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EDUCATION

2017-present Purdue University, USA

Ph.D. Economics (expected May 2024)

M.S. Economics

2016 Yonsei University, South Korea

M.A. Economics, with distinction

B.A. Economics, minor in Applied Statistics

FIELDS OF INTEREST

International Trade, Macroeconomics, Spatial and Regional Economics

WORKING PAPERS

- [1] "A Dynamic Model of Multidimensional Skill Production and Worker Migration" (Dissertation)
- [2] "Care for the China Syndrome: Trade Shock, Sick Workers, and Access to Healthcare" (with Soojin Kim and Chong Xiang)
- [3] "School Closure and Educational Inequality: Parental Investment in the Pandemic" (with Hyunjae Kang and Tae Young Kang)
- [4] "Can Land-Use Policy Defy Regional Decline?" (with Seungyub Han)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND OTHER EMPLOYMENT

2022-2023	Research Fellow, UCLA Ziman Center for Real Estate, USA
2020-2023	Research Assistant to Prof. Chong Xiang, Purdue University, USA
2019-2022	Research Assistant to Prof. Miguel Sarzosa, Purdue University, USA
2017-2018	Research Assistant to Prof. Collin B. Raymond, Purdue University, USA
2016-2017	Researcher, Korea Institute of Finance (Capital Market Division), South Korea
2014-2016	Research Aide, The Ministry of Employment and Labor, South Korea
2014-2016	Research Aide, The Minimum Wage Commission, South Korea
2014-2016	Research Assistant to Prof. Kang-Shik Choi, Yonsei University, South Korea

GRANTS, HONORS, AWARDS

2023-2024	The Bilsland Dissertation Fellowship, Purdue University - awarded to only one student among all doctoral students at the Daniels School of Business each year.
2022-2023	Rosalinde and Arthur Gilbert Research Grant, UCLA Ziman Center for Real Estate
2022-2023	Krannert Doctoral Research Fund, Purdue University
2021	Best Paper Award, GEPS Conference
2021	Best Paper Award, CSES Conference
2020-2021	Purdue Research Foundation Grant, Purdue University
2019-2021	Best Presentation Award, KDSA Research Symposium, Purdue University
2019	Krannert Award of Distinguished Teaching, Purdue University
2016	Best Master's Thesis of Graduate School, Yonsei University
2015	National Research Scholarship, Korea Student Aid Foundation
2014	Honors Student, Yonsei University

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Purdue University

Summer 2022, Spring 2023 Teaching Assistant, Labor Economics (Undergraduate)
Spring 2021, 2023 Teaching Assistant, International Trade (Undergraduate)

Summer 2019 Instructor, Microeconomics (Undergraduate, Instructor Eval: 4.7/5.0)

Fall 2018 Teaching Assistant, Microeconomics II (PhD core)
Spring 2018 Teaching Assistant, Macroeconomics (Undergraduate)
Fall 2017 Recitation Leader, Principles of Economics (Undergraduate)

Yonsei University

Fall 2015-Spring 2016 Teaching Assistant, Personnel Economics (MBA)

Spring 2014-2016 Teaching Assistant, Labor Economics (Undergraduate, Graduate)
Spring 2015-2016 Teaching Assistant, Microeconomics (Undergraduate, MBA)

SEMINARS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2023 Midwest Economic Association Annual Meeting (Cleveland)

2022 Midwest Economic Association Annual Meeting (Minneapolis); Asian Meeting of the

Econometric Society (Tokyo/Virtual)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Referee for International Economic Journal

RESEARCH-RELATED COMPUTER SKILLS

Python, Stata, MATLAB, R, Mathematica, GTAP, Git, and LaTeX

LANGUAGES

English (fluent), Korean (native)

PERSONAL

Citizenship: South Korea (U.S Visa Status: F-1 with an option for STEM OPT extension)