Application of the NBER Digitization Economics Tutorial Meeting

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Dear Admission Committee:

The following is my application information of the NBER Digitization Economics Tutorial Meeting.

- Name: Faqiang Li
- Affiliation: Pennsylvania State University, Department of Economics
- Title: Ph.D. Student (3^{rd} year)
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- Courses: core sequences in the first year and IO, experimental economics, developmental economics and econometrics in the second year
- Major: IO, education economics
- Minor: development economics
- Research Statement: I am generally interested in how competition and market power affect public schooling. I am also interested in education economics in general. My current main research project focuses on assessing the effectiveness of an incentive scheme in Florida that gives more freedom for high-performing charter schools to expand their capacity. My current research project is supervised by professor Krishna, Kala. I am expecting to learn from this tutorial about collecting and analyzing data from online sources such as search engines and open course platform.