

# Claire Yujie Ji

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## EDUCATION

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University of California, Los Angeles Ph.D., Sociology	2023-Present
Tufts University B.A., Sociology and International Relations, <i>Summa Cum Laude</i> Directed Research Thesis: "Toward a More Equitable Feminist Coalition: Conceptualizing Decolonial Feminism vis-à-vis Marxist Feminism in the Post-Colonial Context"	2019-2023
Beijing Normal University Study Abroad, Chinese Language and Literature	2020-2021

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Collective Memory; Violence, Trauma, and Stigma; Gender, Family, and Community; War and Peace; Colonialism; Socialism; Neoliberalism; Ethnography; Comparative and Historical Methods

## PUBLICATIONS

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"The Realm of Stigmatization: Online Spaces of Gendered Emotions in Chinese Idol Culture." *Define*, The Lantern Think Tank Magazine, Spring 2023.

**Ji, Claire Yujie.** 2023. "Mothers of the Future: Soviet and Cuban Women's Experiences with Childcare under Socialism, 1959-c. 1980." *Hamilton Historical* 2(1):33-42.

Shah, T. N., Parodi, K. B., Holt, M. K., Green, J. G., Katz-Wise, S. L., Kraus A. D., Kim, G. S., and **Ji, C. Y.** 2022. "A Qualitative Exploration of How Transgender and Non-binary Adolescents Define and Identify Supports." *Journal of Adolescent Research* 39(1):133-64.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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"Mothers of the Future: Soviet and Cuban Women's Experiences with Childcare under Socialism, 1959-c.1980." Tufts Summer Scholars Poster Session. Medford, MA. 2023.

American Historical Association Undergraduate Lightning Round. Philadelphia, PA. January 2023.

Tufts Summer Scholars Poster Session. Medford, MA. October 2022.

Tufts Summer Scholars Symposium History and Power Panel. Medford, MA, August 2022.

"The Realm of Stigmatization: Chinese Idol Culture as the Breeding Ground of Gendered Emotions."

American Sociological Association Honors Program Intersections with Gender Roundtable. Los Angeles, CA, August 2022.

“Asian Exoticism in the Time of COVID-19.”

Tufts University Tisch Library Undergraduate Research Awards Symposium. Virtual. May 2021.

## **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

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Undergraduate Student Researcher, <i>Tufts University Department of Sociology</i>	2023
“Toward a More Equitable Feminist Coalition: Conceptualizing Decolonial Feminism vis-à-vis Marxist Feminism in the Post-Colonial Context”	
Michael Ewald Summer Scholar, <i>Tufts University Office of the Provost</i>	2022
“Mothers of the Future: Soviet and Cuban Women’s Experiences with Childcare under Socialism, 1959- c. 1980”	
Research Assistant, <i>Boston University Social Adjustment and Bullying Prevention Lab</i>	2021-2022
“A Qualitative Exploration of How Transgender and Non-binary Adolescents Define and Identify Supports”	
Research Intern, <i>China Philanthropy Research Institute Center for Charity Law</i>	2021

## **TEACHING, ADVISING, AND MENTORSHIP**

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Student Advisor, <i>Tufts University Department of Sociology</i>	2022-2023
Peer Mentor, <i>Tufts University Tisch College of Civic Life</i>	2022-2023
Head Spanish Tutor, <i>Tufts University Student Accessibility and Academic Resource Center</i>	2021-2023

## **AWARDS, HONORS, AND FELLOWSHIPS**

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Graduate Division Fellowship, UCLA	2023-2029
Graduate Dean’s Scholar Award, UCLA	2023-2025
Summa Cum Laude Honors, Tufts University	2023
International Relations Program Conference Funding, Tufts University	2023
Undergraduate Research Funds, Tufts University	2022
Undergraduate Research Funds, Tufts University	2022
Clinton Global Initiative Fellowship, Clinton Foundation	2022
Tisch Fund for Civic Engagement, Tufts University	2022
Department of Sociology Travel Grant, Tufts University	2022
Ennis and Vecitis Travel Grant, Tufts University	2022
Michael Ewald Summer Scholars Fellowship, Tufts University	2022
Honors Program, American Sociological Association (ASA)	2022

Tisch Library Undergraduate Research Award, Tufts University 2021

## **OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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International Project Lead, *Project Civitas, China* 2023-Present

Education Coach, *Shanghai Adream Foundation, China* 2021-Present

Founding Member and Co-Director, *The Lantern Think Tank, USA* 2020-2023

Marketing Research Associate, *El Mundo Boston, USA* 2023

Student Fellow, *Clinton Global Initiative, USA* 2022

Invited Fellow, *United States Military Academy at West Point, USA* 2022

Volunteer, *Asociación Yanapasun, Peru* 2019

Social Media Marketing Intern, *United Nations Foundation, USA* 2019

Professional Membership, *American Sociological Association, American Historical Association, Memory Studies Association, Social Science History Association*

## **LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY**

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Chinese: native speaking, reading, and writing

English: fluent speaking, reading, and writing

Spanish: advanced reading and writing, intermediate speaking

German: elementary speaking, reading, and writing