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EDUCATION

- 2023 Expected **Ph.D., Political Science**, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, MN
Dissertation: “Gender Matters in the Judiciary: Adjudicating Sexual Assault in Korea”
Committee: Lisa Hilbink (Chair), Teri Caraway, Michael Minta, Herbert Kritzer
Field: Comparative Politics, American Politics
- 2015 **M.A., Political Science & International Relations**, Korea University, Seoul, Korea
- 2011 **B.A., Political Science**, Macalester College, St. Paul, MN

PREVIOUS ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

- 2021-2022 **Visiting Instructor**, St. Olaf College, Northfield, MN

AWARDS, GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

Dissertation Fellowships and Research Grants

- 2022-2023 **Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship (DDF)**, *Univ. of Minnesota Graduate School: \$25,000*
- 2020-2021 **Leadership in Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity (LEID) Fellowship**, *University of Minnesota Graduate School: \$33,000*
- 2020-2021 **APSA Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant (DDRIG)**, *National Science Foundation: \$9,145*
- 2020 **Huang Hsing Chun-tu Hsueh International Fellowship Fund Research Grant**, *Centennial Center, American Political Science Association: \$2,500*
- 2020 **Thesis Research Travel Grant**, *University of Minnesota Graduate School: \$5,000*
- 2020 **Graduate Research Fellowship Award**, *Dept. of Political Science, UMN: \$5,500*
- 2019 **Graduate Research Partnership Program (GRPP) Fellowship** with Lisa Hilbink, *College of Liberal Arts, UMN: \$3,700*
- 2017 **Pre-Dissertation Fellowship** to ICPSR, *Dept. of Political Science, UMN: \$5,500*

Conference Grants

- 2022 **COGS Conference Grant**, *Council of Graduate Students: \$806*
- 2022 **DDF Conference Presentation Grant**, *Univ. of Minnesota Graduate School: \$1,000*
- 2022 **APSA DDRIG Conference Fund**, *American Political Science Association: \$1,000*
- 2022 **Travel Grant** to SPSA, *Dept. of Political Science, UMN: \$400*

- 2022 **Travel Grant** to APSA, *Dept. of Political Science, UMN: \$400*
- 2021 **Travel Grant** to APSA, *American Political Science Association: \$300*
- 2021 **Hayek Fund**, *Institute for Humane Studies, George Mason University: \$500*
- 2018 **Travel Grant** to MPSA, *Dept of Political Science, UMN: \$400*
- 2018 **Travel Grant** to Human Rights Watch, *Dept of Political Science, UMN: \$400*

Awards

- 2018 **Best Prediction Award**, Graduate Division, MinneMUDAC, *Midwest Undergraduate Data Analytics Competition, MinneAnalytics: \$1,000*

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Courses Taught

- 2022 POL 299 Comparative Law and Courts, Spring, St. Olaf College
- 2022 POL 299 Politics in the Two Koreas (Online), Interim, St. Olaf College
- 2021 POL 258 World Politics (Section A and B), Fall, St. Olaf College

Teaching Assistantships

- 2019 POL 3321 Social Policy in U.S.
- 2019 POL 3766 Political Psychology of Mass Behavior
- 2018 POL 4773w Advocacy Organizations and Social Movements
- 2018 POL 3309 Justice in America
- 2017 POL 1001 American Democracy in a Changing World
- 2017 POL 1054 Puzzles in World Politics
- 2017 POL 3080 Individual Internships
- 2016 POL 1025 Global Politics

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

- 2019 **Jo, S.N.** and Kim, D.H., (2019, August). “Decentralization and Foreign Direct Investment: Impact of Fiscal and Political Decentralization on FDI Inflow.” *The Journal of Northeast Asia Research*. 34:1, 307-339.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2021(p), 2020(i)* American Political Science Association (APSA)
- 2021(p)* (c)*, 2018(p), 2014(p) Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)
- 2022(p), 2021(p)* Southern Political Science Association (SPSA)
- 2022(p) Western Political Science Association (WPSA)
- 2020(p)* Law and Society Association (LSA)
- 2018(p) Human Rights Watch

(p) panel; (i) i-poster; (c) chair; * virtual

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 2020-2021 Comparative Politics Colloquium Graduate Student Co-coordinator, Dept. of Political Science, University of Minnesota
- 2020-2021 American Politics Colloquium Graduate Student Co-coordinator, Dept. of Political Science, University of Minnesota
- 2019 Council of Graduate Studies Grant Review Committee, University of Minnesota
- 2019 Graduate Student Ambassador, Eagle Mentoring Program, University of Minnesota

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

- 2022 **Training Initiative for Asian Law & Society Scholars (TRIALS)**, National University of Singapore, August
- 2020 **Certificate, Artificial Intelligence (Python)**, Gwangju ICT Innovation Square, Online, October-December (160hrs)
- 2020 **Certificate, Human Rights Law**, Human Rights Center, Seoul National University Law School, September-December
- 2017 **Certificate, Race, Ethnicity and Quantitative Methods**, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, June-July
- 2014 **Certificate, Modern Regression Analysis**, IPSA Social Science Research Methods, National University of Singapore, June-July

SELECT RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2015 Research Assistant, Professor Donghun Kim, Korea University, Seoul, Fall
- 2014 Short-term Consultant, World Bank, Seoul, June
- 2013-2014 Research Assistant, Professor Yongwook Lee, Korea University, Seoul, Fall-Spring
- 2013-2014 Editor's Assistant, Korean Journal for Japan Studies, Seoul, Summer-Spring
- 2013 Research Assistant, Professor Jaehyuk Shin, Korea University, Seoul, Spring
- 2011 Research Assistant, Audubon Minnesota, St. Paul, MN, February-May
- 2011 Research Assistant, Nonprofit Roundtable of Greater Washington, D.C., December-January
- 2010 Research Assistant, League of Women Voters, St. Paul, MN, August-October
- 2010 House of Representative Intern, Minnesota Legislature, St. Paul, MN, February-May

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS, LANGUAGE & SKILLS

American Political Science Association
Association for Asian Studies
Law and Society Association
Midwest Political Science Association
Southern Political Science Association
Korean: Native, English: Proficient (TOEFL IBT 116/120)
Stata, NVivo, Microsoft Office Suite

REFERENCES

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