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# PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Randolph-Macon College, Department of Political Science Adjunct Assistant Professor Virgina, United States Jan 2021 - Feb 2021

## **EDUCATION**

Stanford University, Stanford, United States

Ph.D. Political Science

June 2020

Fields: Comparative Politics, International Relations, Methodology

M.A. Political Science 2015

Korea University, Seoul, South Korea

B.A. Political Science & Economics (*Double Major*)

2011

School of Oriental and African Studies, London, United Kingdom

Full-year exchange student at Department of Politics & International Studies

2008-2009

# RESEARCH INTERESTS

- · NGO policy and civil society in authoritarian states
- · Consequences of political violence
- · Institutions in authoritarian states
- · Politics of China and East Asia (two Koreas)

# PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES

- · "Building Trust at the Grassroots: Evidence from Social Service Organizations in Shanghai." Under review.
- · "Understanding the Expansion of the NGO Sector in China: Through the Lense of Adaptive Corporatist Governance." Under review.
- · "The Political Origins of NGO Sector Expansion Under Authoritarianism: Evidence From Case Comparison of Three Post-Communist Countries." Under review.

# WORKS IN PROGRESS

- · "Long-term Effects of State Repression on Political Trust: Findings from Gwangju Massacre in South Korea 1980." Working paper.
- · "Personnel Management in a Single Party Authoritarian State: Findings from North Korea, 1994-2014." Working paper.
- · "Media Framing, Pollution, and Support for Foreign Policy."

## FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS

All fellowships and grants were competitive in selection

- · Conference Grant, Center for East Asian Studies, Stanford University (March 2019) \$500
- · Pre-doctoral Fellowship, Confucius Institute (September 2017 June 2018, affiliated with School of Social Development and Public Policy, Fudan University) \$12,000
- · Fudan Fellow, Fudan University (May 2017 August 2017) \$1,000
- Mentored Global Fellowship, Freeman Spogli Institute for International Studies, Stanford University (May 2016) \$9,000
- Small Grant for Dissertation Research, Center for Philanthropy and Civil Society, Stanford University (December 2016) \$1,500
- · East Asia Graduate Summer Grant, Center for East Asian Studies, **Stanford University** (2014, 2015) \$13,000
- · Doctoral Study Abroad Scholarship, **Korea Foundation for Advanced Studies** (September 2012 April 2017; September 2018 December 2018) \$46,600 per annum
- · Brain Korea 21 Scholarship, Ministry of Education, South Korea (2011-2012) \$1,800

# CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

- · "Building Trust at the Grassroots: Evidence from Social Service Organizations in Shanghai."
  - Bay Area Comparative Urban Politics Workshop, University of California, Berkeley, March 2019
  - China Social Science Workshop, Stanford University, Stanford, April 2019
  - Midwest Political Science Association, Chicago IL, April 2019
  - Practice Job Talk, Department of Political Science, Stanford University, October 2019
- · "Media Framing, Pollution, and Support for Foreign Policy."
  - American Political Science Association, Washington D.C, August 2019
- · "Personnel Management in a Single Party Authoritarian State: Findings from North Korea, 1994-2014."
  - Stanford Network Forum, Stanford University, April 2014
  - Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Chicago IL, April 2016

## SPECIALIZED TRAINING

- · Institute on Qualitative and Multi-Method Research, Syracuse University (June 2018)
  - Modules: Multi-Method Research, Within-Case and Small-N Analysis, Comparative Methods in Qualitative Research
- · Intensive Fifth-Year Chinese, Inter-University Program for Chinese Language Studies, **Tsinghua University** (June 2015 August 2015)
- · Intensive Fourth-Year Chinese, Inter-University Program for Chinese Language Studies, **Tsinghua** University (June 2014 August 2014)

## FIELDWORK EXPERIENCE

· Beijing, Wuhan, Shanghai (Fall 2015; Fall 2016; Fall 2017 - Spring 2018)

## TEACHING & ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

All courses listed are master and undergraduate level courses. Teaching assistantship includes leading weekly discussion sections.

- · Adjunct Assistant Professor at Randolph-Macon College
  - Chinese Politics (2021 Winter)
- · Teaching Assistant at Stanford University
  - Chinese Politics: Transformation and the Era of Reform (Jean Oi, 2015-6 Winter; 2018-9 Winter)
  - International Security in the Changing World, (Martha Crenshaw and Amy Zegart, 2013-4 Winter)
  - Democracy and Development (Larry Diamond and Kathryn Stoner, 2013-4 Fall)
- · Course Assistant at Stanford University
  - The Political Economy of China (Andrew Walder, 2018-9 Spring; 2019-20 Spring)

## OTHER RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- · Research assistant for Professor Stephen J. Stedman. Compiled secondary literature on response towards global financial crisis in East Asian countries, Center for Democracy, Development, and Rule of Law, **Stanford University** (January 2013)
- · Research assistant for Professor Andrew Yeo. Compiled Korean media reports on anti-base protests at Jeju island, **Korea University** (June 2012)

Project published in European Journal of International Security (June 2018)

# INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

- · Data Science Fellow, Insight Data Science, San Francisco (January 2020 May 2020). Data consultant at a mental healthcare startup, Elin.Ai.
- · Data Scientist, Kiwi Insurance, Remote (June 2020 August 2020).
- · Data Scientist, EL Education, Remote (November 2020)

## SOFTWARE

- · Naver News Crawler
- Created a python package navernewscrawler that scrapes news query results on the largest web portal in South Korea, Naver

# MEMBERSHIP & SERVICES

· Member: American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association, Association for Asian Studies, International Political Science Association

## LANGUAGES AND SKILLS

Languages Mandarin Chinese (advanced), Korean (fluent)

Statistical Software R, STATA
Programming Language Python, SQL
Others ArcGIS, LATEX

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