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Academic Appointment

New Jersey Institute of Technology,	, Martin Tuchman School of Managemen	it (Newark, NJ)
Assistant Professor		8/2019-Present

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (Hong Kong, China)

Visiting Scholar 8/2023 & 6/2024

Rutgers Business School, RBS (Newark, NJ)

Instructor 9/2018-12/2018 Teaching Assistant 9/2015-5/2019

Education

Dept. of Supply Chain Management, Rutgers Business School, Rutgers Ph.D. in Management	10/2019
Rutgers Business School, Rutgers University, the State University of New Jersey Master of Business Administration (MBA) Concentration: Finance and Supply Chain Management.	5/2009
Shanghai University of Finance & Economics (Shanghai, China) Master of Arts, Concentration: International Economics	1/2006
National Chengchi University (Taipei, Taiwan) Bachelor of Arts, Dual Concentrations: Economics and Russian	6/2003

Professional Certificates

- [1] Certified in Production and Inventory Management (CPIM)
- [2] Solution Consultant my SAP ERP Integration of Business Process
- [3] CITI Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) and Human Subject Research (HSR)

Research Interest

Agricultural and Food Supply Chain Technology for Supply Chain (e.g., AI, Blockchain, IoT, AR/VR) Healthcare Operations Management & Information Technology FinTech

Journal Publication

[1] Z. Li, A. Chang, J. Shi, J. Wang, "Coordination Schemes for Resource Reallocation and Patient Transfer in Hospital Alliance Models", *Decision Sciences (DSJ)*, 2025, 56(1), 71-92.

ABDC Ranking: A*

[2] W. Wang, Z. Wang, H. Zhang, A. Chang, J. Shi, "IoT-driven Dynamic Replenishment of Fresh Produce in the Presence of Seasonal Variations: A Deep Reinforcement Learning Approach Using Reward Shaping", *Omega, the International Journal of Management Science*, 2025, 134,

103299.

ABDC Ranking: A

[3] Z. Li, A. Chang*, "Competition and coordination between traditional and internet hospitals", *Annals of Operations Research (ANOR)*, 2024, Nov 6: 1-51.

Correspondence Author; ABDC Ranking: A

[4] A. Chang, F. Zhou, N. El-Rayes, J. Shi, "Food transportation and price impacted by diesel price and truck-driver shortage pre-, amid and post pandemic", *Transportation Research Part E: Logistics and Transportation Review*, 2024, Volume 192, 103794, ISSN 1366-5545.

Lead Author; ABDC Ranking: A*

[5] F. Zhou, A. Chang, J. Shi, "How the Economic Policy Uncertainty (EPU) impacts FinTech: The implication of P2P lending markets", *Finance Research Letters*, 2024, 106268, ISSN 1544-6123.

ABDC Ranking: A

- [6] M. Mohammadi, G. Assaf, R. H. Assaad, A. Chang, "An Intelligent Cloud-Based IoT-Enabled Multimodal Edge Sensing Device for Automated, Real-Time, Comprehensive, and Standardized Water Quality Monitoring and Assessment Process Using Multisensor Data Fusion Technologies", ASCE J. Comput. Civ. Eng., 2024, 38(6): 04024029.
- [7] R. H. Assaad, M. Mohammadi, A. Chang, "An IoT-Enabled Sensing Device to Quantify the Reliability of Shared Economy Systems Using Intelligent Sensor Fusion Building Technologies", *Buildings* 2023, 13, 2182.
- [8] N. El-Rayes, A. Chang, J. Shi, "Plastic Management and Sustainability: A Data-Driven Study", *Sustainability* 2023, 15, 7181.
- [9] Z. Li, A. Chang*, Z. Zou, "Mechanism Design to Coordinate Hierarchical Healthcare Services: Capacity Investment vs. Patient Subsidy", *Omega, the International Journal of Management Science*, Volume 118, Article 102852, 2023.

Correspondence Author; ABDC Ranking: A

[10] J. Wang, J. Shi, Z. Dai, A. Chang, H. Liu, "Robust Surgical Scheduling for Non-Operating Room Anesthesia (NORA) under Surgical Duration Uncertainty", *Decision Sciences (DSJ)*, 55(3), 262-280, 2024.

ABDC Ranking: A*

- [11] **A.** Chang, N. El-Rayes, J. Shi, "Blockchain Technology for Supply Chain Management: A Comprehensive Review", *FinTech*, 2022, 1(2), 191-205.
- [12] Z. Dai, J. Wang, and A. Chang, "Surgical scheduling by Fuzzy model considering inpatient beds shortage under uncertain surgery duration", Annals of Operations Research (ANOR), Annals of Operations Research (ANOR), 2022 Mar 22:1-43.

ABDC Ranking: A

- [13] P. Ouyang, J. Wang, A. Chang, "Patients need emotional support: Managing physician disclosure information to attract more patients", *International Journal of Medical Informatics*, Volume 158, February 2022, 104674.
- [14] A. Chang, M.N. Katehakis, J. Shi and Z. Yan, "Blockchain-Empowered Newsvendor Optimization", *International Journal of Production Economics*, Volume 238, August 2021, 108144.

Lead Author; ABDC Ranking: A

[15] U. Ali, Y. Li, J. Wang, X. Yue, A. Chang, "Dynamics of Outward FDI and productivity spillovers in logistics services industry: Evidence from China", *Transportation Research Part E: Logistics and Transportation Review*, Volume 148, April 2021, 102258.

ABDC Ranking: A*

[16] J. Wang, Z. Li, J. Shi, A. Chang, "Capacity Reallocation via Sinking High-Quality Resource in a Hierarchical Healthcare System", *Annals of Operations Research (ANOR)*, 300, 97–135 (2021).

ABDC Ranking: A

[17] J. Wang, Z. Li, J. Shi, A. Chang, "Hospital referral and capacity strategies in the two-tier healthcare systems", *Omega, the International Journal of Management Science*, Volume 100, Article 102229, 2021.

ABDC Ranking: A

[18] C. Fang, H. Lu, Y. Hong, S. Liu, A. Chang, "Dynamic Pricing for Electric Vehicle Extreme Fast Charging", *IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Transportation Systems*, Volume: 22, Issue: 1, Jan. 2021, p. 531-541.

ABDC Ranking: A

- [19] J. Shi, Y. Zhao, K. Kiwanuka, and A. Chang, "Optimal Selling Policies for Farmer Cooperatives", *Production and Operations Management Society (POMS)*, Volume 28, No. 12, pp. 3060-3080, 2019.
 - ABDC Ranking: A*; Among Business Week's 20 Premier Journals; Among Financial Times (FT) Research's 50 Premier Journals.
- [20] **A. Chang** and H. Lu, "Stock-Out Risk of the Production/Inventory Systems with Compound Poisson Demands", *Omega*, *the International Journal of Management Science*, Volume 83, 181-198, 2019.

Lead Author; ABDC Ranking: A*

[21] **A. Chang** and J. Shi, "Pricing American Options via Transform-Expand-Sample (TES) Forecasting Method", *Journal of Business and Economics*, Volume 7, No. 11, pp. 1756-1763, 2016.

Lead Author; ABDC Ranking: B

[22] J. Shi, and A. Chang, "Revenue and Duration of Oral Auction", *Journal of Service Science and Management*, Vol. 2, No. 4, Dec. 2009.

Conference Proceeding Publication

[1]. N. El-Rayes, A. Chang, J. Shi, "From Waste to Wealth: A Future Paradigm for Plastic Management Using Blockchain Technology", 2023 54th DSI Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA.

DSI Best Conceptual Research Paper Award, 2023

- [2]. M. Mohammadi, R. H. Assaad, A. Chang, "An Intelligent IoT Device for Real-Time Cloud-Based Tracking of the Terms of Service in Smart Cities", i3CE, June 25-28, 2023, Corvallis, Oregon.
- [3]. X. Chen, C. Fang, A. Chang, Y. Yang, Y. Hong, and H. Lu, "Chinese Address Standardization via Hybrid Approach Combining Statistical and Rule-Based Methods", 39th International Conference on Information Systems, 2019.

ISAP Excellent Paper Award, 2018

Book Chapters

- [BC1]. J. Shi and A. Chang, "Blockchain and Newsvendor", in "Encyclopedia in Operations Management", Editor Tsan-Ming (Jason) Choi, forthcoming, 2025 [Peer Reviewed Chapter].
- [BC2].A. Chang, N. El-Rayes and J. Shi, "Blockchain Technology Toward a Circular Economy: A Future Paradigm" in Springer Book "Circular economy and Sustainable Development: a necessary nexus for a sustainable future", pp 335-351, Springer International Publishing, Oct. 23, 2024. [Peer Reviewed Chapter].

Research Grant

Federal Grants

- [1]. USDA, Co-PI, "Impact of Rising Diesel Prices and Truck Driver Availability on Food Transportation and Distribution", 2022-2024, \$74,393.
- [2]. USDA, PI, "Understanding the Impact of the Transportation Network on Food Distribution in Rural and Urban areas", 2021, \$57,343.
- [3]. NJIT NSF I-Corps, Technical Lead, "Empowering Molecular Discovery: A Graph Neural Network Approach with Explainable AI", 2024, \$3,000.

Other Research Grants

- [4]. NJIT NCE Faculty Seed Grant, Co-PI, "Developing a Carbon Dioxide (CO2) Reduction System to Strengthen Human-Centric Indoor Environmental Awareness and Improve Sustainability by Integrating Autonomous Robotics, Digital Twins, and Mobile IoT-based Smart Sensing Technologies", 2024, \$10,000.
- [5]. NJIT MTSM LRI Faculty Seed Grant, Co-PI, "Integrating Augmented Reality and Haptic Technologies: Towards Smart Design and Training Practices to Improve Customer Satisfaction and Experience", 2023, \$4,500.
- [6]. NJIT RETDIC Faculty Seed Grand, Co-PI, "An Intelligent Cloud-Based IoT System for Automated Water Quality Assessment and Leak Detection in Smart Real Estate Facilities", 2023, \$10,000.
- [7]. NJIT MTSM LRI Faculty Seed Grant, PI, "Plastic Recycling Supply Chain Driven by Data Science and Blockchain Technology", 2022, \$10,000.
- [8]. NJIT RETDIC Faculty Seed Grant, Co-PI, "An Intelligent and Dynamic-Pricing IoT Prototype to Improve the Reliability of a Shared Economy System: Towards Smart Real Estate", 2022, \$10,000.

Conference and Invited Presentations

- [1]. "Plastic Recycling Driven by Blockchain: ESG Optimization and Implications", 2025 POMS Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA, May 8-12, 2025.
- [2]. "The Impact and Implication of Bag Tax Policies on Sustainable Operations: A System Dynamics Approach", 2025 POMS Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA, May 8-12, 2025.
- [3]. "Transportation Issues Affecting Fresh Food Distribution: A Comparison Study of Urban vs Rural United States", TRB 2025 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, Jan. 5-9, 2025.
- [4]. "Food on the Way: Food Price Factored by Transportation amid the COVID-19 Pandemic", 2024 DSI Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ, Nov. 23-25, 2024.
- [5]. "SCGNN: Forecasting Food Prices with Constructed SC Graph and Adopted GNN Model", 2024 INFORMS Annual Meeting, Seattle, WA, Oct. 20-23, 2024.
- [6]. "Blockchain-as-a-Service in Supply Chain: Optimal Adoption for Matching Random Supply with Uncertain Demand", ICSS 2024 Conference, Macau, China, Jun. 22-24, 2024.
- [7]. "Impact of Rising Diesel Prices and Truck Driver Availability on Food Transportation and Distribution", Transportation Research Forum, Arlington, VA, Apr. 4-5, 2024.
- [8]. "Impact of Rising Diesel Prices and Truck Driver Availability on Food Transportation and Distribution", NEDSI 53rd Annual Conference, Cambridge, MA, Apr. 4-5, 2024
- [9]. "Investigating Issues in the Existing Food Supply Chain, Overcoming Transportation Hurdles, and Cultivating a Unified Network for Sustainable Solutions", NJIT Nourish and Knowledge Seminar Series, Newark, NJ, Jan. 19, 2024.
- [10]. "From Waste to Wealth: A Future Paradigm for Plastic Management Using Blockchain Technology", 2023 DSI Annual Conference, Atlanta, GA, Nov. 18-23, 2023.

- [11]. "Blockchain Design for Supply Chain Management", International Production and Operations Management Society (Intl' POMS) 2023 Annual Conference, Paris, France, Jul. 18-20, 2023.
- [12]. "Crisis of Plastic: Business Implications from Data Analytics" Production and Operations Management Society (POMS) 2023 Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, May 21-25, 2023.
- [13]. "From Waste to Wealth: A Future Paradigm for Plastic Management Using Blockchain Technology (BCT)" INFORM 2023 Annual Conference, Aurora, CO, April 16-18, 2023.
- [14]. "Impact of Rising Diesel Prices and Truck Driver Availability on Food Transportation and Distribution" Northeast Decision Science Institute (NEDSI) 2023 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, Mar. 30-Apr. 1, 2023.
- [15]. "Blockchain Technology for the Plastic Crisis: A Mathematical Model for Sustainable Plastic Management" Northeast Decision Science Institute (NEDSI) 2023 Annual Meeting, Washington, DC, Mar. 30-Apr. 1, 2023.
- [16]. "Blockchain Technology for Agricultural Supply Chain" Production and Operations Management Society (POMS) 2022 Online Annual Conference, Apr. 21-25, 2022.
- [17]. "Competition and Coordination between Traditional Hospital and Internet Hospital" Northeast Decision Science Institute (NEDSI) 2022 Annal Meeting, Newark, NJ, Apr. 7-9, 2022.
- [18]. "Lessons Learned from Active Learning Pedagogy", NJIT 2021-2022 Lunch at Institute of Teaching Excellence (ITE), March 3rd, 2022.
- [19]. "Blockchain Design for Supply Chain Management", POMS 30th Annual Conference, Washington DC, May 2-6, 2019.
- [20]. "Blockchain Design for Supply Chain Management", INFORMS International Conference, Taipei, Taiwan, June 17-21, 2018.
- [21]. 2008 APICS International Conference, Kansas City, MO, Honored scholar, sponsored by APICS.

Teaching Interest

Business Analytics and Data Analytics Financial Modeling and FinTech Courses Supply Chain Analytics (Data-Driven Analytics)

Course Taught

Instructed at NJIT

MGMT116: Quantitative Analysis with Applications for Business

MGMT216: Business Data Analytics FIN310: Data-Driven Financial Modeling

FIN600: Corporate Finance I

Instructed at Rutgers, Rutgers Business School

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Student Advising

Doctoral Students

Nesreen El-Rayes (2024): "Plastic Crisis and Sustainability: Management from the Perspective of Business Data Science and Technology".

Job Placement: Georgia State University, Robinson College of Business,

Fuqin Zhou (in progress), expected to graduate in 2026.

Undergraduate Student

Joseph Schaedler (2021): "Blockchain-enabled System Design for Standardized Testing Process", won NJIT URI 2021 Provost Summer Research Fellowship Award & Dr. James F. Stevenson Innovation Award: Third Prize.

Selected Honor

- 2024 Outstanding Associate Editor Award, Data Science and Management (DSM) Journal
- 2024 Nominee for 2024 DSI Early Career Research Award
- 2024 Nominee for 2024 INFORMS Teaching Excellence Award
- 2023 Women in Supply Chain Award
- 2023 DSI Best Conceptual Research Paper Award for "From Waste to Wealth: A Future Paradigm for Plastic Management Using Blockchain Technology"
- 2023 Omega Best Reviewer Award
- 2023 NJIT Excellence in Teaching Award in Lower Division Undergraduate Instruction
- 2023 NJIT MTSM Excellence in Teaching Award in Lower Division Undergraduate Instruction
- 2022 NJIT MTSM Junior Faculty Research Excellence Award
- 2021 Poets & Quants' list of the 50 Best Undergrad Professors
- 2021 Omega Best Reviewer Award
- 2021 NJIT Virtual Immersive Technology Active Learning (VITAL) Initiative Award
- 2021 NJIT MTSM Teaching with Technology Enhancement Initiative Award
- 2020 NJIT Open and Affordable Textbook (OAT) Teaching Project Award
- 2018 ISAP Excellent Paper Award for "Chinese Address Standardization via Hybrid Approach Combining Statistical and Rule-Based Methods"
- 2018 Rutgers Business School Dean's Fund for Summer Ph.D. Research
- 2018 Rutgers TA/GA Professional Development Fund Award
- 2017 Rutgers Business School Summer Scholarship
- 2016 Ph.D. Teaching Assistant Scholarship for 4 years, Rutgers Business School
- 2009 Beta Gamma Sigma Honored Lifetime membership
- 2009 Scholarship Award, the Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals (CSCMP) NJ
- 2008 Scholarship Award, the Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals (CSCMP) NJ
- 2008 Alfred J. Battaglia Memorial Fellowship Award for Supply Chain Management
- 2002 Presidential Award, National Chengchi University

Academic Service

Conference Session Organizer: 35th Annual POMS Conference, Atlanta, GA, May 8-12, 2025. **Doctoral Research Competition Judge:** 2024 DSI Annual Conference, Phoenix, AZ, Nov. 2024.

NSCS Advisor: NJIT Chapter, 2023-2024

Guest Editor: Mathematics, 2022; FinTech, 2022

Associate Editor: Data Science and Management (DSM), 2020-2026

Journal Referee: Omega, IJPE, Transportation Science Part E, EJOR, CAIE, IJPR, DSI, etc. **Conference Session Chair:** 2018 INFORMS International, Taipei, Taiwan, June 17-21, 2018. **Scholar membership:** APICS, CSCMP, ISM, INFORMS, DSI, POMS, *Beta Gamma Sigma*

Industry Working Experience

DP&C Enterprises, LLC (East Brunswick, NJ) Project Manager Supply Chain and Marketing Analyst	6/2009-8/2010 2/2009-6/2009
BASF Fuel Cell Inc. (Somerset, NJ) Supply Chain Analyst	5/2008-8/2008
BioProMed Co. (Taipei, Taiwan) China Region Representative	10/2003-1/2005