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Pedagogy, Linguistics, Communication Studies

## *Academic Qualifications*

- 2016 – 2021 Ph.D /Communication Studies / Macao University of Science and Technology  
(The Construction of City Image as Represented in the Films: A Case Study of Macao)
- 2005 – 2008 Master / Applied Linguistics / Hunan University  
(On the Distribution and Interpretation of Chinese VP ellipsis)
- 2000 – 2004 Bachelor / English Education / Hunan Normal University  
(On the Distribution and Interpretation of English Stress)

## *Teaching Experiences*

- 2021 – Present Assistant Professor / UIC / Macau University of Science and Technology  
2011 – 2021 Lecturer / UIC / Macau University of Science and Technology

## *Representative Publications*

### *Journal Articles:*

- ✧ Q. Xie, Y. Zhang & F.-A. Ursini. 2027. Sense Relations and Polysemy in Mandarin Spatial Categories: Meaning connections and colexification patterns across the lexicon. *Language and Linguistics*, in press. (SSCI , A&HCI)
- ✧ Q. Xie, Y. Zhang & F.-A. Ursini. 2025. Measure Phrases and Spatial Categories: Measuring Distance in Cantonese. *Revue Roumaine De Linguistique/Romanian Review of Linguistics*. 73(10). 30–45. [https://lingv.ro/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/Art\\_7\\_QIN-XIE-YUE-SARA-ZHANG-FRANCESCO-ALESSIO-URSINI\\_153-173.pdf](https://lingv.ro/wp-content/uploads/2025/05/Art_7_QIN-XIE-YUE-SARA-ZHANG-FRANCESCO-ALESSIO-URSINI_153-173.pdf) (SSCI , A&HCI)
- ✧ Dongying Ma, Zelin Zhuo, Qin Xie, “Organization, System and Value: the Core Elements and Improvement Strategies of University Governance” *Higher*

*Education Exploration*, No 5, 2023, pp. 5-10 (CSSCI)

- ✧ Xie, Qin, et al. "Urbanonyms in Macao." *Names*, vol. 71, no. 1, 2023, pp. 29–43, <https://doi.org/10.5195/names.2023.2421>. (SSCI)
- ✧ QIN XIE, The Construction of City Image for Macau in the Film "A City Called Macau", *Journal of Macau University of Science and Technology*, 2021, Vol. 15: 29-38
- ✧ QIN XIE, On the National Image Communication of China Through Short Video from the Perspective of Semiotics, *Media*, 2020, 23: 94-96 (CSSCI)

*Conference Proceedings:*

- ✧ QIN XIE, Principles of Generating Data for Educational Communication, the 15th Asia-Pacific Conference of the Association for Business Communication Booklet, 2017 June 9th-11th, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, HK., 2017: 112
- ✧ QIN XIE, et al. A Cartography of Spatial Categories in Cantonese, The 5th International Workshop on Syntactic Cartography (IWSC2023), Department of Linguistics, BLCU, Beijing, China, October 29-30, 2023

**Research Projects**

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|-----------|---|
| 2021-2022 | The Development Path of Higher Education Cooperation in Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area<br>Macao Higher Education Development Promotion Association.     |
| 2022-2023 | Principal Investigator<br>Data Collection for Airport Service Quality Survey Q12022-Q42022<br>Macao International Airport.  |
| 2024-now  | Translation, Compilation, and Research of Cutting-edge Theoretical Literature on Creative Writing. 23&ZD294<br>National Social Science Fund of China, Major Project |
| 2024.06   | Research Proposal Defense Meeting for the Zhuhai-Macao Special Project of Educational Research under Zhuhai Municipal's 14th Five-Year Plan"                        |
| 2025-now  | Principal Investigator<br><i>Wǔxiá</i> and Genre Names in Mandarin. FRG-25-095-UIC  |

**Professional Qualifications and Awards**

- ✧ Certificate of Strategic Communication: The University of Texas at Austin,

Center for Professional Education, 2018

- ✧ Certificate of College English Test for English Majors: Level 8, 2004
- ✧ Certificate of Mandarin Proficiency Test, 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade, Level A, National Language Committee, China, 2003