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Academic Positions

Aug. 2023 ~ Present
Associate Research Fellow, Korea Institute for International Economic Policy

Education

Ph.D. Economics, The Ohio State University, 2023
Dissertation Title: *Essays in Wealth Inequality and Heterogeneous Agent Model*
Committee: Aubhik Khan (Advisor), Julia Thomas, Gabriel Mihalache
M.A. Economics, The Ohio State University, 2018
B.A. in Economics, Yonsei University, 2016
B.S. in Mathematics, Yonsei University, 2016
B.S. in Applied Statistics, Yonsei University, 2016

Research Fields

Quantitative Macroeconomics, Income and Wealth Inequality, Housing, International Trade

Publications

Chulyoung Kim, S. David Kim and Sangyoong Nam (2018). "Strict Liability, Settlement, and Moral Concern" *Korean Journal of Economics* 25(2).

S. David Kim and Youngse Kim (2020). "Signaling Valence by Positive and Negative Campaigns" *Journal of Economic Theory and Econometrics*, 31(3), 23-43.

Research Papers

"The Distributional Effects of Student Debt Forgiveness in General Equilibrium: the Role of Housing" (**Job Market Paper**)

"Household Liquidity Preference: Evidence from the Korean Housing Market", (with Byungwook Kim and Hyeik Kim).

Research in Progress

"Asset Market Segmentation and Poverty Trap", Work in Progress.

Conference and Seminar Presentations

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| May. 2025 | Ewha Womans University |
| June. 2024 | Computing in Economics and Finance (Nanyang Technological University) |
| Mar. 2024 | Korea Association of Public Finance (joint with National Assembly Budget Office) |
| Aug. 2023 | East Asian Economic Association (Seoul National University) |
| May 2023 | Midwest Macro (Clemson University) |

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| Feb. 2023 | Korea Institute for International Economic Policy, Korea Institute for Industrial Economics and Trade |
| Jan. 2023 | Bank of Korea |
| Aug. 2022 | Yonsei Macro Meeting (Online) |
| Mar. 2022 | Midwest Economic Association (Minnesota) |

Honors, Scholarships, and Fellowships

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| Aug. 2017 – Aug. 2018 | University Fellowship, The Ohio State University |
| Apr. 2011 – Feb. 2016 | Undergraduate Scholarship, Korea Foundation for Advanced Studies (KFAS) |

Teaching Experience

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| Fall 2021 – Spring 2022 | Recitation Leader, Principles of Macroeconomics (OSU) |
| Fall 2018 – Spring 2021 | Recitation Leader, Principles of Microeconomics (OSU) |
| Spring 2016 – Fall 2016 | Teaching Assistant (Yonsei) |

Skills

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| Languages | English (Fluent), Korean (Native) |
| Computer skills | Julia, MATLAB, Fortran, Stata, Python, R |

Leave of Absence

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| Jul. 2011- Apr. 2013 | Command Post (CP) Defense Security Command (DSC) Mandatory Military Service (ROK), Sergeant |
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