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Curriculum Vitae

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Xiao's research focuses on industrial heritage, nostalgia, and the working class, exploring their intersections with neoliberalism, labor, urbanization, and socialism, both within China and in comparative international contexts. She employs ethnographic approaches to investigate social and cultural transformation and lived experience in post-socialist and industrial settings worldwide.