

Blair Wang – Curriculum Vitae (CV)

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1. Highlights

- Five (5) years of experience teaching undergraduates (6 courses) and postgraduates (5 courses), at the University of New South Wales (UNSW) and the University of Sydney, prior to current appointment at the University of Galway
- Associate Fellow of Higher Education Academy (AFHEA) since 2020 ([link](#))
- Track record of high-quality teaching: awards in 2019 ([link](#)) and 2023 ([link](#))
- Creator of the *10 Minute IS Paper (TMISP)* podcast, www.tmisp.org
- Lead Developer of *LitBaskets* literature search tool, www.litbaskets.io

2. Academic Appointments

Present appointment:

University of Galway (Ollscoil na Gaillimhe), Galway (Ireland), since 2023

- *Lecturer Above the Bar* – University of Galway, 2023-present

Former appointments:

University of Sydney, Sydney (Australia), 2018-2023

- *Lecturer* – University of Sydney, 2022-2023
- *Casual/Sessional Academic* – University of Sydney, 2018-2021

University of New South Wales (UNSW), Sydney (Australia), 2018-2021

- *Associate Lecturer* – UNSW, 2020-2021
- *Casual/Sessional Academic* – UNSW, 2018-2019

3. Publication Record

By year, in descending order.

- Wang, B.** (2022). 'Programming for Qualitative Data Analysis: Towards a YAML Workflow', paper presented at the Australasian Conference on Information Systems (ACIS), Melbourne (Australia).
- Wang, B.** & Prester, J. (2022). 'The Performative and Interpretive Labour of Videoconferencing: Findings from a Literature Review on 'Zoom' Fatigue', paper presented at the International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS), Copenhagen (Denmark), paper 1441.
- Wang, B.**, Schlagwein, D., Cecez-Kecmanovic, D., & Cahalane, M. C. (2020). 'Beyond the Factory Paradigm: Digital Nomadism and the Digital Future(s) of Knowledge Work Post-COVID-19', *Journal of the Association for Information Systems*, 21(6), pp. 1379-1401.
- Boell, S. & **Wang, B.** (2019). 'www.litbaskets.io, an IT Artifact Supporting Exploratory Literature Searches for Information Systems Research', paper presented at the Australasian Conference on Information Systems (ACIS), Perth (Australia).
- Wang, B.**, Schlagwein, D., Cecez-Kecmanovic, D., & Cahalane, M. C. (2019). 'Beyond Bourdieu, Foucault and Habermas: Review and Assessment of Critical Information Systems Research', paper presented at the Australasian Conference on Information Systems (ACIS), Perth (Australia).
- Wang, B.**, Schlagwein, D., Cecez-Kecmanovic, D., & Cahalane, M. C. (2019). 'Digital Nomadism and the Market Economy: Resistance and Compliance', paper presented at the International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS), Munich (Germany), paper 1711.
- Wang, B.**, Schlagwein, D., Cecez-Kecmanovic, D., & Cahalane, M. C. (2018). 'Digital Work and High-Tech Wanderers: Three Theoretical Framings and a Research Agenda for Digital Nomadism', paper presented at the Australasian Conference on Information Systems (ACIS), Sydney (Australia).
- Wang, B.**, Lim, E. T. K., & Van Toorn, C. (2016). 'Gimme Money! Designing Digital Entrepreneurial Crowdfunding Platforms for Persuasion and its Social Implications', paper presented at the Pacific Asia Conference on Information Systems (PACIS), Chiayi (Taiwan).

4. Teaching Record

University of Galway (since 2023)

- Lecturer in charge of *MS805 Database Systems*
 - Cohort of approx. 200 students per semester
 - Postgraduate course on SQL (MySQL/MariaDB) and ERD (Mermaid)

University of Sydney (2018-2023):

- Lecturer in charge of *INFS1020 Working in Digital Ecosystems* (2022-2023)

- Cohort of approx. 100 students per semester
- Leading tutor teams of approx. 3 tutors per semester
- Undergraduate course introducing Information Systems concepts to Bachelor of Commerce (BCom) students, and students from other Faculties
- Previously Tutor (2018-2021), awarded a Dean's Citation in 2019 ([link](#))
- Lecturer in charge of *INFS6060 Digital Work Practices* (2023)
 - Unit of Study Student Survey (USS) Award for Teaching in 2023 ([link](#))
 - Cohort of approx. 50 students per semester
 - Postgraduate course introducing Information Systems concepts to Master of Commerce (MCom) students
 - Previously Tutor (2021)

University of New South Wales (2018-2021):

- Lecturer in charge of *INFS2822/INFS5715 Programming for Data Analytics* (2020-2021)
 - Cohort of approx. 100 students per semester
 - Leading tutor teams of approx. 2 tutors per semester
 - Undergraduate (INFS2822) and postgraduate (INFS5715) courses on Python, Web Development (HTML, CSS, JavaScript) and Automation (bash/zsh Shell)
 - As the Lecturer-in-Charge, I developed this course 'from scratch' during the COVID-19 pandemic at the request of the then Deputy Head of School (Education), for both on-campus and online delivery
- Lecturer in charge of *INFS2605 Intermediate Business Programming* (2019-2021)
 - Cohort of approx. 150 students per semester
 - Leading tutor teams of approx. 5 tutors per semester
 - Undergraduate course on Java programming, including SQL (SQLite) and JavaFX Graphical User Interfaces
 - As the Lecturer-in-Charge, I managed this course's lifecycle including designing assessments, leading the tutor team, updating the course content with new concepts and technologies (e.g., Quality Assurance concepts, Intellectual Property concepts, version control and project management using GitHub), and taking responsibility for the unanticipated transition to online teaching during the COVID-19 pandemic
- Guest Lecturer for *INFS4887 Business Research Methods* (2021)
 - Undergraduate course for Honours students undertaking research in Information Systems I co-delivered guest lectures and facilitated workshop discussions on literature review and writing techniques
- Guest Lecturer for *INFS5987 Theoretical Foundations of Information Systems* (2021)
 - Postgraduate course for Information Systems PhD candidates
 - I co-delivered a guest lecture on Critical Theory and Critical Research in Information Systems

- Guest Lecturer for *INFS5978 Accounting Information Systems* (2018-2019)
 - Postgraduate course introducing Information Systems to Accounting students
 - I delivered guest lectures on cybersecurity topics
- Casual/Sessional Academic (2018-2019)
 - Tutor for *COMM5011 Business Data Analysis* (2019, postgraduate coursework)
 - Tutor for *INFS3617 Networking and Cybersecurity* (2018, undergraduate coursework)
 - Tutor for *INFS1609 Fundamentals of Business Programming* (2018, undergraduate coursework)

5. Academic Engagement Activities

10 Minute IS Paper (TMISP) (www.tmisp.org), since 2020:

- In 2020, I launched a podcast where I summarise Information Systems (IS) research papers in 10 minutes or less. I figured that this would be beneficial for my own awareness of the latest research as well as providing a useful resource for other members of the IS scholarly community.
- This podcast has 223 followers on Spotify and has been praised in the IS scholarly community:
 - “Your podcast is a fantastic education device that I will gladly share with my students.” — Dr. Hannes Rothe, Freie Universität Berlin (public post on LinkedIn) ([link](#)).
 - “Just listened to the episode. Blair Wang is such a gifted science communicator!” — Prof. Till Winkler, FernUniversität in Hagen / Copenhagen Business School (public comment on LinkedIn) ([link](#)).
 - “The 10 Minute IS Paper podcast by Blair Wang is awesome, because he takes a paper and explains to you what it’s about in less than 10 minutes.” — Prof. Jan Recker, University of Hamburg (on “This IS Research” podcast with Prof. Nick Berente, University of Notre Dame) ([link](#)).
- This podcast has been identified in an ICIS 2022 paper about prominent podcasts of the IS scholarly community (Anton et al., 2022) ([link](#)).

Peer Review for Academic Research Papers, since 2018:

- *Australasian Journal of Information Systems (AJIS)*, since 2022
- *Business & Information Systems Engineering (BISE)*, since 2022
- *European Journal of Information Systems (EJIS)*, since 2022
- *Information & Organization (I&O)*, since 2023
- *Information Systems Journal (ISJ)*, since 2021
- *Information Technology & People (IT&P)*, since 2022

- *Information Technology & Tourism (ITT)*, since 2019
- *Journal of the Association for Information Systems (JAIS)*, since 2022
- *Journal of Information Technology (JIT)*, since 2021
- *Journal of Strategic Information Systems (JSIS)*, since 2022
- Australasian Conference on Information Systems (ACIS), since 2018
- European Conference on Information Systems (ECIS), since 2019
- International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS), since 2019
- International Conference on Wirtschaftsinformatik, since 2023
- Pacific Asia Conference on Information Systems (PACIS), since 2019
- Book Reviewer for Emerald Publishing, 2019-2020

Academic Service for University of Sydney, since 2022:

- Business Information Systems Discipline seminar coordinator, 2022-2023
- DISRUPT.SYDNEY organising committee member, 2022
- Representative of the Business Information Systems Discipline at the University of Sydney Open Day, on campus, 27 August 2022
- Informal mentoring of PhD candidates, 2022-2023

Academic Service for University of New South Wales, 2018-2021:

- Curriculum design for the new *INFS3701 Enterprise Architecture for Scalable Cloud Solutions* course, 2021
- Curriculum review for Bachelor of Information Systems (analytics stream), 2021
- Representative of the School of Information Systems and Technology Management (ISTM) at UNSW Open Day, online, 4 September 2021
- Invited speaker for UNSW Business School PASS (Peer-Assisted Study Sessions) Leader Training program, 2020-2021
- Postgraduate Research Student Representative for ISTM, 2020
- Panel speaker for UNSW Business School “Community Wednesdays” student support project, 2020
- Invited speaker for UNSW Digital Society (“DigiSoc”: student society) web development webinar, 6 October 2020
- Invited speaker for Business IT Student Association (BITSA) podcast, 29 July 2020
- Bachelor of Information Systems Admission Scheme (BISAS) Review Panel, 2020
- Australian Computer Society (ACS) Accreditation Committee for ISTM, 2019
- Invited panel speaker for UNSW Business School Learning & Teaching Showcase, 27 November 2019
- Invited panel speaker for UNSW Co-op Scholars Briefing Day, 26 November 2019
- Workshop facilitator for the “Experience UNSW Business” Day (high school student outreach event), 21 May 2019
- Panel speaker for UNSW Undergraduate Welcome Day, 12 February 2019

6. Awards

- Recipient of University of Sydney Business School Unit of Study Student Survey (USS) Award for Teaching, 2023 ([link](#))
- Finalist (UNSW nominee), ACPHIS Best Australian IS PhD Thesis Award, 2022 ([link](#))
- Finalist and People's Choice Award, UNSW Business School Three Minute Thesis (3MT) Competition, 2020 ([link](#))
- Recipient of University of Sydney Business School Dean's Citation for Tutoring, 2019 ([link](#))
- Recipient of AAIS Natalie F. Hardwicke Best Student Paper Award, 2019 ([link](#))
- Recipient of Australian Government Research Training Program Scholarship, total value \$98,068 AUD, 2018-2021 ([link](#))

7. Professional Development

- Associate Fellow of Higher Education Academy (AFHEA) — Advance HE, 2020 ([link](#))
- Foundations of University Learning and Teaching (FULT) — UNSW, 2020 ([link](#))
- SIG Grounded Theory Workshop — ICIS (Munich, Germany), 2019
- CNoW (Changing Nature of Work) Workshop — ICIS (Munich, Germany), 2019
- Tutor Development Program — University of Sydney, 2019
- Tutor Training Program — UNSW Business School, 2018
- Foundations of Marketing Analytics (via Coursera) — ESSEC Business School, 2016
- Introduction to Big Data (via Coursera) — University of California San Diego, 2016
- Introduction to Python for Data Science (via edX) — Microsoft, 2016

8. Education

- Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Information Systems — UNSW, 2018-2022
- Bachelor of Information Systems (Co-op, Honours) — UNSW, 2012-2015
- Higher School Certificate (HSC) — James Ruse Agricultural High School, 2006-2011

9. Industry Experience

- Software Engineer — Connections Australia, 2017
- Client Success Executive — Datorama (now Salesforce), 2016-2017
- Technical Consultant — IBM Global Business Services, 2016