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EMPLOYMENT

• Postdoctoral Scholar, Northwestern University	2024-2025
• Saieh Family Fellow, Becker Friedman Institute, University of Chicago	2025-2026
• Assistant Professor, University of Chicago Booth School of Business	2026-
EDUCATION	
• Yale University	2024
Ph.D. in Economics	
Committee: Giuseppe Moscarini, Ilse Lindenlaub, Costas Arkolakis	

• Seoul National University

M.A. in Economics

• Seoul National University
B.A. in Economics, Summa Cum Laude

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Macroeconomics, Labor Economics, Spatial Economics

FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS, AND AWARDS

• Sylff Fellowship, Yale Economic Growth Center	2023-2024
• Dissertation Fellowship, Yale University	2023
• Best Student Paper Prize, Urban Economics Association	2022
• Carl Arvid Anderson Prize, Cowles Foundation, Yale University	2021
• Sylff Fellowship, Yale Economic Growth Center	2020-2021
• Doctoral Study Abroad Scholarship, Korea Foundation for Advanced Studies	2018-23

RESEARCH PAPERS

- "Spatial Sorting of Workers and Firms"
- "Spatial Firm Sorting and Local Monopsony Power" (with Ilse Lindenlaub and Michael Peters)
- "Sectoral Shocks and Labor Market Dynamics: A Sufficient Statistics Approach" (with Jaeeun Seo), Conditionally accepted, Review of Economic Studies
- "What Causes Agglomeration of Services? Theory and Evidence from Seoul" (with Jaeeun Seo), Awarded Best Student Paper Prize (2022) by Urban Economics Association

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

• "Assortative Matching through Partially Directed Search" (with Jaeeun Seo)

Presentations

University of Virginia, Princeton, University of Michigan, St. Louis Fed-WashU-LAEF	2025
Macro-Labor Conference, University of Wisconsin–Madison, Boston University Junior	
Macro Conference, Northwestern	
Northwestern, Chicago Booth, Stanford, Stanford GSB, Wharton Finance, WashU,	2024
LSE, University of Tokyo, PSU New Faces in International Economics Conference,	
NBER Summer Institute, USC Marshall Macro Day, Cornell University, HKUST,	
CUHK, BU, NYU, Harvard, EIEF, EUI, Bocconi, SEA Annual Meeting, UC Berke-	
ley, Seoul National University, Hitotsubashi-Gakushuin Conference	
Society of Economic Dynamics Annual Meeting, NBER Summer Institute Urban, North	2023
American Meeting of the Urban Economic Association, The Federal Reserve Bank of	
Minneapolis Junior Scholar Conference	
European Meeting of the Urban Economic Association, Society of Economic Dynamics	2022
Annual Meeting, European Economic Association Congress, Conference on Urban and	
Regional Economics in Philadelphia of Wharton School and the Federal Reserve Bank	
of Philadelphia	

Referee Service

Journal of Political Economy, Review of Economic Studies, American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics, Journal of International Economics, The Economic Journal

Additional Information

- Citizenship: Republic of Korea
- Languages: English (fluent), Korean (native)