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## EMPLOYMENT

2020– **Federal Reserve Board of Governors**  
*Economist*, Division of Research and Statistics  
2012–2014 **Korea Development Institute**  
*Research Associate*, Department of Macroeconomic Policy

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## EDUCATION

**University of Texas at Austin**, Austin, TX  
Ph.D. in Economics, May 2020  
Dissertation Title: “*Essays on Monetary and Fiscal Policy*” (Supervisor: Olivier Coibion)  
M.S. in Economics, May 2016  
**Sogang University**, Seoul, South Korea  
M.A. in Economics, February 2013  
B.A. in Economics, *Summa Cum Laude*, February 2011

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## RESEARCH AREA

Macroeconomics, Monetary Economics

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## PUBLICATIONS

“Rational Inattention, Menu Costs, and Multi-Product Firms: Micro Evidence and Aggregate Implications”  
***Journal of Monetary Economics***, Vol. 128, May 2022, pp. 105–123. [\[Link\]](#)  
“Local Scars of the US Housing Crisis” (with Saroj Bhattarai and Felipe Schwartzman)  
***Journal of Monetary Economics***, Vol. 119, April 2021, pp. 40–57. [\[Link\]](#)

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## WORKING PAPERS

“Effects of Monetary Policy on Household Expectations: The Role of Homeownership” (with Hie Joo Ahn and Shihan Xie), May 2022  
“Redistribution and the Monetary-Fiscal Policy Mix” (with Saroj Bhattarai and Jae Won Lee)  
Revise and Resubmit at ***Quantitative Economics***  
Finance and Economics Discussion Series 2021-013, June 2021  
“Selection in Information Acquisition and Monetary Non-Neutrality” (with Hassan Afrouzi), April 2021  
“Dynamic Rational Inattention and the Phillips Curve” (with Hassan Afrouzi)  
CESifo Working Paper No. 8840, December 2020  
“Macroeconomic Effects of Capital Tax Rate Changes” (with Saroj Bhattarai, Jae Won Lee, and Woong Yong Park), Finance and Economics Discussion Series 2022-027, May 2022

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## WORK IN PROGRESS

“Tax Shocks and Financial Heterogeneity” (with Cooper Howes)  
“Income Inequality and Government Spending Multipliers”

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## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS BEFORE GRADUATE SCHOOL (IN KOREAN)

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“Salary Contracts of Free Agent Players Under Incomplete Information” (joint with Gyu Ho Wang), *Korean Journal of Labor Economics*, 38(4), 2015, pp. 83-107

“An Analysis of Establishment Dynamics in Korea using a Dynamic General Equilibrium Model: Comparison to the U.S. Case” (joint with Yoonsoo Lee), *Journal of Korea International Economic Association*, 19(3), 2013, pp. 1-25

“On the Effects of the Compensation Rule on the Free Agent Decision and the Salary Level” (joint with Gyu Ho Wang), *Journal of Economic Theory and Econometrics*, 24(1), 2013, pp. 16-36

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## HONORS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

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2020 Winner of Graduate Student Paper Contest, Society for Computational Economics

2020 Dissertation Writing Fellowship, Graduate School, University of Texas at Austin

2018 Dissertation Fellowship, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston

2018 Professional Development Award, University of Texas at Austin

2018 Travel Grants, University of Texas at Austin

2018 Summer Research Fellowship, University of Texas at Austin

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## SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES (\* scheduled)

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Sogang University (2022, 2021, 2020, 2017), Seoul National University (2022), Auburn University (2022), Federal Reserve Board (2021, 2020), University of Edinburgh (2021), Santa Clara University (2021), University of Hong Kong (2021), Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (2021), National University of Singapore (2021), FRB Cleveland (2021), FRB Kansas City (2021), FRB Dallas (2019), FRB Boston (2018)

Society of Economic Dynamics Annual Meeting

\*2022 (Madison, WI), 2021 (Minnesota, MN), 2018 (Mexico City, Mexico)

Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting

\*2022 (Fort Lauderdale, FL), 2021 (Houston, TX), 2020 (Virtual)

Econometric Society North American Summer Meeting

\*2022 (Miami, FL), 2021 (Virtual)

KER-KAEA International Conference

\*2022 (Virtual), 2021 (Virtual), 2018 (Seoul, South Korea)

Midwest Macroeconomics Meetings

2019 (Athens, GA), 2018 (Madison, WI)

Annual Symposium of Society for Nonlinear Dynamics and Econometrics, (2022, Virtual)

KAEA Macro Seminar (2021, Virtual)

International Computing in Economics and Finance Conference, (2021; Virtual)

Econometric Society Virtual World Congress (2020; Virtual)

Annual Meeting of the Central Bank Research Association (2020; Virtual)

Econometric Society European Winter Meeting (2019; Rotterdam, Netherlands)

Midwest Econometrics Group Conference (2019; Columbus, OH)

International Panel Data Conference (2018; Seoul, South Korea)

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## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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Referee *American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics*, *American Economic Review: Insights*, *Economics Letters*, *Journal of Economic Dynamics and Control*, *Journal of Monetary Economics*, *Korean Economic Review*, *Macroeconomic Dynamics*, *Review of Economic Dynamics*, *Review of Economics and Statistics*, *The B.E. Journal of Macroeconomics*

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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Teaching Assistant, University of Texas at Austin

Macroeconomics I (Ph.D. Course), Macroeconomics II (Ph.D. Course), Macroeconomic Theory,  
Microeconomics (Master Course), Economic Statistics, Introduction to Macroeconomics,  
Introduction to Microeconomics, Introduction to Econometrics

Teaching Assistant, Sogang University

Intermediate Macroeconomics, Principles of Economics

## **SKILLS**

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Programs     Fortran (MPI, OpenMP), MATLAB, Julia, Stata

Languages    English (fluent), Korean (native)