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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Wee Kim Wee School of Communication and Information, Nanyang Technological University Singapore
Assistant Professor August 2024 - Present

EDUCATION

School of Information Sciences, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Champaign, IL
Ph.D. in Information Sciences 2019-2024

Advisor: Ryan Cordell

Dissertation: A Computational Approach Toward Understanding the Political Language of Ideologically Opposing Groups – From Historical Newspapers to Social Media

School of Information Studies, Syracuse University Syracuse, NY
M.S. in Library and Information Science 2017-2019

Certificate of Advanced Study in Data Science

Advisor: Jian Qin

Yonsei University Seoul, South Korea
B.A. in Library and Information Science 2010-2017

B.A. in Political Science and International Relations

RESEARCH INTEREST

- Digital Humanities / Computational Social Science
 - Natural Language Processing (Comparative / Quantitative Discourse Analysis)
 - Network Analysis
- Responsible Data Science
 - Data Curation (Data Reuse and Sharing)

AWARDED PAPERS

Park, J. (2016). The Federated Library for North and South Korea to Preserve Collective Knowledge. *The 2016 Unification Thesis Collection: The 35th (Under) Graduate Student Unification Thesis Award*, 35, pp. 123-170 (in Korean). Paper

Park, J. (2014). Advancing Collection Quality to Modernize Libraries - Through Librarian Collaborative Book Review. *The Awarded Thesis Collection: The 6th (Under) Graduate Student Library Modernization Thesis Award*, 6, pp. 39-64 (in Korean). Paper

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

Kim, S., Yoon, A. & **Park, J.** (Major Revision). Research Trends in STEM Education: A Review of Publicly Funded Projects from the Institute of Museum and Library Services. *Library and Information Science Research*.

Park, J., Yang, JH., Tolbert, A. & Bunsold, K. (Online First). You change the way you talk: Examining the network, hate speech, and discourse of cross-platform users on Twitter and Parler during the 2020 U.S. Presidential Election. *Journal of Information Science*. Paper Code

Park, J. & Cordell, R. (Online First). The ripple effect of dataset reuse: Contextualising the data lifecycle for machine learning data sets and social impact. *Journal of Information Science*. Paper

Dalgali, A., Xiao, L. & **Park, J.** (2023). Reasoning in Social Media: Insights from Reddit "Change My View" Submissions. *Online Information Review*, 45(7), pp. 1208-1226. Paper

CONFERENCE & WORKSHOP PAPERS

Park, J. & Cordell, R. (Accepted). A data-driven investigation of euphemistic language: Comparing the usage of "slave" and "servant" in 19th century US newspapers. *NLP4DH 2025*.

Griebel, S., Cohen, B., Lucian, L., **Park, J.**, Liu, J., Perkins, J. & Underwood, T. (2024). Locating the Leading Edge of Cultural Change. *The Fifth Conference on Computational Humanities Research*. Paper Code

Park, J. & Cordell, R. (2023). A Quantitative Discourse Analysis of Asian Workers in the US Historical Newspapers. *The Joint 3rd International Conference on NLP4DH & IWCLUL* pp. 7-15. Paper Code

Liu, B., Zhou, Z., Zhu, D. & **Park, J.** (2023). Understanding Gender Stereotypes in Video Game Character Designs. A Case Study of Honor of Kings. *The Joint 3rd International Conference on NLP4DH & IWCLUL* pp.125-131. Paper

Park, J. & Jeoung, S. (2022). Raison d'être of the benchmark dataset: A Survey of Current Practices of Benchmark Dataset Sharing Platforms. *NLP Power! The First Workshop on Efficient Benchmarking in NLP at Association for Computational Linguistics* pp.1-10. Paper

Dobreski, B., **Park, J.**, Leathers, A. & Qin, J. (2019). Remodeling Archival Metadata Descriptions for Linked Archives. *The International Conference on Dublin Core and Metadata Applications* pp.1-11. Paper

Allen, R. B. & **Park, J.** (2018). Coordinating and Integrating Faceted Classification with Rich Semantic Modeling. *The Workshop on Ontology and Rich Semantics: Frameworks and Applications* Paper

CONFERENCE POSTERS & EXTENDED ABSTRACT

Park, J., Kim, Y.E. & Chung, W.Y. (Submitted). Evaluating the Impact of Large Language Models on Environmental Decision-Making: A Comparative Study of Western and Chinese LLMs. *The 2025 International Association for Media and Communication Research (IAMCR)*.

Park, J., Seo, J. & Lee, J. (2023). Exploring an Online Community of Blind Programmers by Using Topic Modeling and Network Analysis. *The 86th Annual Meeting of the Association for Information Science and Technology (ASIS&T)* Paper

Park, J., Yang, JH., Bunsold, K. & Tolbert, A. (2022). Cross-platform Analysis of Twitter and Parler during the 2020 U.S. Presidential Election. *International Communication Association Conference (ICA)*. Paper

Rezapour, R., **Park, J.** & Diesner, J. (2020). Detecting Characteristics of Cross-cutting Language Networks on Social Media. *The International Sunbelt Social Network Conference (INSNA)*.

Mishra, R., **Park, J.** & Diesner, J. (2020). Leveraging Topic Modeling to Enhance the Interpretability of Stance Detection. *The 6th Annual International Conference on Computational Social Science (IC2S2)*.

Rezapour, R., **Park, J.** & Diesner, J. (2020). Detecting Characteristics of Cross-cutting Language Networks on Social Media. *The 6th Annual International Conference on Computational Social Science (IC2S2)*.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Wee Kim Wee School of Communication and Information, Nanyang Technological University Singapore
Social Media Analytics (IS 6750) *Instructor* Fall 2024, Spring 2025
Digital Libraries (IS 6730) *Instructor* Spring 2025

School of Information Sciences, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Champaign, IL
Social Media Analysis (IS 324) *Instructor* Spring 2024
Reference and Information Services (IS 501) *Teaching Assistant* Summer 2021, 2023
Ethics and Policy for Data Science (IS 467) *Teaching Assistant* Fall 2022
Information Modeling (IS 515) *Teaching Assistant* Fall 2021
Information Organization and Access (IS 505) *Teaching Assistant* Spring 2021
Foundations of Information Processing (IS 430) *Teaching Assistant* Fall 2020

HONORS & AWARDS

Eugene Garfield Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, Beta Phi Mu Society (USD 3,000) 2024
Doctoral Colloquium Award, ASIS&T (USD 425: The conference registration fee) 2023
Master's Award, Syracuse University (USD 500) 2019
D. Whitney Coe Scholarship, Syracuse University (USD 14,030) 2018-2019
D. Whitney Coe Scholarship, Syracuse University (USD 4,677) Summer 2018
D. Whitney Coe Scholarship, Syracuse University (USD 13,500) 2017-2018
The 35th Korea Unification Thesis Award, Ministry of Unification (3rd Place, KRW 2,000,000) 2016

The 6th Library Modernization Thesis Award, National Library of Korea (2nd Place, KRW 1,000,000)	2014
The Excellent Student Scholarship, Yonsei University (KRW 2,289,000)	2014
The Excellent Student Scholarship, Yonsei University (KRW 1,181,300)	2013

GRANT PROJECTS

Examining Linguistic Characteristics of AI-written News Articles	2024
<i>Principal Investigator</i>	Start-up Grant: Nanyang Technological University SGD 35,000
A Computational Text Analysis on Stereotyping in Online Communities	2024
<i>Principal Investigator</i>	Academic Research Fund (AcRF) Tier 1 Seed Funding Grant: Ministry of Education, Singapore SGD 50,000
The Virality of Racial Terror in US Newspapers, 1863-1921	2023
<i>Research Assistant</i>	Mellon Foundation Reference: 2204-12741

PRESS

Kallenback, J. (2020). Library students greatly impact CU. <i>The Daily Illini</i> .	Article
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STUDENT MENTORSHIP

Wee Kim Wee School of Communication and Information, Nanyang Technological University	Singapore
<i>Dissertation Committee</i>	
Shilan Huang (Ph.D. in Communication and Information)	
<i>Qualifying Examination Committee</i>	
Qiu Haoran (Ph.D. in Communication and Information)	
School of Information Sciences, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	Champaign, IL
Jae Young Lee (Undergraduate in Information Sciences)	

MEMBERSHIP

ACL (Association for Computational Linguistics)	
ASIS&T (Association for Information Science and Technology)	
<i>Reviewer</i>	2023, 2024
NLP4DH (Natural Language Processing for Digital Humanities)	
<i>Program Committee</i>	2024 2025

PERSONAL

Languages: Korean, English, Japanese, Python, R
 Interests: Cooking, Running, Art, Architecture, Philosophy

REFERENCES

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