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EDUCATION

University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (Urbana, IL)

Ph.D. Political Science

2020 - present

Korea University (Seoul, South Korea)

M.A. Political Science and International Relations

2019

B.A. French Language and Literature; International Studies

2016

RESEARCH

Research Interest

Identity politics, comparative politics, immigrant integration, political behavior, Europe, European Union

Publication

“Divergent Paths of Integration in the Post-Multicultural Era: Interculturalism in Spain and Civic Integration in France.” (with Nam-Kook Kim), 2019, *Journal of European Union Studies* 53, 3–48.

Research in Progress

“Well-Integrated Immigrants Without a Sense of Belonging?”

“Tweeting immigration: A discourse analysis of political party communication” (with Ethan vanderWilden)

“The Effects of Socialization and Citizenship on Political Participation” (with Seyoung Jung and Cara Wong)

“Reactivity of Voters With an Immigration Background to Discourses of Immigration Policies”

FELLOWSHIP, GRANTS, AND AWARDS

Awards

Rita and Leonard Ogren Prize for Academic Achievement, May 2022

Awards for the Best Thesis Proposal in Department for Political Science, Korea University, 2018.

Fellowship

European Parliament Trainee Fellowship, funded by Korea Foundation, 2018. (€7,500)

Research Fellowship, Asia Centre, Paris, funded by KU-KIEP-SBS EU Centre, 2015. (€3,000)

Travel Grants

Graduate College Conference Travel Grant to EUSA, 2023. (\$300)

Graduate College Conference Travel Grant to MPSA, 2023. (\$325)

Graduate College Conference Travel Grant to MPSA, 2022. (\$400)

East Asia University Institute (EAUI) Travel Grant, 2016. (\$1,400)

EU Studies Association Asia-Pacific Conference Travel Grant, 2016. (\$300)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

Research Assistant, University of Illinois (Urbana, IL)

Professor Cara Wong and Matt Winters (migrant integration)

May 2023 - present

Professor Cara Wong (immigration; public opinion; minority politics)

Aug 2022 - May 2023

Research Associate, East Asia Institute (Seoul, Korea)*Jan 2019 - May 2020*

Full-time research associate & program manager

Project: Strengthening Civil Society Organizations in Myanmar, Korea-Japan Joint Public Opinion Survey

Trainee, European Parliament (Brussels, Belgium)*Feb - Apr 2018*

Full-time traineeship at Citizen's Policies Unit, European Parliamentary Research Service

Research Assistant, Korea University (Seoul, Korea)*Jan - Dec 2017*

Professor Nam-Kook Kim (European politics; citizenship and migration)

Research Assistant, Asia Centre (Paris, France)*Feb 2015*

Full-time research internship (Korea-EU relationship; Korean politics)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

EU Studies Association (EUSA), 2023

Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), 2022, 2023

Washington-Illinois Student Exchange, 2022

Illinois EU Studies Conference, 2022

Myanmar Democracy Research Network (MDRN), 2019

EU Studies Association Asia-Pacific (EUSA-AP), 2016

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

Teaching Assistant, University of IllinoisPS270 Introduction to Political Theory, Spring 2022 (*Ranked as "Excellent" by students*)PS282 Governing Globalization, Fall 2021 (*Ranked as "Excellent" by students*)**Teaching Assistant**, Korea University

POLI238 Law and Political Thought, Fall 2017

POLI361 Identity Politics in Europe and Asia, Spring 2017

SKILLS

Languages Korean (fluent), English (fluent), French (intermediate), Russian (intermediate)**Programming** R, RMarkdown, L^AT_EX, Python, SPSS**PROFESSIONAL SERVICES**

Coordinator, Comparative Politics Workshop, University of Illinois, 2022-2023.

Board Member, Political Science Graduate Student Association, University of Illinois, 2021-2022.

Survey Committee, Political Science Graduate Student Association, University of Illinois, 2020-2021.

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