EUNGANG (PETER) CHOI

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EDUCATION

The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio

August 2017 - Present

Ph.D in Sociology

- Advisor: Sam Clark
- Graduate Interdisciplinary Specialization in Demography(GISD)
- IPR (Institute for Population Research) Student Affiliate
- TDAI (Translational Data Analytics Institute) Associate

KDI School of Public Policy and Management, Seoul, S.Korea Master of Public Policy (MPP)

Feb. 2006 - Feb. 2012 Magna Cum Laude

- Advisor: Yu Sang Chang
- Thesis: Research on US Crime Rate Using the Kinked Experience Curve Model
- Concentration: Entrepreneurship and Private Sector Development / Finance and Macroeconomic Policy

Handong Global University, Pohang, S.Korea

Feb. 2012 - Aug. 2013

B.A. Management, International Area Studies (Double Major)

RESEARCH

Assessing User-based Rating Systems

Using Airbnb data to assess discrimination in user-based ratings in the US. Keywords: Skin-tone(1-5); text analysis; facial Recognition; image processing - to be presented at PAA 2020 in Washington D.C.

Fertility Trends

Examining fertility trends relative to development (HDI) for 58 countries around the world.

Access to Transportation: Bus Network and Spatial Inequality in Columbus

Operationalizing the COTA (Central Ohio Transit Authority) bus system as a network to measure the accessibility one has to other parts of the city where infrastructure and social capital exist.

- presented at ASA 2019 in Newyork, NY

openVA Pipeline

Software development (CrossVA), Conducting Training, and providing country support for verbal autopsy.

Understanding Fertility Through Twitter

Using the search keywords that are highly correlated with fertility data, this research gathers and analyzes twitter data to further understand and gain insights on fertility.

PRESENTATION

Verbal Autopsy and OpenVA

TDAI Fall Forum

Nov. 2019

Columbus, OH

Access to Transportation: Bus Network and Spatial Inequality in Columbus Aug. 2019

ASA Annual Meeting 2019

New York, New York

Training of Trainers Workshop

Nov. 2018

Presenter/Trainer

Columbus, OH

· VA Data Quality Review and COD Assignment

OpenVA Pipeline Implementers and Developers Meeting

May. 2018

Presenter/Trainer

Singapore

COUNTRY SUPPORT

Vital Strategies

Nov. 2019

Consultant Dhaka, Bangladesh

· VA Data Quality and Scale-up Workshop

Vital Strategies

Mar. 2019

Consultant Honiara, Solomon Islands

· openVA Pipeline Development and Implementation

Vital Strategies

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Dec. 2018

Consultant

Delhi, India

· Training on VA Algorithms and Software

· Comparing Methods for Assigning CoD Assignment

Consultant

Nov. 2018

Dhaka, Bangladesh

· A data quality check customization

· CoD assignments through OpenVA Pipeline

TRAINING

Summer Institute in Computational Social Science (SICSS)

June, 2019

· Northwestern University

DHIS2 Configuration

March, 2019

· Basel, Switzerland (Swiss TPH)

IUSSP/MPIDR Workshop on Monitoring Mortality in the Era of the SDGs

June, 2018

· Rostock, Germany

Annual Workshop on Formal Demography

June, 2018

· UC Berkeley

Demographic Research in the Digital Age

April, 2018

· Denver, CO

MEMBERSHIP

Population Association of America (PAA) International Union for the Scientific Study of Population (IUSSP)	2018 - Present 2018 - Present
SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS	
2019 Summer Methods Training Award (\$1,200) Department of Sociology, OSU	2019
2018 Summer Methods Training Award(\$1,183) Department of Sociology, OSU	2018
University Fellowship The Ohio State University	2017 - 2018
Dean's List with Distinction KDI School of Public Policy and Management	2012 - 2013
CA (Class Assistant) Scholarship KDI School of Public Policy and Management	2012 - 2013
WORK EXPERIENCE	
Korea Standards Association Consultant	Sep. 2016 - Aug. 2017 Seoul, S.Kored
\cdot Management Innovation Center, Organization Competency Innovation Center	r
KPMG Consultant	Nov. 2015 - Jun. 2016 Seoul, S.Kored
· Business Consulting Service	
KMAC Senior Consultant	Mar. 2013 - Jun. 2015 Seoul, S.Kored
 Management of Technology Global Business/Management Strategy Division	

TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

Software & Tools Python, R, Stata, SPSS LATEX, Markdown