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social inequality, urban studies, education, social movement, youth, Japan, and Korea

# Education

2011 Doctor of Philosophy in Anthropology, Department of Anthropology, University of California, Berkeley, United States of America

Dissertation: School as Classificatory Machine: Sorting, Socialization, and Class in a Japanese Middle School

2003 Master of Arts in Anthropology, Department of Anthropology, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea

Thesis: The Social Production and Social Construction of Bundang New Town: A Study on the Relationship of Space and Class (in Korean)

2001 Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology, Department of Anthropology, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea (summa cum laude)

# Employment

2020.03-current Associate Professor, Graduate School of International Studies, Seoul National University

2014.12-2020.02 Assistant and Associate Professor, Department of Archaeology and Cultural Anthropology, Jeonbuk National University

2013.09-2014.12 HK Assistant Professor, Institute for Japanese Studies, Seoul National University

2011.10-2013.8 HK Research Professor, Institute for Japanese Studies, Seoul National University.

# Books (including translation)

2024 *Public Practices in a Working-Class Area of Osaka, Japan* (일본 도시 하층 지역에서의 공공적 실천). Seoul National University Press.

2022 *The Transformations of Japan’s Education System and Educational Aspirations* (일본 교육제도의 구축과 재편 그리고 교육열망). Shina. [co-authored]

2021 *Understanding East Asia through the lens of Cultural Anthropology* (문화인류학으로 보는 동아시아). Nulmin. [translated]

2020 *Introducing Urban Anthropology* (도시인류학: 우리가 세상을 해석하는 방법) . Ilchokak. [co-translated]

2019 *Resilient Schools: Overcoming the Achievement Gap in East Asia and Western Europe* (世界のしんどい学校). Akashishoten. [co-authored]

2018 *Contemporary Cultural Anthropology* (현대문화인류학). Hyungseol. [co-edited]

2017 *Transformations of Post-war Japan and its Search for Social Solidarities* (안전사회 일본의 동요와 사회적 연대의 모색). Bakmun. [co-edited]

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2013 *The Great East Japan Earthquake Observed in the Field* (현장에서 바라본 동일본대 지진). HanulBooks. [co-authored]

**Articles**

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2023c “Non-metropolitan youths and their attachment to hometown in post-growth Japan.” *Asian Journal of Social Science* (online first)

2023b “Relocating to the ‘Just Right Countryside’: Japanese Youths’ Rural Migration and their Lifestyles.” (‘적당히 시골이면서 적당히 도시인 곳’으로: 일본 청년의 지방 이주 동기와 라이프스타일) *Korean Cultural Anthropology* 56(3): 131-181.

2023a “Gender Differences in Regional Mobility and Career Choice Among Japanese

Non-metropolitan Youths.” (일본 지방청년의 진로 선택 시 성별에 따른 지역 간 이동의 차이) *Korean Journal of Japanese Studies* 29: 238-273.

2021 “The Background and Significance of Merge in Japanese National Universities in the 2000s.” (2000년대 일본 국립대학 통합의 배경과 의미) *Review of International and Area Studies* 30(4): 111-141. (with Chanhui Lee, corresponding author).

2020 “From Slum to Yoseba: Spatial Production and Construction of Marginalized Masculinity in Contemporary Japan.” (슬럼에서 요세바로: 현대 일본에서의 주변적 남성성의 공간적 생산과 구성) *The Korea Journal of Japanese Studies* 52: 124-155.

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