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PERSONAL DATA

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EDUCATION

2017 - 2022 Ph.D. in ECONOMICS (STEM)
Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, CA
2019 M.A. in ECONOMICS (STEM)
Claremont Graduate University, Claremont, CA
2016 M.A. in BEHAVIORAL SOCIOECONOMICS, Ewha Womans University, Korea
2014 B.A. in ECONOMICS, Ewha Womans University, Korea

EXPERIENCE

SUMMER'22 - present	Statistician, UCLA-RAND Center for Law and Public Policy, L.A. Construct multiple databases for criminal/civil justice system & education, and conduct research projects
SUMMER 2021	Research Assistant, Claremont McKenna College, Claremont, CA Collected 240,000 textual observations from websites through web-scraping, de-structured the texts, and reconstructed the information as an analyzable data structure (with Prof. Eric Helland).
FALL 2020	Teaching Assistant, CGU, Claremont, CA Assisted a class titled Programming for Economists (graduate level).
SUMMER 2020	Research Assistant, RAND Corporation, Santa Monica, CA Constructed a data set of retail drug distributions across the U.S. by reading PDFs (Supervisor: Prof. Eric Helland).
FALL'18 - SUMMER'22	Research Assistant, CGU, Claremont, CA Tracked down information on local enforcement officials by hand-coding historical documents and conducted research in a relevant area (with Prof. Gregory DeAngelo).
SPRING 2016	Research Assistant, Korea Gas Corporation-EWU, Korea Wrote a research report on Energy Trilemma and natural gas issue.
SPRING 2016	Teaching Assistant, EWU, Korea Korean Financial Market (undergraduate level)
FALL 2015	Research Assistant, Korea Development Institute-EWU, Korea Conducted preliminary feasibility study for Integrated-Energy business.
SPRING 2015	Research Assistant, Social Sciences Korea-EWU, Korea Managed operational tasks for text analysis.
FALL'14-WINTER'15	Student Assistant, The Central Library, EWU, Korea Managed database of research papers.

WORKING PAPERS

Criminal Decarceration Policies and the Effect on Community Safety [[Job Market Paper](#)]

More Talk Less Discovery: Evidence from Requiring Informal Discovery Conferences [[Second paper](#)] (with [Eric Helland](#)) R&R in *American Law and Economics Review*

Nixing the Judge: The Politics of Judicial Disqualification for Prejudice (with [Eric Helland](#)) Under Review in *Journal of Political Economy*

Law Enforcement Leadership, Tenure & Jail Overcrowding (with [Gregory DeAngelo](#))

Methods for Assessing Civil Justice Reform: The Case of “Meet and Confer” Requirements for California Demurrers (with [Richard Sander](#), [Carolyn B. Kuhl](#), Henry Kim, Jacob Kempf, and [Eric Helland](#)) - conference proceeding

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Bargaining under the Shadow in Medical Malpractices Cases (with [Eric Helland](#))

Eviction Rules, Judicial behaviors, and Outcomes in Los Angeles (with [Eric Helland](#))

Prosecutor Response to Legislative Change Defining Violent Crime (with [Rainita Narendar](#), [Ryan Quandt](#), and [Gregory DeAngelo](#))

DATA PROJECTS

Florida Civil Cases	Commissioned through the UCLA-RAND Center to combine multiple dimensions of 6 million civil cases
L.A. Criminal Cases	Parsing and constructing the raw html files
L.A. Civil Cases	Web-scraping the web-pages and parsing information
NAEP Surveys	Understanding the survey designs, locating relevant variables, and attaching external information

PRESENTATIONS

2022: Conference on Empirical Legal Studies (“More Talk Less Discovery”); AP-PAM (“Criminal Decarceration Policies and the Effect on Community Safety”); ASPA (“Criminal Decarceration Policies and the Effect on Community Safety”); Conference on Empirical Legal Studies (“Nixing the Judge”)

2020: QuantLaw - University of Arizona Law (“Nixing the Judge”); Endogenous Rules, Risk & Legal Institutions Workshop (“Nixing the Judge”); 2020 Public Choice Society (“Law Enforcement Leadership, Tenure & Jail Overcrowding”)

2019: Conference on Empirical Legal Studies (Poster Session. “Law Enforcement Leadership, Tenure & Jail Overcrowding”)

SCHOLARSHIPS AND CERTIFICATES

2022	UC Davis - SQL for Data Science; Data Wrangling, Analysis and AB Testing with SQ; SQL for Data Science Capstone Project; Distributed Computing with Spark SQL
2020	Blais Challenge Stipend for Claremont Intercollegiate Collaborations
2019	Criminal Justice Reform Fellowship
2016	Graduate School Award for Dissertation with Highest Honors

LANGUAGES

KOREAN: Native
ENGLISH: Fluent

JOURNAL ARTICLES

2014 | Joo, So-Hyun and Minjae Yun, "Annuitization Decision Making and Anchoring Effect." Journal of Consumer Studies. 25(5): 147-166. in KOREA

COMPUTER SKILL AND SOFTWARE

- * Advanced econometric analysis in **Stata**, data collection and management in **Python** and **SQL**, data visualization and Machine Learning in **R**, experiment design in **Qualtrics**
- * Basic familiarity with Matlab, Netlogo, z-Tree, G*Power, and HTML
- * Else: LATEX, MS Offices