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Major research topics in my lab

Urban Policy	Transport	Land use	Housing	Resource & Energy	Environment	Social welfare
Mobilities						
Residential mobility	0	0	0	0	0	0
Job mobility	0	0	0	0	0	0
Education mobility	0	0	0	0	0	0
Household structure mobility	0	0	0	0	0	0
Resource mobility	0	0	0	0	0	
Leisure/Tourism mobility	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transport mobility	0	0	0	0	0	0

Fields: Developed and developing countries Methodology: Interdisciplinary



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Some new research examples are:

(1) Mobilities

- Integrated behavioral studies: migration, travel, driving, residential, energy consumption, health, and tourism behaviors, etc.
- Mobilities of different population groups (young people, the elderly, women and children, talent workers, etc.) and QOL

(2) Urban policy

- Cross-sectoral transportation policy
- Life-oriented policies for local city revitalization
- How will smartphone apps change people's lives?
- Policies encouraging behavioral change: Energy-saving, health, safety
- Climate changes adaptive urban planning
- Culture-centered urban management and city image formation
- Effective use of regional resources for regional revitalization, etc.

System Approach





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Life-oriented behavior analysis system





Life-oriented Behavioral Research for Urban Policy Junyi Zhang (Jan 2017, Springer)

http://www.springer.com/jp/book/9784431564706

Chapter I Life-oriented Approach Chapter 2 Empirical Evidence of Behavioral Interdependencies across Life Choices Chapter 3 Lifestyles and Life Choices Chapter 4 The Car-dependent Life Chapter 5 Household Energy **Consumption Behavior** Chapter 6 ICT-dependent Life and Its Impacts on Mobility Chapter 7 Health-related Life Choices Chapter 8 Life-oriented Tourism Behavior Research Chapter 9 Influence of Land Use and Transport Policies on Women's Labor Participation and Life Choices Chapter 10 Mobility of the Elderly Chapter 11 Risky Behaviors in Life:A

Focus on Young People

Chapter 12 Adaptation of Behavior to **Overcome Natural Disasters** Chapter 13 Mobility Biographies and Mobility Socialisation – New Approaches to an Old Research Field Chapter 14 Biographical Interactions over the Life Course: Car Ownership, Residential Choice, Household Structure, and Employment/Education Chapter 15 Household Time Use Behavior Analysis: A Case Study of Multidimensional Timing Decisions Chapter 16 Models of Behavioral Change and Adaptation Chapter 17 Behavioral Changes in Migration Associated with Jobs, Residences, and Family Life Chapter 18 Future Perspectives of the Life-oriented Approach





Life-oriented approach: Historical Perspective





Life-oriented approach: Empirical evidence



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Life-oriented approach

Some applications



Life-oriented Approach: Migration

Survey about migration and life choices in Tokyo, 2015





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Survey about migration and life choices in Tokyo, 2015





Life-oriented Approach: Residential & travel behavior (life history survey)



Junyi ZHANG, Biying YU, and Makoto CHIKARAISHI (2014) Interdependences between household residential and car ownership behavior: A life history analysis. *Journal of Transport Geography*, 34, 165-174.



Life-oriented Approach: Residential self-selection



<u>Junyi ZHANG</u> (2014) Revisiting the residential self-selection issues: A life-oriented approach. *Journal of Land Use and Transport*, 7 (3), 29-45.



Life-oriented Approach: Household energy consumption behavior





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Life-oriented Approach: Household energy consumption behavior

Biying YU<u>, Junyi ZHANG</u>, Akimasa FUJIWARA (2013) A household time use and energy consumption model with multiple behavioral interactions and zero-consumption, *Environment and Planning B: Planning and Design*, 40 (2), 330-349.



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Life-oriented Approach: Household energy consumption behavior





Life-oriented Approach: Health behavior





Life-oriented Approach: Health behavior





Life-oriented Approach: Health behavior





Life-oriented Approach: Tourism & QOL





Life-oriented Approach: Tourism & QOL





Life-oriented Approach: Tourism & QOL





Life-oriented Approach: Adaptation behavior against climate change disasters



Before-disasters adaptive behavior During-disasters adaptive behavior After-disasters adaptive behavior

SLR impacts on road	infrastructure of	f the whole country
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Scenarios	Affected Road	Total Length	Total National Road	Percentage (%)
	Segments	(Km)	Length (Km)	
1.8 m (2050)	1935	4745.02	20205.96	23.48
2.0 m (2080)	2007	4920.97	20205.96	24.35



Life-oriented Approach: Risky behavior (Driving safety)





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Development of GPS-enabled Smartphone App "Safety Supporter"





Three-month actual driving experiment

Scenario-based experiment

100 drivers

Best Scientific Award: the 21th ITS World Congress



Life-oriented Approach: Risky behavior (Driving safety)

Sample size: 353 trips

(from 13 individuals: all male drivers; 33-59 years old (average: 41))





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Life-oriented Approach:

Women's Labor Participation, Other Life Choices, and QOL

- Identify the barriers on women's job participation, especially the influence of land use and transport attributes;
- Clarify the factors on women's good quality of family life, leisure life, health life and their QOL as a whole;
- Provide cross-sectoral policies implications into women's job participation and QOL promotion, simultaneously balance women's work-life.





Life-oriented Approach: The elderly mobility





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Conceptual illustration of the capability approach



Life-oriented Approach: Social Exclusion

<u>General definition of social exclusion</u> (education-transport / job-migration) <u>Physical exclusion</u>: whereby physical and psychological difficulties exclude certain groups of people from using the transport systems. In occasions, the physical nature of the transport systems may create physical and psychological barriers to access by people with impaired mobility, hearing or sight. Aspects as vehicle design, lack of disabled facilities or lack of timetable information, might inhibit the accessibility of transport services for many groups of people such as small children, people with impaired mobility, hearing or visually impaired people, etc.

Geographical exclusion: where a person lives can prevent them from accessing transport services. It refers principally to situations associated to peripherality, poor transport provision and therefore the resulting inaccessibility, since dispersed locations may limit the ability to carry out activities in the immediate area.

Exclusion from facilities: because of time, income or mode constraints, people cannot access to good shopping, schools, health care or leisure services.

Economic exclusion: the high monetary costs of travel can prevent or limit access to facilities or employment opportunities and thus impact on incomes.

<u>Time-based exclusion</u>: other demands on time, such as combined work, household and child-care duties, reduces the time available for travel (often referred to as time-poverty in the literature), or the time for travel reduces the time available for other duties.

<u>Fear-based exclusion</u>: some people may feel fear and worry when travelling in public spaces, and those fears for personal safety preclude the use of public spaces and/or transport services, reflected in feelings of fear, worry, terror, awareness or concern.;

Space exclusion: this category of exclusion applies when security or space-management strategies discourage socially excluded individuals from using public transport spaces by preventing certain groups from access to public and quasi-public transport spaces, e.g. gated communities or first class waiting rooms at stations.



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Recent focuses

- Book: Transport and Energy Research: A Behavioral Perspective
 - Editor: Junyi Zhang; Publisher: Elsevier; Planned publication date: 2019
- Special issues at SCI/SSCI journals
 - Journal (1): Transportation (IF=2.633)
 - Special Issue: Young People's Life Choices and Travel Behavior
 - Guest editors: Junyi Zhang and Ying Jiang (University of Washington)
 - Deadline of full paper submission: August 30, 2018 (tentative)
 - Journal (2): Sustainable Cities and Society (IF=1.968)
 - Special Issue: Smart Technologies and Urban Life: A Behavioral and Social Perspective
 - Guest editors: Junyi Zhang and Shenjing He (The University of Hong Kong)
 - Deadline of full paper submission: August 30, 2018 (tentative)
 - Journal: Cities (IF=2.797) (under review, not sure at this moment)
 - Special Issue: Internal Migration and Urban Policies: A Life-oriented Behavioral Research
 - Guest editor: Junyi Zhang
 - Deadline of full paper submission: August 30, 2018 (tentative)
- To prepare for the International Choice Modeling Conference 2019 (August 19-21, 2019)
 - <u>http://www.icmconference.org.uk/</u>
 - To design the conference concept based on the life-oriented approach.