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### **EDUCATION**

- PhD, Sociology, Stanford University, 2003.
- MA, Sociology, The Catholic University of America, 1996.
- MA, Sociology, Beijing University, China, 1989.
- BE, Electronic Engineering, Qinghua University, China, 1986.

### **EMPLOYMENT**

Assistant Professor, University of California, Irvine. 2003-Present.

Acting Assistant Professor, University of California, Irvine. 2002-2003.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### <u>Books</u>

Forthcoming. *Mao's Willing Communities: Collective Killings in Rural China during the Cultural Revolution.* Cambridge University Press.

Forthcoming. *Social Class in Transitional China*. Yang Su, Shizheng Feng and Chunping Han (Editors). Social Sciences Academic Press, Beijing, China. [In Chinese.]

#### **<u>Refereed Journal Articles</u>**

Forthcoming. "Street as Courtroom: State Accommodation of Social Protest in South China." Yang Su and Xin He. *Law and Society Review*, Vol. 44, No. 1, 2010.

Forthcoming. "Adapt Or Voice: Class, Guanxi and Protest Propensity in China." Yang Su and Shizheng Feng. *Journal of Asian Studies*.

2003. "The Cultural Revolution in the Countryside: Scope, Timing and Human Impact." Andrew G. Walder and Yang Su. *China Quarterly* 173:75-99.

2002. "The War at Home: Anti-War Protests and Congressional Voting, 1965-73." Doug McAdam and Yang Su. *American Sociological Review* 67: 696-721.

1999. "Protest Events: Cause or Consequence of State Action? The U.S. Women's Movement and Federal Congressional Activities, 1956-1979." Sarah A. Soule, Doug McAdam, John D. McCarthy, and Yang Su. *Mobilization* 4: 239-255. 1999.

1999. "The Role of Community Service in Identity Development: Normative, Unconventional, and Deviant Orientations." James Youniss, Jeff McLellan, Yang Su and Miranda Yates. *Journal of Adolescent Research* 14: 248-261.

1998. "The Contingent Effects of Risk Perception on Risk Taking Behavior: Adolescent Participative Orientation and Marijuana Use." Che-Fu Lee, Yang Su and Barbara Hazard. *Journal of Youth and Adolescence* 27: 17-27.

1997. "Social Integration: Community Service and Marijuana Use in High School Seniors." James Youniss, Miranda J. Yates and Yang Su. *Journal of Adolescence Research* 12 (2):245-262.

1993. "The Villagers and Their Interaction in Ancestor Worship Rites: A Field Study in Northwestern China, 1992." *Sociology and Social Research* (Beijing, China). January/February 1993: 58-72. [In Chinese].

#### **Book Chapters**

Forthcoming. "Introduction: Bring Class Analysis Back In." Yang Su, Shizheng Feng, and Chunping Han. In Su et al. (ed) *Social Class in Transitional China*. Social Sciences Academic Press, Beijing, China. [In Chinese.]

Forthcoming. "Class Structures behind the Myth of Nanjie Village." Shizheng Feng and Yang Su. In Su et al. (ed) *Social Class in Transitional China*, Social Sciences Academic Press, Beijing, China. [In Chinese.]

2006. "Mass Killings in the Cultural Revolution: A Study of Three Provinces." In Paul Pickowicz, Joseph Esherick and Andrew Walder (eds.) *China's Cultural Revolution as History*. Stanford, CA: Stanford University Press.

Translated and reprinted in *Modern China Studies* 13 (2006): 117-140. Translated and reprinted in Pp. 685-710 in *Cultural Revolution: Historic Truth and Collective Memories*, Song Yongyi (ed). Hong Kong: Tianyuan Shuwu Publishing House, 2007.

### Book Reviews

Popular Protest in China, Edited by Kevin O'Brien. China Quarterly, In press.

*China's Water Warriors: Citizen Action and Policy Change*, by Andrew C. Mertha. *Mobilization*, In press.

*Disorganizing China: Counter-Bureaucracy and the Decline of Socialism* by Eddy U. *American Journal of Sociology* 114 (4). 2009.

*State, Parties, and Social Movements* edited by Jack Goldstone. *Contemporary Sociology* 34: 529-30. 2006.

*China's New Order: Society, Politics, and Economy in Transition, by WANG Hui. Journal of Asian Business* 21: 77-79. 2005.

# **PAPERS UNDER REVIEW**

"The Political Consequences of Social Movements." Edwin Amenta, Neal Caren, Elizabeth Chiarello, and Yang Su. [R&R at the *Annual Review of Sociology*.]

"The Making of a Maoist Model in Post-Mao Era." Shizheng Feng and Yang Su. [R & R at *China Quarterly*.]

"Burning Down the House: Race, Politics, the Media and Church Burnings in the U.S., 1990-2000." Doug McAdam, Kaisa Snellman, and Yang Su. [Under review at the *American Journal of Sociology*.]

# **INVITED TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS**

2009. Invited Talk. "Collective Killings in Rural China during the Cultural Revolution: Evidence from Guangxi and Guangdong." Center for China Studies, University of California, Berkeley.

2008. Invited Talk. "Collective Killings in Guangdong and Guangxi during the Cultural Revolution: Evidence from County Gazetteers." University of Services Center, The Chinese University Hong Kong.

2008. Invited Talk. "Collective Killings in Guangdong and Guangxi during the Cultural Revolution: Evidence from County Gazetteers." Social Sciences Division, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology.

2007. Summer Workshop on Social Movements and Collective Action Research, Sponsored by Renmin University of China and UC Irvine, Beijing, China.

2007. Co-Organizer and Instructor, Conference on "Cultural Production and Cultural Consumption in Contemporary China," Sponsored by The Overseas Young Chinese Forum and The Center for China Studies, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI. Co-organizer.

2006. Co-Organizer. Conference on "Social Class in Transitional China," Sponsored by The Overseas Young Chinese Forum and the Center of Asian Studies, UC Irvine, Costa Meza, CA.

2006. Invited Talk. "Maoism in Post-Mao Era," East Asian Studies Program, University of Utah.

2006. "Politicized Bureaucracy and the Origin of the Cultural Revolution Mass Movement, 1949-1966" Paper presented at Annual Meeting of North American Chinese Sociologists Association, Montreal.

2003. "State Sponsorship or State Failure: Mass Killings in Rural China 1967-1971." Presented at Stanford-UC San Diego Conference on The Cultural Revolution. San Diego, CA, August.

2002. "Class Conflict or Elite Patronage?: The Mass Factionalism in Rural China 1966-1971." Presented at Annual Meeting of the Pacific Sociological Association. Riverside, CA.

1998. "Violence as Ritual and Ceremony: Soldier Riots in the 1989 Tiananmen Square State Crackdown." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco.

1996. "Plausibility Structure of Evangelicalism: The Subculture Networks in a Modern Society." Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, New York. 1996.

1995. "Why Don't Young Women Vote: Gender Gap Persists Among High School Seniors, 1976-1988?" Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association, Washington DC. Bob Edwards, Yang Su and John D. McCarthy.

### FUNDED PROJECTS AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

"State Channeling of Labor Conflict in China." Awarded with GRF Grant by the Hong Kong Government, HK\$ 690,000 (or US\$ 95,000), Funded for the 2010-2012 period.

"Collective Resistances by Chinese Peasants and Workers." PI: Yang Su. Funded by the Center for Studies of Democracy, UC Irvine. On-going project. "Dynamics of US Protest, 1960-80." PIs: Doug McAdam, John McCarthy, Susan Olzak and Sarah Soule. Funded by the National Science Foundation. (1996-2002 as RA and Coauthor)

"The Chinese Cultural Revolution, 1966-71: An Event History Database." PI: Andrew Walder. Funded by Stanford OTL Research Initiative Grant (1998- 2002 as RA, Co-author and Dissertation Researcher).

"Community Service and Identity Development in Adolescents." PI: James Youniss & Miranda Yates. Funded by the William T. Grant Foundation. (1994-1996 as RA and Co-author).

"Collaborative Research in the Dimensions of Selection Bias in the Coverage of Washington, D. C. Demonstrations, 1973, 1981, 1992-95." PIs: John D. McCarthy and Clark McPhail. Funded by the National Science Foundation (1993-1996 as RA).

"A Comparative Study of Community Organizing Groups." PIs: John D. McCarthy and Jim Castelli. Funded by the Aspen Institute Non-Profit Fund (1995-96 as RA).

"Community Redistribution and Social Stratification in Micun Township, Henan Province." One-year fieldwork for master degree thesis. Funded by Sociological Research Institute, Beijing University. 1987-88.

# **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND SERVICES**

Elected Representative in Academic Senate of University of California, Irvine. 2003-2004

Panel organizer. Roundtable sections of Collective Action and Social Movements, the Annual Meeting of American Sociological Association, 2003, Atlanta

Journal Reviewer. American Sociological Review, American Journal of Sociology, Contemporary Sociology, Journal of Asian Business, Mobilization and China Quarterly

Member. American Sociological Association

Member. Collective Behavior and Social Movements Section, American Sociological Association.

### **AWARDS AND HONORS**

Finalist of 2003 Gordon White Award Best Paper of the Year, China Quarterly.

Littlefield Dissertation Fellowship. Institute for International Studies, Stanford University, 2001-2002.

Field Research Grant from Social Science History Institute, Stanford, 2000.

Graduate Fellowship. Department of Sociology, Stanford University. 1996-1997.

Nominated to the ATLAS program (Academic Tutoring and Learning Assistance Services) of The Catholic University of America as an "Excellent Student Tutor," 1995.

Outstanding Graduate Student of Washington Statistical Society (WSS) and Honored Member of the American Statistical Association, 1994.

Daughters of Isabella Scholarship. The School of Arts and Sciences, The Catholic University of America. September, 1993-1996.

### **COURSES TAUGHT (AT UC IRVINE)**

#### **Undergraduate courses**

Probability and Statistics (II, III) Social Movements and Collective Action Sociology Major Seminar Chinese Revolution and Its Aftermath

#### **Graduate Seminars**

Comparative Contentious Politics Political Sociology Pro-seminar for Second-Year Paper Writing Seminar on Genocide and Mass Killings (Co-taught with David Snow)