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Currently pursuing a Ph.D. degree in linguistics.

The research topic (tentative) focuses on the use of personal pronouns in Wu Chinese, approaches from Conversation Analysis (CA).

Education:

Feb 2021- Dec 2021 | University of Melbourne:

Bachelor of Arts (Honours), first class honours (H1) – with specialization in Linguistics.

Feb 2018-Dec 2020 | University of Melbourne:

Bachelor of Arts – with major in Linguistics, minor in Anthropology.

Research interests:

Address systems; Pronouns; Sociolinguistics; Conversation Analysis; Chinese linguistics and dialectology; Identity; Online communication.

Research Experiences:

July/2021- March/2022:

Fourau language field project (University of Melbourne) – Focus on the Fourau language (Malaita, Solomon island). Fourau grammar and spatial expressions research; elicitation and transcription; data organization; archiving.

2021:

Independent research project (University of Melbourne) – Kinship terms and fan identities in Chinese cyberspace, focuses on the newly emerged extensive use of the address term ‘老婆’ (wife).

Social activities:

2019:

Volunteering in 路客中国 (<https://hilookcn.com>), a non-profit project for heritage and cultural documentation and protection – Research and data organization.

Oct 2018-Feb 2020:

衿社 Chinese Literati Society (University of Melbourne) – Executive.

Thesis (Honors degree):

Zhang, S. (2021). Kinship terms and fan identities in Chinese cyberspace [Honors thesis, The University of Melbourne]. *Minerva*. <https://minerva-access.unimelb.edu.au/handle/11343/295935>