

# Junghyun Lim

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## Academic Appointments

- 2023 -      Assistant Professor of Political Science, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- 2022 - 23   Postdoctoral fellow, University of Pennsylvania (Borders and Boundaries lab)
- 2021 - 22   Postdoctoral fellow, Princeton University (Niehaus Center of Globalization & Governance)

## Education

- 2016 - 21   Ph.D. in Political Science, University of Pittsburgh
- 2018        M.A. in Political Science, University of Pittsburgh
- 2016        M.A. in Political Science, Sogang University
- 2014        B.A. in Political Science, and Economics, Sogang University

## Publications

- [6]        Helms, Benjamin, and Junghyun Lim “Globalization, Internal Migration, and Public Goods Provision in Emerging Economies.” Forthcoming. *American Journal of Political Science*
- [5]        Kenwick, Michael, Junghyun Lim, Skyler Crane, Scott Wehrwein, Beth A. Simmons. “Estimating the legibility of international borders.” 2025. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 122(6) e2417812122.
- [4]        Lim, Junghyun, Michaël Aklin, and Morgan R. Frank. “Location is a major barrier for transferring US fossil fuel employment to green jobs.” 2023. *Nature Communications* 14(1): 5711.  
- Mentioned in “The 2024 Economic Report of the President” by the Council of Economic Advisers.
- [3]        Junghyun Lim. “The Electoral Consequences of International Migration in Sending Countries: Evidence from Central and Eastern Europe.” 2023. *Comparative Political Studies*, 56(1), 36-64.
- [2]        Finkel, Steven, and Junghyun Lim. “The Supply and Demand Model of Civic Education: Evidence from A Field Experiment in the Democratic Republic of Congo.” 2021. *Democratization* 28:5, 970-991
- [1]        Hays, Jude, Junghyun Lim and Jae-Jae Spoon. “The path from trade to right-wing populism in Europe.” 2019. *Electoral Studies* 60:102038

## Selected Working Papers

- “Depopulation Paradox? Exploring the Impact of Depopulation Risk on Immigration Policy Preferences” [PAP]
- “International source of hostility toward refugees” (w/ Chloe Ahn) *Under Review*
- “Migration, Social Ties, and Political Preferences” (w/ William Marble)
- “Job Priorities in Fossil Fuel Communities” (w/ Michaël Aklin, Morgan R. Frank, Shanti Gamper-Rabindran, Arezou Farzaneh) [PAP] *Under Review*
- “Gendered Pattern of Return Migration Flows of Highly Skilled Immigrants” (w/ Alireza Javadian Sabet, and Morgan Frank)

“Cultural Backlash to Globalization: Evidence From K-Pop” (w/ Chloe Ahn)

“Broadening of the Deepening: The Effect of Eurozone and Schengen Expansion on EU Legitimacy”  
(w/ Lauren L. Ferry, Anna M. Meyerrose, Nina Obermeier)

## Other Publications

2023 Fossil fuel workers have the skills to succeed in green jobs, but location is a major barrier to a just transition. The Conversation (w/ Morgan Frank)

## Presentations & Talks

2025 IPES (scheduled); University of Houston- Border and Migration Workshop (scheduled)\*; University of Pittsburgh - Workshop on an Effective and Just Transition\*; Stanford University - The Political Economy of Geographic Polarization Workshop\*

2024 IPES; APSA; IC2S2; SPSA; MPSA; Princeton University-ESOC workshop\*

2023 UNC at Chapel Hill - IR workshop; SPSA; University of Pennsylvania - Borders and Boundaries Conference; APSA

2022 APSA; Princeton University - Anti Globalization Backlash Workshop; MPSA; EUSA; Temple University - IR Workshop; University of Pennsylvania - Text and IOs Conference\*

2021 Princeton University - IR Colloquium

2020 APSA

2019 IPES

\*: invited

## Skills

R, Python, Stan

## Teaching

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

International Political Economy (U)

International Migration and Citizenship (U)

Data and Politics (U)

U: Undergraduate

## Fellowships

2019 - 20 Social Science Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship (University of Pittsburgh)

2017 Art and Science Fellowship (University of Pittsburgh)

2014-15 BK21 Scholarship (Ministry of Education - Republic of Korea)