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🎓 EDUCATION

Korea University (KU) , Seoul, South Korea	2017.09 – Present
<i>Ph.D. Candidate</i> in Economics, Expected, December 2023	
Kyunghee University (KHU) , Seoul, South Korea	2015.09 – 2017.08
<i>Economics Master</i> in Economics	
Jilin University of Finance and Economic(JLUF) , Changchun, China	2011.09 – 2015.06
<i>Art Bachelor</i> in Korean	

👥 EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant , Korea University	2018.03 – 2018.08
Lecturer(Teaching Mathematics for Economics) , Kyunghee University	2017.06 – 2017.06
Research Assistant , Kyunghee University	2017.03 – 2017.08
Class President , Jilin University of Finance and Economic	2011.09 – 2015.06

📖 RESEARCH

Research Interests: Economics Growth, Income Inequality, Population Aging, Human Capital
Chinese Rural Economy

Publications:

1. **Zhang, Jian.** 2023. "Has Inequality Gone too Far in China? Evidence from 5 Waves China Household-Level Survey." *China Knowledge Network*. [KCI]
2. **Yoon, Seungbi, and Jian Zhang.** 2018. "Comparison of Income Inequality and Poverty among One-person Household or Two or More-person households" (in Korean). *Journal of Social Science*, 44(2): 15-37. [KCI]

Working Paper:

1. **Zhang, Jian.** 2022a. "How the Population Aging Affects the Economic Growth: Labor Supply and Labor Productivity Perspective." *Working Paper*.

Paper in Progress:

1. **Zhang, Jian.** 2023. "What Factors have Driven Income Inequality in Rural China in the 2010s? Evidence from Household-Level Data Using Regression-Based Approach."

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

1. Korea and the World Economy XVII: 'Economic Challenges and New Approaches for Aging Society', Jeju, South Korea, July 2018
2. Forum for Income Distribution, Beijing, China, April 2017

HONORS AND AWARDS

<i>BK21FOUR Research Scholarship</i>	Fall Semester, 2020
<i>BK21PLUS Scholarship</i>	Fall Semester, 2017 — Spring Semester, 2020
<i>Award for Academic Excellence, BK21PLUS Korean Economy Group, Korea University</i>	Fall Semester, 2018
<i>Foreign Global Leader Scholarship</i>	Fall Semester, 2018
<i>Research Assistant Scholarship</i>	Spring Semester, 2018 & 2017
<i>Foreign Humanities and Social Sciences Scholarship</i>	Fall Semester, 2017

SKILLS

Languages : Chinese (Native), English (Proficient), Korean (Fluent)
Programming Skills : Stata, R
Typesetting Software : \LaTeX

OTHER INDIVIDUAL INFORMATION

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