

Curriculum Vitae
NINGXIN WANG, Ph.D.

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EDUCATION

- Ph. D.** University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Department of Communication
8/2013 – 7/2017
- M. A.** University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Department of Communication
8/2011- 5/2013
- B. A.** Renmin University of China, School of Journalism and Communication,
9/2007-7/2011

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 3/2023 – present **Senior Lecturer**, Department of Management and Organization,
National University of Singapore
- 1/2019 – 2/2023 **Lecturer**, Department of Management and Organization,
National University of Singapore (*Part-Time from 1/2019 to 12/2019*)
- 9/2018 – 12/2018 **Visiting Scholar**, Department of Management and Organization,
National University of Singapore
- 8/2017 – 8/2018 **Assistant Professor**, Department of Communication Studies,
Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania
- 8/2013 – 5/2017 **Graduate Research Assistant**, Department of Communication,
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- 8/2014 – 5/2017 **Instructor/Teaching Assistant**, Department of Communication,
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

TEACHING SPECIALIZATIONS

- Communication
- Organizational behavior
- Leadership and decision making

RESEARCH SPECIALIZATIONS

- Social support and support seeking

- Communicative correlates of health and well-being
- Technology-mediated communication

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

National University of Singapore

Experiencing Work: Effects on Behavior and Well-Being (MNO4712)	AY24/25 - present
Communication for HR Professionals (BMH5105)	AY21/22 - present
Business Communication for Leaders (MNO2706)	AY19/20 - present
Leadership and Decision Making under Uncertainty (MNO2705)	AY19/20 - present
Field Service Project (FSP)	AY20/21 - present
Organizational Behavior (MNO1706x)	AY18/19

Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania

Interpersonal Communication (COMMSTUD 104)	Fall 2017 and Spring 2018
Relational Communication (COMMSTUD 425)	Spring 2018

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Family Communication (CMN 336)	Fall and Spring 2016
Introduction to Communication Theory and Research (CMN 102)	Fall 2014 to Spring 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion section instructor of 2 to 4 sections/semester • Lead teaching assistant Fall 2015 to Spring 2016 	

AWARDS AND GRANTS

Teaching

Teaching Enhancement Grant (\$25, 020) 2024-2028

NUS Business School Teaching Excellence Award 2023/2022/2021

List of Teachers Ranked as Outstanding by Their Students (obtained ratings of top 10%)
Semester: Spring 2016

List of Teachers Ranked as Excellent by Their Students
Semester: Fall 2015, Spring 2015, Spring 2016, Spring 2017

Graduate Teacher Certificate

Center for Innovation in Teaching and Learning, *University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign*

Top Paper Awards

Top Paper Award (co-author) 05/2023

International Communication Association (ICA), <i>Interpersonal Communication Division</i>	
Top Paper Award (co-author)	
National Communication Association (NCA), <i>Health Communication Division</i>	11/2018
Top Paper Award (first author)	05/2017
International Communication Association (ICA), <i>Interpersonal Communication Division</i>	
Top Student Paper Award (first author)	05/2017
International Communication Association (ICA), <i>Interpersonal Communication Division</i>	
Top Student Paper Award (first author)	11/2015
National Communication Association (NCA), <i>Human Communication and Technology Division</i>	
Research and Scholarship	
Garrison Top Applied Paper Award	
International Communication Association (ICA), <i>Interpersonal Communication Division</i>	05/2023
2020 Outstanding Article of the Journal of Family Communication	11/2020
National Communication Association (NCA), <i>Family Communication Division</i>	
Karl Wallace Award for Distinguished Scholarship	05/2017
Department of Communication, <i>University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign</i>	
[The award is given on the basis of the total record of a student's scholarly work in the department's graduate program, including both performance in graduate courses and scholarly work completed for publication and conference presentation]	
Competitively selected participant of NCA Doctoral Honor Seminar	07/2016
Hosted by Department of Communication, <i>Ohio University</i>	
Jesse Delia Award for Most Outstanding Article Written Without Faculty as Co-Authors	05/2016
Department of Communication, <i>University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign</i>	
Summer Dissertation Completion Fellowship	05/2016 - 08/2016
Department of Communication, <i>University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign</i>	
Ruth Anne Clark Student Scholar Award	05/2016
Department of Communication, <i>University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign</i>	
Elizabeth Winter Young Fellowship	08/2015 - 05/2014
Department of Communication, <i>University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign</i>	
Top Thesis Award	06/2011
School of Journalism and Communication, <i>Renmin University of China</i>	
National Academic Scholarship	2010
<i>Ministry of Education of China</i>	

RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

- Kuang, K. & **Wang, N.** (2023). Predictors and outcomes of help-seeking behaviors: A longitudinal investigation in mental illness. *Health Communication*. (5-Year Impact Factor: 3.585)
- Kuang, K., & **Wang, N.** (2023). Coping with uncertainty in mental illness: Associations among desired support, support seeking strategies, and received Support from family members. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 40(3), 1018-1043. (5-Year Impact Factor: 3.104)
- Kuang, K., & **Wang, N.** (2022). A longitudinal investigation of information and support seeking processes that alter the uncertainty experiences of mental illness. *Communication Monographs*, 89(4), 470-492. (5-Year Impact Factor: 6.828)
- Roaché, J. D., Caughlin, J. P., **Wang, N.**, Pusateri, K. B. (2020). The presence of a mobile phone does not (necessarily) change the fundamental processes of face-to-face relational conflict. *Human Communication Technology*, 1(2), 36-59.
- Guntzviller, L. M., **Wang, N.**, Martinez Gonzalez, A., & Ratcliff, C. L. (2020). Situating advice response theory in a cultural and relational context: How Hispanic adults perceive exercise advice from parents. *Communication Research*, 47(4), 572-598. (5-Year Impact Factor: 4.498)
- Wang, N.** (2019). Support gaps in parent-emerging adult dyads: The role of support quality. *Personal Relationships*, 26(2), 232-261. (Impact Factor: 1.522)
- Wang, N.** (2019). Emerging adults' received and desired support from parents: Evidence for optimal received-desired support matching and optimal support surpluses. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, 36(11-12), 3448-3470. (5-Year Impact Factor: 2.436)
- Lou, M., **Wang, N.**, & Bigman-Calimore, C. (2019). Effects of opinion climate, efficacy messages, and publicness of social media on intentions to retransmit anti-binge drinking messages on Facebook. *Cyberpsychology, Behavior, and Social Networking*, 22(11), 677-683. (Impact Factor: 2.258)
- Wang, N.**, Roaché, J. D., & Pusateri, K. B. (2019). Associations between parents' and young adults' face-to-face and technologically mediated communication competence: The role of family communication patterns. *Communication Research*, 46(8), 1171-1196. (5-Year Impact Factor: 4.498)
- Guntzviller, L. M., & **Wang, N.** (2019). Mother-adolescent communication in low-income, Latino families during language brokering: Examining the theory of resilience and relational load. *Journal of Family Communication*, 19(3), 228-242.

- Wang, N.,** Roaché, J. D., & Pusateri, K. B. (2018). The interconnection of multiple communication modes in long-distance dating relationships. *Western Journal of Communication, 85*(5), 600-623.
- Basinger, D. E., Caughlin, J. P., & **Wang, N.** (2018). Examining discrepancies between actual and desired communal coping with Type 2 diabetes. *Personal Relationships, 25*(9), 538-564. (Impact Factor: 1.522)
- Guntzviller, L. M., & **Wang, N.** (2018). Latino adolescent pursuit and mother inference of language brokering interaction goals with adolescent self-esteem outcomes. *Human Communication Research, 44*(4), 473-502. (5-Year Impact Factor: 4.039)
- Guntzviller, L. M., & **Wang, N.** (2018). Short acculturation scale for Hispanics (SASH-Y and SASH) reliability and validity in low-income, Mexican-heritage youth and parents. Online first publication. *Hispanic Journal of Behavioral Science, 40*(3), 369-387. (5-Year Impact Factor: 1.253)
- Lee, C-J., Nagler, R., & **Wang, N.** (2018). Source-specific exposure to contradictory media information: Documenting prevalence and effects on adverse cognitive and behavioral outcomes. *Health Communication, 33*(4), 453-461. (Impact Factor: 1.965)
- Wang, N.** (2016). Parent-child communication about sexuality in China. *Journal of Family Communication, 16*(3), 229-246.
- Pusateri, K. B., Roaché, J. D., & **Wang, N.** (2015). Technology use in serial conflict: A communicative interdependence perspective. *Argumentation and Advocacy, 52*(1), 44-60.
- Kam, J. A., Castro, F. G., **Wang, N.** (2015). Parent-child communication's attenuating effects on Mexican-heritage early-stage adolescents' depressive symptoms and substance use. *Human Communication Research, 41*(2), 204-225. (5-Year Impact Factor: 4.039)
- Kam, J. A., & **Wang, N.** (2015). Examining the longitudinal effects of best-friend communication against substance use among Latino and European American adolescents. *Journal of Research on Adolescence, 25*(3), 534-550. (Impact Factor: 1.905)
- Kam, J. A., **Wang, N.**, & Harvey, J. (2014). Latino and European American early adolescents' exposure to music with substance-use references: Examining parent-child communication as a moderator. *Journal of Adolescence, 37*(2), 185-196. (Impact Factor: 2.284)

ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRIES

- Wang, N.,** Ning, W, & Mao, A. (2023). Support seeking. In M. Powers (Ed.). *Oxford research encyclopedia of communication*. New York and Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Wang, N.** (2017). Generalization. In M. Allen (Ed.). *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Communication Research Methods* (pp. 619-621). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

Kam, J. A., & **Wang, N.** (2016). Communication in immigrant families. In C. R. Berger & M. E. Roloff (Eds.), *International Encyclopedia of Interpersonal Communication* (advanced online publication). Hoboken, NJ: Wiley-Blackwell.

Wang, N., & Kam, J. A. (2014). Language brokering. In T. Thompson (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Health Communication* (pp. 767-769). Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.

BOOK CHAPTERS

Lee, J-C., Jang, J-W., Pena-y-Lillo, M., & **Wang, N.** (2020). Revisiting the social enhancement and social compensation hypotheses in the social media era: Evidence from a two-wave panel study. In J, Kim & Song, H. (Eds.). *New technology for health-related cognitive and behavioral change*. Elsevier.

Caughlin, J. P., & **Wang, N.** (2020). Relationship maintenance in the age of technology. In B. G. Ogolsky & J. K. Monk (Eds.), *Relationship maintenance: Theory, process, and context*. Cambridge University Press.

RESEARCH UNDER REVIEW AND IN PROGRESS

Wang, N., & Zhang, G. (R&R). *Seeking help may enhance perceptions of competence: Examining direct and indirect help seeking in workplace*.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Kuang, K., & **Wang, N.** (May, 2023). *Predictors and outcomes of help-seeking behaviors: A longitudinal investigation in mental illness*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada. **[Top Paper in the Interpersonal Communication Division]**

Wang, N. (November, 2021). *Seeking help may enhance perceptions of competence: Examining the roles of verbal strategies and helper's attributions*. Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Seattle, WA.

Kuang, K., & **Wang, N.** (November, 2021). *Uncertainty and support seeking in mental illness: Testing the associations among uncertainty, desired support, support seeking behaviors, and outcomes*. Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Seattle, WA.

Kuang, K., & **Wang, N.** (May, 2021). *Extending uncertainty's conceptualization: A longitudinal investigation of uncertainty's effects on information seeking and support seeking in mental illness context*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Annual Conference (online).

Kuang, K., & **Wang, N.** (May, 2020). *Seeking information or emotional support?: Investigating the associations*

- among uncertainty and different types of support seeking behaviors in mental illness.* Paper presented at the International Communication Association Annual Conference (online).
- Roaché, J. D., **Wang, N.**, & Pusateri, K. B. (May, 2019). *An examination of communicative interdependence in parent-young adult child relationships.* Panel accepted at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, Washington, D.C.
- Sharabi, L., Roaché, J. D., Pusateri, K. B., **Wang, N.**, & Caughlin, J. P. (May, 2019). *You have everything in one thing”: The importance and prevalence for modality switching in long-distance relationships.* Panel accepted at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, Washington, D.C.
- Wang, N.** (November, 2018). *Received-desired support incongruence in parent-emerging adult supportive communication: Examining the role of hurt feelings.* Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Salt Lake City, UT.
- Basinger, D. E., Caughlin, J. P., & **Wang, N.** (November, 2018). *Examining discrepancies between actual and desired communal coping with Type 2 diabetes.* Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Salt Lake City, UT. [**Top Paper in the Health Communication Division**]
- Wang, N.** (May, 2018). *Surpluses and deficits in parental support during emerging adulthood: An examination of parent-child dyads.* Paper presented at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, Prague, Czech Republic.
- Wang, N.** (November, 2017). *An examination of the received-desired support discrepancy and congruence in parent-child relationships during emerging adulthood: A response surface modeling approach.* Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Dallas, TX.
- Wang, N.** (November, 2017). *Received-desired support gaps: The roles of positive communication and perceived support quality in parent-emerging adult relationships.* Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Dallas, TX.
- Wang, N.** (November, 2017). *Mundane support in personal relationships: A concept explication and measurement validation.* Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Dallas, TX.
- Guntzviller, L. M., & **Wang, N.**, Gonzalez Martinez, A., Ratcliff, C. L. (November, 2017). *Testing advice response theory in Latino parent to adult child advice on exercise.* Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Dallas, TX.
- Guntzviller, L. M., & **Wang, N.** (November, 2017). *Latent profiles of adolescent multiple interaction goals during language brokering: Multiple goals theory and self-esteem outcomes.* Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Dallas, TX.
- Caughlin, J. P., Roaché, J. D., **Wang, N.**, Pusateri, K. B., & Huizar, C. (June, 2017). *Mobile communication technologies and relational conflict: An observational study of serial arguments.* Paper

- presented at International Association of Relationship Research (IARR), Syracuse, NY.
- Wang, N.,** Roaché, J. D., & Pusateri, K. B. (May, 2017) *Parental influences on young adult children's face-to-face and technologically mediated communication competence: The role of family communication patterns.* Paper presented at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, San Diego, CA. [**Top Paper and Top Student Paper in the Interpersonal Communication Division**]
- Wang, N.** (November, 2016). *Being connected or too connected?: Parent-child connection and parental over-involvement through technologies during emerging adulthood.* Poster presented at the National Association of Communication Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA.
- Roaché, J. D., **Wang, N.,** Pusateri, K. B., Berman, K., Conrad, K., M., & Huizar, C. (November, 2016). *Parent-child communication during emerging adulthood: A communicative interdependence perspective.* Poster presented at the National Association of Communication Annual Conference, Philadelphia, PA.
- Roaché, J. D., Caughlin, J. P., & Abendschein, B., Pusateri, K. B., **Wang, N.,** Wehrman, E. C. (July, 2016). *How the presence of mobile communication technology impairs conflict communication.* Poster presented at the International Association of Relationship Research Annual Conference, Toronto, Canada.
- Lou, M., **Wang, N.,** & Bigman-Calimore, C. (June, 2016). *Message transmission intent: Examining the relationship between perceived message features, perceived norms and personality traits.* Paper presented at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, Fukuoka, Japan.
- Lee, C.-J., Nagler, R., & **Wang, N.** (April, 2016). *Examining the mechanisms underlying the effects of media exposure to contradictory nutrition messages on health behaviors. (The three authors share equal first-authorship).* Paper presented at the Kentucky Conference on Health Communication, Lexington, KY.
- Wang, N.,** Roaché, J. D., & Pusateri, K. B. (November, 2015). *The Interconnections of multiple communication modes in long-distance dating relationships (LDDRs): Examining the communicative interdependence perspective in different relational contexts.* Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Las Vegas, NV. [**Top Student Paper in the Human Communication and Technology Division**]
- Pusateri, K. B., Roaché, J. D., & **Wang, N.** (November, 2015). *Technology use in serial conflict: A communicative interdependence perspective.* Paper presented at the National Communication Association Annual Conference, Las Vegas, NV.
- Wang, N.** (May, 2015). *Parent-child communication about sex in China.* Paper presented at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

- Wang, N.** (May, 2015). *The mediatization of parent-child relationship: New forms of negotiation*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Mobile Pre-Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- Pena y Lillo., M, **Wang, N.**, & Lee, C-J. (May, 2015). *The effect of socially-oriented Internet use on subjective well-being: The moderating roles of extraversion and social support*. Paper presented at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- Bigsby, E., & **Wang, N.** (May, 2015). *Message Sensation Value: A Meta-Analysis of Main Effects*. Poster presented at the International Communication Association Annual Conference, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- Kam, J. A., **Wang, N.**, & Harvey, J. (November, 2013). *Does listening to music with references to substance use place Latino and European American youth at risk for substance use? Examining the moderating role of parent-child communication*. Paper presented at the National Communication Association, Washington, DC.
- Aghi, S., Harrison, M., He, Y., Hemrick, B., Nesbitt, J., Pena y Lillo, M., Schiller, K., Sigler, A., **Wang, N.** (April, 2012). *Using social marketing to facilitate green business practices in Champaign-Urbana*. Poster presented at the 4th Annual Public Engagement Symposium, Champaign, IL.

SERVICE

Ad hoc Reviewer	<p><i>Communication Research</i></p> <p><i>Journal of Social and Personal Relationships</i></p> <p><i>Personal Relationships</i></p> <p><i>Journal of Marriage and Family</i></p> <p><i>Health Communication</i></p> <p><i>Journal of Family Communication</i></p> <p><i>Communication Monographs</i></p> <p><i>Journal of Health Psychology</i></p> <p><i>Chinese Journal of Communication</i></p> <p><i>Communication Quarterly</i></p> <p><i>Emerging Adulthood</i></p>	
Paper Reviewer	<p>International Communication Association</p> <p><i>Interpersonal Communication Division</i></p> <p>Eastern Communication Association</p> <p><i>Intercultural Communication Division</i></p> <p>National Communication Association</p> <p><i>Human Communication and Technology Division</i></p> <p>International Communication Association</p>	<p>2017</p> <p>2017</p> <p>2016</p> <p>2015</p>

	<i>Interpersonal Communication Division</i> <i>Communication and Technology Division</i> <i>Adolescents and Media Division</i>	
Panel Chair	International Communication Association <i>Interpersonal Communication Division</i>	2015
Student Representative	National Communication Association <i>Human Communication and Technology Division</i>	11/2015 - 11/2016

Department – National University of Singapore

Volunteer for Open House and E-Open House		03/2024
BizConnect Masterclass Faculty Presenter		05/2023
Committee Member	Workload Allocation Committee BBA/MBA Curriculum Review Committee	01/2020-present
Supervisor for Undergraduate Honor Dissertation Wong Jia Yi (Bachelor of Business Administration)		AY2020/2021
Examiner for Undergraduate Honor Dissertation Abdul Fattah Salleh (Bachelor of Business Administration) Celine Leo Ren Yi (Bachelor of Social Sciences and Business Administration)		AY2022/2023 AY2021/2022
Supervisor for BMH5302: Applied Faculty Project Sun Fanqi, Sha Sijia Zhan Xinxin Ning Wanming, Mao Anran		AY2023/2024 AY2022/2023 AY2022/2023

Department – Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania

Presenter for Communication Day “ <i>Mix-Media Relationships: Understanding Multi-Communication in Close Relationships</i> ”		2018
Advisor for three communication major students		2018
Committee Member	Alumni Engagement Committee Curriculum Committee Ad Hoc Committee on Department Policies and Procedures Department Secretary Search Committee	2017-2018
Teaching and Learning Enhancement Center (TALE) Department Ambassador		2017
Manager of Department Monthly Newsletter		2017

Panelist, "New Faculty Introduction"	9/2017
National Communication Association Student Club (NCASC)	
Department – University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	
Panelist, "Publication Process"	4/2016
Graduate Student Association Professional Development Seminar	
Panelist, "Research in the Department of Communication"	3/2016
Prospective Student Welcome Weekend	
Panelist, "Research in the Department of Communication"	3/2013
Prospective Student Welcome Weekend	