LIST OF PUBLICATIONS AND POLICY RESEARCH REPORTS BY YI ZENG

1. Publications written in English and published in North America or Europe

1.1. Peer-Reviewed BOOKS written in English and published/distributed in North America or Europe.


1.2. ARTICLES published in anonymous peer-reviewed journals in North America or Europe (* mean corresponding author)


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60) Yang Li, Wen-Jing Wang, Huiping Cao, Jiehua Lu, Chong Wu, Fang-Yuan Hu, Jian Guo, Ling Zhao, Fan Yang, Yi-Xin Zhang, Wei Li, Gu-Yan Zheng, Hanbin Cui, Xiaomin Chen, Zhiming Zhu, Hongbo He, Birong Dong, Xiaming Mo, Yi Zeng*, and Xiao-Li Tian* (2009). “Genetic association of FOXO1A and FOXO3A with longevity trait in Han Chinese populations.” Human Molecular Genetics, 18: 4897 – 4904. (Xiao-Li Tian and Yi Zeng are co-corresponding authors) [PMC2790334]


106) Zeng, Yi*, Huashuai Chen, Ting Ni, Rongping Ruan, Chao Nie, Xiaomin Liu, Lei Feng, Fenyu Zhang, Jiehua Lu, Jianxin Li, Yang Li, Wei Tao, Simon G Gregory, William Gottschalk, Michael W. Lutz, Kenneth C. Land, Anatoli Yashin, Qihua Tan, Ze Yang, Lars Bolund, Qi Ming, Huanming Yang, Junxia Min, D. Craig Willcox, Bradley J Willcox, Jun Gu, Elizabeth Hauser, Xiao-Li Tian, James W. Vaupel (2016). Interaction between FOXO1A-209 Genotype and Tea Drinking is Significantly Associated with Reduced Mortality at


118) Zeng, Yi*, Chao Nie*, Junxia Min*, Huashuai Chen, Xiaomin Liu, Rui Ye, Zhihua Chen, Chen Bai, Enjun Xie, Zhaoxue Yin, Yuebin Lv, Jiehua Lu, Jianxin Li, Ting Ni, Lars Bolund, Kenneth C. Land, Anatoliy Yashin, Angela M O’Rand, Liang Sun, Ze Yang, Wei Tao, Anastasia Gurinovich, Claudio Franceschi, Jichun Xie, Jun Gu, Yong Hou, Xiao Liu, Xun


124) Anna Zhu, Lijing Yan, Chih-Da Wu, Peter James, Yi Zeng, John S. Ji*. “Residential Greenness, Activities of Daily Living (ADL) and Instrumental Activities of Daily Living (IADL): A Longitudinal Cohort Study of Older Adults in China.” Environmental Epidemiology, 2019 - Volume 3 - Issue 5, (cited NSFC 71490732 and the National Key R&D Program of China 2018YFC2000400);


139) Zhang, Yun, Xurui Jin, Michael W. Lutz, Song-Yhun Ju, Keyang Liu, Guang Guo, Yi Zeng*, Yao Yao* (2021) Interaction between APOE ε4 and dietary protein intake on


1.3. Articles in English as chapters in peer-reviewed books published in North America or Europe (excluding chapters of the books totally written by or mostly written by Yi Zeng)


32) Zeng, Yi (2021). Implementing the Universal Two & Three Child Policy is Largely


1.4. Mainly Editor-Reviewed Academic Articles Published in North America or Europe


1.5. Manuscripts written in English, not published but have been used in teachings of courses and training workshops

1) Zeng,Yi. 1996. *Methods and Applications of Demographic Analysis*. (Note: Yi Zeng used this unpublished text book manuscript to teach a demographic method course in English for Chinese and foreign graduate students at Peking University from 1992 to 1996; the faculty members at Peking University have been using it since 1996).

2) Zeng,Yi and Wang Zhenglian. 1998. “ProFamy: a New Method and User-Friendly Computer Software for Family Household Projection.” Different versions of this manuscript was presented, demonstrated, and used for training workshops on “Family Household Projections”, at: (1) Max Planck Institute for Demographic Research (MPIDR), Rostock, Germany, July 26 - August 2, 1998; (2) the Summer School jointly organized by the International Union for Scientific Studies of Population and MPIDR in Rostock, Germany, July, 2005; (3) Australian Demographic and Social Research Institute at Australian National University, Dec.6-7, 2007; (4) Demography Department and Population Studies Center of University of Campinas, Brazil, Sept. 26-30, 2016.

1.6 Research reports written in English specially invited and submitted to the U.S. Census Bureau


2. Publications written in Chinese and published in China

2.1. Books written in Chinese and published in Chi


17) Zeng, Yi, Jiehua Lu, Xiaoyan Lei and Xiaoming Shi (eds.) 2018. *Healthy Aging in China: Trends and Determinants*. Beijing: Science Press. -- Based on anonymous peer-review and experts committee’s evaluations, this book was selected as part of the “National Philosophy and Social Sciences Outstanding Achievements Library”, which is the highest books honor of Philosophy and Social Sciences in China.


2.2. Professional articles written in Chinese and published in peer-reviewed academic journals in China


44) Gu Danan* and Yi Zeng. 2002. “Healthy Life Expectancy of the Oldest Old in China Based on Grade of Membership.” Population & Economics (Renkou yu Jingji), No.2


62) Gu, Danan; Liu, Yuzhi; Zhang, Yingxin; Ren, Hong; and Zeng, Yi. 2007. “Analysis of number of days needing full-time care before dying among the Chinese elderly.” Population and Economics (Renkou yu Jingji), No.6. pp. 51-58 (in Chinese)

63) Gu, Danan*; Zeng, Yi; Liu, Yuzhi; and Zeng, Xianxin. 2007. “Frailty Index and Its Association with Suffering Death.” Population Research (Renkou Yanjiu), 5, 35-41.

64) Zeng, Yi*, 2009. “Past, Present and Future of Demography.” Population Research (Renkou Yanjiu), 2009, No. 5 (this article was selected and fully transshipped as an important academic review by Xinhua Digest, 2009 (24); Xinhua Digest is the most prestigious Digest in China).


95) Zeng, Yi*. 2013. Unchanged fertility policy would damage the great programs of Chinese revive. Shanghai Economics (Shanghai Jingji).


2.3. Articles in Chinese as chapters in peer-reviewed books published in China (excluding chapters of the books totally written by or mostly written by Yi Zeng)

1) Zeng,Yi. 1981. “On Some Problems About the Development of the Huanglu Forestry Center and Location of Forest Industry in the Northern Region of Jiangxi Province.” *Collection of Selected Articles of the Department of Geography*, East China Normal University, Shanghai.


2.4. Policy research reports


2) Zeng, Yi (1999), The marriage and family structure of the elderly and relevant policy suggestions. Submitted to National Population and Family Planning Commission of P.R. China.

3) Zeng, Yi (2000), The integrated project of rural family planning high quality services and old age insurance program—The historic opportunity faced by family planning system. Submitted to National Population and Family Planning Commission of China.


5) Zeng, Yi and Hangang Hu (2003), Suggestions about attentions and studies on rapidly increasing dis-advantaged social group of oldest-old, 2003. This policy report received written notice by Vice Premier Hui Liangyu on Sept. 11, 2003. Mainly based on this policy report, the China National Aging Committee issued No. 48 (2003) official note; since then, oldest-old people received much more attentions nationwide.


7) Zeng, Yi (2004), It is not appropriate to cancel the child-bearing interval policy, but should make smooth transition to the two-child plus interval policy. China Center for Economic Research (CCER) Bulletin, No. 24, 2004.


12) Zeng, Yi (2005), Comprehensive reform of the family planning and rural old-age insurance...

13) Zeng, Yi (2005), *Necessity and feasibility of the universal two-child policy (with adequate late childbearing)*. China Center for Economic Research (CCER) Bulletin, No. 1, 2006. The earlier version of this policy report was submitted to and noted in written by former Premier Wen Jiabao on 28 Sept. 2005 and former vice secretary general of State Council Hua Jianmin on 29 Sept. 2005. Premier Wen Jiabao transferred Zeng’s this policy report to the Minister of State Commission of Family Planning (SCFM) and SCFM invited Zeng to present a lecture on the contents pf this policy report to more than 35 high rank officers at SCFM office building.


18) Zeng, Yi (2006), *Implementing as soon as possible the soft-landing of two-child and late child-bearing policy to solve the problem of high sex ratio*. The national status report, Chinese Academy of sciences-Tsinghua University, 2006 (S1).


23) Zeng, Yi (2008), *Implementing the soft-landing of two-child and late childbearing policy is the most important to carry out people-oriented scientific development strategy*. Internal policy advisory report, submitted Sept. 2008 to Li Keqiang, Vice Premier then and National Population and Family Planning Commission of China, and received written notice from Vice Premier Li.


27) Zeng, Yi (2010), The Two-Child & Late Childbearing Policy--an Effective Way to Resolve the Serious Problem of High Sex Ratio at Birth in China. This policy report was selected as the Main Achievement Report No. 70 and submitted to all members of the Politburo of Communist Party of China, Premier, all Vice premiers, State Councilors, members of National people’s congress and Chinese People’s Political Consultative Conference, by Office of the National Social Science Foundation of China, August 2010.

28) Zeng, Yi (2011), The current fertility policy and only allowing the “only-child couples” to have two children seriously and negatively affect the efforts for bringing down the sex ratio and governmental officers’ corruption. This policy report was submitted to top leaders of the Party, State Council, and National Population and Family Planning Commission of P.R. China, Aug. 2011.

29) Zeng, Yi (2012), Adjusting the current fertility policy as soon as possible to implement the soft-landing of universal two-child with adequate spacing. China Center for Economic Research (CCER) Bulletin, No.23, 2012. This policy report was submitted to Vice Premier Li Keqiang then and National Population and Family Planning Commission of P.R. China and received written notice from Vice Premier Li.


34) Zeng, Yi (2013), Suggestion for implementing the universal two-child with adequate spacing policy. This policy report was selected/included as the main report of China National Development and Reforms Commission sponsored “Internal Reference for Reforms • High-level Reports” (Feb. 2013, No. 4), for the officers of Chinese central, provincial and local governments to read as internal reference materials of socioeconomic and policy reforms.

35) Zeng, Yi (2013), Universal two-child policy and late child-bearing promotion is better than only allowing the “only-child couples” to have a second birth. China Center for Economic Research (CCER) Bulletin, No.28, 2013.

36) Zeng, Yi (2013), Universal two-child policy is much better than only allowing the “only-child couples” to have a second birth. China Center for Economic Research (CCER) Bulletin, No.28, 2013. – This policy report was submitted to President Xi Jinping by the end of Oct. 2013. On. Dec. 8, 2013, the office of President Xi Jinping called Yi Zeng’s office at Peking University saying that President Xi Jinping has transferred Yi Zeng’s universal two-child policy report to National Commission for Health and Family Planning for the leaders to read/study.


38) Zeng, Yi (2015), Implementing the universal two-child policy (with soft-landing) to enhance balanced socioeconomic development. This policy report was submitted to Premier Li Keqiang Jan. 28, 2015, and Premier Li Keqiang wrote a note on this policy report and transferred it to the Vice Premier and the Minister in charge of family planning.
for them to read/study. This policy report was also submitted to Social Development Division of National Commission of Reforms and Development of China, and received high attentions and positive feedbacks.

39) Zeng, Yi (2015) Suggestion of implementing the universal two-child policy (with soft-landing) as soon as possible. This policy report was included as the main report of China National Development and Reforms Commission sponsored “Internal Reference for Reforms • High-level Reports” (April 2015, No. 8), for the officers of Chinese central, provincial and local governments to read as internal reference materials of socioeconomic and policy reforms.


41) Zeng, Yi (2015), Implementing the universal two-child policy in rural and urban areas as soon as possible is beneficial for both the nation and people. China Center for Economic Research (CCER) Bulletin, No. 32, 2015.


45) Zeng, Yi (2017). Encouraging Couples to Have Two Children Benefits both the Country and People. This policy report was submitted to Premier Li Keqiang in March, 2017, and Premier Li Keqiang wrote a note on this policy report and transferred it to the Minister in charge of family planning for them to read/study.


48) Zeng, Yi (2018). Eliminating all fertility limitation policies and Encouraging Couples to Have Two Children, to Strengthen the Country’s Development and People’s Welfare. This policy report was submitted to Premier Li Keqiang in June, 2018, and Premier Li Keqiang wrote a note on this policy report and transferred it to the Minister in charge of family planning for them to read/study. Published in Internal Reference for Reform: High Level Reports. National Commission of Development and Reform, September 11, 2018 and in Social Sciences Weekly, November 8, 2018.

49) Zeng, Yi (2019). Recommendations on the unrestricted policy of fertility and encouraging the second birth: field observations in rural & poor areas and empirical analyses. This
policy report was submitted to Premier Li Keqiang and Vice-Premier Sun Chunlan on September 18, via. Peng Peiyun, the former Vice-Chairman of the Standing Committee of National People's Congress. Premier Li and Vice-Premier Sun instructed and forwarded it to the leaders of National Health and Population Commission for their reading and investigations.

50) Zeng, Yi (2020). Recommendations on further adjusting the population policy and promoting family patterns of respecting the aged, caring for the young and intergenerational assistance: this is also the medium- and long-term strategies of responses to the disasters such as the outbreak of COVID-19. This policy report was forwarded to President Xi Jinping and Premier Li Keqiang by Peng Peiyun, the former Vice-Chairman of the Standing Committee of the National People's Congress. Gu Shengzu, the Vice Chairperson of the National Committee of the Chinese People's Political Consultative Conference forwarded this report to the leading group of the 14th Five-Year Plan of the National Development and Reform Commission for reading and reference.

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2.5. Working papers

10) Zeng, Yi (2016), Enhance the administrative management works of health, family planning and population aging in pursuit of welfare of all families. China Center for


2.6. Articles published in Newspapers and popular journals


3) Zeng, Yi, A daughter is better than a son to their parents’ old age support. *Farmer’s Daily*, 2007.08.01


5) Zeng, Yi, Chinese fertility policy urgently needs soft-landing transition. *Social Science Weekly*, 2009.01.15 and 2009.01.22 (continued).

6) Zeng, Yi, It is now the right time of smooth transition to a two-child policy—inspiration from the experiences of the two-child plus spacing policy pilot areas and coastal five provinces. *China Economic Times*, 2009.05.20.


8) Zeng, Yi, Ageing population and elderly support system. *Wenhui Daily*, 2009.05.23.


10) Zeng, Yi, China should work hard on “soft-landing of universal two-child and late child bearing” policy. *China Economic Times*, 2010.03.31.


13) Zeng, Yi, China’s aging trend and the construction of social security system for the elderly. *Consumption Daily*, 2012.10.25.


18) Zeng, Yi, Eliminating all fertility limitation policies yo face serious channlenges of population aging. *Social Science Weekly*, 2018,11,08.