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## **CURRENT POSITION**

2019–present Full-time Researcher, Music Research Center, Hanyang University, Korea.

"Politics of Sound and Listening: A Critical Listening of Culture and Technology"

#### **EDUCATION**

2015 Ph.D. in Musicology (degree conferred on 28 November 2015)

The University of Hong Kong, Pokfulam, Hong Kong.

Thesis: "The Third Voice: Anima as Drama in Mozart's Operas"

Supervisor: Youn Kim, Associate Professor

Thesis Examining Committee

Chairman: Stephen Matthews, Professor

External Examiner: Su Yin Mak, Associate Professor

The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Internal Examiners: Giorgio Biancorosso, Associate Professor

Daniel K. L. Chua, Professor

2005 M.A. in Music (composition) (degree conferred on 2 June 2005)

Queens College, The City University of New York, Flushing, NY, United States.

Advisor: Jeff Nichols, Associate Professor

B.M. in Composition (degree conferred on 23 May 2003)

The Juilliard School, New York, United States. Advisor: Milton Babbitt, Composition Faculty

## **RESEARCH & TEACHING INTERESTS**

- Music and sound in opera, film, and video games
- Cultural history of music and disease/illness
- Sound and disability studies

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

2015–18 Full-time Researcher, Music Research Center, Hanyang University, Korea.

"Sound, Space, and Mobility: The Soundscape of 'in-between' Space"

2010–13 Research Assistant, College of Music, Seoul National University, Korea.

Collaborative research with MEG Center, Seoul National University Hospital.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

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2018 "Excavating the History of Electroacoustic Music in Korea, 1966–2016." Contemporary

*Music Review* 37 (1–2): 174–87. Co-authored with Jongwoo Yim.

2017 "Benjamin Britten and the Turning Sound of the Screw, or the Turn of the

Interpretation." Music Theory Forum 24 (2): 71–94.

2017 "What Did Basilio and Figaro Hear? Opera, or the Art of Overhearing." Journal of the

Scienc and Practice of Music 38:1-33.

2017 "Vitellia's Ambivalence, Marchetti's Jouissance." Journal of Music and Theory 28 (1):

44–67.

2017 "Sesto's Anima, Vitellia's Animus: Hearing the Inner Voice in Mozart's Rondò Arias."

*Journal of the Musicological Society of Korea* 20 (1): 71–98.

2015 "Is Figaro Really Mad at Susanna? Doing Opera Through Music Analysis." Journal of

Music and Theory 25 (2): 8-34.

# **Book Chapter**

2013 "Syntax, Expectation, and Realization of Harmonic Progressions: Neuroscientific

Investigations." Co-authored with S. Yi, J. Seo, J. Park, C. Kim, and D. Bae. In *Music Perception and Cognition II*, edited by Suk Won Yi, 225–89. Seoul: Eumaksekye.

#### **Translations**

2013 Translation of "Music, Movement and Marimba: An Investigation of the Role of

Movement and Gesture in Communicating Musical Expression to an Audience" by Mary Broughton and Catherine Stevens, *Psychology of Music* 37, no. 2 (2009): 137–53. In *Music Perception and Cognition II*, edited by Suk Won Yi, 307–24. Seoul:

Eumaksekye.

2008 Translation of "Analysts and Performers: Overcoming the Obstacles" by Charles J.

Smith. Paper read at 2008 International Conference, co-hosted by the Music Institute of Ewha Womans University and the Korean Society for Music Theory. *Ewha Music* 

*Journal* 12 (2): 221–34.

#### CONFERENCE PAPERS

2019 "Rehabilitating Gemma, or Hearing the Voices of an Empty Womb in Donizetti's

Gemma di Vergy." The 5th Biennial Conference of the East Asian Regional Association

of IMS. School of Music, Soochow University, China. October 18–20.

2019 "Beaumarchais's Figaro, Da Ponte's Figaro, Mozart's Figaro." Korean Society for French

Classic Literature. Korea National Open University, Seoul, Korea. August 24.

# Conference Papers (cont'd)

CONTERENCE	THE ERO (comu)
2018	"The Fellowship of the Sound(tracks): How the Regalia Became a Place to Unwind in <i>Final Fantasy XV.</i> " Music & the Moving Image XIII. New York University. May 24–27.
2018	"Why was Bruce Listening to 'Casta diva'? Soundtrack as a Sonic/Sonified Conscience in <i>Avengers: Age of Ultron.</i> " Rethinking Sound 2018: International Conference. Hanyang University, Seoul, Korea. March 30–31.
2017	"Just Music? The Sound of Ludomusic(ology)." Re:HEARING; From the Virtual to the Real. Hanyang University, Seoul, Korea. June 10.
2017	"Soundscape of the Future in Sci-fi Film: The 'Aural' Gaze and the Dissolution of Subjectivity." 20th Quinquennial Congress of the International Musicological Society. Tokyo University of the Arts, Japan. March 19–23.
2016	"'When Shall We Three Meet Again?' Remembering Milton." 80th Meeting of the Musicological Society of Korea. Sungshin Women's University, Korea. November 19.
2016	"Politics of Noise: The Soundscape of 2016 General Election Campaign in Korea." Round Table at 20th International Congress of Aesthetics. Seoul National University, Korea. July 24–29.
2016	"(Re)sounding the Virtual: Hearing the Voice of Hatsune Miku." Sound Art Matters, International Conference. Aarhus University, Denmark. June 1–4.
2015	"Sesto's Anima, Vitellia's Animus: Hearing the Inner Voice in Mozart's Rondò Arias." 78th Meeting of the Musicological Society of Korea. Sungshin Women's University. November 21.
2013	"Neural Responses to Tonality and Atonality: How Our Brains Perceive the Difference." The 2nd Biennial Conference of the East Asian Regional Association of IMS. National Taiwan University. October 18–20.
2013	"Mozart the Philosopher: Aside, Silence, and Time in <i>La clemenza di Tito</i> ." 2013 CUNY Graduate Center GSIM (Graduate Students in Music) Conference. The Graduate Center, CUNY, United States. April 12–13.
2012	"Harmonic Meaning as Musical Semantics (and the Role of Right Hemisphere): Evidence from Magnetoencephalography." With S. Yi, C. Chung, C. Kim, K. Lee, and J. Seol. Music and the Body 2012. The University of Hong Kong. March 9–11.
2011	"Susana's Choices: Anima as Drama in Mozart's <i>Le nozze di Figaro</i> ." East Asian Regional Association of the International Musicological Society. Seoul National University, Korea. September 16–18.
2009	"Syntax, Implication (Expectation), and Realization of Harmonic Progressions." With S. Yi, J. Seo, J. Seol, J. Park, and C. Kim. Korean Society for Music Perception and Cognition. Seoul National University, Korea. June 13.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Part-time Lecturer** (\*Graduate Course)

2019–present Seoul National University, Korea

Music Analysis 2 (Piano) Music Analysis 2 (Strings) Music Analysis 4 (Strings)

2018–present Chugye University for the Arts, Seoul, Korea

History of Western Music 1 History of Western Music 2

Research in Music\*

2018–2019 Dongduk Women's University, Seoul, Korea

Composer Studies\*
Seminar in Musicology\*
Music and Culture\*

2016–present Sungshin Women's University, Seoul, Korea

Field Study of Music Independent Studies

2016 Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea

Music of Classical Period\*

Seminar in Piano Literature I\*

2015–present Hanyang University, Seoul, Korea

Form and Analysis 1 Form and Analysis 2

String & Wind Music Literature 1

Music in Industry 4.0 Seminar in Musicology\*

Source Readings in Music History\*

Music and Culture\*
Independent Studies\*

2015 Kyungpook National University, Daegu, Korea

Seminar in Music Analysis\*

The University of Hong Kong

Topics in Western Music History III

2009 Korea National University of Arts, Seoul, Korea

Introduction to Post-tonal Theory\*

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2010–present Production Editor, Musica Humana.

## **SELECT COMPOSITIONS**

2003	Handel's Invective for guitar and computer-generated sound (Soichi Muraji, guitar; Tokyo Cultural Center, Japan, 2004)
2003	Cantus Subtilior: 370 cantus in vocis duodecim for four players
2003	A Measure of Hans Weisse for twelve violins
2002	The Fugue of Art for violin and orchestra quartet
2002	Corelli's Protest for solo piano
2002	A Transfigured Offering for two chamber orchestras
2000	String Quartet No. 1
1999	In Memoriam Isang Yun for orchestra (Jeffrey Milarsky, conductor; Juilliard Symphony, Alice Tully Hall, Lincoln Center, New York, United States, 2000)

# **AWARDS & GRANTS**

2013	Conference Grant for Research Postgraduate Students, The University of Hong Kong.
2011-12	Rayson Huang Scholarship in Music, The University of Hong Kong.
2010-13	Postgraduate Studentship, The University of Hong Kong.
2008-10	Academic Excellence Scholarship for Graduate Students, Hanyang University.

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

American Musicological Society Society for Music Theory

The Musicological Society of Korea (on Scientific Committee)

Korean Society for Music Theory (on Committee)

## **Miscellaneous**

2018–present Weekly guest speaker, Korean Broadcasting System (KBS) Classic FM 93.1 MHz.
 2005–7 Military service, Republic of Korea Army Training and Doctrine Command

Rank at the time of discharge from active duty: Sergeant (SGT)

Military specialty: Translation (English/Korean)