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Research Interests

Identity Politics; Political Behavior; Political Institutions; Computational Social Science; Political Geography of Participation & Representation; Criminal Justice Policies and Politics of Crime.

Academic Appointments

Georgia State University   *Atlanta, GA*

Department of Political Science   *08/2024 -*

• Assistant Professor

Washington University in St. Louis   *St. Louis, MO*

Department of Political Science & Weidenbaum Center on the Economy, Government, and Public Policy   *09/2022 - 06/2024*

• Post-Doctoral Research Fellow

Texas A&M University   *College Station, TX*

Public Policy Research Institute   *09/2020 - 08/2022*

• Graduate Research Fellow

Education

Texas A&M University   *College Station, TX*

Doctor of Philosophy in Political Science   *09/2017 - 08/2022*

Korea University   *The Republic of Korea*

Masters of Arts in Political Science   *09/2011 - 08/2013*

Korea University   *The Republic of Korea*

Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration and Political Science (Dual Degree)   *03/2007 - 08/2011*

Publications

Peer-Reviewed Publications

[1] Nascent Political Ambition across Gender and Race (with Andrea Junqueria, Diana O'Brien, Matthew Hayes, Brian Crisp, and Matthew Gabel). *(Forthcoming at the **British Journal of Political Science**)*

[2] To become a Real American: Acculturation Psychology and Republican Party Identification among Asian Americans and Latinos. *(Forthcoming at the **Politics, Groups, and Identities**)*

[3] Open-Ended Survey Responses and Political Conceptualizations in a Polarized Era (with Maxwell Allamong, Ben Beutel, and Paul Kellstedt). *(Conditional Accept at the **Journal of Politics**)*

[4] Using Large Language Models to Improve Data Quality in Open-Ended Survey Responses (with Maxwell Allamong and Paul Kellstedt) at **Research & Politics**.

[5] Making Issues Matter: Local Media and Ideological Accountability (with Erik Peterson) at **Political Behavior**.

[6] The Declarations of Independents: How Party Images Have Changed in the Eyes of Non-Identifiers (with Maxwell Allamong, Ben Beutel, and Paul Kellstedt). *(Forthcoming at the **American Journal of Political Science**)*

[7] Explorative Research of Vocabularies in Business Résumés (with Kim, Eun Soo, and You, Seok-Hoon) at **Language Information**.

Other Publications

[1] "Monitoring Pretrial Reform in Harris County: Second Report of the Court-Appointed Monitor." Independent Monitor for the Odonnell V. Harris County Decree. Durham, NC: Duke University School of Law, 2021. (Media: *Houston Chronicle*)

[2] "Evaluation of Rural Regional Public Defender Office Initiatives." Texas Indigent Defense Commission. College Station, TX: Public Policy Research Institute, Texas A&M University, 2022.

Selected Working Papers

[1] Culture or Security? How Gender Trumps Geopolitics in Shaping Support for Trade with Strategic Partners (with Boram Lee). *(Supported by the **Women & Politics Fund, American Political Science Association**)*.

[2] The Impact of Business Engagement in Refugee Hiring on Consumer Attitudes and Social Inclusion (with Minjee Sun and Boyoon Lee). *(Supported by the **Social Impact Community Small Grants, University of Iowa**)*.

[3] Beyond enforcement: How presidential leadership shapes employment-based legal immigration in the United States (with Boyoon Lee)

[4] Spatial Modeling in Neighborhood and Crime Study (with Young-An Kim).

[5] Reimagining Black Ideology: Understanding Ideological Subgroup Variations in Black Community (with Kevin Sparrow)

Other Education and Training

Campus Asia-East Asia University Institute Winter School in Singapore
Nanyang Technological University   *02/2013*

Master Class in Modern Finance Risk Management
Stern School of Business, New York University   *10/2010*

Honors and Grants

2025	**Advancing Research Grant for Early Career Scholars**, American Political Science Association	*DC, USA*
2024-2026	**Social Impact Community Small Grants**, University of Iowa	*IA, USA*
2023	**Summer Research Grant**, American Political Science Association	*DC, USA*
2022	**Travel and Accommodation Fund**, Atlanta Network for Race, Ethnicity and Politics	*GA, USA*
2021	**Texas Tough Grant**, Texas A&M University and University of Texas Austin	*TX, USA*
2020-2022	**Research Assistantship for Fellow** , Public Policy Research Institute, Texas A&M University	*TX, USA*
2013-2017	**Research Grant**, The Department of Defense & Korea University	*Korea*
2013	**Travel and Tuition Grant for Students**, Japanese Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology	*Japan*
2013	**Social Science Korea Scholarship (Merit-Based)**, National Research Foundation of Korea	*Korea*
2012	**Brain Korea 21 Scholarship for Outstanding Students (Merit-Based)**, National Research Foundation of Korea	*Korea*
2012	**Under/Graduate General Scholarship (Merit-Based)**, Korea University	*Korea*
2009	**Under/Graduate General Scholarship (Merit-Based)**, Korea University	*Korea*
2007	**Undergraduate Academic Scholarship (Merit-Based), 2009 & 2011**, Korea University	*Korea*

SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Peer Review: American Political Science Review; Journal of Politics; Political Science Research Methods; Public Opinion Quarterly.

Other Services:

Professional Research Agent (Technical Research Personnel) *Seoul, The Republic of Korea*
Military Manpower Administration, Ministry of National Defense *09/2013 - 06/2017*

Public Network Organizer *Seoul, The Republic of Korea*
Prime Minister's Office *10/2011 - 12/2011*

Journalist/News Writer (Undergraduate) *Seoul, The Republic of Korea*
Maeil Business Newspaper *09/2010 - 12/2010*

Dialogue Participants *Seoul, The Republic of Korea*
Global Summit 2010, Co-hosted by CNN, WWF, and UNEP *09/2010 - 12/2010*

Skills

Programming	Python, R, Stata, SQL, Qualtrics, AmazonAWS.
Research Methods	Text-as-Data Analysis, Machine Learning, Psychometrics, Ordinary Least Squares, Maximum Likelihood Estimation, Bayesian Inference, Experimental Research Design, Spatial Regression Analysis.
Language	Korean (Native), English (Fluent)
Miscellaneous	LaTeX(Overleaf/R Markdown), Tableau, Microsoft Office.