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Academic Positions:

Assistant Professor of Economics, City University of Hong Kong, July 2022 -

Education:

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Pennsylvania, May 2022
  Visiting Ph.D. Student, University of Cambridge, Spring 2022
M.S. in Policy Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, May 2016
B.B.A. in Business Administration, Korea University, February 2014

Research Fields:

Labor Economics, Public Economics, Economics of Education, Applied Econometrics

Publication:

"Using Monotonicity Restrictions to Identify Models with Partially Latent Covariates"
with Wayne Gao, Andrew Postlewaite, and Holger Sieg, **forthcoming in *Journal of Econometrics***

Research Papers:

"Job Flexibility and Household Labor Supply: Understanding Gender Gaps and the Child Wage Penalty"

"Access and Attitudes to the Local News Media in the Digital Economy" with Lucie L'Heudé, Andrew Postlewaite, and Holger Sieg

Research in Progress:

"Self-Employment Decisions and Household Risk Sharing"

"Gender Gaps in Job Mobility around Childbirth" with Hanna Wang

"Labor Market Impact of M&A and Skill Complementarity" with Hanbaek Lee

Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships:

2022	Award for Best Applied Paper at Econometric Society Australasia Meeting
2022	Paul Taubman Memorial Prize for Empirical Economics Research, University of Pennsylvania
2021-2022	Maloof Family Dissertation Fellowship in Economics, University of Pennsylvania.
2021	Etienne van de Walle Paper Prize for Best Graduate Student Paper in Demography, University of Pennsylvania

2017	Award for Best Preliminary Examination in Econometrics, University of Pennsylvania
2012	Sekrim Scholarship, Korea University Business School
2009	KUBS Special Scholarship, Korea University Business School

Teaching Experience:

Fall, 2017	Introductory Economics for Business Students, University of Pennsylvania, Teaching Assistant for Prof. Gizem Saka
Spring, 2018	Econometrics II (PhD Level), University of Pennsylvania, Teaching Assistant for Prof. Francis Diebold
Fall, 2022	Advanced Econometrics (PhD Level), City University of Hong Kong

Research Experience and Other Employment:

2018-Present	Research Assistant and Sponsored Ph.D. Student, Penn Wharton Budget Model, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania
Summer, 2020	Research Assistant for Prof. Corinne Low, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania

Presentations (*scheduled, **presented by co-author):

2023	Korea University, Keio University, University of Cambridge, Urban Economics Associate Summer School**, Southern Economic Association**
2022	University of Tokyo, Chung-Ang University, Hitotsubashi University, KAEA Micro Group Seminar, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia**, EEA-ESEM Milano, AMES Tokyo, ES Australasia, AMES China, BSE Summer Forum, QMUL Economics and Finance Workshop, University of Cambridge, KAIST College of Business, Population Studies Center (UPenn), Korea Labor Institute, Korea Institute of Finance, Institute of Social Science (UTokyo), Korea Development Institute, Bank of Korea, Korea Institute of Public Finance, City University of Hong Kong, University of Hong Kong
2021	Penn Wharton Budget Model, University of Pennsylvania

Professional Activities:

Referee	International Economic Review, Macroeconomic Dynamics

Languages: Korean (Native), English (Fluent)

Computational Skills: R, Rcpp, MATLAB, Python, STATA

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