

Yoonkyoung Cho

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EDUCATION

Korea University

M.S.&Ph.D. in Public Health Sciences (Epidemiology & Risk Management)

Converted Cumulative GPA: 4.0/4.0 | Advisor: [Hannah Oh](#)

Bachelor in Public Health (Health Policy and Management)

Converted Cumulative GPA: 3.73/4.0

Seoul, Korea

03/2021 – Present

03/2017 – 02/2021

- Exchange student at University of British Columbia (01/2020 – 04/2020)

PUBLICATIONS

Byun D., Hong S., Ryu S., Nam Y., Jang H., **Cho Y.**, Keum N., and Oh H. (2022), "Early-life body fatness in relation to breast, endometrial, and ovarian cancers: a dose-response meta-analysis of prospective studies." *British Journal of Cancer*, 126(4), 664-472. [[pubmed](#)]

Under revision

Cho Y., Jang H., Kwon S., and Oh H., "Aerobic, muscle-strengthening, and flexibility physical activity in relation to all-cause and cause-specific mortality: a population-based cohort of Korean adults." *BMC Public Health*

Work In Progress

Ryu S.*, **Cho Y***, and Oh H., "Ultra-processed food intake and risks of cardiovascular disease and type 2 diabetes in Korean adults." (*co-first author)

CONFERENCES & PRESENTATIONS

Oral Presentation

NUTRITION 2022 LIVE ONLINE (American Society for Nutrition)

06/2022

Title: Aerobic, Muscle-Strengthening, and Flexibility Physical Activity in Relation to All-Cause and Cancer Mortality: A Population-Based Prospective Cohort Study in Korea (*Virtual*)

5th APCMS Congress (Korean Society of Cardiometabolic Syndrome)

Seoul, Korea | 04/2022

(5th Asia-Pacific Cardiometabolic Syndrome Congress)

Title: Sarcopenic Obesity, Metabolic syndrome, and Mortality: the KoGES Mortality Follow-up Study

- Excellent Abstract Award (\$250)

Poster Presentation

NUTRITION 2023 (American Society for Nutrition)

Boston, U.S.A. | 07/2023

(1) Title: Television, Computer, Smartphone Use, and Obesity Risk: A 3-Year Follow-Up Study

- Selected for the Poster Theater Flash Session Presentation

(2) Title: Screen Time and Obesity in Adolescents: An Isotemporal Substitution Analysis

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

National Cancer Center Korea

Goyang, Korea

Researcher (Principal Researcher: [Jeongseon Kim](#))

02/2023 – Present

[Research Project 1] Cancer risk associated with physical activity and sedentary behavior and the role of cardiometabolic diseases and socio-economic position: CAPACITY

Center for ICT & Society
Researcher of Social Sciences Korea (SSK) Project

Seoul, Korea
09/2022 – Present

Chronic Disease Epidemiology Lab

Undergraduate Research Intern

Seoul, Korea
03/2019 – 12/2019

[Research Project 1] Fact Sheets of Chronic Diseases and Health Behaviors in Korean Adults

Korea Disease Control and Prevention Agency (KDCA)

[Research Project 2] Evaluation of the occupational safety of female workers in Gyeonggi-do

Gyeonggi-do Women and Family Foundation

WORK EXPERIENCE

Sanofi
Omnichannel Marketing & Transparency Intern
Catholic Medical Center (CMC) Big Data Center
Machine Learning Intern

Seoul, Korea
12/2021 – 06/2022
Seoul, Korea
02/2021 – 03/2021

- Developed Efficient OCR Parsing Model for medical data

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Consumer Electronics Show 2023 (CES 2023)
Consumer Technology Association, MediloT

Las Vegas, U.S.A.
12/2022 – 01/2023

Ondream Global Academy
Ilmin International Relations Institute, Hyundai-cmk foundation

Paris, France | Geneva, Switzerland
07/2022 – 08/2022

- Visited international organizations (e.g. OECD Paris, IOM Geneva, UN ODA Geneva, UNHCR Geneva, WHO Geneva, and GAVI Geneva) and interviewed consultants and junior professional officers

KU Global Leadership Program (Latin America – Mexico)
Korea University delegate, KU Global Leadership Center

Guadalajara, Mexico
12/2018 – 02/2019

- Studied Spanish at Korea University and Tecnológico de Monterrey

Inter-governmental youth delegate (Mongolia)
Ministry of Gender Equality and Family

Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
06/2018 – 07/2018

- Dispatched to main business sites and the Mongolian government and generated a report on the information technology of Korea in the Mongolian healthcare industry

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant at Korea University

03/2021 – 02/2021

- Courses: Case Studies in Epidemiology (English/Graduate students), Foundations and Principles of Health Promotion (English/Undergraduate students)

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

ASAN Public Health Policy Scholarships, [ASAN Foundation](#) (KRW5,000,000 per semester) (03/2023 – Present)

Brain Korea 21 Four Scholarships, National Research Foundation of Korea (03/2021 – Present)

1ST place at Digital Transformation & Business Competition, Korea University (KRW2,000,000) (12/2021)

Students Affairs Special Scholarships, Korea University (09/2020 – 12/2020)

VERITAS Scholarships, Korea University (09/2018 – 12/2019)

College of Health Science Scholarships, Korea University (03/2018 – 12/2018)

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

Fluent in English (GRE Verbal 154, Quant 163, Writing 4.0) and native in Korean

Basic in French (DELF B1) and Spanish