

**Miami University**  
**School of Education, Health and Society**  
**Summary Faculty Vita**

Name: Aimin Wang Department: EDP

**Academic Background and Degrees**

Ph. D University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska, 1994.

**Professional Experience**

July 2000 to Present **Associate Professor**, Department of Educational Psychology, Miami University. Oxford, Ohio 45056

**Honors and Awards**

2003 to 2007 Bring Most of the Students to MWERA Conference Award, Mid Western Educational Research Association  
2006 Certificate for Service on the Association Council 2004 – 2006. *Mid-Western Educational Research Association*.  
2003 Honored Professor, The Miami University Associated Student Government.  
2002 Honors of the President of Miami University on Using Difference to Enhance Teaching  
2000 Certificate of Appreciation, The Sisters' of Gamma Phi Beta & Brothers' of Phi Kappa Tau.  
1998 Delta Gamma's Favorite Professor. The Sisters of Delta Gamma.  
1998 Certificate of Appreciation for Dedication to Academic Excellence and Student Achievement. The Sisters of Alpha Delta Pi and Alpha Xi Delta.  
1995 Certificate of Appreciation for Assistance and support to Students in Miami's Learning Disabilities Program.

**Publications**

Wang, A. (2008). Chinese family: Developments and changes. In C. B. Hannon & S. M. Wilson (Eds.), *Families in a Global Context*. pp. 325-352. New York: Routledge  
Wang, A. (Ed.). (2006). *Selected Topics on Educational Psychology and School Psychology*. Dalian, China: Liaoning Normal University Press.  
Wang, A., Mosley-Howard, G. S., & Witte, R. (In Press). European American, African American And Asian American College Students' Perception Of Easy Courses, Challenging Courses And Just Right Courses. *College Teaching*.  
Wang, A., Liu, W., & Xia, M. (2008). The implications and applications of action research in educational research and educational practice. *Journal of Liaoning Normal University (Social Science Edition)*, 31(1), 44-47.  
Zhong, J., Wang, A., Qian, M., Zhang, L., Gao, J., Yang, J., Li, P., & Chen, P. (2007). Shame, personality and social anxiety: A cross-cultural study. *Depression and Anxiety*,  
Wang, A., & Peterson, G. (2007). Who is more important for early adolescents' developmental choices: Peers or parents. *Marriage and Family Review*. 42 (2) 95-122.

- Brown, S., Shriberg, D., & Wang, A. (2007). Diversity on the Rise? A Review of School Psychology Journals From 2000-2003. *Psychology in the School*, 44, 639-650.
- Wang, A., Xia, M., Liu, W., & Yang, L. (2006). Research on brain development and its impacts on child education. *Journal on Early Childhood Education*, 319, 48-50.
- Liu, X., Qian, M., Zhou, X., & Wang, A. (2006). Repeating the stimulus exposure to investigate what happens after initial selective attention to threatening pictures. *Personality and Individual Differences*, 40, 1007-1016.

### Papers Presented

- Yang, L. & Wang, A. (2008, July). *A Follow-up study of 4-year-old self-imposed delay of gratification as a predictor of children's school-based social competences at age 9*. The XXIX International Congress of Psychology (ICP), Berlin, Germany.
- Wang, A., Polca, M. & Sang, Q. (2008, May). *Comparing the perceptual differences of the purpose of school between Chinese and American eighth graders*. Poster Presentation at the Association for Psychological Science 20th Annual Convention, Chicago, IL.
- Wang, A. & Xia, M. (2008, May). *Reflected appraisals on school work: relationships with academic self-perception*. Poster Presentation at the Association for Psychological Science 20th Annual Convention, Chicago, IL.
- Wang, A. & Xia, M. (2008, May). *The differences of academic self-perception between American and Chinese students*. Poster Presentation at the Association for Psychological Science 20th Annual Convention, Chicago, IL.
- Wang, A. & Zhang, L. (2008, May). *Purpose of school: the comparison between student perception and perceive parental perception*. Poster Presentation at the Association for Psychological Science 20th Annual Convention, Chicago, IL.
- Wang, A. & Jin, W. (2008, May). *The perceptual difference between Chinese secondary students and parents on school purpose*. Poster Presentation at the Association for Psychological Science 20th Annual Convention, Chicago, IL.
- Wang, A. & Xie, Q. (2008, May). *Age differences in school-aged American students' self-perception*. Poster Presentation at the Association for Psychological Science 20th Annual Convention, Chicago, IL.
- Xia, J., Wang, A., & Xia, M. (2007, October). *Gender Differences on School-aged Chinese Students' Math Self-Perception*. Paper Presented at 2007 Annual Conference of the Mid-Western Educational Research Association, St. Louis, MO.
- Xia, M., Wang, A. & Xia, J. (2007, October). *The perceptions of purposes of school: comparisons between Chinese elementary and secondary school students' perspectives and their parents' perspectives*. Paper Presented at 2007 Annual Conference of the Mid-Western Educational Research Association, St. Louis, MO.
- Xia, M., Wang, A. & Hamlin, A. (2007, October). *Comparisons of the perceptions of purposes of school between Chinese and American elementary and secondary school students*. Paper Presented at 2007 Annual Conference of the Mid-Western Educational Research Association, St. Louis, MO.
- Hamlin, A. F., Wang, A., Xia, M., & Xia, Y. (2007, October). *Relating group orientation and independence self-perception to importance between Chinese and U.S. students as measures by the CPA self-perception scale*. Round Table at 2007 Annual Conference of the Mid-Western Educational Research Association, St. Louis, MO.

Wang, A., & Xia, M. (2007, July). *Comparing the Differences of the Perception of Purpose of School between Chinese and American 4th Graders*. Paper presented at The 8<sup>th</sup> Conference of the Pacific Early Childhood Education Research Association, JiuLong, Hong Kong.

Wang, A., & Xia, M. (2007, July). *Perception of the Purpose of School between Chinese Elementary Students and Their Parents*. . Paper presented at The 8<sup>th</sup> Conference of the Pacific Early Childhood Education Research Association, JiuLong, Hong Kong.

**Current Professional Association Memberships**

National Council on Family Relations: NCFR  
 Mid-Western Educational Research Association: MWERA  
 Association for Psychological Science (Previously called American Psychological Society  
 Association for Childhood Education International: ACEI  
 Association for Childhood Education International

**Current Professional Activities and Service**

Editorial Board Member of Marriage and Family Review  
 Publication Committee Member of ACEI  
 Member of Board of Directors of MWERA  
 Secretary of MWERA  
 Advisory Board Member of the Confucius Institute at Miami University  
 Multicultural Council Steering Committee at Miami University  
 Dean’s Faculty Advisory Council of EHS  
 Partnership Committee of EHS

**Faculty Assignments in Teaching Research, and Service**

	<b>Spring 2008</b>	<b>Fall 2007</b>	<b>Spring 2007</b>
<b>Courses (course number and hours)</b>	EDP 301 (3-credit)	EDP 301 (3)	
	EDP 690 (3)	EDP 450/550 (3)	
		EDP 651 (3)	
<b>Other load assignments (description and hours)</b>	Advising students research projects (1 to 3 per week)	Advising students research projects (3 to 5 per week)	Assigned Research Leave
	Advising students in China Cohort (2 to 3 per week)	Advising students in China Cohort (1 to 3 per week)	Advising students research projects (3 per week)