

# Haiyi Li

## GRADUATE STUDENT IN HISTORY

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### Self-Introduction

I am a third-year PhD student in the department of History. I primarily work in gender and legal history of late imperial China (1644-1910).

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### Education

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| 2023-2027 | <b>University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign</b><br><b>PhD History</b>                           |
|           | Advisor: Kai-wing Chow  |
| 2021-2023 | <b>University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign</b><br><b>PhD East Asian Languages and Cultures</b> |
| 2017-2021 | <b>Centre College</b><br><b>BA History and Philosophy</b>   |
|           | Graduated Cum Laude   |
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### Honors and awards

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| 2019,2020,2021 | <b>The Dean's List</b><br>Academic honor awarded to students who have attained a 3.600 grade point average or higher in the terms.   |
| 2020           | <b>Special Project Award of the Kentucky Historical Society</b><br>With Dr. Jonathon Earle, awarded for original research, podcast and social media production on the murder of William Goebel, the only successful gubernatorial assassination in American history. |
| 2021           | <b>Harold Gale, Jr. Memorial Prize</b><br>Prize awarded to a senior of high moral character who has done outstanding work in philosophy courses.   |
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## Research experience

- 2021-2023 **University of Illinois, Champaign, IL**  
Advisor: Kai-wing Chow
- Gender and Sexuality (with Professor Tamara Chaplin)
  - Law and Society (With Professor Dana Rabin)
- 2017-2021 **Centre College, Danville, KY**  
Advisor: John Harney
- Early modern Chinese history (1910-1982)
  - Nation and nationalism
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## Teaching experience

- 2023 **University of Illinois, Champaign, IL**  
**Instructor** Department of Linguistics
- Taught courses for the Korean Summer Workshop
- 2019, 2020 **Si Tan Fu International School, Shen Yang, China**  
**Instructor**
- Teaching self-designed course *Creating the Orient and Constructing the Chinese Nation* for high school graduates. Syllabus could be found here: <https://haiyiliblog.wordpress.com/about/>
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## Fellowship and Grants

- 2023 **Research Travel Grant**  
East Asia Library. Stanford University, Stanford, CA.
- 2023 **Conference Travel Award**  
Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures. University of Illinois, Champaign, IL.
- 2021, 2022, 2023 **Illinois Distinguished Fellowship**  
Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures. University of Illinois, Champaign, IL.
- 2021 **Harold Gale, Jr. Memorial Prize**  
Board of Trustees. Centre College, Danville, KY.

	2017-2021	<b>Colonel Scholarship</b> Board of Trustees, Centre College, KY.
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<b>Presentations and invited lectures</b>	2023	<b>Paper Presentation</b> "Strategizing gender in everyday lives: widowhood, family, and law in Qing dynasty China." Midwest Conference on Asian Affairs, Champaign, Illinois.
	2022	<b>Paper Presentation</b> "Rethinking civil justice in late imperial China: Qing magistrates in the age of litigation mastery." Midwest Conference on Asian Affairs, Lawrence, Kansas.
	2022	<b>Co-Organizer</b> "New Cultural History and the Study of Commercial Publishing in Late Imperial China" (online)
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<b>Professional affiliations</b>	2023-Present	<b>International Society for Chinese Law and History</b>
	2023-Present	<b>Association of Asian Studies</b>
2022-Present	<b>Unit for Criticism and Interpretive Theories. University of Illinois.</b>	
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<b>Professional service</b>	2023	<b>Chair and Commentator</b> Midwest Conference on Asian Affairs, Champaign, Illinois.
	2022	<b>Chair and Commentator</b> Midwest Conference on Asian Affairs, Lawrence, Kansas.
	2022 IL.	<b>President</b> Asian Studies Group, University of Illinois, Champaign,
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<b>Languages</b>	Chinese	Native Fluency
	Japanese	Basic Reading and Speaking
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<b>References</b>	Kai-wing Chow	Professor. Department of History. University of Illinois kchow1@illinois.edu

