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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 Urban Economics

WORKING PAPERS

- [1] “A Dynamic Model of Skill Production and Worker Migration” (Job Market Paper)
- [2] “Care for the China Syndrome: Trade Shock, Sick Workers, and Access to Healthcare”
(with Soojin Kim and Chong Xiang)
- [3] “Building Housing: The Allocative Efficiency of Creating New Cities Versus Expanding Existing Cities?”
(with Seungyub Han)
- [4] “School Closure and Educational Inequality: Parental Investment in the Pandemic”
(with Hyunjae Kang and Tae Young Kang)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND OTHER EMPLOYMENT

2022-2023	Research Scholar, 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

SEMINARS AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

* denotes scheduled. Presentations at the home affiliation are excluded.

2023	Midwest Economic Association Annual Meeting (Cleveland); North American Meeting of the Urban Economics Association (Toronto)*; Midwest Macroeconomics Meeting (Texas Tech)*; Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting (New Orleans)*
2022	Midwest Economic Association Annual Meeting (Minneapolis); Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society (Tokyo/Virtual)

GRANTS, HONORS, AWARDS

2023-2024	The Bilsland Dissertation Fellowship, Purdue University
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 the Graduate School, Yonsei University
2015	National Research Scholarship, Korea Student Aid Foundation
2014	Honors Student, Yonsei University

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Purdue University

Fall 2022	Volunteer Instructor, Casual Inference Methods (Undergraduate Econ Club)
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)

RESEARCH-RELATED COMPUTER SKILLS

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

PERSONAL

Citizenship: South Korea (U.S Visa Status: F-1 with an option for STEM OPT extension)
Languages: English (fluent), Korean (native)