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EDUCATION

Seoul National University   Sept. 2017 – Feb. 2020

M.A. in International Relations   *Seoul, Korea*
- Thesis: "U.S.-Japan Technological Hegemony Competition and Trade Conflict: Securitization of Technology and America's Economic Response"

Sogang University   Feb. 2008 – Feb. 2014

B.A. in Political Science, Economics (multiple major)   *Seoul, Korea*
- MAGNA CUM LAUDE

RESEARCH INTERESTS

International Relations, Political Economy: Global and Domestic interactions
- Two-Level Bargaining Games
- Domestic Interests, Institutions, and International Cooperation
- Domestic Policy Process and Foreign Policy
- Economic Conflict among Great Powers in the Context of Power Transition
- East Asia Middle Powers in an Age of Strategic Competition
- Cyber-Security and the Struggle for Technological Supremacy among States

Political Methodology: Structured Scientific Inquiry
- Philosophy of Science and Foundations of Knowledge
- Research Design, Survey Experiment, Time-Series & Cross-Sectional Analysis, Text Analysis
- Case Study: Structured, Focused Comparison and Process-Tracing
- Multi-Method Research: Cross-Case & Within-Case Inference

INTERDISCIPLINARY TRAINING

International Law, International Economic Law, Sogang Univ.

Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, International Trade, International Finance, Sogang Univ.

Logics, Logic and Critical Thinking, Sogang Univ.

Survey of East Asian History, Sogang Univ.

Seminar in Research Methods in International Political Studies, Seoul National Univ.

Business Statistics, Econometrics, Sogang Univ., **Intermediate Statistics**, Korea Social Science Data Archive

Graduate Game Theory, unofficial course, Seoul National Univ., instructed by Ph.D. Jee Seon Jeon

PUBLICATION & RESEARCH

Book Chapters
- "US-Japan Trade Conflict in High-Technology Industries: Securitization of Dual-Use Technology and US Economic Policy" in Seungjoo Lee ed., *U.S.-China Competition and Global Digital Governance*, Seoul: Sapyoung Academy, 2020. (in Korean)

Work In Progress
- "Education Level as Moderators of Cultural Effects on Trade Preferences: Evidence from a Korean Survey"

CONFERENCE PRESENTATION

Korean Political Science Association (KPSA) Summer Conference   June 2018
- "U.S.-Japan competition in High-Tech Industries: The Economy-Security Nexus and U.S. Trade Policy" (in Korean)

Korean Association of International Studies (KAIS) Annual Conference   Dec. 2017
- "The Potential and Limits of Chinese Catch-up Model in the Smartphone Industry: The Case of Xiaomi" (in Korean)

Honors and Grants

Lecture & Research Scholarship	Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019
College of Social Science, Seoul National University	*approximately USD 17,000*
Honors Scholarship (A)	Feb. 2013
College of Social Science, Sogang University	*approximately USD 500*
Alumni Scholarship	Feb. 2013
Sogang University Alumni Association	*approximately USD 2,500*
National Scholarship (Type 1&2)	Jan. 2013
College of Social Science, Sogang University	*approximately USD 530*
Alumni Government & Professions Examination Scholarship	Jan. 2013, Feb. 2013
Sogang University Alumni Association	*approximately USD 1,460*
Government & Professions Examination Scholarship	Jan. 2011 – Jan. 2013
College of Social Science, Sogang University	*approximately USD 3,840*

Teaching Experience

Introduction to International Politics (Undergraduate, 200.104) — Fall 2019
Seoul National University, Prof. Sangbae Kim — *Teaching Assistant*
- Served as head teaching fellow

The Global Politics of Information (Undergraduate, 216B.328A) — Spring 2019, Spring 2018
Seoul National University, Prof. Sangbae Kim — *Teaching Assistant*
- Instructed analytic writing sessions, graded writing assignments

Postmodern World Politics (Undergraduate, 216B.225) — Fall 2018, Fall 2017
Seoul National University, Prof. Sangbae Kim — *Teaching Assistant*
- Instructed analytic writing sessions, graded writing assignments

Studies in the Global Politics of Information (Graduate, 216B.709B) — Fall 2017
Seoul National University, Prof. Sangbae Kim — *Teaching Assistant*
- Served as head of a graduate study group participating in the KAIS Annual Conference

Work Experience

Data Analysis Research Assistant — Sept. 2018 – Dec. 2019
Global Data Center, Institute of International Studies, Seoul National University — *Seoul Korea*
- Big-data project *Research on public awareness of national diplomacy through big data analysis* (with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs South Korea)
- Big-data project *How to Promote Digital Diplomacy* (with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs South Korea)
- Provided support on gathering, prepossessing, and analyzing data using R
- Provided assistance in producing figures and editing manuscripts

Future Global Politics Research Assistant — Sept. 2017 – Dec. 2019
Future Global Politics Center, Institute of International Studies, Seoul National University — *Seoul Korea*
- Research project *The Rise of Emerging Powers and the Future Strategies of Middle Powers*
- Served as general assistant and project manager, took charge of administrative coordination, and organized academic conferences
- Conducted researches such as *Japan's Trade policy as a Middle Power Strategy* and *China's Catch-Up Strategy in Smartphone Industries*

Public Affairs(PA) Officer, First Lieutenant — June 2014 – May 2017
2nd Air Defense Artillery Brigade, Republic of Korea Air Force
- Served as Culture Communication and Public Affairs Education Officer
- Took charge of planning the Air Force Exhibition Hall in *Gyeonggi Suwon Aerospace Science Fair with Space Challenge*
- Participated in the *2016 UFG Practice ROK/US Combined Forces Command* as a Public Affairs Operations Officer

Extra-Curricular Experience

Methodology Boot-Camp, Participant   Jan. 2019

Dept. of Political Science and International Relations, Seoul National University

- Completed courses of Causal Inference, Time-Series & Cross-Sectional Analysis, Text Analysis, Experimental Methods, Instrumental Variables Analysis, and Bayesian Analysis using R

Model National Assembly, General Manager & Main Actor   Fall 2008, Spring 2009

Dept. of Political Science, Sogang University

Skills

Software: R, Stata, LaTeX

Language: Korean(native), English(fluent), Mandarin Chinese(intermediate, Level 4 of HSK)