

# Chloe Dokyung Kwon

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## EDUCATION

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- 2025      **Ph.D. in Linguistics (Expected May 2025)**  
Cornell University  
Dissertation: Compound tensification in Korean: Bridging morphology, phonology, and phonetics  
Committee: Abigail Cohn, Sam Tilsen (co-advisers), John Whitman
- 2022      **M.A. in Linguistics**  
Cornell University  
Thesis: A temporal feature of stressed syllables in native English and Korean EFL speech
- 2019      **M.A. in English Linguistics**  
Hankuk University of Foreign Studies (Seoul, South Korea)
- 2017      **B.A. in English Linguistics**  
Hankuk University of Foreign Studies (Seoul, South Korea)

## PUBLICATIONS

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- 2023      **Kwon, C. D.**, Tilsen, S., & Whitman, J. Morpho-phonological effects on the phonetic characteristics of tense consonants in Korean compounds. *Proceedings of the 20th International Congress of Phonetic Sciences, Czech Republic, Prague*. [\[link\]](#)
- 2019      **Kwon, D.** & Jang, T.-Y. A temporal feature of stressed syllables in native English and Korean EFL speech. *Proceedings of the 19th International Congress of Phonetic Sciences, Melbourne, Australia*, 2277-2280. [\[link\]](#)
- 2018      Jang, J.-W., **Kwon, D.**, & Kim, J.-E. Identifying opinion holders and opinion objects utilizing linguistic cues. *Journal of British and American Studies*, 42, 147-172. [\[link\]](#)

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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- Nov 2024      **Kwon, C. D.** Tensification as a general marker of compound boundary in Korean. Poster to be presented at *31st Japanese/Korean Linguistics Conference, Melbourne, Australia*.
- Oct 2024      **Kwon, C. D.** & Tilsen, S. Compound tensification as a source of phonetic variation in word-medial stops in Korean. Talk presented at *Nonuniformity in Morphophonology across Frameworks Workshop, Trier, Germany*.
- Jun 2024      **Kwon, C. D.** & Tilsen, S. Phonetic evidence for compound tensification in Korean as a function of morphological context. Poster presented at *LabPhon 19, Seoul, South Korea*.
- Mar 2024      **Kwon, C. D.** Phonetic evidence for compound tensification in Korean. Talk presented at *Phonetics/Phonology in Upstate NY, Ithaca, NY, USA*.
- Jun 2022      **Kwon, C. D.** Transfer of boundary effects in English tag questions produced by Korean L2 speakers. Poster presented at *LabPhon 18, Virtual*.

Nov 2018     **Kwon, D.** & Jang, T.-Y. The duration ratio of stressed vowels in the read speech of native English speakers and Korean EFL learners. Talk presented at *Seoul International Conference on Speech Sciences, Seoul, South Korea.*

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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Fall 2020            **Research Assistant** (Prof. John Whitman, Cornell University)  
Contributed to research on East Asian linguistics and organized a conference called Korean Linguistics in Crosslinguistic Context. This research was funded by *Academy of Korean Studies*.

Spring 2017-  
Spring 2018        **Research Assistant** (Language Technology Research Institute, Hankuk University of Foreign Studies)  
Evaluated the English proficiency of EFL learners based on linguistic cues. This research was funded by *the Electronics and Telecommunication Research Institute* under the Korean Government.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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Fall 2024,  
Fall 2021            **Teaching Assistant** (Cornell University)  
Language and Society, Department of Linguistics

Spring 2024        **Instructor** (Cornell University)  
First-Year Writing Seminar, Department of Linguistics

Spring 2023        **Teaching Assistant** (Cornell University)  
Introduction to Phonetics and Phonology, Department of Linguistics

Spring 2022,  
Spring 2021        **Teaching Assistant** (Cornell University)  
Elementary Korean II, Department of East Asian Studies

Spring 2017-  
Spring 2018        **Tutor** (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies)  
Helped undergraduate students run statistical analyses and use Python & R

## INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

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Summer 2022      **Ontologist Intern** (Amazon - SantaBarbara, CA)  
Built data pipelines, configured the representation of knowledge structure, and designed voice responses for Alexa users

## SKILLS

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<b>Experimental experience</b>	Production(MATLAB, PsychoPy), Perception(PCIbex, Labvanced)
<b>Programming languages</b>	Python, R, MATLAB, PCIbex
<b>Software</b>	Praat, LaTeX, Kettle, MySQL
<b>Languages</b>	Korean (Native), English (Fluent), Spanish (Basic)

## AWARDS

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Fall 2024            **Student Travel Grant** (Japanese/Korean Linguistics Conference)

Fall 2024            **Linguistics Department Conference Travel Grant** (Cornell University)

Fall 2023, Spring 2025    **SAGE Fellowship** (Cornell University)

Fall 2023            **Linguistics Department Conference Travel Grant** (Cornell University)

Fall 2023	<b>Graduate School Conference Travel Grant</b> (Cornell University)
Fall 2022	<b>EAP RJ Smith Fellowship</b> (Cornell University)
Fall 2019-Spring 2020	<b>SAGE Fellowship</b> (Cornell University)
Spring 2017-Spring 2018	<b>HUFSAN Scholarship</b> (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies)

## SERVICE

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2021	<b>Abstract Reviewer</b> (Korean Linguistics in Crosslinguistic Context)
2021	<b>President</b> (Cornell Phonetics Lab)
2021	<b>Senior Editor</b> (Semantics and Linguistic Theory)
2020	<b>Junior Editor</b> (Semantics and Linguistic Theory)
2019	<b>Junior Social Committee Officer</b> (Cornell Linguistics Circle)

## EDITED VOLUMES

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2022	Dreier, N., <b>Kwon, C.</b> , Darnell, T., & Starr, J. R. (Eds.) . <i>Proceedings of the 31st Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference (SALT 31)</i> , Brown University. <a href="#">[link]</a>
2021	Rhyne, J., Lamp, K., Dreier, N., & <b>Kwon, C.</b> (Eds.) . <i>Proceedings of the 30th Semantics and Linguistic Theory Conference (SALT 30)</i> , Cornell University. <a href="#">[link]</a>

## REFERENCES

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