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## EDUCATION

2000                    **Ed.D.**, Human Development and Psychology  
 Harvard University Graduate School of Education  
 1999                    **Ed.M.**, Technology in Education  
 Harvard University Graduate School of Education  
 1980                    **B.A.**, Chinese with Highest Honors, Wenzhou Normal College

## EDUCATIONAL EMPLOYMENT

2022-present        **Professor**, University at Albany  
 2020-2023        **Division Director**, Educational Psychology & Methodology,  
 University at Albany  
 2023                **Visiting Scholar**, Harvard University Graduate School of Education  
 2016                **Visiting Scholar**, Harvard University Graduate School of Education  
 2010                **Visiting Scholar**, Harvard University Graduate School of Education  
 2007-2021        **Associate Professor**, University at Albany  
 2001-2006        **Assistant Professor**, University at Albany  
 1999-2001        **Lecturer**, Harvard University Graduate School of Education  
 1986-1991        **Research Scientist**, National Institute for Educational Studies, China  
 1980-1983        **Teacher**, Ruian School, China

## PUBLICATIONS (\* denotes students/mentees as authors)

### Books (*N* = 9)

- Yan, Z.** (in print). *Introductory grantology: A Guide to Pursuing Competitive Grants*. New York: Cambridge University Press.
- Yan, Z.** (Ed.) (2023). *The Cambridge handbook of cyber behavior*. New York: Cambridge University Press.
- Yan, Z.** (2020). *Publishing journal articles: A scientific guide for New Authors Worldwide*. New York: Cambridge University Press.
- Yan, Z.** (Ed.) (2018). *Analysis of cyber behavior in cyberspace*. Hershey, PA: IGI Global.
- Yan, Z.** (2017). *Mobile phone behavior*. New York: Cambridge University Press. [*This book has been translated and published in Chinese: Yan, Z. (2020). 手机行为 (Mobile phone behavior). Shanghai, China: Eastern China Normal University Press.*]
- \*Chase, J., & **Yan, Z.** (2017). *Assessing and measuring statistics cognition in higher education online environments*. Hershey, PA: IGI Global.
- Yan, Z.** (Ed.). (2015). *Encyclopedia of mobile phone behavior (Volumes 1, 2, & 3)*. Hershey, PA: IGI Global.

- Yan, Z.** (2014). *36 questions on publishing and writing English journal articles*. Guangzhou, China: Guangdong Higher Education Press.
- Yan, Z.** (Ed.). (2012). *Encyclopedia of cyber behavior (Volumes 1, 2, & 3)*. Hershey, PA: IGI Global. [This book was nominated as a 2013 Outstanding Reference by the American Library Association.]

### Journal Special Issue/Section Editorship (N = 6)

- Yan, Z.**, Gaspar, R., & Zhu, T. (2021). COVID-19 and Human Behavior with Emerging Technologies (Special issue). *Human Behavior and Emerging Technologies, 1*, 1-223.
- Oliveira, A. & **Yan, Z.** (2020). Theorizing Technology and Behavior: Looking Back and Looking Forward to Advance the Field (Special issue). *Human Behavior and Emerging Technologies, 2(4)*, 302-415.
- Yan, Z** & Hardell, L. (Eds.). (2018). Contemporary mobile technology and child and adolescent development (Special Section). *Child Development, 89(1)*, 1-331. [This special section has received particularly wide international attention. As of June 30, 2018, 189 news outlets such as NBC ABC, USA News, Forbes, Telegraph, Times of India, and Egypt Independent have reported more than 300 news stories about findings from this special section in nearly 25 countries, including USA, UK, Netherlands, Australia, Canada, Belgium, Japan, New Zealand, South Africa, Turkey, Greece, Norway, Spain, Italy, Ireland, Republic of Korea, Guyana, Denmark, India, Finland, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Germany, and Portugal.]
- Atkinson, R. & **Yan, Z.** (Eds.). (2012). Mobile Computing behavior: Connecting anywhere, anytime, and anyone (Special Issue). *The International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning. 2(3)*, 1-102.
- Yan, Z.** & Greenfield, P. (Eds.). (2006). Children, adolescents, and the Internet (Special Section). *Developmental Psychology, 42(3)*. [This special section has received wide national and international attention. On April 30, 2006, APA issued a special press release. As of June 6, 2006, there were a total of 165 press release news clips nationally, including NBC, CBS, ABC, and FOX, and internationally, including UK, Canada, Australia, Romania, and India.]
- Yan, Z.** (Ed.). (2003). The Psychology of E-learning: A Field of Study (Special Issue). *Journal of Educational Computing Research. 29(3)*, 285-400.

### Peer-Reviewed Articles (N = 65)

- Yan, Z.**, Yang, P., Liu, Q., & Erickson, J. (submitted). Grantology as the science of research grants: A scoping review of journal articles published from 1970 through 2020.
- Yan, Z.** (submitted). Judgment of cybersecurity risks among 2667 k-12 students and teachers: A research response to the K-12 Cybersecurity Act of 2021.
- Chen, Q., **Yan, Z.**, Moeyaert, M., & Bangert-Drowns, R. (2025). Mobile multitasking in learning: A meta-analysis of effects of mobilephone distraction on young adults' immediate recall. *Computers in Human Behavior, 162*, 108432.
- Yan, Z.**, \*Xue, Y., & \*Lou, Y. (2021). Risk and protective factors for intuitive and rational judgment of cybersecurity risks in a large sample of K-12 students and teachers. *Computers in Human Behavior, 121*, 106791.

- Yan, Z., \*Yang, P., \*Xue, Y., \*Lou, Y., & \*Nealon, M. (2021).** Validity and reliability of Cybersecurity Judgment Questionnaire for middle and high school students: A validation study with Rasch analysis. *Human Behavior and Emerging Technologies*, 3(5), 776-787.
- Yan, Z., \*Robertson, W., \*Lou, Y., \*Robertson, T. W., \*Park, S. Y., & \*Bordoff, S. (2021).** Finding leading scholars in mobile phone behavior: a mixed-method analysis of an emerging interdisciplinary field. *Scientometrics*, 126, 9499-9517.
- Yan, Z., Gaspar, R., & Zhu, T. (2021).** How humans behave with emerging technologies during the COVID-19 pandemic? *Human behavior and emerging technologies*, 3(1), 5.
- Yan, Z. (2021).** The origins of children's understanding of technologies: Three indirect approaches. *Human Behavior and Emerging Technologies*, 3(4), 461-644.
- \*Vargo, D., \*Zhu, L., \*Benwell, B., & Yan, Z. (2021).** Digital technology use during COVID-19 pandemic: A rapid review. *Human Behavior and Emerging Technologies*, 1, 13-24.
- Yan, Z. (2020).** A basic model of human behavior with technologies. *Human Behavior and Emerging Technologies*, 2, 410-415.
- Yan, Z. (2020).** Unprecedented pandemic, unprecedented shift, and unprecedented opportunity. *Human Behavior and Emerging Technologies*, 2, 110-112.
- Gaspar, R., **Yan, Z.**, & Domingos, S. (2019). Extreme natural and man-made events and human adaptive responses mediated by information and communication technologies' use: A systematic literature review. *Technological Forecasting & Social Change*, 145, 125-135.
- \*Chelkowski, L., Yan, Z., & Saddler, K. (2019).** The use of mobile devices with students with disabilities: A literature review. *Preventing School Failure*, 63, 277-295.
- Yan, Z., Gaspar, R., Zhu, T. (2019).** Emerging technologies, human behavior, and human behavior and emerging technologies. *Human Behavior and Emerging Technologies*, 1, 4-6.
- Yan, Z., \*Robertson, T., Yan, R., \*Park, S. Y., \*Bordoff, S., \*Chen, Q., & Sprissler, E. (2018).** Finding the weakest links in the weakest link: How well do undergraduate students make cybersecurity judgment? *Computers in Human Behavior*, 84, 375-382.
- \*Robertson, T. W., Yan, Z., & Rapoza, K. A. (2018).** Is resilience a protective factor of internet addiction? *Computers in Human Behavior*, 78, 255-260.
- \*Bordoff, S., \*Chen, Q., & Yan, Z. (2017).** Cyber attacks, contributing factors, and tackling strategies: The current status of the science of cybersecurity. *International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning*, 7, 68-82.
- Yan, Z. (2017).** Child and adolescent use of mobile phones: An unparalleled complex developmental phenomenon. *Child Development*, 89, 5-16. [This article is the most downloads amongst articles published between January 2017 and December 2018 according to Wiley.]
- \*McLaughlin, T., & Yan, Z. (2017).** Diverse delivery methods and strong psychological benefits: A review of online formative assessment. *Journal of Computer Assisted Learning*, 33, 562-574.
- \*Gao, Q., Yan, Z., Wei, C., Liang, Y., & Mo, L. (2017).** Three different roles, five different aspects: Differences and similarities in viewing school mobile phone policies among teachers, parents, and students. *Computers & Education*, 106, 13-25.
- \*Jiang, S., Yan, Z., Jing, P., Li, C., Zheng, T., & He, J. (2016).** Relationships between sleep problems and psychiatric comorbidities among China's Wenchuan earthquake survivors remaining in temporary housing camps. *Frontiers in Psychology*, 7, 1552-1510.

- \*Chen, L., **Yan, Z.**, Tang, W., Yang, F., Xie, X., & He, J. (2016). Mobile phone addition levels and negative emotions among Chinese young adults: The mediating role of interpersonal problems. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 55, 856-866.
- \*Chen, Q., & **Yan, Z.** (2016). Does multitasking with mobile phones affect learning? A review. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 54, 34-42.
- \*Nie, D., **Yan, Z.**, Zhao, N., & Zhu, T. (2015). A pilot study of comparing social network behaviors between onlies and others. *International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning*, 5, 56-66.
- McGraw, T., **Yan, Z.**, Weller, J., Bumgardner, S. (2014). Can the Virginia internet safety program improve fourth graders' internet safety knowledge? *The International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning*, 4, 33-40.
- \*Gao, Q., **Yan, Z.**, Zhao, C., Pan, Y., Mo, L. (2014). To ban or not to ban: Differences in mobile phone policies at elementary, middle, and high schools. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 38, 25-32.
- \*Li, A., **Yan, Z.**, Zhu, T. (2013). Self-report versus web-log: Which one is better to predict personality of website users? *The International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning* 3, 44-54.
- \*Chen, Q., & **Yan, Z.** (2013). New evidence of impacts of cell phone use on driving performance: A review. *The International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning*. 3, 46-61.
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- \*Hu, L., **Yan, Z.**, Ye, T., Lu, F., Xu, P., Chen, H. (2013). Differences in children and adolescents' ability of reporting two CVS-related visual problems. *Ergonomics*, 56, 1546-1557.
- Yan, Z.**, \*Chen, Q., \*Yu, C. (2013). The Science of cell phone use: Its past, present, and future. *The International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning*, 3, 7-18.
- \*Wang Y., Fu X., Johnston, R.A., & **Yan, Z.** (2013). Discriminability effect on Garner interference: evidence from recognition of facial identity and expression. *Frontiers in Psychology*, 4, 943.
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- Yan, Z.**, & Liu, X. (2012). Internet vs. matter: Differences in students' concept development from elementary through high school. *The International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning*, 2, 60-72.
- \*Chen, L., Li, W., He, J., Wu, L., **Yan, Z.**, & Tang, W. (2012). Mental health, duration of unemployment, and coping strategy: A Cross-sectional study of unemployed migrant workers in eastern China during the economic crisis. *BMC Public Health*, 12, 597.
- \*Hu, J., **Yan, Z.**, Yu, C., & Zhang, W. (2012). Comparative study of internet addiction among adolescents in China and USA. *Journal of South China Normal University (Social Science)*, 5, 10-21.
- Yan, Z.**, & \*Hamide Y. G. (2012). Online decision-making in receiving spam emails among colleges students. *The International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning*, 2, 1-12.

- \*Lou, L. & **Yan, Z.** (2012). Scientific evidence of associations between cell phone use lead to brain tumors. *The International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning*, 2, 30-38.
- \*Mai, Y., Hu, J., **Yan, Z.**, Zhen, S., Wang, S., & Zhang, W. (2012). Structure and function of maladaptive cognitions in pathological internet use among Chinese adolescents. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 28, 2376–2386.
- \*Schoenfeld, D., & **Yan, Z.** (2012). Prevalence and correlates of internet addiction in undergraduate students: Assessing with two major measures. *The International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning*, 2, 16-34.
- \*Nagelsmith, L., \*Bryer, J., & **Yan, Z.** (2012). Measuring motivation and volition of nursing students in nontraditional learning environments. *Journal of Nursing Measurement*, 20, 90-112.
- \*Luo, L., **Yan, Z.**, & McMorris, R. (2011). An examination of reciprocal relationship of loneliness and Facebook use. *Journal of Educational Computing Research*, 46, 105-117.
- McGraw, T., **Yan, Z.**, Weller, J., & Bumgardner, S. (2011). Effects of the Pokémon Learning League on fourth grade students' internet safety knowledge in the Commonwealth of Virginia. *Learning & Leading with Technology*, 1, 1-10.
- \*Cheng, H., Andrade, H., **Yan, Z.** (2011). A Cross-cultural study of learning behaviours in the classroom: From a thinking style perspective. *Educational Psychology*, 31, 825-841.
- Yan, Z.**, & Zheng, R. (2011). Growing from childhood into adolescence: The science of cyber behavior. *The International Journal of Cyber Behavior, Psychology and Learning*, 1, 1-12.
- \*Jiang, S., **Yan, Z.**, Xie, X., Tang, W., Lu, F., & He, J. (2010). Initial knowledge of medical professionalism among Chinese medical students. *Medical Teacher*, 32, 961-970.
- \*Fan, W., & **Yan, Z.** (2010). Factors affecting response rates of the web survey: A systematic review. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 26, 132-139. [This article is rated as High Cited Article by Web of Science. In Web of Science, Highly Cited articles are papers that perform in the top 1% based on the number of citations received when compared to other papers published in the same field in the same year.]
- Jaeger, P. T., & **Yan, Z.** (2009). One law with two outcomes: Comparing the implementation of the Children's Internet Protection Act in public libraries and public schools. *Information Technology and Libraries*, 28, 6-14.
- Yan, Z.** (2009). Limited knowledge, limited resources: Understanding the Internet among elementary, middle, and high school students. *Journal of Applied Developmental Psychology*, 30, 103-115
- Yan, Z.** (2009). Differences in high school and college students' basic knowledge and perceived education of internet safety: Do high school students really benefit from the Children's Internet Protection Act? *Journal of Applied Developmental Psychology*, 30, 209–217.
- Yan, Z.** (2008). Useful resources, important messages: The explosion of parenting books on adolescents and social networking sites. *Journal of Applied Developmental Psychology*, 29, 472–474.
- Yan, Z.**, \*Hu, L, Chen, H., & Lu, F. (2008). Computer Vision Syndrome (CVS): A widely spreading but largely unknown epidemic among computer users. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 24, 2026-2042.

- \*Hobbs, L.J., & **Yan, Z.** (2008). Cracking the walnut: Using a computer game to impact cognition, emotion, and behavior of highly aggressive fifth grade students. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 24, 421–438.
- Yan, Z.**, & Fischer, K. (2007). Pattern emergence and pattern transition in microdevelopmental variation: Evidence of complex dynamics of developmental processes. *Journal of Developmental Processes*, 2, 39-62.
- Yan, Z.** (2006). What influences children's and adolescents' understanding of the complexity of the Internet? *Developmental Psychology*, 42, 418-428.
- Greenfield, P. & **Yan, Z.** (2006). Children, adolescents, and the Internet: A new field of enquiry in developmental psychology. *Developmental Psychology*, 42, 391-394.
- Yan, Z.** (2006). Different experiences, different effects: A longitudinal study of learning a computer program in a network environment. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 22, 364-380.
- \*Liang, Z., & **Yan, Z.** (2006). Software piracy among college students: Contributing factors, underlying processes, and tackling strategies. *Journal of Educational Computing Research*, 33, 115-140.
- Yan, Z.** (2005). Age differences in children's understanding of complexity of the Internet. *Journal of Applied Developmental Psychology*, 26, 385-396.
- Yan, Z.**, & Fischer, K. (2004). How children and adults learn to use computers: A developmental approach. *New Directions for Child and Adolescent Development*, 105, 41-61.
- Yan, Z.**, \*Hao, H., \*Hobbs, J., & \*Wen, N. (2003). The psychology of e-learning: A field of study. *Journal of Educational Computing Research*, 29, 285-296.
- Yan, Z.**, & Fischer, K. (2002). Always under construction: Dynamic variations in adult cognitive development. *Human Development*, 45, 141–160.
- Yan, Z.** (1993). On bilingual education in China. *Educational Research*, 162, 28-30.
- Yan, Z.** (1988). Validity of educational experiments. *Educational Research*, 98, 75-77.
- Yan, Z.** (1987). Experimental effects in educational experiments. *International Education*, 6, 45-48.

#### **BOOK CHAPTERS (N = 10)**

- \*Bordoff, S., & **Yan, Z.** (2017). Understanding the technical and social complexity of the Internet: A Cognitive developmental resource perspective. In F.C. Blumberg & P. Brooks (Eds.), *Cognitive Development in Digital Contexts* (pp. 237-251). New York: Elsevier.
- Dai, D., Zhang, J., & **Yan, Z.** (2011). Reflection: Design research to enhance intellectual growth and functioning. In D. Dai (Ed.), *Design research on learning and thinking in educational settings: Enhancing intellectual growth and functioning* (pp. 268-282). Philadelphia, PA: Taylor & Francis.
- \*Lawrence M., \*Paska, L. M., & **Yan, Z.** (2011). Internet addiction in adolescence and emerging adulthood: A comparison between the United States and China. In F. Columbus (Ed.). *Internet Addiction*. Hauppauge, NY: NOVA.
- Yan, Z.** (2009). Do high school students benefit from the Children's Internet Protection Act? In R. Zheng, J. Burrow-Sanchez, C. Drew (Eds.), *Adolescent Online Social Communication and Behavior: Relationship Formation on the Internet* (pp.103-118). Hershey, PA: IGI Global.

- Yan, Z.** (2003). The psychology of e-learning: Why, what, and how? In J. Bourne & J. Moore (Eds.), *Elements of quality online education* (pp. 81-91). Boston, MA: Sloan-C.
- Yan, Z.** (2003). E-learning. In J. Collins and N. O'Brien (Eds.), *The Oryx dictionary of education* (p. 120). Phoenix, AZ: Oryx Press.
- Fischer, K., **Yan, Z.**, & Stewart, J. (2003). Adult cognitive development: Dynamics in the developmental web. In K. Connolly & J. Valsiner (Eds.), *The handbook of developmental psychology* (pp. 491-516). London: Sage Publications.
- Fischer, K., & **Yan, Z.** (2002). Darwin's construction of the theory of evolution: Microdevelopment of explanations of species' variation and change. In N. Granott & J. Parziale (Eds.), *Microdevelopment: Transition processes in development and learning* (pp. 294-318). New York: Cambridge University Press.
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- Yan, Z.** (2001). Measuring the Zone of Proximal Development: An application of individual growth modeling. In A. G. Sayer, & M. C. Linda (Eds.), *New methods for the analysis of change* (pp. 422-423). Hillsdale, NJ: Erlbaum Associate.

### Encyclopedia Entries (N = 4)

- Yan, Z.** (2020). Mobile Phones Use and Child Development. In Van den Bulck, J (Ed.), *International Encyclopedia of Media Psychology*. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley.
- Yan, Z.**, & \*Chen, Q. (2015). Mobile phone behavior: An emerged discipline of research. In Z. Yan (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Mobile Phone Behavior* (pp.415-425). Hershey, PA: IGI Global.
- Yan, Z.** (2013). Children's On-Line Privacy Protection Act. In W. Reiboldt & M. M. H. Mallers (Eds.), *Consumer survival: Encyclopedia of consumer rights, safety, and protection* (pp.112-116). Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO Press.
- Yan, Z.** & \*Lou, L. (2007). Longitudinal research. In N. J. Salkind (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Educational Psychology*. London: Sage Publications.

### GRANT FUNDING

#### Federal

Role: **Principal Investigator** (Dark, M., Co-Principal Investigator)  
 Project: Developing Cybersecurity Judgment Questionnaire for GenCyber Campers  
 Source: National Science Foundation  
 Time Period: 2016-2022  
 Total Funding: \$297,528

#### Foundation

Role: **Co-Principal Investigator** (Zhang, W., Principal Investigator)  
 Project: Internet Game Addiction among Adolescents: Mental and Neural Mechanisms and Interventions

Source: National Natural Science Foundations of China  
Time Period: 2011-2012  
Total Funding: \$150,000

Role: **Principal Investigator** (Hu, L., Co-Principal Investigator)  
Project: Assessment, intervention, and prevention of computer vision syndrome (CVS)  
Source: Wenzhou Medical University President Research Fund  
Time Period: 2006-2008  
Total Funding: \$62,000

### **SUNY and University at Albany**

Role: **Co-Principal Investigator** (Masoumzadeh, A, Principal Investigator & Shaghayegh Sahebi, S, Co-Principal Investigator)  
Project: AI-Enabled Privacy Control for Emerging Challenges in Intelligent Online Educational Environments  
Source: SUNY and the University at Albany's Artificial Intelligence and Cyber Security Initiative  
Time Period: 2020 - 2021  
Total Funding: \$25,000

Role: **Principal-Investigator** (Majumdar, S, Co-Principal Investigator & Ekenna,C, Co-Principal Investigator)  
Project: Metering the Vulnerabilities of Diverse Players to Cyberattacks in Internet of Things  
Source: SUNY and the University at Albany's Germination Space Initiative  
Time Period: 2019 - 2020  
Total Funding: \$8,500

Role: **Principal Investigator**  
Project: The best firewall project: Solving the 20-year puzzle innovatively  
Source: UAlbany Presidential Initiatives Fund for Research and Scholarship  
Time Period: 2015  
Total Funding: \$15,909

Role: **Principal Investigator**  
Project: Children's understanding of complexity of the Internet  
Source: University at Albany Faculty Research Award  
Time Period: 2006  
Total Funding: \$9,832

Role: **Principal Investigator**  
Project: Intuitive and rational judgments and decision on Internet safety within received email messages among high school and college students  
Source: University at Albany Faculty Research Award  
Time Period: 2004  
Total Funding: \$3,500



**Role: Co-Investigator** (Dai, D., Principal-Investigator; Smith, J., Co-Principal Investigator, & Andrade, H., Co-Principal Investigator)

Project: Incorporating case-based inquiry in educational psychology courses for teacher education Source: University at Albany Innovations in Teaching Award

Time Period: 2003

Total Funding: \$5,000

**Role: Principal-Investigator**

Project: Children's intuitive theories of the Internet

Source: University at Albany Faculty Research Award

Time Period: 2002

Total Funding: \$2,830

### **INVITED PRESENTATIONS (N = 17)**

- Yan, Z. (2023, April 5). *How to write grant proposal?* [Invited paper presentation]. Harvard Graduate School of Education Language and Literacy Program Research Colloquium, Cambridge, MA, United States.
- Yan, Z. (2023, Marh 1). *What are grants?* [Invited paper presentation]. Harvard Graduate School of Education Language and Literacy Program Research Colloquium, Cambridge, MA, United States.
- Yan, Z. (2023, February 1). *Who are grant writers?* [Invited paper presentation]. Harvard Graduate School of Education Language and Literacy Program Research Colloquium, Cambridge, MA, United States.
- Yan, Z. (2020, June 24). *Publishing Journal Articles.* [Invited paper presentation]. Harvard Graduate School of Education Language and Literacy Program Research Colloquium, Cambridge, MA, United States.
- Yan, Z. (2019, March 28-29). *Human behavior and emerging technologies.* [Invited workshop discussion]. Wiley Editor Symposium, Hoboken, NJ, United States.
- Yan, Z. (2018, October 15-18). *Cybersecurity in child development: An emerging critical area of digital media and relationships.* [Panel presentation; undelivered due to a health emergence]. 2008 Digital Media and Developing Minds Congress, Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory, NY, United States.
- Yan, Z. (2018, February 5). *Apparatgeist and children development: Discussing phenomenological cases.* [Invited paper presentation]. Day of Apparatgeist of Boston University, Boston, MA, United States.
- Yan, Z. (2018, May 25). *American educational research frontiers: Hot topics, popular methods, and specific cases.* [Invited paper presentation]. National Institute of Educational Sciences, Beijing, China.
- Yan, Z. (2018, May 24). *Mobile phone behavior: An intriguing field of research.* [Invited paper presentation]. Beijing University Graduate School of Education, Beijing, China.
- Yan, Z. (2017, May 31-June 1). *Mobile social media and youth development: Insights from the special section of child development.* [Keynote address]. The Seventh Annual Youth Development Research Update of Bronfenbrenner Center for Translational Research at Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, United States.

- Yan, Z. (2016, April 27). *The Best Firewall Project: An update*. [Panel presentation]. Presidential Innovation Fund for Research and Scholarship Spring Meeting, University at Albany, NY, United States.
- Yan, Z. (2014, June 24). *What Do Mobile Phones Buy Us? An Analysis from the Perspective of Mobile Phone Behavior Science*. [Invited paper presentation]. The Center for Applied Special Technology (CAST), Wakefield, MA, United States.
- Yan, Z. (2014, July 30). *36 questions on writing and publishing English journal articles*. [Invited paper presentation]. Beijing Normal University Faculty of Psychology, Beijing, China.
- Yan, Z. (2014, June 22-28). *How to publish English Journal Article*. [Keynote address]. University of Chinese Academy of Sciences School of Psychology, Beijing, China.
- Yan, Z. (2012, August 21-23). *Writing English Journal Articles*. [Keynote address]. South China Normal University School of Psychology, Guanzhou, China.
- Yan, Z. & \*Guan, S. (2011, October 5). *Encyclopedia of cyber behavior: A Completed project and an emerged field*. [Invited paper presentation]. Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Science Technology, & Society Colloquium, NY, United States
- Yan, Z. (2008, June 24-27). *The Internet and Child Development: The Past Decade of Efforts & the Next Decade of Tasks*. [Keynote address]. The 12<sup>th</sup> Global Chinese Conference on Computers in Education (GCCCE), Eastern Lansing, MI, United States.

## TEACHING

### Courses Taught, University at Albany (\* denotes newly developed courses)

- \*EPSY 735: Seminar in Statistics on Structural Equation Modeling (F10)
- \*EPSY 725: Seminar in Human Development: Internet and Development (S13)
- \*EPSY 720: Applied Longitudinal Methodology (designed, approved, and scheduled in F03, but have not offered due to the low enrollment)
- \*EPSY 715: Seminar in Learning (S02S)
- \*EPSY 714: The Psychology of Computers, Internet, and Mobile Phones (S18)
- \*EPSY 680: Seminar of Research Methods in Educational Psychology. (F01, F02, F03, F04, F05, F06, F07, F08, F09, F10, F11, F12, F13, F14, F15, F17, F18, F19, F20, F21, F22, F23, S02, S03, S04, S05, S06, S07, S08, S09, S11, S12, S13, S14, S15, S16, S17, S18, S19, S20, S21)
- EPSY 630: Statistics II (S11, S14, S15)
- EPSY 623: Advanced Human Development, F22, F23
- EPSY 616: Applied Cognitive Theories for Math, Science, and Technology Education (S05, S05, S07)
- EPSY 522: Adolescent Development (F12, F13, F14)
- EPSY 521: Child Development (F02, F03, F04, S04, F05, F06, F07, F08, F09, S09, F10, F11, S11, S12, F19, S19, F20, S20)
- \*EPSY 330: Introductory Statistics in Human Development (F17, S17)
- \*EPSY 200: Introductory Educational Psychology (S15, F15, F18)
  
- EPSY 480 Educational Psychology: Independent Study (F15-present)
- EPSY 697 Independent Study in Educational Psychology (F07-present)
- EPSY 797 Research Apprenticeship (F07-present)
- EPSY 890 Research and Independent Study in Educational Psychology (F02-present)

**Dissertation Committee Chair (N = 11)**

- Meredith, H. (Proposal defended). Facebook vs. Blackboard: A comparative study of educational technologies and student outcomes.
- Sasaki, Y. (Proposal defended). Constructs of self-confidence: A cross-cultural study.
- Erison, J. (the comprehensive exam passed). Assessing and intervening the first-year college mathematical instruction.
- Chen, Q. (2023). The effect of off-task multitasking with mobile phones on learning: A meta-analysis.
- Basila, C. (2016). Academic performance in college online courses: The role of self-regulated learning, motivation and academic self-efficacy.
- Guan, S. (2015). Cognitive and emotional effects of learning Chinese by playing an online game.
- Fan, W. (2013). Decision making in web survey participation of undergraduate students.
- Schoenfeld, D. (2011). Prevalence and correlates of internet addiction in undergraduate students as assessed by two different measures.
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 European Research Council: ERC Consolidator Grant. 2019  
 Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Canada, 2001, 2007  
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