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### Academic Positions

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2024–2025    **Postdoctoral associate – Massachusetts Institute of Technology**

### Education

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#### *Degree Programs*

- 2019–2024    **Ph.D. in Linguistics – Massachusetts Institute of Technology**  
Thesis: *Structural case on adjuncts*  
Committee: Adam Albright, Heejeong Ko, David Pesetsky, Norvin Richards
- 2016–2018    **M.A. in Linguistics – Seoul National University**  
Thesis: *Embedded topicalization in Korean factive complement clauses: An experimental approach*  
Committee: Han-Byul Chung, Heejeong Ko, Seungho Nam
- 2011–2016    **B.A. in Linguistics – Seoul National University**

#### *Non-Degree Programs*

- 2022            **Crete Summer School of Linguistics.** Rethymno, Greece.
- 2017            **Linguistic Institute – Linguistic Society of America.** Lexington, KY, USA.

### Publications

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#### *Articles*

- 2024            Honorification as Agree in Korean and Beyond. *Glossa: a journal of general linguistics* 9(1).  
<https://doi.org/10.16995/glossa.9565>

#### *Conference Proceedings*

- To appear    Positional restriction on case assignment: Evidence from Korean nominal adverbials. In *Proceedings of WAFL 17*
- 2023            An economy-based amendment to learning hidden structure with Robust Interpretive Parsing. In Noah Elkins, Bruce Hayes, Jinyoung Jo and Jian-Leat Siah (eds.), *Supplemental Proceedings of the 2022 Annual Meeting on Phonology*. <https://doi.org/10.3765/amp.v10i0.5420>
- 2020            Embedded topicalization in Korean factive complement clauses: An experimental approach. In Shoichi Iwasaki, Susan Strauss, Shin Fukuda, Sun-Ah Jun, Sung-Ock Sohn, and Kie Zuraw (eds.), *Japanese/Korean Linguistics Volume 26*: 213–223.
- 2017            The distribution and interpretation of the Korean topic marker *nun* – a feature-inheritance approach. In *Proceedings of the 2017 Linguistic Society of Korea Summer Conference*: 145–156.

## Presentations

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- Mar. 2025 [Upcoming] A successive-cyclic dependent case account of adverbial case alternation in Korean passives. The Workshop on Theoretical East Asian Linguistics 14 (TEAL 14).
- Jan. 2025 [Upcoming] Korean nonactive suffixes *HI* and *eci* are realizations of little *v*. 2025 Linguistic Society of America (LSA) Annual Meeting.
- 2023 Positional restriction on case assignment: Evidence from Korean nominal adverbials. Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics 17 (WAFL 17).
- 2023 Case marking of Korean nominal adverbials correlates with subject position. The 25th Seoul International Conference on Generative Grammar (SICOGG 25).
- 2023 Case marking of Korean nominal adverbials correlates with subject position. Syntax Seminar at Seoul National University.
- 2022 An economy-based amendment to Robust Interpretive Parsing with the GLA. Annual Meeting on Phonology (AMP 2022).
- 2022 Korean addressee honorification as Cyclic Agree at Force: Comparison with Magahi. The 45th Generative Linguistics in the Old World (GLOW 45).
- 2019 Embedded topicalization in Korean factive complement clauses. 93rd Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America (LSA).
- 2018 Embedded topicalization in Korean factive clauses and islands: Experimental approach. The 26th Japanese/Korean Linguistics Conference (J/K 26).
- 2017 The distribution and interpretation of the Korean topic marker *nun* – a feature-inheritance approach. The Linguistic Society of Korea Summer Conference.

## Teaching Assistantships

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- 2023 Introduction to Linguistics (MIT 24.900)  
Instructor: Donca Steriade
- 2022 Introduction to Phonology (Crete Summer School of Linguistics)  
Instructor: Douglas Pulleyblank
- 2022 Language and Structure II: Syntax (MIT 24.902)  
Instructor: Sabine Iatridou
- 2021 Introduction to Linguistics (MIT 24.900)  
Instructor: Adam Albright

## Services

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### *Academic Services*

#### Ad-hoc reviewing for journals

*Glossa* (2024), *Journal of East Asian Linguistics* (2024), *Linguistic Inquiry* (2023)

**Conference reviews**

CLS (2024), NELS (2023)

***Departmental Services***

**Massachusetts Institute of Technology**

Fall 2021 – Spring 2022. Colloquium co-organizer

Fall 2020 – Spring 2021. Syntax Square (Reading group) co-organizer

**Seoul National University**

2017. Research Assistant for the World-leading University Fostering Program.

- Assistant to organizing committee of the 19th Seoul International Conference on Generative Grammar (SICOGG)
- Collected and compiled data for the departmental consulting project

**Skills**

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**Languages**

Korean (native), English (fluent), French (advanced), German (beginner)

**Computational**

Python, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, R, Perl