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## EDUCATION

Ph.D. student in Economics, 5<sup>th</sup> year, University of Texas at Austin  
M.S., Economics, University of Texas at Austin, May 2016, USA  
M.A., Economics, Sogang University, February 2013, South Korea  
B.A., Economics, Sogang University, *Summa Cum Laude*, February 2011, South Korea

## FIELDS OF INTEREST

Macroeconomics: Business Cycles, Monetary Policy, Fiscal Policy  
Information Economics: Rational Inattention, Information Processing, Expectation Formation

## RESEARCH PAPERS

### **Working Papers**

“The Persistent Employment Effects of the 2006-09 Housing Collapse,” 2019 (joint with Saroj Bhattarai and Felipe Schwartzman)  
“Macroeconomic Effects of Capital Tax Rate Changes,” 2019 (joint with Saroj Bhattarai, Jae Won Lee, and Woong Yong Park)  
“Dynamic Inattention, the Phillips Curve and Forward Guidance,” 2018 (joint with Hassan Afrouzi)

### **Work in Progress**

“Rational Inattention, Menu Cost, and Multi-product Firms: Evidence and Monetary Non-neutrality.”  
“Income Inequality and Government Spending Multipliers.”

## HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

April 2019	Travel Grants, Department of Economics, University of Texas at Austin
Summer 2018	Dissertation Fellowship, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston
June 2018	Professional Development Award, University of Texas at Austin
May 2018	Travel Grants (x3), Department of Economics, University of Texas at Austin
May 2018	Summer Research Fellowship, Department of Economics, University of Texas at Austin

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND OTHER EMPLOYMENT

Summer 2018	Dissertation Fellow, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston
2016 – 2017	Research Assistant for Professor Saroj Bhattarai, University of Texas at Austin
2013 – 2014	Research Associate, Department of Macroeconomic Policy, Korea Development Institute
2012 – 2013	Research Assistant for Professor Yoonsoo Lee, Sogang University, South Korea

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### **University of Texas at Austin**

Fall 2018	Macroeconomics I (Ph.D Course), Teaching Assistant for Professor Andrew Glover
Spring 2018, 2019	Macroeconomics II (Ph.D Course), Teaching Assistant for Professor Saroj Bhattarai
Fall 2017	Economic Statistics, Teaching Assistant for Professor Valerie Bencivenga
Fall 2017	Teaching Methodology Course, Department of Government
Spring 2017	Macroeconomic Theory, Teaching Assistant for Professor Andrea Civelli

Fall 2016	Introduction to Econometrics, Teaching Assistant for Professor Steve Trejo
Spring 2015, 2016	Introduction to Macroeconomics, Teaching Assistant for Professor Shalah Mostashari
Fall 2015	Microeconomics (Master Course), Teaching Assistant for Stephanie Houghton
Fall 2014	Introduction to Microeconomics, Teaching Assistant for Wayne R Hickenbottom

### **Sogang University**

Fall 2011, 2012	Intermediate Macroeconomics, Teaching Assistant for Yoonsoo Lee
Summer 2012	Mathematics for Economist (Master Course), Reviewer for Kang-Oh Lee
Spring 2011, 2012	Principles of Economics, Teaching Assistant for Yoonsoo Lee

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

### **Conferences and Presentations:**

May, 2019	Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, University of Georgia, GA
August, 2018	Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, Boston, MA
June, 2018	Society for Economic Dynamics 2018 Annual Meeting, Mexico City, Mexico
June, 2018	24th International Panel Data Conference, Sogang University, Seoul, South Korea
June, 2018	KAEA-KEA Joint International Conference, SKKU, Seoul, South Korea
May, 2018	Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings, University of Wisconsin-Madison, WI
March, 2018	Midwest Economics Association 2018 Annual Meeting, Evanston, IL
October, 2017	12 <sup>th</sup> EGSC, Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, MO
July, 2017	Sogang University, Seoul, South Korea
December, 2012	Korea International Economic Association Conference, Yonsei University, South Korea

**Referee:** *Review of Economics and Statistics* (x2)

## SKILLS

Programs: Fortran(MPI, OpenMP), Matlab, Stata, Gauss, Eviews  
 Languages: English (fluent), Korean (native)

*Updated on May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019.*