". *Journal of Interpersonal Violence (SSCI Q1)*, 37(7-8), NP4527-NP4557.
- Zhong, Hua**, Gloria Xuyuan Gu*, Siu Cheuk Lap and Nicole WT Cheung. 2022. "Revisited Rural Boarding Schools in China: Social Bonds, Self-Efficacy, and Academic Performance among Left-Behind Children and Non-Left-Behind Children" (in Chinese). *Hubei Social Science* 12: 42-50.
- Asiama AA and Hua **Zhong**. 2022. "Victims rational decision: A theoretical and empirical explanation of dark figures in crime statistics". *COGENT SOCIAL SCIENCES* vol.8 no.1 <359832112>.
- Yao, Wei, Jacky C. L. Siu, and **Hua Zhong**. 2022. "Pandemic-Related Strain, Negative Emotions and Delinquent Copings among Chinese Adolescents: Public High Schools VS. Vocational High Schools." *International Journal of Social Policy & Education* 3(12):74-81.
- Asiama, Aikins, Kelvin Lam and **Hua Zhong**. 2021. "Chase Out or Unfortunate Coping Strategy? Analysis of Urban Settlement of the Homeless Addicts at Public Parks." *Journal of Addiction Therapy and Research* 5: 020-026. DOI: 10.29328/journal.jatr.1001018
- Chen, Xi & **Hua Zhong***. 2021. "Development and Crime Drop: A Time-Series Analysis of Crime Rates in Hong Kong in Last Three Decades." *International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology* 65. doi.org:10.1177/0306624X20969946.

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Shen Yinzhi and **Hua Zhong**. 2018. "Rural-to-Urban Migration and Juvenile Delinquency in Urban China: A Social Control Perspective." *Asian Journal of Criminology* 13-3: 207-229.

Zhong, Hua and Zhang, Yunran. 2018. "Establishing and Improving Mechanism against Sexual Harassment in Higher Education Institutions with Reference to Hong Kong." (in Chinese). *People-Rule of Law* 2: 92-93.

Jiang, Bin, C. N. S. Mak, **Hua Zhong** & C.J. Webster. 2018. "From broken windows to perceived routine activities: Examining impacts of environmental interventions on perceived safety of urban alleys." *Frontiers in psychology* 9: 2450.

Lin Peng, Yuan Xu, **Hua Zhong**, Tai Wei Lim, and Fengshi Wu. 2018. "Chronic Non-compliance and Ineffective Enforcement in Guangzhou". *China Policy Journal* 1(1).

Zhang, Yunran and **Hua Zhong**. 2017. "Drug Use Patterns in China: From Past to Present." *Forensic Science and Addiction Research* 1(5): 1-4.

Zhong, Hua, Jianhua Xu and Alex R. Piquero. 2017. "Internal Migration, Social Exclusion, and Victimization: An Analysis of Chinese Rural-to-Urban." *Journal of Research in Crime and Delinquency* 54-4: 479-514.

Steffensmeier, Darrell, **Hua Zhong** and Yunmei Lu. 2017. "Age and its relation to crime in Taiwan and United States: Invariant, or Does Cultural Context Matter?" *Criminology* 55(2):377-404. SSCI Q1:3rd out of 113 Criminology & Penology

Jiang, Bin, Cecilia Nga Sze MAK, Linda LARSEN and **Hua ZHONG**. 2017. "Minimizing the gender gap in perceived safety: Comparing the effects of urban back alley interventions." *Journal of Environmental Psychology* 51:117-131.

Celia, C. Lo, Tyrone C. Cheng, Maggie Bohm and **Hua Zhong**. 2016. "Rural-to-Urban Migration, Strain, and Juvenile Delinquency: A Study of Eighth-Grade Students in Guangzhou, China." *International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology* 62(2): 334-359.

Zhong, Hua and Tuoqian Xu. 2016. "Social Science Studies under the Framework of 'One Belt, One Road': Hong Kong as an Example" (in Chinese). *Hong Kong & Macau Journal* 11: 75-81.

Shen, Yinzhi and **Hua Zhong**. 2015. "Testing Social Control Theory: Juvenile Delinquency in Urban China" (in Chinese). *Jing Yue Police Journal (Jing Yue Xue Kan)* January: 104-112.

Zhong, Hua and Xi Chen. 2013. "Crime, Victimization and Criminal Justice Policies in Hong Kong" (in Chinese). *Journal of Guangxi University (Philosophy and Social Science)* 35:62-86.

Chen, Xi and **Hua Zhong**. 2013. "Delinquency and Crime among Immigrant Youth—an Integrative Review of Theoretical Explanations." *Laws* 2: 210-232. ESCI Q1: 80th out of 421 Law

Zhong, Hua. 2012. "Social Development and Age-Crime Distributions in Taiwan" (in Chinese). *Youth Exploration (Qing Nian Tan Suo)* 5: 20-26.

Chen, Xi and **Hua Zhong**. 2012. "Strain, Negative emotions and Delinquency among Migrant Children"

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Meng, Hong and **Zhong, Hua**. 2011. "Being 'Normal' or 'Addictive': Patterns and Mechanisms of Internet Use among Adolescents in China" (in Chinese). *Youth Exploration (Qing Nian Tan Suo)* 6: 54-61.

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Zhong, Hua & Jennifer Schwartz. 2009. "Exploring Gender-Specific Trends in Underage Drinking Across Adolescent Age Groups and Measures of Drinking: Is Girls' Drinking Catching Up with Boys'?" *Journal of Youth and Adolescence* 39(8): 911-926.

Schwartz Jennifer, Darrell Steffensmeier, **Hua Zhong** and Jeff Ackerman. 2009. "Trends in the Gender Gap in Violence: Reevaluating NCVS and other Evidence". *Criminology* 47:701-724.

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Book Chapters & Other Papers

Siu, Jacky Cheuk Lap and **Hua Zhong**. *Forthcoming*. "Explaining Juvenile Delinquency via Mainstream Criminological Theories: A Systematic Review of Empirical Studies in Hong Kong," in *Juvenile Delinquency and Victimization in Chinese Societies*, edited by Yue Zhuo & Hua Zhong. Routledge.

Zhong, Hua & Yunran Zhang. 2021. "Social Control of Crime in Asia." In *Oxford Research Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice*, edited by Edna Erez & Peter Ibarra. Oxford: Oxford University Press. <https://doi.org/10.1093/acrefore/9780190264079.013.623>

Zhong, Hua & Lee, King Wa. 2020. "Monitoring Recent Changes of Cross-Border Drug Use and their Implications for Prevention and Control Strategies." In *Hong Kong Basic Law Research 2019*, edited by Chao Xi and Hua Zhong. Hong Kong: Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Zhong, Hua & Judith A. Ryder. 2019. "Understanding women's antisocial and criminal behavior: A global review". In F. M. Cheung & D.F. Halpern (Eds.), *Cambridge International Handbook on Psychology of Women*. Cambridge University Press.

Zhong, Hua & Yunran Zhang. 2018. "Preventing Cybercrime and Cyberbullying among Youth in China" (in Chinese; pp.155-176). In *Protecting Chinese Youth in Cyberspace*, edited by Kebin Zhao, Zhi Zhao and Hua Zhong et al. Beijing: Social Science Academic Press.

Carmen Wong, Anne Scully Hill, **Hua Zhong** and Irene Ng Wai-Ching. 2018. "Chapter 51: Interpersonal violence-domestic violence". In *Oxford Textbook of Mental Health*, ed. by Dinesh Bhugra, Kam Bhui, Samuel Wong, and Stephen Gilman. Oxford University Press.

Zhong, Hua & Yue Liu. 2016. "Crime and Social Control in China" (in Chinese). In Kin Man Chan and Hua Zhong (eds), *Difficult Transformation: Contemporary Chinese Society*. HK: The Chinese University Press.

Cheung, Yuet Wah and **Hua Zhong.** 2014. "Official reactions to crime and drug problems in Hong Kong." Pp 295-308, In *The Routledge Handbook of Chinese Criminology* ed. by Cao Liqun, Ivan Sun and Bill Heberton. Oxon, United Kingdom: Routledge.

Chen, Xi^ and **Hua Zhong.** 2014. "The relationships between substance use and crime" (in Chinese). In Jianhong Liu et al. (eds.), *New Encyclopedia of China against Drugs*. Beijing, China: China Law Press.

Lee, King Wa, Wai Ting Cheung and **Hua Zhong.** 2012. "Victimization and risk behaviors among girl-children". In *Women and girls in Hong Kong: Current Situations and Future Challenges* ed. by Susanne Y P Choi & Fanny M Cheung. pp.265-294. Hong Kong SAR: Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, CUHK.

Zhong, Hua. 2008. "Chapter 9: Feminism Criminology" (in Chinese). In Liqun Cao and Xin Ren (eds.), *Criminology*. Beijing, China: People's University Press.

Zhong, Hua. 2007. "Victim Protection in Domestic Violence: Current Situations and Future Development in China" (in Chinese). In Hongwei Zhang, Ying Huang and Ruohui Zhao (eds.), *Studies on Victim Protections: 100-119*. Beijing: China Court Press.

Zhong, Hua & Hua Guo. 2011. "Prison in this Era: A Cross-Cultural Comparison between the Peoples Republic of China and the United States." *Occasional Paper Series, HKIAPS*, 215: 1-24. Hong Kong: Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, CUHK

Zhong, Hua and Yuet-wah Cheung. 2007. "A Summary of the International Conference: Crime, Law and Justice in Chinese Societies---Global Challenges and Local Responses" (in Chinese). *Journal of the East China University of Political Science and Law* 52(3): 159-160.

Zhong, Hua. 2006. "Chapter 13: Constitutional Rights and Defenses during Trial" (translation from English to Chinese). In Hongwei Zhang (eds.), *Criminal Procedure: Law and Practice: 501-559*, originally written by Rolando V. del Carmen. Wadsworth of Thomson and Wuhan University Press.

Conference Papers

Zhong, Hua. August 2006. Presentation at the Macau Conference on Juvenile Delinquency: "The Effects of Social Development on Juvenile Delinquency: Taiwan as an Example". Also served as a presider for one of the three sessions.

Zhong, Hua. August 2006. "The Age-Homicide Relationship Across Time: Taiwan vs. the United States." Presented at the Annual Meeting of American Sociological Association in Montreal, Canada.

Zhong, Hua. December 2006. Initiated and Organized a Panel at Hong Kong Sociological Association Annual Conference: "Crime and Deviance--Latest Issues in Chinese Societies". Also made a presentation by myself: "Recent Trends in Women's Violence: A Comparison of Hong Kong and Taiwan."

Zhong, Hua. August 2007. "Prison in this Era: A Cross-Cultural Comparison between the People's Republic of China and the United States." Presented at the Annual Meeting of American Sociological Association in New York, the United States.

- Zhong, Hua. December 2008. "The Effects of Development on China Crime Trends." Presented at the Conference on "Dramatic Changes over the Last Three Decades: Social Influences of the Open-Reform Policy in China", which was co-organized by Department of Sociology, Fudan University and Department of Sociology, CUHK, and held in Shanghai, China.
- Zhong, Hua. November 2009. "Criminal Justice and Self-Help in Contemporary China: Reflections from a study of Chinese Migrant Workers." Presented at the Annual Conference of the American Society of Criminology in Philadelphia, the United States.
- Zhong, Hua. December 2009. "Violent Campus in Xinjiang: Confounding effects of Local Institutions, Regional Geo-Politics, and Globalizing Islamic Ideology." Presented at the 11th Annual Conference of the Hong Kong Sociological Association.
- Zhong, Hua. December 2009. "Coping with Victimization: Self-Help or Other Options?----A Study of Migrant Workers in an Urban-Village of Guangzhou." Presented at the Inauguration Conference of Asian Criminological Society in Macau.
- Zhong, Hua. July 2010. "The Application of Time Series Analysis in Studying Crime Trends." Presented at the Conference on "Research Methods in China Studies", which was organized by the Methodology Committee of the China Sociological Association, and held in Shanghai, China.
- Zhong, Hua. July 2010. "Migration and Victimization: A Study of Migrant Workers in Urban-Villages of Guangzhou." Presented at 2010 International Sociological Association World Congress in Gothenburg, Sweden.
- Zhong, Hua. November 2010. "The Effects of Modernization on Crime Trends: China as an Example." Presented at the Annual Conference of the American Society of Criminology in San Francisco, the United States.
- Zhong, Hua. August 2011. "Time-Series Analysis of Female Crime Trends in Taiwan, 1961-2008: Development and Female Offending." Presented at the 16th World Congress of International Society for Criminology in Kobe, Japan.
- Zhong, Hua and Hong Meng. Dec 2011. "Intra- and Extra-family Social Capital and Internet Addiction among Chinese Adolescents." Presented in the 3rd Annual Conference of Asian Criminological Society, organized by Asian Criminological Society, Taipei, Taiwan.
- Zhone, Hua. August 2012. "Stuck in the City: Delinquent Behaviors of Migrant Adolescents in Urban China." Paper presented in the 4th Annual Conference of Asian Criminological Society, Seoul, Korea.
- Zhong, Hua; Huanhua Zhang and Darrell Steffensmeier. Nov 2012. "Social Development & Female Crime Trends: Taiwan as an Example". Paper presented in the 68th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Criminology, organized by The American Society of Criminology, Chicago, United States.
- Zhong, Hua. July 2013. "Poverty, Inequality, and Crime Trends in London and Hong Kong, 1976-2010". Paper presented in the 2013 Annual Meeting of British Society of Criminology, Wolverhampton, UK.
- Li Tianjiao and Hua Zhong. Nov 2013. "Discriminative Newspaper Discourse: A Content Analysis on Delegitimation of Mainland Non-Citizen Pregnant Women in Hong Kong". International Conference on Hong Kong and Macao in the Development of Contemporary China Guangzhou, China.
- Zhong, Hua and King-Wa Lee. June 2014. "Poverty, Inequality, and Crime in Hong Kong: a Spatio-

temporal Analysis Using GIS and Its Implications for Future Policing." Presented at the 6th annual meeting of Asian Criminological Society, Osaka, Japan.

Zhong, Hua and Xi Chen. Oct 2014. "Migration, Strain, and Substance Use among Migrant Adolescents in Guangzhou." Presented at the Conference on Comparative Studies on the Migration of Yangtze River Delta and Pearl River Delta, Shanghai, China.

Zhong, Hua and Hong Meng. June 2015. "Deterrence, Life Course, or Recreational Drug Use? Exploring the Transitions of Cross-Border Drug Use in Hong Kong and Shenzhen." Asian Criminological Society 7th Annual Conference, Hong Kong.

Zhong, Hua. September 2015. "Social Exclusion, Routine Activities, and Social Disorganization: A Multi-Level Analysis of Victimization among Chinese Rural-to-Urban migrants". Paper presented in the 15th Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology, Porto.

Zhong, Hua, Tianji Cai and Xi Chen. Nov 2015. "Genes, Environment and Drug Abuse studies in Chinese Societies: Current Situations and Future Directions." International Conference on Drug Abuse Prevention and Treatment in Asia 2015, Macau.

Yunran, Zhang, Zhong, Hua and Junxiu Wang. June 2016. "Perceived Social Justice, Trust in Government, and Perceived Safety in Urban China: the case of Guangzhou." Paper presented in the 8th Annual Conference of Asian Criminological Society, Beijing, China.

Zhong, Hua and Xi Chen. Nov 2016. "Genes, Social Environment and Substance Abuse: A Study on Young Males in China." Paper presented at the 72th Annual Conference of the American Society of Criminology in New Orleans, the United States.

Zhong, Hua. June 2017. "Social Development and Crime Trends: Cross-Cultural Comparisons." Thematic Speech at the Annual Research Method Workshop of the Chinese Criminological Association in Beijing, China.

Zhong, Hua, Rui Yuan and Jianhua Xu. July 2017. "Social exclusion, risky routine activities and disorganized communities: an analysis of victimization among Chinese migrant workers." Paper presented in the 9th Annual Conference of Asian Criminological Society, Cairns, Australia.

Zhong, Hua. July 2017. "Situations of cybercrime and the corresponding social responses in modern China: Learning from Western experiences." Paper presented in the 5th International Conference on Cybercrime and Computer Forensics, Gold Coast, Australia.

Zhong, Hua. November 2017. "Cross-Border Drug Use in Hong Kong: Recent Patterns and Theoretical Explanations." Paper presented in the Fifth Annual Meeting of Asian Association for Substance Abuse Research, Kunming, Yunnan, China.

Zhong, Hua, Nicole, Wai-ting Cheung & Yunran Zhang. Dec 2017. "Substance use and school bullying among left-behind Children in China: low self-control or influenced by delinquent peers?" 2017 Annual Conference of Hong Kong Sociological Association, Hong Kong.

Zhong, Hua & Kent King-wa Lee. May 2018. "'Monitoring Recent Changes of Cross-Border Drug Use and Their Implications for Prevention/Control Strategies". Paper presented at the International Meeting on Empirical Studies of Criminal Justice, hosted by Faculty of Law at Peking University, Beijing, China.

Zhong, Hua, Rui Yuan and Jianhua Xu. June 2018. "A Multilevel Analysis of Victimization among Migrant Workers in China: Social Exclusion, Routine Activities and Social Disorganization." Paper presented in the 16th International Symposium of the World Society of Victimology, Hong Kong.

Cai, Tianji, Hua Zhong, Li Du & Yanyu Xin. June 2018. "Cyber fraud and its prevention: an analysis from

the perspective of the underground economy.” Paper presented in 3rd China-US Policing Studies Forum, Beijing, China.

Zhong, Hua, Nicole, Wai-ting Cheung & Yunran Zhang. June 2018. “School bullying and cyberbullying among rural children in China: weak social control or influenced by delinquent peers.” Paper presented in 10th Annual Conference of Asian Criminological Society, Penang, Malaysia.

Zhong, Hua, Tianji Cai and Li Du. Nov 2018. “Social Development and Cybercrime in China: Evidence from Published Judgments and Media Reports.” Paper presented in 74th Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology, Atlanta, US.

Zhong, Hua and Tianji Cai. Dec 2018. "Social Development and Types of Violent Crime in China: Cases from Two Provinces of Judgment Documents." Paper presented in the 20th Annual Meeting of Hong Kong Sociological Association, Hong Kong.

Zhong, Hua, Xi Chen, Nicole, Wai-ting Cheung et al. Sept 2019. “Gene by Social-Environment Interaction for Substance Abuse: A Pilot Study in Chinese Population.” Presented at the 3rd Belt & Road Initiative Global Health International Congress & 2019 Global Health Forum of the University Alliance of the Silk Road, Xi’an, China

Nicole, Wai-ting Cheung & Hua Zhong. Nov 2019. “Routine Activities, Social Strain and Juvenile Victimization in Rural China: Does Gender Matter?” Paper presented in 75th Annual Meeting of American Society of Criminology, San Francisco, US.

Zhong, Hua. Dec 2019. “Procedural Justice and Gender Equality: Mechanisms and Practices against Sexual Harassment in Higher Education Institutions of Hong Kong” Paper presented in the 5th Congress of the Asian Association of Women’s Studies, Seoul, Korea.

Zhong, Hua & Nicole Wai-ting Cheung. March 2020. “Bullying perpetration and bullying victimization among left-behind and non-left-behind children in rural boarding schools: theoretical explanations and policy implications.” Society for Research on Adolescence Biennial Meeting at San Diego, US.
https://convention2.allacademic.com/one/sra/sra20/index.php?cmd=Online+Program+View+Paper&selected_paper_id=1618462&PHPSESSID=rukur147b0p4cmj8tti9khs

Lam, Kelvin and Hua Zhong. Aug 2020. “Whether You Get Help or Not is Still by Chance: Linking Capital-related Theories to Revisit Asylum Seekers’ Coping Strategies in Hong Kong.” Presented at 2020 ASA (through zoom).

Zhong, Hua & Kelvin, Lam. May 2021. “Assimilation, Life Stage & Political Trust/Distrust among High-Skilled Mainland Migrants in Hong Kong.” Presented at the Greater Bay Area E-Forum, organized by Department of Sociology, University of Hong Kong.

Zhong, Hua, Nicole Cheung & Gloria Yuxuan Gu. March 2021. “Strain, Psychological Unwellness and School Performance in Rural China: the Disparities between Female and Male Adolescents.” WUN conference on Gender and (Im)Mobility in Uncertain Times (via zoom)

Zhong, Hua et al. June 2021. “Institutional Anomie, Social Inequality and Opportunity Theories Revisited: Analyzing Economic and Non-Economic Homicide Cases from Judgment Documents of China.” 13th Annual Meeting of Asian Criminological Society (via zoom).

Yao, Wei, Hua Zhong & Cheuk Lap Siu. Nov 2021. “Pandemic-Related Strain, Resilience and Digital Delinquent Coping: Preliminary Results from a Pilot Study on High School Students in Shenzhen.” presented at the 2021 meeting of International Chinese Sociological Association (online).

Zhong, Hua, Yanyu Xin, Sitao Li and Gloria Yuxuan Gu. June 2021. “Institutional Anomie, Social Inequality and Opportunity Theories Revisited: Analyzing Economic and Non-Economic

Homicide Cases from Judgment Documents of China.” 13th Annual Meeting of Asian Criminological Society (online).

Yao, Wei, Xinge Jia, and Hua ZHONG. 2022. “Pandemic-Related Strain, Resilience, and Psychological Well-Being among Chinese Migrant Children.” Presented at the 2022 Annual Conference of International Chinese Sociological Association (online).

Zhong, Hua. April 2023. “Pandemic-related strain and cyber delinquency among urban-native and rural-to-urban migrant children in Shenzhen: A moderated mediation analysis of negative emotions and resilience.” Presented in the International Migration Studies Workshop (via zoom), held by The Chinese University of Hong Kong – Xi’an Jiaotong University Joint Research Centre on Migration.

Zhong, Hua & Gloria Yuxuan Gu. June 2023. “Exploring the Relationship Between Gender Inequality and Female-Victim Intimate Partner Homicide in China via Data Mining Approach: Evidence from the China Judgements Database.” presented at the International Conference on Advanced empirical criminological studies in a digital age, Xining, Qinghai, China.

Zhong, Hua & Gloria Yuxuan Gu. July 2023. “Age-Homicide Curve in China.” Presented at the annual conference of Chinese Sociological Association, Tianjin, China.

Zhong, Hua, Yuxuan Gu & Darrell Steffensmeier. June 2024. “Revisiting the Inverted “J” Age-Crime Distribution: Comparing the Age-Homicide Distribution in the US and China.” Presented at 18th Stockholm Criminology Symposium, Sweden.

Zhong, Hua. July 2024. “The Relationship between Strain, Conventional Beliefs, Resilience, Life Satisfaction, and Internet Use Among Migrant Working Youth in China.” Presented in the 2024 annual meeting of Chinese Sociological Association, Harbin, China.

KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER ACTIVITIES

Selected Media Exposure

Prof. Hua ZHONG was interviewed by Caixin (a leading Chinese media group) on the “rising” crime trend among early adolescents in China

(June 10, 2024)

[财新周刊 | 低龄犯罪之变 财新周刊频道 财新网 \(caixin.com\)](https://www.caixin.com/2024/06/10/low-age-crime-trend/)

Prof. Hua ZHONG was interviewed by South China Morning Post on cybercrime and human trafficking in China (May 28, 2022).

<https://www.scmp.com/news/china/politics/article/3179478/china-needs-work-rest-world-stop-cybercrimetrafficking>

Prof. Hua ZHONG was interviewed by Xinhua News (for internal report to the central government) on Gender Inequality in China (Feb 22, 2022).

Prof. Hua ZHONG was interviewed by BBC News (Chinese) on recent anti-society violence cases in China (June 15, 2021)

<https://www.bbc.com/zhongwen/simp/chinese-news-57468159>

Zhang, Yunran & Hua Zhong. “More efforts needed to fight drug abuse in the city.” China Daily (May 19 2020). <https://www.chinadailyhk.com/article/130946#More-efforts-needed-to-fight-drug-abuse-in-the-city>

Zhang, Yunran and Hua Zhong. “Let’s protect the windows of Hong Kong.” Sing Tao Daily A12. (Jan 14 2020)

Prof. Hua Zhong was interviewed by Bloomberg on Fentanyl problems (May 22, 2018)

<https://www.bloomberg.com/news/features/2018-05-22/deadly-chinese-fentanyl-is-creating-a-new-era-of-drug->

RESEARCH GRANTS

Competitive Grants

1. PI. "The relationship between boarding status and pathological internet use among Chinese rural students: an investigation of mediating and moderating social mechanisms." GRF14615824, HK\$459,000 (01/2025-12/2026).
2. Co-I. "In the Name of Romance: Sexual Abuse in Online Dating Perpetrated by Young Adult Men in Urban China" GRF 14614624, HKD579,500 (01/2025-12/2026)
3. Co-I. "Predictors of drug abuse and relapse among ethnic minorities in Hong Kong: A prospective longitudinal study". Beat Drugs Fund, Narcotics Division, Security Bureau of Hong Kong (Ref: BDF 220052), HK\$805,483 (01/2023–12/2025).
4. PI. "Internet use and misuse among rural students in "urbanized" rural communities", sponsored by The Chinese University of Hong Kong - Research Committee - Direct Grant (486108401), HK\$90,000 (06/2024-12/2025).
5. PI. "Who Realizes Their Online Intentions to Emigrate? What Distinguishes Emigrants from Potential Emigrants in the Context of Rapid and Sudden Social Change". GRF 14617723, HK\$ 613,000 (08/2023-02/2025).
6. Co-I. "A socioecological model of cyber victimization among adolescents in Asia: Evidence from cross-national data." Harvard-Yenching Cross-National Interdisciplinary Research Grant, HK\$273,683 (06/2024-05/2025)
7. Co-I. "Safe Dates Compromised: Understanding the Social and Situated Correlates of Adolescent Dating Aggression in China." GRF14613720, HK\$493,057 (01/2021-06/2023).
8. PI. "Pandemic-Related Strain, Negative Emotions and Delinquency: Migrant Students vs. Out-of-School Migrant Youth." Direct Grant 4052262, CUHK, HK\$49,800.00 (08/2021-12/2022).
9. Co-I. "A comparative study on the spatial and temporal distribution of juvenile delinquency in Chinese and American cities." (19SFB2023) sponsored by National Legal System and Legal Theory Research Fund, Ministry of Justice, China. RMB 20,000 (01/2020-12/2021).
10. PI. "Cross-border criminal justice under the framework of the Basic Law: a synthetic analysis of current policies, media-reported cases and interviews with law enforcers", Chinese Law Programme, HKIAPS, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, HK\$114,000 (10/2019-11/2020).
11. Co-I. "Institution Building in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area: The Qianhai Court as a Case Study". China Studies Area Seed Grant, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, HK\$680,000 (06/2019-06/2021).
12. Co-I. The Social and Economic Integration of Migrants in the Greater Bay Area (137843600) sponsored by Our Hong Kong Foundation Ltd, HK\$1,539,000 (08/2018-08/2020).
13. Co-I. "Moving to and Working in the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Bay Area Among Hong Kong Residents: Intention, Experience and Settlement Outcomes (137842674) sponsored by Policy Innovation and Co-ordination Office (PICO) - Strategic Public Policy Research (SPPR) Funding Scheme, HK\$ 3,706,000 (04/2019-04/2022).
14. PI. "Genes, Social Environment and Psychoactive Drug Addiction: A Study on Drug Abusers in China", Direct Grant, CUHK, HK\$99,400 (06/2017-11/2019)
15. PI. "A Multi-Level Analysis of Victimization among Chinese Migrant Workers: Testing Routine Activities, Social Exclusion, and Social Disorganization Theories" GRF U414140, HK\$364,000 (01/2015-06/2017).
16. PI. "Monitoring Recent Changes of Cross-border Drug Use and Their Implications for Prevention / Control Strategies" (SS13611) sponsored by Beat Drugs Fund, HK\$ 630,890 (08/2014-07/2016)
17. Co-I "Genes, Environment, and Addictive Behaviors: A Pilot Study in Hong Kong and Guangzhou" CUHK Social Science Faculty Collaborative Research Fund, HK\$400,000 (05/2015-04/2017).
18. Co-I. "How Far Are Left-Behind Adolescents Victimized in Rural China? A Closer Look at the Migration, Situational and Social Correlates of Rural Adolescent Victimization." GRFU516021, HK\$ 428,924 (01/2016-12/2018).
19. Co-I. "CUHK - CASS Joint Lab on Social Psychology" (SS15444) sponsored by Research Committee's One-off Funding for joint/lab and collaboration, HK\$1,000,000 (10/2015-06/2017)

20. Co-I. "Social Ties as Impetus and Social Strain as Hurdle? Career Exploration among Rural Migrant and Urban Native College Students in Urban China" (SS14916) sponsored by South China Programme, CUHK, HK\$92,000 (11/2014-10/2016).
21. Co-I. "Conformists or Deviants? - The Behavior and Underlying Mechanisms of Polluting Firms in the Pearl River Delta Region" (SS14438) sponsored by Faculty of Social Science, CUHK, HK\$172,074 (08/2014 to 07/2016)
22. Co-I. "The Attitudes of Local Residents toward Rural Labor Migrants in Pearl River Delta, China" (SS13922) sponsored by Faculty of Social Science, CUHK, HK\$124,287 (05/2014-12/2015)
23. PI "Poverty, Inequality, and Crime in Hong Kong, 1970-2011---a Spatio-Temporal Analysis Using GIS". Direct Grant, CUHK. HK\$53,656.00 (07/2012-12/2013).
24. PI. "Time-Series Analysis of Female Crime Trends in Taiwan, 1961-2008: Examining the Effects of Development on Female Criminal Involvement". GRF459410, Funded by the Research Grants Council in Hong Kong, HK\$363,975 (01/2011-12/2012).
25. Co-I. "Stuck in the City: Migration and Delinquency among Migrant Adolescents in Guangzhou". Research Research Grant from South China Programme, Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, CUHK. HK\$75,600 (06/2010-11/2011).
26. PI. "Coping with Victimization: Self-Help or Other Options?-A Study of Migrant Workers in Urban- Villages of Guangzhou". Research Grant from Chinese Law Programme, Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies CUHK. HK\$37,545 (07/2009-08/2010).
27. Co-I. "Barometer on China's Development." CUHK steering committee for Chinese Studies. HK\$ 3,123,000 (09/2007-08/2011).
28. PI. "Internet Addiction among Teenagers in Beijing". Direct Grant from CUHK. HK\$33,968 (05/2008-05/2009).

Non-Competitive Grants

1. PI. "Internet Use and Misuse among Rural Students in China: A Qualitative Exploration." Seed Funding of Department of Sociology, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, HK\$50,000 (06/2023-09/2024)
2. PI. "Pilot Study of Pandemic Strain and Coping Strategies among Migrant Youth." Collaborative Research Grant, Department of Sociology, CUHK, HK\$20,000 (05/2021-08/2022)
3. PI "Violent Campus in Xinjiang: Culture or Structure?" Small Grant from Dept. of Sociology, CUHK. HK\$16,860 (9/2007 –8/2009)
4. PI. "Effects of Development on Female Criminal Offending: A Comparison of Hong Kong and Taiwan." Small Grant from Department of Sociology, CUHK. HK\$ 27,000 (07/2006-05/2007).

AWARDS AND HONORS

1. The 2019 Outstanding Article Award, American Society of Criminology.
2. The 2018 Outstanding Contribution Award for the Division of Developmental and Life-Course Criminology, American Society of Criminology.

VISITING AND GUEST PROFESSORSHIP

June-July 2012, Visiting Scholar, Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica, Taiwan

Jan--June 2013, Visiting Scholar, Institute of Criminology, Cambridge University

July-Dec 2016, Visiting Scholar, Department of Sociology, Australian National University

Jan--June 2020, Visiting Scholar, Department of Sociology, University of California, Irvine

March-April 2024, Visiting Scholar, Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice, University of Maryland

May-June 2024, Visiting Scholar, Department of Sociology, Utrecht University, the Netherlands

EDITORSHIP

Books Edited

- Zhuo, Yue & **Hua Zhong** (ed.). *Forthcoming. Juvenile Delinquency and Victimization in Chinese Societies*. Routledge.
- Xi, Chao & **Hua Zhong** et al. (ed.). 2022. *Hong Kong Basic Law Research 2021*. Hong Kong: Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong.
- Xi, Chao & **Hua Zhong** et al. (ed.). 2021. *Hong Kong Basic Law Research 2020*. Hong Kong: Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong.
- Xi, Chao & **Hua Zhong** et al. (ed.). 2020. *Hong Kong Basic Law Research 2019*. Hong Kong: Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong.
- Kebin Zhao, Zhi Zhao and **Hua Zhong** et al. (ed.). 2018. *Protecting Chinese Youth in Cyberspace (in Chinese)*. Beijing: Social Science Academic Press.
- Chan, Kin Man and **Hua Zhong** (ed.). 2016. *Difficult Transformation: Contemporary Chinese Society (in Chinese)*. Hong Kong: The Chinese University Press.

INVITED PRESENTATIONS/ LECTURES

Invited Presentations/ Lectures at Conferences, Workshops, Research Institutes and Universities (after substantiation)

- Zhong, Hua. April 2024. "Examining the Regional Divide, Gender Inequality, and Age Disparities: A Data-Mining Analysis of Social Development and Homicide in China." Talk at the Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice, University of Maryland.
- Zhong, Hua. Feb 2024. "Gender Inequality in Academia: Career Development & Promotion Timelines in a HK University." Talk at Wednesday Seminars organized by Gender Studies, CUHK.
- Zhong, Hua. March 2023. "A brief introduction of law-making and law-processing in Hong Kong and in mainland China." Guest Lecture at Department of Sociology, Lingnan University.
- Zhong, Hua. Feb 2022. "Civilization and opportunity theories revisited—a data mining approach to analyze economic and noneconomic homicide cases from China's judgment documents." Zoom Talk organized by crime geography research network in China (led by Prof. Lin LIU from University of Cincinnati, USA).
- Zhong, Hua. Jan 2022. "Criminological Research Method Workshop--Secondary Data Analysis", Zoom Talk organized by Faculty of Law, Zhejiang University, China.
- Zhong, Hua. Nov 2020. "Social development and crime trends by gender by age and across culture--time-series studies in Mainland China, Hong Kong, Taiwan & the United States". Zoom & Bilibili Talk organized by Department of Sociology, Huazhong University of Science and Technology, China.
- Zhong, Hua. June 2018. "Social Development and Cybercrime in China: Evidence from Published Judgments." Talk at the East China University of Political Science and Law, Shanghai, China.
- Zhong, Hua. 2017. "Deterrence, life course, normalization of recreational drug use? –to explore the transition and the reasons behind the cross-border drug use in Hong Kong." Guest Lecture (online) at Health Sciences and Addictions Counselling, University of Lethbridge, Canada.

Zhong, Hua. 2015. "Drug abuse and Juvenile Delinquency in Hong Kong." Talk organized by Women's Federation of Shenzhen, China

Zhong, Hua. July 2012. "Age and Gender Disparities in Crime--Using Taiwan as an Example." Talk at Institute of Sociology, Taiwan Academia Sinica.

CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION

Organizing Chair, Forum on Cyber Crime, Cyber Delinquency and Cyber Victimization in the Digital Age: A Comparative Perspective (June 14, 2024), hosted at Utrecht University and co-organized by CUHK, Feb-June 2024.

Organizing Coordinator, Summer Delegation Visits in Summer 2023 and Summer 2024 for the Association of Chinese Criminology and Criminal Justice in the US (ACCCJ), co-organizing criminological conferences with Qinghai Normal University (2023), Taiwan Central Police University (2024), Zhejiang University (2024), Hunan University (2024), Xiangtan University (2024), and Southwestern Science and Technology University (2024), Feb 2023-July 2024.

Organizing Committee Member, Policy Forum on Education Reform and Workforce Mobility in the Greater Bay Area, China (June 6-7, 2022), held online and hosted by the Hong Kong Institute of Education (HKIER) at CUHK, Jan-June 2022.

Organizing Committee Member, IEEE International Symposium on Technology and Society 2022 (Nov 10-12, 2022), held online and based in Hong Kong, Aug 2021- Nov 2022.

Organizing Committee Member, the thematic meeting of *Society- Chinese Journal of Sociology*: Floating Population in Greater Bay Area (May 29, 2021), held online and based in Hong Kong, Jan 2020-Dec 2021.

Organizing Chair, International Forum on Cross-Border Criminal Justice (May 31-June 1st, 2019), held by Chinese Law Programme, HKIAPS, CUHK, Jan-June 2019.

Organizing Chair, 20th Annual Meeting of Hong Kong Sociological Association (HKSA on Dec 1st, 2018), held by Department of Sociology, CUHK, June-Dec 2018.

INTERNAL SERVICE

Department (over the past five years)

Ex-Co Member, Department of Sociology, 09/2017-Present (except one year)

Postgraduate Division Head, Department of Sociology, 08/2018-07/2019, 08/2022-07/2023 & 08/2024-07/2025

Chair, Research Committee, Department of Sociology, 08/2018-07/2019, 08/2022-/07/2023 & 08/2024-07/2025

Acting MA Director, Department of Sociology, 11/2021-07/2022

Member, Scholarships and Awards Committee, Department of Sociology, 08/2017-Present

*(Successfully secured donations to establish **TWO new scholarships** for the Department in 2023: Thesis Scholarship for Sociological Studies of Deviance, Crime & Law & Peking University Education Foundation--Hong Kong Exchange Scholarship)*

Member, Department Academic Personnel Committee (DAPC), Department of Sociology, 08/2015-07/2021

Vice Department Chair, Department of Sociology, 08/2018-07/2019

Mentor (one of the four undergraduate mentors who teach *Approaching Sociology*), Student Affairs Committee, Department of Sociology, 08/2010-Present (except my sabbatical years)

Faculty

One of the Five Searching Committee Members for the Department Head Hunting, invited by the Faculty Dean, 06/2024-02/2025

Elected Board Member, Faculty of Social Science, CUHK, 08/2021-07/2023

Director, Gender Studies Programme, appointed by the Faculty Dean, 08/2018-07/2022

Postgraduate Division Head, Gender Studies Programme, Faculty of Social Science, 08/2017-07/2018

MA Director, Gender Studies Programme, Faculty of Social Science, 08/2016-07/2017

College

Fellow, New Asia College, CUHK, 08/2017- 07/2027

Member, Academic Exchange Committee, New Asia College, CUHK, 08/2017-present

Member, Publication Committee, New Asia College, CUHK, 08/2019-present

Member, Environmental Protection Committee, New Asia College, CUHK, 08/2011-present

College Coordinator, New Asia College, Department of Sociology, 08/2017-07/2022

Elected Ex-Co Member, the Staff Association of New Asia College, CUHK, 12/2013-11/2015

University

Member (as the Faculty Representative), University Extension Board (Senate Committee on Sub-Degree, Professional and Continuing Education Programmes), 08/2015-07/2026

Member of the Investigation Team, Panel Against Sexual Harassment, CUHK, 01/2016-Present (Acting panel director when director is on leave)

Ex-Co member, Gender Research Centre, Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 08/2018-Present

Associate Director, Chinese Law Programme, Hong Kong Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, CUHK, 08/2018-Present

Member (as the Director of Gender Studies Programme), University Senate, 08/2018-07/2022

Co-organized International Women's Day Activities & Initiated a research project to investigate CUHK's internal gender equality challenges with the Diversity and Inclusion Office (DIO), CUHK, 03/2021- 07/2024 (HK\$10,000)

EXTERNAL SERVICE

Honorary Research Fellow, Police College, Hong Kong, 02/2015-12/2025

External Examiner, Department of Sociology, Hong Kong Shue Yan University, 09/2021-08/2025

External Course Examiner, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shenzhen Campus, 08/2017- 07/2021

External Reviewer, for General Education, School of Humanities and Social Science, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (Shenzhen), 08/2018-07/2019

Panel Member of Re-accreditation for BA (Hons) Criminology, Policing and Forensics, Joint Learning Program offered by Hong Kong Institute of Technology and University of West London, Hong Kong Council for Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications (HKCAAVQ), 09/2021-02/2024

One of Hong Kong-Macau Representatives, The Think Tank of Developing Rule of Law in Greater Bay Area, 07/2020-Present

Council Member of Hong Kong Association of Overseas-Returned Scholars, 07/2020-Present

PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

President, the Association of Chinese Criminology and Criminal Justice in the US (ACCCJ), 11/2024-10/2026

Vice President, Asian Criminological Society, 01/2025-12/2027

Vice Chair of Supervision, Asian Association for Substance Abuse Research, 12/2020-Present

Founding Member, the Division of Behavioral Health, The Chinese Association of Preventive Medicine 05/2021-Present

E-Mentor and Member, American Society of Criminology, 08/2006-Present

Member, American Sociological Association, 08/2006-Present

Life Member, International Chinese Sociological Association, 08/2020-Present

Board Member (and life member), Hong Kong Sociological Association, 08/2012-07/2015