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Fields of interest:

Development economics, impact evaluations
labor market, violence, Latin America

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EDUCATION

- 2016-2018 KDI School of Public Policy and Management | Republic of Korea
M.D.P., Development Policy
Concentrations: Sustainable Development & Global Governance and Political Economy
GPA: 3.92/4
- 2011-2015 Universidad Centroamericana | Nicaragua
B.S., Applied Economics
Minor: Economic and Territorial Development
Best Student Performance

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Books

- 2015 “Ciudadanía y Violencia. Una aproximación a sus múltiples expresiones en Nicaragua,” with Mario Sánchez & Douglas Castro. Managua: Centro de Análisis Socio Cultural.

Published Papers

- 2016 “Movimientos sociales y acción colectiva en Nicaragua: entre la identidad, autonomía y subordinación,” with Mario Sánchez, Douglas Castro & Jorge Guerra. *Amnis*, (15).
- 2015 “Has the International Cooperation been Important for Development and Economic Growth? Panel Evidence on Nicaragua and Central America,” with Carol Siero & Sebastián Hernández. *Encuentro*, (102), 52-74.

Works in Progress

- “Abortion Ban and Socioeconomic Outcomes: Evidence from Nicaragua.”
- “In utero exposure to Civil Conflict: Nicaraguan war and its long-term effects on socioeconomic outcomes.”

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2014–2016 Centro de Análisis SocioCultural, Universidad Centroamericana | Nicaragua
Researcher Assistant
- Analysed and managed cross-sectional data from the Violence and Citizenship Survey implemented by CASC.
 - Designed, implemented, analysed and managed qualitative data from focus groups and developed national forums on the current status of violence in Nicaragua.
 - Tracked survey on workers’ rights in Nicaragua implemented through the program Better Work, in association with the International Labour Organization and Tufts University.
- 2015 School of Economics, Universidad Centroamericana | Nicaragua
Evaluator
- Authored new format of Economics master’s program syllabus.
- 2012–2014 Aprendo, Multiple Services Cooperative
Co-Founder, Popular Education Coordinator and Facilitator
- Elaborated strategic and operatives plans for community development.
 - Designed and executed participative popular education workshops.
 - Implemented literacy campaign at Santa Julia, El Crucero, Nicaragua.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2013–2015 Universidad Centroamericana | Nicaragua
Student Assistant - Undergraduate Program: Applied Economics
Macroeconomics, Econometrics, Monetary Economics, Development Economics

HONORS & AWARDS

2016–2017	Dean's List with Distinction, KDI School of Public Policy and Management Republic of Korea
2015	Best Student Performance Award, Universidad Centroamericana Nicaragua <i>Awarded by the Applied Economics Department for the highest GPA.</i>
2014	Young Researchers, Universidad Centroamericana Nicaragua <i>1st place obtained with the research «Brechas Salariales de Género: una aproximación a su estudio» with Sebastián Hernández.</i>
2013	Young Researchers, Universidad Centroamericana Nicaragua <i>3rd place obtained with the research «Determinantes del Acceso al Crédito en el Sector Urbano. El Caso de Nicaragua» with Sebastián Hernández.</i>

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2017	20th Anniversary of KDI School, Poster Session Republic of Korea
2016	Congreso Centroamericana de Sociología, ACAS Managua, Nicaragua
2015	VI Jornada Ética, Universidad Centroamericana Managua, Nicaragua Congreso Interdisciplinario de Investigación, Inaugural Conference Managua, Nicaragua.
2014	Congreso Centroamericana de Sociología, ACAS Chiriquí, Panamá Congreso Interdisciplinario de Investigación Managua, Nicaragua

COURSES & WORKSHOPS

2017	KDI School of Public Policy and Management <i>KDIS-World Bank-Chinese Academy of Governance Policy Forum: Reducing Poverty and Inequality</i>
2016	University of Amsterdam <i>Quantitative Methods, online course</i>
2014	Consejo Latinoamericano de Ciencias Sociales, CLACSO <i>Producción de desigualdades en América Latina, Workshop on Research Methodology</i> University of Copenhagen <i>Measuring Causal Effects in Social Sciences, online course</i>

AFFILIATIONS

2017	The Ronald Coase Institute
2013–2015	Econometric Studies Group, Universidad Centroamericana Nicaragua

SKILLS

Software:	R (Beginner), Stata, E-views, MaxQDA, NVivo, Typesetting: \LaTeX , Version Control: Git
Language:	Spanish (native language), English (proficient), French (A2), Korean (TOPIK 4)

REFERENCES

<i>Shun Wang, PhD.</i> Associate Professor KDI School of Public Policy and Management swang@kdischool.ac.kr	<i>Booyuel Kim, PhD.</i> Assistant Professor KDI School of Public Policy and Management bkim@kdischool.ac.kr
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