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Research Interests

Labor Economics, Health Economics, AI and Innovation

Education

The Ohio State University Ph.D. Candidate, Economics	2022 – Present
Barcelona School of Economics (Spain) M.Sc., Economics	2019 – 2020
University of Amsterdam (The Netherlands) B.Sc., Economics and Finance	2015 – 2018

Publications

Health Economics

Fong & **Youn**. (2023). Assessing patterns and stability of ADL hierarchical scales for functional disability assessment. *The Gerontologist*, 63(4), 773–782.

Working Papers

From Continuity to Fragmentation: Evidence from Physicians' Premature Deaths (with *Guanting Yi*)

Unlocked or Locked? Labor Market Responses to Health Insurance Decoupling

Intergenerational Dilemma: Balancing Windfalls and Burdens of Public Transfers

Work in Progress

Killing Me Softly With Dinner: The Costs of Circadian Misalignment

Provider Networks and Healthcare Innovation

Research Experience

Research Assistant Prof. Bruce Weinberg, The Ohio State University	Jan 2025 – Present
Research Associate National University of Singapore	2021 – 2022
Research Assistant National University of Singapore	2020 – 2021

Presentations

- 2026: American Society of Health Economists (ASHEcon), Midwest Economics Association (MEA), Society of Labor Economists (SOLE), Applied Microeconomics Workshop (OSU)
- 2025: Applied Microeconomics Workshop (OSU)
- 2024: Graduate Women in Economics (OSU), Midwest Economics Association (MEA)

Refereeing

Industrial and Labor Relations Review

Honors and Awards

William Green Memorial Fellowship, The Ohio State University	2025
Larry and Shelia Kantor Award, The Ohio State University	2024
Merit-Based Scholarship (Full Funding), Barcelona School of Economics	2019 – 2020
Honors Program with Early Graduation, University of Amsterdam	2015 – 2018

Service

Board, Institute for Population Research Graduate Student Organization The Ohio State University	2025 – 2026
Affiliate, Institute for Population Research Graduate Student Organization The Ohio State University	2024 – 2025
Vice-President, Economics Graduate Student Society The Ohio State University	2023 – 2024

Academic Experience

Economics Honors Student Exchange
University of Oxford

2016

Other Information

Skills: Stata, R, Python, MATLAB, JavaScript

Languages: English (Fluent), Korean (Native), Japanese (Intermediate), Dutch (Basic)

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