



# Byeongjoo Lee

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ACADEMIC ROLE

**Dept. Chair**

Since Jan 2025

HIGHEST DEGREE

**Ph.D.**

Korean Language & Lit.

RESEARCH GRANT

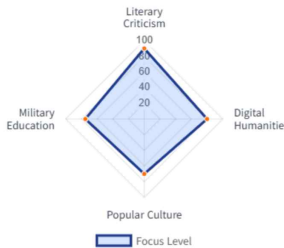
**NRF/MOE**

Principal Investigator

## Research Interests

My academic focus bridges traditional literary criticism with modern methodologies. I explore the intersection of **Post-war Poetics**, **Digital Humanities**, and practical **Military Education**.

- Literary Criticism & Poetics
- Digital Humanities
- Popular Culture
- Military Education



## Academic Journey & Career

### Department Chair

Jan 2025 - Present

Korea Air Force Academy

Leading curriculum development and academic administration.

### Assistant Professor

Feb 2020 - Present

Korea Air Force Academy

Captain, ROK Air Force. Teaching literature & writing.

### Ph.D. in Korean Literature

Aug 2025

Korea University Graduate School

Dissertation on Critical Discourse (1950s-60s).

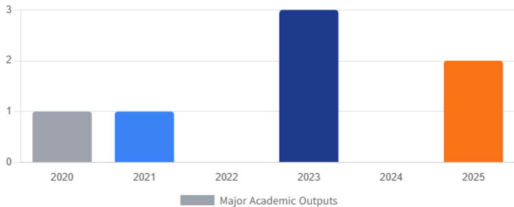
### M.A. & B.A.

2011 - 2017

Korea Univ. (M.A.) / Myongji Univ. (B.A.)

## Publication Timeline

Selected Works & Research Output



## Recent Works

2025

Ph.D. Dissertation: Formation of Critical Discourse

2023

Lee So-ra's Lyrics Analysis (Pop Music Studies)

2023

Cadet Dropout Intention (Military Studies)

## Teaching Experience

2019- **College Writing (대학작문)**

Core curriculum on academic writing.

2019, 21- **Introduction to Literature (문학개론)**

Foundational literary theory & history.

2019, 24 **Communication (커뮤니케이션)**

Military & social contexts.

2020 **Humanities & Life (인문학과 삶)**

Interdisciplinary humanities course.

## Professional Activities

### Exam Committee (MND)

Selection of KMA Cadets (2023) & Military Chaplains (2020-22).

### Principal Investigator

Early-Career Researcher Grant (2023-26), NRF/MOE.

A Textual and Discourse Analysis of Post-Liberation Poetics Using Text Mining  
텍스트마이닝을 활용한 해방 후 시론(詩論)의 텍스트-담화 연구(산진연구지원사업)

### Korean Language Teacher

Level 2 Certification (2020).