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EDUCATION:

- 2013** **University of Nebraska-Lincoln**
M.S in major of Actuarial Science, minor of Finance, GPA 4.0/4.0
- 2011** **Xiamen University, Fujian, China**
B.M. in Accounting, GPA 3.6/4.0

EMPLOYMENT:

- 2014-present** **Center for Retirement Research at Boston College**
Research Associate
- 2012-2013** **Finance Department at University of Nebraska-Lincoln**
Actuarial Science Tutor

HONORS:

- 2013 MCCF Student Textbook Scholarship, Metropolitan Community College
2013 Dean's List Certificate, Metropolitan Community College
2009 The University Scholarship, Xiamen University, China
2001 The Gold Medal in Hua-Luogeng National Mathematical Competition, China

PUBLICATIONS:

“NRRI Update Shows Half Still Falling Short,” with Alicia H. Munnell and Anthony Webb. 2014. *Issue in Brief* 14-20. Chestnut Hill, MA: Center for Retirement Research at Boston College.

“Long-Term Care: How Big a Risk?” with Leora Friedberg, Wei Sun, and Anthony Webb. 2014. *Issue in Brief* 14-18. Chestnut Hill, MA: Center for Retirement Research at Boston College.

“New Evidence on the Risk of Requiring Long-Term Care,” with Leora Friedberg, Wei Sun, Anthony Webb, and Zhenyu Li. 2014. Working Paper 2014-12. Chestnut Hill, MA: Center for Retirement Research at Boston College.

“Multiemployer Plans – A Proposal to Spread the Pain,” with Alicia H. Munnell, Jean-Pierre Aubry, and Anthony Webb. 2014. *Issue in Brief* 14-17. Chestnut Hill, MA: Center for Retirement Research at Boston College.

“How Much Should People Save?” with Alicia H. Munnell and Anthony Webb. 2014. *Issue in Brief* 14-11. Chestnut Hill, MA: Center for Retirement Research at Boston College.

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS:

Actuary: Society of Actuaries, ASA exams 5/5, VEE Credit 3/3

Finance: CFA Level I Candidate

Accounting: Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, exams 11/14

Programming: Fortran, C++, STATA, Matlab, Visual FoxPro, and SAS

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

Center for Retirement Research

Senior Research Associate

- New evidence on the risk of requiring long-term care
- National Retirement Risk Index
- Multiemployer pension plans

Univeristy of Nebraska-Lincoln

Research Assistant (volunteer)

- Research in *Optimal Disability Insurance with Moral Hazards: Absenteeism and Presenation*
- Solve Volterra Integral Equation of the 2nd kind through numerical analysis