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EDUCATION

Public Policy PhD Student, George Mason University, VA

2021-Present

Advised by John S. Earle

• Fields: Labor economics, Health economics, Applied Microeconomics

M.A. in Behavioral Socioeconomics, Ewha Womans University, Seoul

2017-2019

B.A in Social Science Education, International Office Administration (Double Major), 2012-2017 Ewha Womans University, Seoul summa cum laude

RESEARCH **EXPERIENCE**

Working Paper

• "Death Without Benefits: Unemployment Insurance, Re-Employment, and the Spread of Covid" (with J.S. Earle and K.M. Lee). The University of Chicago Stone Center Working Paper Series, Paper 24-02, 2024.

Peer-Reviewed Paper

- "Promoting Public Health with Blunt Instruments: Evidence from Vaccine Mandates" (with R. Abouk, J.S. Earle, and J.C. Maclean). Labour Economics: 102715.
- "Educational Tourism and School Trips: Smart Applications to Facilitate Field Trips in South Korea" (I. Kim and M. Choi), Journal of Research in Curriculum and Instruction, 28 (5): 358-367, 2024.
- "Design and Application of Korean Economic History Education Program Using Project-Based Learning" with (I. Kim and M. Choi), Korean Journal of Economic Education, 26(1): 91-115, 2019. (in Korean)
- "Time Preference and Economic Decision Making in Aging: Focusing on Implications for Economics Education" (with E.J. Jeon and M. Choi), Journal of Research in Curriculum and Instruction, 21 (5): 564-576, 2017. (in Korean)

Special Sworn Status (SSS) Researcher, U.S. Census Bureau

2025-Present

Research Assistant (to Prof. John Earle)

2021-Present

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Math Camp Instructor

Fall 2023-Present

Economics Math Workshop (PUBP 555)

Teaching Assistant Summer 2025

Introduction to Econometrics (ECON 345, Prof. Thomas Stratmann)

Stata Session Instructor Spring 2024, Spring 2025

Multivariate Statistical Analysis in Public Policy (PUBP 804, Prof. John Earle)

Work **EXPERIENCE**

Researcher, Korea Institute for Industrial Economics & Trade (KIET), Sejong, Korea 2020-2021

- "2020 Korean Industry: Focusing on the Value Chain Analysis of Major Industries and Sources of Competitive Advantage"
 - Excellent Research Report Award, KIET (August 2021)
- "Establishment of a Value Chain-based Industrial Competitiveness Diagnosis System"
 - Excellent Granted Research Report Award, KIET (August 2021)
- "Korean Green New Deal Industry Sector Strategy"
- "Study on the Establishment of Eco-friendly & Low-carbon Industrial Transformation Strategy"

SELECTED **PRESENTATIONS** $\dagger = POSTER$

2025 American Society of Health Economists (ASHE), World Labor Conference (SOLE with AASLE and EALE)[†], ASSA conference, Society of Government Economists (SGE)

	Symposium (WALES) [†] , IPUMS Data-Intensive Research Conference, Internation (IEA)	national Economic
Honors &	Best Poster Award, Society of Labor Economics (6th World Labor Conference)	2025
SCHOLARSHIPS	Graduate Student Award, Southern Economic Association	2024
	IPUMS CPS research award 2023	2024
	Presidential Scholarship, Office of the Provost at GMU	2021–2025
	Pass with Distinction (Qualifying Exam Part 1 - Quantitative)	2023
	 Outstanding Student Scholarship, Ewha Womans University Admission Scholarships (2012, 2017) Excellent Grade Scholarships (2012-2016) 	2012–2017
SERVICES	Assistant Director, Center for Micro-Economic Policy Research (CMEPR)	2023–Present
	President, Schar PhD Student Association (SPSA)	2024–2025

Washington Area Labor Economics Symposium (WALES)[†], Johns Hopkins SAIS,

Summer School on Socioeconomic Opportunity and Inequality[†], Southern Economic

Comparative Analysis of Enterprise Data (CAED), UChicago Stone Center Conference and

Mason Graduate Interdisciplinary Conference (MaGIC)[†], Washington Area Labor Economics

2023-2024

2024

2023

SKILLS &

LANGUAGES

Association (SEA)

Secretary, Schar PhD Student Association (SPSA)

Languages English (Fluent), Korean (native)

Software Stata, R, Python, LATEX