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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

2023	Ph.D. in Communication	The Chinese University of Hong Kong
2017	M.A. in Journalism	Renmin University of China
2015	B.Sc. in Mathematics	Renmin University of China

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Media sociology, Journalism, Political sociology, Media use in the context of migration

TEACHING AREAS

Media Sociology (Special Topic in Communication)

Communication Theories (Graduate level)

Introduction to Communication (Undergraduate level)

Intercultural Communication

New Media Communication

REFERED JOURNAL ARTICLES

1. Guo, J., Hu, Y., & Wangliu, Y. (2024). Remote family communication as discounted compensation: Mobile use and psychological well-being among internal older migrants within China. S*ocial Media and Society*, *10*(3), 1–13. https://doi.org/10.1177/20563051241274672

2. Xing, C., Hu, Y., & Tang, J. (2024). Cognitively motivated or emotionally charged? Issue-switching mechanism of second screening facilitated political participation during the 2022 COVID-19 waves in China. *Heliyon, 10*(12), Article e32367. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.heliyon.2024.e32367

3. Hu, Y., Chen, A., Yang, Y., & Tong, T. (2024). Ethically motivated or emotionally charged? Examining relationships among moral norms, anticipated negative emotions, and laypeople's online misinformation correction intentions. *Mass Communication and Society,* Advance online

publication. https://doi.org/10.1080/15205436.2024.2324861

4. Ai,. M., & <u>Hu, Y.</u> (2024). How news consumption reducing attitude polarization: A comparative study of official and alternative media use (in Chinese, 新聞消費如何減少態度極化：一項關於官方媒體使用與社會媒體使用的對比研究). 《社會學刊》 *(Journal of Sociological Studies）,2*(1).

5. <u>Hu, Y.</u> (2023). How media resources and power relations define critical reporting in China: A longitudinal analysis of The Beijing News' corruption coverage between 2004 and 2018. *Journalism Studies*, *24*(11), 1377–1397. https://doi.org/10.1080/1461670X.2023.2216789

6. Guo, J., & <u>Hu, Y.</u>* (2023). Does social media use polarize or depolarize political opinion in China? Explaining opinion polarization within an extended communication mediation model. *Social Media and Society*, *9*(3), 1–13. https://doi.org/10.1177/20563051231196899 (*Corresponding author)

7. Wu-Ouyang, B., & <u>Hu, Y.</u>* (2022). The effects of pandemic-related fear on social connectedness through social media use and self-disclosure. *Journal of Media Psychology*, *35*(2), 63–74. https://doi.org/10.1027/1864-1105/a000347 (*Corresponding author)

8. Zhang, M. M., Wang, X., & <u>Hu, Y.</u> (2021). Strategic framing matters but varies: A structural topic modeling approach to analyzing China's foreign propaganda about the 2019 Hong Kong protests on Twitter. *Social Science Computer Review, 41*(1)*, 265–285. https://doi.org/10.1177/08944393211042575

9. <u>Hu, Y.</u>, & Wu-Ouyang, B. (2023). How social media use affects people's mental well-being in COVID-19: An analysis based on stressor-strain-outcome perspective (in Chinese, 新冠疫情中社交媒體使用對心理健康狀況的影響：基於「壓力—應變—結果」視角的分析). 《中國網絡傳播研究》 *(Chinese Journal of Computer Mediated Communication)* [CSSCI]

10. <u>Hu, Y.</u>, & Wang, X. (2020). Photojournalism as a journalistic tool: Exploring its changes through the lens of the World Press Photo Digital Storytelling Contest (2011–2018) (in Chinese, 作為報導工具的新聞攝影：從荷賽數字敘事競賽（2011–2018）看新聞攝影的變革). 《新聞界》(*Journalism and Mass Communication Monthly*), (01), 74–81. [CSSCI]
    - *2021 Annual Top Ten Research Papers on Applied Chinese Communication Research*

11. <u>Hu, Y.</u>, & Wang, X. (2019). Deciding what is truth: Audiences' perception and authentication of fake news in digital age (in Chinese, 什麼是「真實」—— 數字媒體時代受眾對假新聞的認知與辨識). 《新聞記者》(*Shanghai Journalism Review)*, (08), 4–14. [CSSCI]
    - *2020 Qihao Award for New Media Research Among Junior Scholars*

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

1. <u>Hu, Y.</u> (2023, October). Clinging to politically similar others: The construction of interpretive communities in gangpiao's microprocesses of politicization. Paper presented at the 9th conference of the International Journal of Press/Politics, Edinburgh, UK.

2. <u>Hu, Y.</u>, Wangliu, Y., & Guo, J. (2023, May). Social positioning and the construction of polymedia practices in everyday life: A study of older migrants following children in China. Paper presented

at the 73rd Annual International Communication Association (ICA) Conference, Toronto, Canada.

- *Best Student Paper Award*

3. Guo, J., <u>Hu, Y.</u>, & Wangliu, Y. (2022, November). The limited effects of mobile-mediated multimodal communication: Examining how mobile phone use affects psychological well-being among elderly internal migrants in China. Paper presented at the 2022 Annual Conference of Taiwan Academy for Information Association, Virtual Conference.

4. Wu, B., & <u>Hu, Y.</u> (2021, May). The effects of pandemic-related fear on social connectedness through social media use and self-disclosure. Paper presented at the 71st Annual International Communication Association (ICA) Conference, Virtual Conference.

5. Xing, C., & <u>Hu, Y.</u> (2020, July). How second screening facilitates civic engagement: Investigating Chinese audiences' second screening behavior in the COVID-19 epidemic. Paper presented at the International Association for Media and Communication Research (IAMCR) 2020 Annual Conference, Virtual Conference.

6. <u>Hu, Y.</u>, & Tse, H.T.F (2020, May). The spread of political false news online: A case study of the typhoon *Jebi* false news in Taiwan. Paper presented at the 70th Annual International Communication Association (ICA) Conference, Virtual Conference.

7. <u>Hu, Y.</u>, Huang, Y. H., & Wang, X. (2020, May). Contacting as a meaningful channel of political involvement: Explaining citizen contacting in China. Paper presented at the 70th Annual International Communication Association (ICA) Conference, Virtual Conference.

8. <u>Hu, Y.</u> (2020, January). Media coverages on corruption and the critical capacity of journalism in China: an empirical analysis of *The Beijing News* (2004-2018). Paper presented at the 2nd Lisbon Winter School for the Study of Communication, Lisbon, Portugal.

9. <u>Hu, Y.</u>, & Zhang, T. (2019, July). Association between internet embeddedness and depression among adolescents in China. Paper presented at the International Association for Media and Communication Research (IAMCR) Conference, Madrid, Spain.

RESEARCH PROJECT

2024–25   *The negotiated construction of dual information environments: A case study of Mainland Migrants in Hong Kong.* MUST Faculty Research Grant Project (#FRG-24-050-FA), Macau University of Science and Technology (Principal Investigator, MOP30, 000)

2021–22   *Polymedia communication of the elderly migrants in China and the consequences for their subjective well-being.* <u>Interdisciplinary Research Seed Funding 2021-22</u>, Faculty of Social Science, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (Co-Principal Investigator, HK$15,000).

SERVICES

- Resident Tutor, Morningside College, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, 2021–23
- Graduate Student Liaison, The Chinese Communication Association (CCA), 2019–21
- Ad Hoc Journal Reviewer:
  - *Social Media + Society*

- *Media and Communication*
- *Asian Journal of Communication*
- *Journalism Practice*
- *Communication and the Public*
- *Journal of Macau University of Science and Technology*

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