

# Network for Research into Chinese Education Mobilities

## 中国教育流动研究网络

Newsletter

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Dear colleagues,

Greetings. In this September 2020 issue, we have brought to you three latest [research highlights](#) entries, three new [job opportunities](#), and seven [capacity building](#) entries. We have devised 10 sub-categories of education mobilities under Research Highlights, which should allow you to better navigate our collection. You can continue to listen to our podcast episodes under '[Meet the Author](#)' and '[Lived Experiences](#)' programmes.

### Research Highlights

[Overall Trends](#) | [Academic Mobility](#) | [Student Mobility](#) | [Rural-Urban Relation](#) | [Ethnicity](#) | [Gender and Sexuality](#) | [Institutional Mobility](#) | [Teacher Mobility](#) | [Language Mobility](#) | [Knowledge Mobility](#)

1. [Dr Jinjin Lu](#) (China University of Geosciences, Wuhan) discusses [how WeChat as a public platform can strengthen Chinese academics' global competitiveness and shares her autoethnographic account on her early career research trajectory between Australia and China](#). This is based on her recent [article](#) in *Culture and Education* and [article](#) in *Interlitteraria*.
2. Drs [Sin Yee Koh](#) (Monash University Malaysia), [Chang-Yau Hoon](#) and [Noor Azam Haji-Othman](#) (Universiti Brunei Darussalam) expound on the [discrepant discourses, multifaceted realities and institutional barriers amid the 'Mandarin Fever' and Chinese language learning in Brunei's middle schools](#). This is based on their latest [article](#) in *Asian Studies Review*.

3. Yihan WU (City University of Hong Kong) discusses factors influencing career decision making of Chinese students studying overseas. This is based on her recent article published in *Frontiers of Education in China*.

### Job Opportunities

1. An Assistant Professorship is available at the Department of Curriculum and Instruction in the Education University of Hong Kong. Details here.
2. A postdoc position on 'geographies of internationalisation' is available at Aarhus University Denmark here.
3. Open rank positions in Education at Graduate School of Education, Shanghai Jiaotong University available here. Ongoing recruitment.

### Capacity Building

1. A Call for Abstracts on '*Mobility, Time and Political Possibilities*' –the Deconstructed Diasporic Workshop is available here. Deadline: 19 Oct 2020.
2. A Call for Nominations (Best Article, Best Book and Best Dissertation) for the CIES Higher Education SIG Awards is available here. Deadline: 12 November 2020.
3. A CfP 'Immobilities-A New Normal?' for the 12th ICAS in Kyoto, Japan on 24-27 August 2021 is available here. Deadline for abstract: 21 September 2020.
4. A prestigious PhD scholarship is available for the 'Civic Sinoburbia? New Chinese Migrants and Everyday Citizenship' project funded through the Australian Research Council. Details here. Application deadline: 30 September 2020.
5. An AERA graduate student fellowship and research grant on rural education is available here. Deadline of application: 15 Sept 2020.
6. A Call for Papers is available for the 3rd International Chinese Sociological Association (ICSA) Annual Conference on November 20-21, 2020. *Deadline for Submissions: October 2, 2020. Conference Venue: Virtual.*

7. A Call for Papers on 'China and Higher Education: Navigating Uncertain Futures' is available [here](#). Please email abstracts of 300 words to [ChinaHE@manchester.ac.uk](mailto:ChinaHE@manchester.ac.uk) by 7 September 2020.

## Podcasts

### Meet the Author

**Episode 1:** [Jamie Coates—Chinese students in Japan](#)

**Episode 2:** [Shuning Liu — New 'Elite' Schooling in China](#)

**Episode 3:** [Yeow-Tong Chia and Zhenzhou Zhao: Citizenship and Education in China](#)

**Episode 4:** [Ben Mulvey: International student mobility between Africa and China](#)

### Lived Experiences

**Episode 1** *Yitian Ren — Life as an international student amid COVID 19*

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**Episode 2** *Jiexiu Chen — Life as an international student amid COVID 19*

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**Episode 3** *Lilia – Life as an international student amid COVID 19*

[Listen to Episode 3 in English](#)

**Episode 4** *Jenny – Life as an international scholar amid COVID 19*

[Listen to Episode 4 in Putonghua](#)

**Episode 5** *Xuemeng Cao – Life as an international student amid COVID 19*

[Listen to Episode 5 in Putonghua](#)

### Photo Essay

[A UCLA PhD student's trip back to China and quarantine experience amid COVID 19](#)

**Episode 6** 在台陆生访谈：新冠疫情下“两岸政治示威的牺牲品”？ Mainland Chinese students in Taiwan: Sacrifice of Cross-Strait political demonstration under COVID-19?

Listen to [Episode 6](#) in Putonghua

## Newsletters

1. [NRCEM Newsletter Issue 24 August 2020](#)
2. [NRCEM Newsletter Issue 23 July 2020](#)
3. [NRCEM Newsletter Issue 22 June 2020](#)
4. [NRCEM Newsletter Issue 21 May 2020](#)
5. [NRCEM Newsletter Issue 20 April 2020](#)
6. [NRCEM Newsletter Issue 19 March 2020](#)
7. [NRCEM Newsletter Issue 18 February 2020](#)
8. [NRCEM Newsletter Issue 17 January 2020](#)
9. [NRCEM Newsletter Issue 16 December 2019](#)
10. [NRCEM Newsletter Issue 15 November 2019](#)

## About NRCEM

The Network for Research into Chinese Education Mobilities (NRCEM) is a cross-disciplinary research community for disseminating cutting-edge research updates and opportunities in all areas of Chinese education mobilities. We understand 'Chinese' and 'education mobilities' in a broad sense. Please refer to our categorisation of forms of Chinese education mobilities [here](#) and [here](#).

The NRCEM is the continuation of our highly successful Sociological Review Foundation Seminar Series on '[A Sociology of Contemporary Chinese \(Im\)mobilities: Educating China on the Move](#)'. This seminar series has not only attracted [renowned and emerging scholars](#) to present their [cutting-edge research](#) on various forms of and issues around Chinese education mobilities, but also gathered synergy of a community of scholars from different parts of the world interested in this important field of research and scholarship. To take this seminar series further, we have

decided to establish this Network (NRCEM) to carry out networking and research events. Please subscribe to our mailing list by sending an email to [chineseedmobilities@outlook.com](mailto:chineseedmobilities@outlook.com).

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