Do Young Gong

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ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

Ph.D. Political Science

2020 - Present

BACKGROUND University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, Urbana, IL

- Dissertation: Bullets to Bargains: The Impact of Wartime Coup Attempts on Civil War Management
- Committee: Alyssa Prorok (Chair), Paul Diehl, Rob Carroll, Wendy Tam Cho

M.A. Political Science

2016 - 2018

Ewha W. University, Seoul, Korea

B.A. English Language and Literature, Political Science

2011 - 2016

Ewha W. University, Seoul, Korea

- Exchange Program at Centenary University, NJ
- Intensive Language Program in Chinese at Liaoning Normal University, Liaoning, China

RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

• Armed Conflicts, Conflict Management, Political Violence, Research Methods

PUBLICATIONS

- 3. **Do Young Gong**, Shuyuan Shen, Sanghoon Kim-Leffingwell, and Yujeong Yang (2024). Money Backfires: How Chinese Investment Fuels Anti-China Protests Abroad. *World Development*, 178, 106566. (Equal contribution)
- 2. Yang, Y., Kim-Leffingwell, S., Shen, S., & **Gong, D. Y.** (2023). Killing Protests with Kindness: Anti-China Protests and China's Public Diplomacy. *International Studies Quarterly*, 67(4), sqad087.
- 1. Kim, K., Lyu, H. S., & **Gong, D. Y.** (2020). Weeding out false information in disasters and emergencies: information recipients' competency. *International Review of Public Administration*, 25(4), 261-278.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

- 3. "Bullets to Bargains: Wartime Coup Attempts and Civil War Management"
- 2. "Failed Coup Attempts and Fading FDI in the Extractive Sector." (with Seung-Uk Huh)
- 1. "Peace Under Influence? The Role of Illicit Drug Economies in Peace Processes and Rebel Splintering." (with Myungjung Kim) (under review)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant

2023 - Present

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Urbana, IL

 Project on Cooperation in Multi-Dyadic Civil Wars, supervised by Prof. Alyssa Prorok and Prof. Elizabeth Menninga

Assistant Researcher

2019 - 2020

The Korea Institute of Public Administration, Seoul, Korea

Research Assistant 2018

The Sejong Institute, Pangyo, Korea

2017, 2018 Research Assistant

Research Institute for Social Science, Ewha W. University, Seoul, Korea

Research Assistant 2016, 2017

Department of Political Science, Ewha W. University, Seoul, Korea

2016 Research Assistant

Department of Political Science, Ewha W. University, Funded by Seoul National University Law School (Hakbong Prize), Seoul, Korea

Administration Staff 2014 - 2015

The Korea Society, Korean Studies Department, NY

2013

China Women's Development Foundation, Beijing, China

AND CONFERENCES (Selected)

- PRESENTATIONS 4. Do Young Gong, "Violence Begets Peace? Failed Coup Attempts and Civil War Peace Processes." International Studies Association (ISA) Midwest, Saint Louis (MO), November 2023; International Studies Association (ISA), San Francisco (CA), April 2024.
 - 3. Seung-Uk Huh, Do Young Gong "Failed Coup Attempts and Fading FDI in the Extractive Sector." The Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago (IL), April 2024.
 - 2. Myung Jung Kim, **Do Young Gong**, "A Durable Peace? Peace Agreements with Drug-funded Rebels." The Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago (IL), April 2023, 2024.
 - 1. Do Young Gong, Shuyuan Shen, "The Politicization of Chinese Investment: Electoral Competition and Anti-China Protests in Central Asia and Africa." The Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago (IL), April 2022.

SCHOLARSHIP, **HONORS**

- Center for East Asian & Pacific Studies Graduate Student Travel Grant (\$600)
- Harrell Rodgers Travel Scholarship, 2024, MPSA (\$500)
- Travel Grants, 2023, Department of Political Scicence, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign (\$200)
- Travel Grants & Pay-It-Forward, 2023, ISA-Midwest (\$350)
- Travel Grants, 2022, Department of Political Scicence, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign (\$350)
- Best Dissertation Award, 2018, Ewha W. University
- Graduate Aid Scholarship, 2017, Korea Student Aid Foundation (\$7000)
- Travel Grants, 2017, Ewha W. University (\$400)
- Dean's List, 2015, 2011, Ewha W. University

FELLOWSHIP

- Arms Control & Domestic and International Security (ACDIS) 2022 Summer Fellowship, ACDIS (UIUC), 2022, Champaign, IL
- EAI Fellowship Program (Advanced Training in Theories of International Relations, led by Prof. Young-Sun Ha), East Asia Institute, 2019 2020, Seoul, Korea
- ASAN Academy Fellowship Program (Fully-Funded Liberal Arts Education and Internship Program), ASAN Institute for Policy Studies, 2013, Seoul, Korea

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

- Ordinary Least Squares in R Math Camp Summer 2023, 2024 Independent Instructor
- American Foreign Policy (Prof. Nicholas Grossman) Fall 2022 Grader
- The New Middle East (Prof. Avital Livny) Spring 2022
 Teaching Assistant
- Comparative Politics in Developing Nations (Prof. Avital Livny) Fall 2021 Teaching Assistant
- Law and Representation (Prof. Wendy Tam Cho) Fall 2020 Grader

MENTORING EXPERIENCE

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Departmental program for first-year Ph.D. students
 Undergraduate Research Apprenticeship Program
 Fall 2023 - Present
 Fall 2023 - Present

Ewha W. University

Undergraduate Career Mentoring Program
 Undergraduate Research Mentorship Program
 Spring 2018
 Spring 2018

SKILLS

Programming: R, Python, SPSS, Stata, LATEX

Languages

- Korean (Native), English (Fluent)
- Chinese (Advanced, New HSK level 6)
- Japanese (Advanced, JLPT N1)

TRAINING

Methodology

- Linear Algebra with Computational Applications (Department of Mathematics, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign)
- Statistics and Probability I, Statistical Data Management, Hierarchical Linear Models, Time Series Analysis, Statistical Modeling I and II, Statistical Learning, Survival Analysis (Department of Statistics, *University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign*)
- Quant Pol Analysis I, II, III, Intro to Text & Images as Data (Department of Political Science, *University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign*)
- Intermediate Statistics (Korea Social Science Data Archive, Seoul National University)
- Statistical Analysis in Political Science (Department of Political Science, Ewha W. University)

Teaching

- Political Science Seminar Series on Pedagogy (Prof. Paul Diehl), *University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign*
- \bullet Graduate Teacher Certificate, The Center for Innovation in Teaching & Learning, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
- $\bullet \ \ {\bf Graduate\ College\ Mentoring\ Certificate},\ {\it University\ of\ Illinois\ Urbana-Champaign}$

SERVICE

• Political Science (UIUC) Math Camp Chair Fall 2024 - Summer 2025

• Political Science (UIUC) Math Camp Committee Fall 2022 - Summer 2023

• Political Science (UIUC) Culture Committee Fall 2021 - Spring 2024