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### ACADEMIC POSITION

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Assistant Professor of Marketing, University of Massachusetts Amherst 2024 – Present

### EDUCATION

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Ph.D., Marketing, 2024  
Ivey Business School, Western University.

Bachelor of Arts, Honors Business Administration, 2019  
Ivey Business School, Western University

### RESEARCH INTEREST

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- Substantive Interests: Online WOM, Digital Platform, Intangible Assets
- Method: Machine Learning, Econometric Model, Experimental Methods

### PUBLICATIONS \* denotes equal contribution.

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Eunsoo Kim, MengQi (Annie) Ding, Xin (Shane) Wang and Shijie Lu (2023), “Does Topic Consistency Matter? A Study of Critic and User Reviews in the Movie Industry”, *Journal of Marketing*, 87(3), 428–450.

- Selected Media Coverage: AMA, Notre Dame News

MengQi (Annie) Ding\* and Avi Goldfarb\* (2023), “The Economics of Artificial Intelligence: A Marketing Perspective”, *Review of Marketing Research*, Vol 20, 13-26.

- Special Issue on Artificial Intelligence in Marketing

### WORKING PAPERS

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Ding, MengQi (Annie), Shirley Chen, Xin (Shane) Wang and Neil Bendle, “The Impact of Image Content for Online Reviews”, Revise and Resubmit at *Journal of Consumer Research*

Ding, MengQi (Annie), BingQing Li and Xin (Shane) Wang, “Fact or Opinion: Investigating the Effect of Headlines on Online Engagement and Approval”, expected submission to *Journal of Marketing Research*

- ACR-Sheth Foundation Dissertation Award, 2023

Ding, MengQi (Annie) and Xin (Shane) Wang, “The Effect of Image-Audio Emotional Similarity on NFT Product Sales”, expected submission to *Journal of Marketing Research*

## **CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

*Presenting Author is Underlined*

MengQi (Annie) Ding, BingQing Li and Xin (Shane) Wang, “Fact or Opinion: Investigating the Effect of Headlines on Online Engagement and Approval”, Artificial Intelligence in Management Conference, March 16-17, 2023, hosted by USC Marshall

MengQi (Annie) Ding, Shirley Chen, Xin (Shane) Wang and Neil Bendle, “Show Me You or The Goods? Effect of Image Content on Review Helpfulness”, ACR Conference 2021, October 28-30, 2021, hosted virtually

MengQi (Annie) Ding and Xin (Shane) Wang, “Fact or Opinion: Investigating the Effect of Headlines on Online Engagement and Approval,” ISMS Marketing Science Conference 2021, June 3-5, 2021, hosted virtually by the Simon Business School, University of Rochester

MengQi (Annie) Ding, Xin (Shane) Wang, “Fact or Opinion: Investigating the Effect of Headlines on Online Engagement and Approval,” Artificial Intelligence in Management Conference 2021, May 14-15, 2021, hosted virtually by USC Marshall

MengQi (Annie) Ding, Shirley Chen, Xin (Shane) Wang and Neil Bendle, “Show Me You or The Goods? Effect of Image Content on Review Helpfulness”, Society for Consumer Psychology Conference 2021, March 4-6, 2021, hosted virtually

## **HONORS AND AWARDS**

- ACR-Sheth Foundation Dissertation Award, 2023
- INFORMS Marketing Science Doctoral Consortium, Fellow, University of Miami, 2023
- Marketing Strategy Consortium, Fellow, University of Georgia, 2023
- SSHRC Doctoral Fellowship (\$20,000), 2023
- Designing a Career in Marketing Academia - development program for junior female marketing scholars (invitational only), Vanderbilt University, 2022
- AMA-Sheth Foundation Doctoral Consortium, Fellow, University of Texas – Austin, 2022
- C.B. (Bud) Johnston Ontario Graduate Scholarship (\$10,000), Ivey Business School, Western University, 2021-23
- Ontario Graduate Scholarship (\$20,000), Province of Ontario, Canada, 2021-23
- Berdie & Irvin Cohen Doctoral Business Scholarship, 2021; \$2,500 (awarded to one student), Ivey Business School, Western University, 2021

## **TEACHING**

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University of Massachusetts Amherst, Instructor  
“Social Media & Marketing Analytics” (Fall 2024)

## **SERVICE**

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Ad-Hoc Reviewer

International Journal of Research in Marketing,  
Production and Operations Management,  
Journal of Retailing, Journal of Marketing