

Curriculum Vitae

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Professor and Provost Chair
Department of Economics
National University of Singapore

Education

Ph.D. (1981), Interdisciplinary studies (mathematics, economics, and management science),
University of British Columbia
M.A. (1977), Mathematics, *Claremont Graduate School*
Physics major (1975-1976), *Harvey Mudd College*
Mathematics major (1973-1975), *University of London* (External)
Full Technological Certificate in Telecommunications (1975), *City & Guilds of London, Institute*

Research Interests

Decision theory, behavioral and biological economics, experimental economics

Honors

Fellow, Econometric Society, 2012 –present
The Leonard J. Savage Award, 1982
Best Research Paper Award, Institute for Decision Sciences, 1982

Publications (includes forthcoming and likely to be accepted papers; *indicates corresponding authorship)

Chew SH, Miao B, Zhong SF, “Partial Ambiguity” *Econometrica* (forthcoming)
Chew SH, Ratchford M, Sagi J, “You Must Recognize Ambiguity to Avoid It”, *Economic Journal* (forthcoming)
Chew SH, Yi JJ, Zhang JS, Zhong SF, “Risk Aversion and Son preference: Experimental Evidence from Chinese Twin Parents”, *Management Science* (forthcoming)
Chew SH, Yi JJ, Zhang JS, Zhong SF, “Education and Anomalies in Decision Making: Experimental Evidence from Chinese Adult Twins” *Journal of Risk and Uncertainty* (forthcoming)
Zhong SF, Shalev I, Koh D, Epstein RP, Chew SH, “Stress and Competitiveness”, *International Economic Review* (conditional acceptance)
Chark, R, Chew SH, Zhong SF, “Individual Longshot Preferences”, *Journal of the European Economic Association* (second invited resubmission)
Yim OS, Zhang X, Shalev I, Monakhov M, SF Zhong, Hsu M, Chew SH*, Lai PS, and Epstein RP, “Delay Discounting, Genetic Sensitivity, and Leukocyte Telomere Length”, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, Vol. 113 no. 10 (2016), 2780 – 2785
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Shen, Q., Teo M., Winter E., Hart E., Chew S. H.*, Ebstein R. P., "To Cheat or Not To Cheat: Tryptophan Hydroxylase 2 SNP Variants Contribute to Dishonest Behavior" *Behavior Frontiers in Behavioral Neuroscience* 10 (82), (2016)

Chark R and Chew SH "A Neuroimaging Study of Strategic Uncertainty" *Journal of Risk and Uncertainty* Vol. 105, no. 7 (2015), 2272 – 2286

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Chark R, Chew SH, and Zhong SF "Extended Present Bias: A Direct Experimental Test" *Theory and Decision* Vol. 79, Issue 1 (2015)

Ebstein, RP.; Monakhov, M; Lai, PS; Chew, SH*, "CD38 Gene Expression and Human Personality Traits: Inverse Association with Novelty Seeking" *Messenger* Vol 3, no. 1-2 (2014), 72 – 77(6)

Set, E, Saez I, Zhu L, Houser DE, Myung N, Zhong S, Ebstein RP, Chew SH,* and Hsu M, Dissociable contribution of prefrontal and striatal dopaminergic genes to learning in economic games, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Science* Vol. 111 no. 26 (2014), 9615 – 9620

Chew SH, Ebstein RP, Zhong S, Sex Hormone Genes and Gender Difference in Ultimatum Game: Experimental Evidence from China and Israel, *Journal of Economic Behavior & Organisation* (2013), 28 – 42

De Dreu CKW, ..., Chew SH, ..., Shamay-Tsoory SG, Oxytonergic circuitry sustains and enables creative cognition in humans. *Social Cognitive and Affective Neuroscience* (2013)

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Chew SH and J. S. Sagi, "Small Worlds: Modeling attitudes toward Sources of Uncertainty", *Journal of Economic Theory* 139 (2008): 1 – 24

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Chew SH and Serizawa S, "Characterizing the Vickrey Combinatorial Auction by Induction", *Economic Theory* 33 (2007): 393 – 406

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Chew SH and G. Tan, "The Market for Sweepstakes", *Review of Economic Studies* 72 (2005): 1009 – 1029

Chew SH and N. Nishimura, "Revenue Non-Equivalence between the English Auction and the Second-Price Auction: Experimental Evidence" *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization* 51 (2003): 443 – 458

Chew SH and K. Konrad, "Bandwagon Effects in Two-Party Majority Voting" *Journal of Risk and Uncertainty* 16 (1998): 165 – 172

Chew SH and L. Herk, "Incremental Risk Aversion and Diversification Preference" *Journal of Economic Theory* 70 (1996): 180 – 200

Chew SH and P. Wakker, "The Comonotonic Sure-Thing Principle" *Journal of Risk and Uncertainty* 12 (1996): 5 – 27

Chew SH and Mao MH, "A Schur-Concave Characterization of Risk Aversion for Non-Expected Utility Preferences" *Journal of Economic Theory* 67 (1995): 402 – 435

Chew SH and E. Karni, "Choquet Expected Utility with a Finite State Space: Commutativity and Act-Independence", *Journal of Economic Theory* 62 (1994): 469 – 479

Chew SH, L.G. Epstein and U. Segal, "The Projective Independence Axiom" *Economic Theory* 4 (1994): 189 – 215

Chew SH and J.L. Ho, "Hope: An Empirical Study of Attitude toward the Timing of Uncertainty Resolution" *Journal of Risk and Uncertainty* 8 (1994): 267 – 288

Chew SH, L.G. Epstein and P. Wakker, "A Unifying Approach to Axiomatic Non-Expected Utility Theory: Correction and Comment" *Journal of Economic Theory* 59 (1993): 183 – 188

Chew SH and N. Nishimura, "Differentiability, Comparative Statics and Non-Expected Utility Preferences" *Journal of Economic Theory* 56 (1992): 294 – 312

Chew SH and L.G. Epstein, "Recursive Utility under Uncertainty" in *Equilibrium Theory with an Infinite Number of Commodities*, Khan and Yanellis (eds.), Springer-Verlag, 1991

Chew SH, L.G. Epstein and U. Segal, "Mixture Symmetry and Quadratic Utility" *Econometrica* 59 (1991): 139 – 163

Chew SH and L.G. Epstein, "Non-Expected Utility Preferences in a Temporal Framework with an Application to Consumption-Savings Behavior" *Journal of Economic Theory* 50 (1990): 54 – 81

Chew SH and I Zilcha, "Invariance of the Efficient Sets when the Expected Utility Hypothesis is Relaxed", *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization*, 13 (1990): 125 – 131

Chew SH, "Axiomatic Utility Theories with the Betweenness Property" *Annals of Operations Research* 19 (1989): 273 – 298

Chew SH and L.G. Epstein, "A Unifying Approach to Axiomatic Non-Expected Utility Theory" *Journal of Economic Theory* 49 (1989): 207 – 240

Chew SH and L.G. Epstein, "Axiomatic Rank-Dependent Means" *Annals of Operations Research* 19 (1989): 299 – 309

Chew SH and L.G. Epstein, "The Structure of Preferences and Attitudes towards the Timing of the Resolution of Uncertainty" *International Economic Review* 30 (1989): 103 – 117

Chew SH, L.G. Epstein and I. Zilcha, "A Correspondence Theorem between Expected Utility and Smooth Utility" *Journal of Economic Theory* 46 (1988): 186 – 193

Chew SH and L.G. Epstein, "The Law of Large Numbers and the Attractiveness of Compound Lotteries" *Journal of Risk and Uncertainty* 1 (1988): 125 – 132

Chew SH, E. Karni and Z. Safra, "Risk Aversion in the Theory of Expected Utility Theory with Rank-Dependent Probabilities" *Journal of Economic Theory* 42 (1987): 370 – 381

Chew SH and W.S. Waller, "Empirical Tests of Weighted Utility Theory" *Journal of Mathematical Psychology* 30 (1986): 55 – 72

Chew SH, Mao M.H. and S.S. Reynolds, "Rotating Credit Collusion in Repeated Auctions with a Single Buyer and Several Sellers" *Economics Letters* 16 (1984): 1 – 6

Chew SH, "A Generalization of the Quasilinear Mean with Application to the Measurement of Income Inequality and Decision Theory Resolving the Allais Paradox" *Econometrica* 51 (1983): 1065 – 1092

Keynote Presentations

Fifth International Conference on Neuromanagement and Neuroeconomics, Zhejiang, November 2016

China Meeting of the Econometric Society, Chengdu, June 2016

Annual Conference on experimental economics, Dalian, September 2015

Conference on Decision Making and the Unconscious, Geneva, October 2014

Tsinghua Conference on Theoretical and Behavioral Economics, Beijing, June 2014

Second Kyoto University Experimental Economics Conference, February, 2014

International Workshop on Experimental Economics, Xiamen, December, 2013

Tsinghua Conference on Theoretical and Behavioral Economics, Beijing, June 2013

Guanghua Seminar in Behavioral Sciences, Beijing, June 2012

Asia-Pacific Meeting of the Economic Science Association, Tokyo, February 2012

Nottingham workshop on experimental economics, Ningbo, September 2009

International Meeting of the Economic Science Association, Washington DC, June 2008

Asia Pacific Meeting of the Economic Science Association, Osaka, February 2007

Selected Invited Presentations

Peking University, Beijing, December 2016
Tsinghua University, Beijing, December 2016
Fudan University, Beijing, December 2016
Xi'an Jiatong University, Xi'an, November 2016
Decision Theory, Experiment, and Application Conference, Paris, June 2016
Southwest University of Finance and Economics, May 2016
Decision Theory, Experiment, and Application Conference, Paris, June 2016
Jiatong Liverpool University, Suzhou, January 2016;
Peking University, December 2015
Tsinghua University, December 2015
Wuhan University, September 2015
Inaugural China Meeting of the Econometric Society, Beijing, June 2013
Spencer Conference, Chicago, December 2010
Decision Theory, Experiment, and Application Conference, Paris, June 2010
Workshop in Honor of Daniel Ellsberg, Vienna, March 2010
Far Eastern Meeting of the Econometric Society, Singapore, 2009

Professional Experience

December 2009 – present, Provost Chair, Professor, National University of Singapore
Jul 2005 – Dec 2009, Chair Professor, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
Jul 1998 – Jun 2005, Professor, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
Jul 1995 – Mar 1999, Professor, University of California, Irvine
Jul 1991 – Jun 1995, Associate Professor, University of California, Irvine
January – December 1990, Visiting Associate Professor, Tulane University
September 1986 – June 1987, Visiting Associate Professor, University of Toronto
December 1984; summer 1985, Visiting Senior Lecturer, Tel Aviv University
Jul 1984 – Jun 1991, Assistant Professor, Johns Hopkins University
Jun 1980 – Jul 1984, Assistant Professor, University of Arizona

Selected Service

Associate Editor, Journal of Neuroscience, Psychology and Economics, 2014 – present
Associate Editor, Journal of Socio-Economics, 2013 – present
Co-chair, China Meetings of the Econometric Society, 2012 – 2016
Co-director, Laboratory for Behavioral x Biological Economics and the Social Sciences, NUS
(b2ess.nus.edu.sg), Spring 2010 – present
Director, center for Experimental Business Research, Hong Kong University of Science and
Technology, Fall 1998 – June 2013
Asia Pacific Vice-President, Economic Science Association, 2008 – 2010
Advisory Editor, Journal of Risk and Uncertainty, 1998 – 2008