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### **EDUCATION**

**UCLA**, Asian Languages and Cultures

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Ph.D. Student in Cultural & Comparative Studies (Korean History)

Los Angeles, CA

Columbia University, East Asian Regional Studies

September 2010 – July 2011

Master of Arts (M.A.,) in Korean History

New York, NY

**Vassar College**, Class of 2010 (1 Year Early Graduation)

August 2007 – May 2010

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.,) in Asian Studies and Political Science

Poughkeepsie, NY

• Asian Studies and Political Science

• Correlate/Minor: Chinese

## **Georgetown University**

June – August 2009

Semester in Washington International Affairs Program

Washington, DC

• Research Writing Seminar: Problems of Conceptualizing and the Utility of Nationalism

## Qingdao University

June - August 2008

Chinese Mandarin Intensive Language / Cultural Summer Studies Program

Qingdao, China

#### **GRANTS/FELLOWSHIP AWARDED**

2017-2018	Graduate Summer Research Mentorship Grant	Graduate Division, UCLA
2016-2017	Diebold Fellowship	Asian Languages and Cultures, UCLA
2009-2010	Davis United World College Scholars' Scholarship	Davis Foundation
2009-2010	Vassar Scholarship	Vassar College

## TRANSLATIONS & PUBLICATIONS

Kim, Sung Eun and Jaewon Moon, ed. *Inclusive Growth: Asian Perspectives*. Seoul: OECD Korea Policy Centre, 2013. Print.

Kim, Sung Eun and Jaewon Moon, eds. *Collaborative Governance: Horizontal, Vertical and Public-Private Cooperation*. Seoul: OECD Korea Policy Centre, 2014. Print.

Kim, Sung Eun, trans. "Chŏngbuesŏŭi Yŏsŏng [Women in Government]," "Konggong Chodal [Public Procurement]," and "Kaebangjŏgigo P'ogwalchŏgin Chŏngbu [Open and Inclusive Government]." *Hannunebonŭn Chŏngbu2013* [Government at a Glance 2013]. Seoul: OECD Korea Policy Centre, 2015. Print.

Kim, Sung Eun, trans. *Chaenanwigi Chŏngbosot'ongŭl Wihan Sosyŏlmidiŏ Hwallyong* [The Use of Social Media in Risk and Crisis Communication]. Seoul: OECD Korea Policy Centre, 2015. Print.

### NEWS ARTICLE PUBLISHED

- "Army's biggest warehouse honors KSC." 17 Feb. 2012: 26. Morning Calm Weekly Newspaper.
- "Flat-bottomed boat 'Barge' transports M88A1 recovery vehicle." 3 Mar. 2012: 28. *Morning Calm Weekly Newspaper*.
- "19th ESC hosts media day for local and national reporters." 16 March. 2012: 25. Morning Calm Weekly Newspaper.
- "837<sup>th</sup> Trans. Bn. Supports Foal Eagle'12." 28 Mar. 2012. *TRANSLOG: The Journal of Surface Deployment and Distribution*. 4 Apr. 2012 <a href="http://translog.armylive.dodlive.mil/2012/03/28/837th-trans-bn-supports-foal-eagle-12/">http://translog.armylive.dodlive.mil/2012/03/28/837th-trans-bn-supports-foal-eagle-12/</a>.

- "Top leaders sign Sexual Assault Proclamation." 13 Mar. 2012: 25. Morning Calm Weekly Newspaper.
- "Strykers arrive in Korea for Foal Eagle at Pier8." 30 Mar. 2012: 26. Morning Calm Weekly Newspaper.
- "Senior leaders of Area IV sign Sexual Assault Awareness Proclamation." 4 Apr. 2012. AR News: The Official Homepage of the United States Army. 23 Apr. 2012 <a href="http://www.army.mil/article/77223/">http://www.army.mil/article/77223/</a>.
- "Few of the few to pray." 18 Apr. 2012. *AR News: The Official Homepage of the United States Army*. 23 Apr. 2012 <a href="http://www.army.mil/article/78042/Few\_of\_the\_few\_to\_pray/">http://www.army.mil/article/78042/Few\_of\_the\_few\_to\_pray/</a>>.
- "Chaplain committed to serving those who serve." 27 Apr. 2012: 26. Morning Calm Weekly Newspaper.
- "Senior leaders of Area IV sign Sexual Assault Awareness Proclamation." 1 May 2012. *Stars and Stripes: Stripes Korea*. 27 June 2012 < http://korea.stripes.com/content/senior-leaders-area-iv-sign-sexual-assault-awareness-proclamation>.
- "The Banzons." 2 May 2012. *AR News: The Official Homepage of the United States Army*. 9 May 2012 <a href="http://www.army.mil/article/79015/The\_Banzons/">http://www.army.mil/article/79015/The\_Banzons/</a>>.
- "The Banzons' citizenship: mission complete." 3 May 2012. *India Times*. 4 May 2012 <a href="http://lclick.indiatimes.com/article/02hAgg303U7Q2?q=Philippines">http://lclick.indiatimes.com/article/02hAgg303U7Q2?q=Philippines</a>.
- "Family path to citizenship is hard, but worthwhile." 25 May 2012: 22. Morning Calm Weekly Newspaper.
- "US-ROK Army conduct joint ammunition retrograde operation at Jinhae." 4 June 2012. *AR News: The Official Homepage of the United States Army*. 13 June 2012 <a href="http://www.army.mil/article/81010/US\_ROK\_Army\_conduct\_joint\_ammunition\_retrograde\_\_\_/">http://www.army.mil/article/81010/US\_ROK\_Army\_conduct\_joint\_ammunition\_retrograde\_\_\_/</a>.
- "US-ROK Army conduct joint ammunition retrograde operation at Jinhae." 5 June 2012. *The Patriot Files: Dedicated to the preservation of military history*. 13 June 2012 <a href="http://www.patriotfiles.com/forum/showthread.php?t=1084101">http://www.patriotfiles.com/forum/showthread.php?t=1084101</a>.
- "US, Korea conduct ammunition retrograde operation." 7 June 2012. *Stars and Stripes: Stripes Korea*. 27 June 2012 < http://korea.stripes.com/content/us-korea-conduct-ammunition-retrograde-operation>.
- "237th Army Birthday Ball—Daegu, South Korea." 12 June 2012. *AR News: The Official Homepage of the United States Army*. 13 June 2012 <a href="http://www.army.mil/article/81549/237th\_Army\_Birthday\_Ball\_\_\_Daegu\_South\_Korea/">http://www.army.mil/article/81549/237th\_Army\_Birthday\_Ball\_\_\_Daegu\_South\_Korea/</a>.
- "Area IV and the Southeast Hub celebrate Army's 237th birthday." 15 June 2012: 21. *Morning Calm Weekly Newspaper*.
- "237th Army Ball—Daegu." 13 June 2012. *Stars and Stripes: Stripes Korea.* 19 June 2012 < http://korea.stripes.com/content/237th-army-birthday-ball-daegu>.
- "US-ROK Army conduct joint ammunition retrograde operation." 22 June 2012: 22. *Morning Calm Weekly Newspaper*.
- "19th ESC strikes around the world." 22 June 2012. *AR News: The Official Homepage of the United States Army*. 25 June 2012 < http://www.army.mil/article/82324/19th\_ESC\_strikes\_around\_the\_world/>.
- "19th ESC strikes around the world." 23 June 2012. *Stars and Stripes: Stripes Korea*. 25 June 2012 < http://korea.stripes.com/content/19th-esc-strikes-around-world>.
- "25th Transportation Battalion rolls out FMTVs." 27 June 2012. *Stars and Stripes: Stripes Korea*. 27 June 2012 < http://korea.stripes.com/content/25th-transportation-battalion-rolls-out-fmtvs>.

## Research Officer, OECD Korea Policy Centre Public Governance Programme

September 2013 – August 2015 Seoul, Republic of Korea

- Researching on Korean government experiences to be adapted and applied to developing countries in Asia.
- Developing research projects of mutual interest among governments and public research institutions in Korea and other Asian countries.
- Producing outcomes of research in the form of publications (Asian Country Reviews, translations of OECD reports/articles and forum reports).
- Disseminating outcomes of research in the form of international meetings to the participants that include high-level government officials, senior researchers in public institutes and related audience.

### Senior KATUSA, Republic of Korea Army

August 2012 – June 2013

## ROKA Support Office, 19th Expeditionary Sustainment Command

Daegu, Republic of Korea

- Managing the KATUSA Soldier program for the U.S. unit commander.
- Contributing to accident prevention by monitoring personal problems of all KATUSA Soldiers assigned to the unit.
- Serving as a link to the unit leadership for KATUSA Soldiers in matters dealing with personnel administration, military discipline, law and order, morale and welfare, ROKA directed education, ROK/U.S. friendship activities and other duties directed by the unit commander.
- Reporting the unit's KATUSA Soldier status (leave, pass, hospitalization, etc.) to the supporting ROKA Staff each duty day.
- Serving as the KATUSA Soldier Representative on the Unit Fund Council and advising the commander on the use of the KATUSA Soldier Welfare fund.
- Serving as the unit KATUSA Soldier Equal Opportunity (EO) representative.

# Journalist, Korean Augmentation to the United States Army (KATUSA) Public Affairs Office, 19th Expeditionary Sustainment Command

September 2011 – July 2012

Daegu, Republic of Korea

- Serving as Public Affairs Specialist KATUSA.
- Writing news, features, and editorials by coordinating with the U.S. and Republic of Korea Army (ROKA) soldiers and civilians to effectively spread the news.
- Providing the command's official online newsletter not only to the Army's authorities but also to the public.
- Observing local community events, taking photos, conducting interviews.
- Working as the link journalist between ROKA and the U.S. Army.
- Editing and publishing articles weekly to Defense Video & Imagery Distribution System.

# **Dutchess County Regional Head Coordinator**

November 2009 – May 2010

### New York State Senate – Office of Majority Information Services

Albany / Poughkeepsie, NY

- Directing student interns at Vassar College, Bard College, Marist College and Dutchess Community College.
- Refining collected information into databases for use by other staff within the conference.
- Assisting in creation of materials to aid conference staff statewide.
- Providing necessary data support and list building to conference members and staff.
- Researching and analyzing statewide and local press.
- Performing analysis on data gathered through issue research and other community outreach activities.

## **Democratic Campaign Field Coordinator**

September – November 2009

Dutchess County Democratic Legislative Majority Campaign • Creating walking lists for both candidates and volunteers.

Poughkeepsie, NY

- Assisting in creation of door-to-door schedule for candidates.
- Coordinating with candidates, party officials, and vendors.
- Organizing GOTV (Get Out The Vote) drive for designated districts within Dutchess County.
- Pulling together student volunteers for the campaign.
- Assisting in creation of phone banks.

### East Asia Policy Analysis Intern

June – August 2009

United States Commission on International Religious Freedom

Washington, DC

- Devising a resolution on human rights issues in China; particularly concerning violations in Uighar Xinjiang and Tibetan Autonomous Regions.
- Evaluating United States' sanction-diplomacy on Burma (Myanmar) for the State Department.

- Constructing the press release on Aung San Suu Kyi's verdict.
- Analyzing religion laws of twenty-one countries based on the criteria set by the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, in advising the Vietnamese Minister of Religious Affairs to conjure a secular religion law.

## **Student Fellow/Resident Advisor**

August 2008 – May 2009

Vassar College: Residential Life

Poughkeepsie, NY

- Assisting twelve freshmen with their transition to college life; professional liaison between students and administration, trained by Dean of Students and Office of Residential Life.
- Serving on the Jewett Dorm house team as a student leader, organizing various sponsored events and causes.

### **Chinese Language Drill Instructor**

August 2008 - May 2010

Vassar College: Chinese/Japanese Department

Poughkeepsie, NY

- Facilitating weekly drill sessions for Mandarin classes, provides additional help for students, enhances verbal and conversational abilities.
- Conducting classes as a teaching assistant in the Chinese Department at Vassar College.

### INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES MANAGED

- International Conference on E-Governance for India: Opportunities, Challenges and Policy Alternatives, (6-7 Nov. 2013, Hyderabad, India).
- The 8<sup>th</sup> Multi-Country Study Mission on Public Governance, "Collaborative Governance: Horizontal, Vertical and Public-Private Cooperation," (10-12 Dec. 2013, Jeju, Korea).
- The 1st Asian Public Governance Forum on Public Sector Innovation, (11-12 June 2014, Jakarta, Indonesia).
- Capacity Building Program for Government Officials from the Ministry of Public Administration, Bangladesh, (11-12 June 2014, Jakarta, Indonesia).
- High-Level Workshop & Official Launch of *Government at a Glance 2013* in Korean, (24-25 Sept. 2014, Wanju/Seoul, Korea).
- The 1<sup>st</sup> Asian Public Governance Forum on Disaster Risk Management, "Preparing for the Unthinkable: Risk management and new approaches to crisis preparation and response," (10-11 Nov. 2014, Ilsan, Korea).
- Capacity Building Program for Government Officials from Office of the Council of State, Thailand, (14-19 Dec. 2014, Seoul/Daejeon/Sejong, Korea)
- The 1<sup>st</sup> Asian Public Governance Forum on Local Finance Management, (7-8 May 2015, Lombok, Indonesia).
- The 2<sup>nd</sup> Asian Public Governance Forum on Public Sector Innovation, (9-10 Sept. 2015, Hanoi, Vietnam).
- The 1st Asian Public Governance Forum on Regulatory Reform, (13-14 Oct. 2015, Seoul, Korea).

### LEADERSHIP / COMMUNITY SERVICE

### **Director of Career Services**

June 2010 – May 2011

Korean Graduate Students' Association at Columbia University

New York, NY

- Coordinating Korean Forum with lady/princess Yi Hae-gyŏng at Columbia University, who is the fifth daughter of Prince-Imperial Ŭi (Ŭich'inwang) and a granddaughter of Emperor Kojong. Princess Yi's unwritten Living History was presented as one of the last accounts of culture and life in the Korean imperial palace, providing invaluable insights into the life of her father, Prince-Imperial Ŭi.
- Responsible for all KGSA relations with Korean and American companies including sponsorships, career fairs, visits and recruitment sessions

Vice President August 2009 – May 2010

UNICEF at Vassar, Vassar College

Poughkeepsie, NY

• Facilitating various advocacies, awareness and fund-raising schemes at Vassar College.

## Activist for "In My Name" Campaign

September 25, 2008

Oxfam America, United Nations

New York, NY

- Campaigning at the United Nations Millennium Development Goal Plan Conference, urging world leaders to take initiative in meeting set goals.
- Participating in the filming of a YouTube sponsored campaign video, "In My Name," http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UKd9xrW00ds&feature=channel page.

### **ACTIVITIES**

- •Director of Career Services, Korean Graduate Students' Association, Columbia University (2010-2011)
- Vice President, UNICEF at Vassar, Vassar College (2009-2010)
- •Founder, Vassar Korean Student Alliance, Vassar College (2009)
- •Founder, Korean Alumni & Alumnae of Vassar College (2010)
- Publicity Manager, Mahagony Executive Board, Vassar College (2007-2009)
- •Member, Asian Studies Major Committee, Department of Asian Studies, Vassar College (2009-2010)
- •Member, Political Science Major Committee, Department of Political Science, Vassar College (2009-2010)
- •Member, Forum for Political Thought, Vassar College (2009-2010)
- •Member, Operation Donations, Vassar College (2008-2009)
- •Tutor/Mentor, VAST Program, Poughkeepsie Middle School (2008)

#### **SKILLS**

• Language: Bi-lingual in English and Korean, Proficient in Chinese (Mandarin)

• Computer: MS Office (Word, Excel, Powerpoint), SPSS, VoteBuilder.

### REFERENCES

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Seungsook Moon

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