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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Microfoundations of Macroeconomics, Business cycle Theory, International Economics
- Macro-Finance, Monetary and Financial Economics, Empirical Finance, Financial Econometrics

EDUCATION

Texas A&M University, College Station, U.S.

- Ph.D. student in economics, fourth year

Korea University, South Korea

- M.A. in Economics, Seoul, Korea University, February, 2015
- Thesis: “The Necessity of Management in Non-core liabilities: Relationships between Non-core liabilities and Bank risks in Korea”, 2015, Korea University

Korea University, South Korea

- B.A. in Information and Mathematics, Sejong, Korea University, September, 2009
(The early graduation of excellent students)
- B.A. in Economics, Seoul, Korea University, February, 2013 (Dual Degree)

REFERENCES

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- Department of Economics, Texas A&M University
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Kim, Hwagyun

- Department of Finance, Texas A&M University
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WORKING PAPERS

- The Transmission Mechanism of Monetary Policy: Based on Credit Spreads and House Prices (In Progress)
- Asymmetrical role of monetary policy shocks on house prices in the U.S.
- Cross-State heterogeneity in the house price fluctuations and the role of monetary policy
- Necessity of managing Non-Core liabilities in domestic banks: Republic of Korea case study

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Instructor: ECON 203 Principles of Macroeconomics (expected Summer 2021)
- Teaching Assistant: ECMT 461 Introduction to Economic Data Analysis (Fall 2020)
- Teaching Assistant: ECON 410 Intermediate Macroeconomics (Spring 2021, 2020)
- Teaching Assistant: ECON 636 Macroeconomic Theory 1 (Fall 2019)
- Teaching Assistant: ECMT 463 Introduction to Econometrics (Spring 2019, Fall 2018)

HONORS & AWARDS

- Graduate Student Grant (6 semesters), Texas A&M University
- Dean's List (1 semester), Korea University, Graduate
- Research Assistant Scholarships (3 semesters), Korea University, Graduate
- Dean's List (4 semesters), Korea University, Undergraduate
- Work-Study Scholarships (3 semesters), Korea University, Undergraduate

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

**Korea Development Institute (KDI),
Sejong, South Korea**
(12/2014 – 07/2017)

Research Associate, Department of financial policy, KDI

- Analyzed household debt vulnerability and propensity to consume from online and offline data to develop monetary policy directions for stable household risk management
- Prepared international conference and discussion panel for economists' journal presentation
- Conducted literature review on domestic legislations to adopt internet primary banks in Korea and estimated tentative profits through the case of Japan, the USA, and the EU
- Collected and compiled relevant data for internet banks' business performance and efficiency
- Established literature review and arranged international data to recommend optimum policies to improve institutional structures of financial sector supervision and governance in Korea

**Korea University,
Seoul, South Korea**
(09/2013 – 12/2014)

Research Assistant to Professor Kwanho Shin

- **"Economic Growth, Financial Development, and Income Inequality"** (ADB, 2015)
Performed panel regression based on multilateral data on MF member countries using Stata to corroborate the relationship between financial development and income inequality
- **"Financial Integration in Asset and Liability Holdings in East Asia"** (ADB, 2015)
Studied the evolution of intra-East Asian financial integration to examine the importance of regional financial integration using IMF's investment survey data
- **"Capital Flows During Quantitative Easing: Experiences of Developing Countries"** (ADB, 2014)
Empirically investigated that quantitative easing (QE) by the US Federal Reserve System in 2014 may trigger financial instability in developing countries by examining the effect of QE on capital flows into developing Asia

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