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Current Positions

March 2020 - present, Associate & Full Professor, Graduate School of International Studies (GSIS)
Seoul National University

(Sabbatical: September 2023 - August 2024)

December 2020 - December 2026, Member of the Executive Board, Asian & Australian Society
for Labour Economics (AASLE), elected in 2020 and 2023

April 2017 - present, Research Fellow, Global Labor Organization

September 2015 - present, Research Fellow, Institute for the Study of Labor (IZA, Germany)

Education

Ph.D. in Economics, Stanford University. 2008

Thesis Title: Essays on Household Formation and Income Inequality

Thesis committee: Peter Klenow(Chair), Luigi Pistaferri(Co-chair), John Pencavel, Michèle Tertilt

M.A. in Economics, Stanford University. 2006

B.A. in Economics, Seoul National University. 1998 (Summa Cum Laude)

Research Interests

Applied Econometrics specialized in Labor, Public, Development, and Market Design

Employment History

March - July 2023, Committee Chair, Special Committee for Workers' Health, Presidential Committee
for National Cohesion, South Korea

September 2022 - August 2023, Associate Dean of Student Affairs, Graduate School of
International Studies, Seoul National University

July 2022 - July 2023, Committee Member, Economics and Social Division,
Presidential Committee for National Cohesion, South Korea

March 2016 - February 2020, Associate Professor, Economics, Sogang University, South Korea

January - July 2019, Visiting Professor, Inter-American Development Bank (Washington DC)

January - November 2018, Consultant, Inter-American Development Bank (Washington DC)
Consulting projects: improving the quality of education in Latin America

June - July 2017, Visiting Research Fellow, Waseda University, Japan

August 2016 - June 2018, Consultant, World Bank (Washington DC)
Consulting projects: improving matching efficiency in a temporary foreign labor market

February - December 2015, Consultant, Asian Development Bank, Philippines
Consulting projects on human capital and labor market outcomes in Asia

Winter 2013, Visiting Professor, Hitotsubashi University, Japan

September 2011 - August 2012, Research Fellow, Negotiation, Organizations & Markets Unit, Harvard
Business School, sponsored by Alvin E. Roth (winner of the 2012 Nobel Prize in Economics)

August 2008 - February 2016, Faculty Affiliate, Maryland Population Research Center

August 2008 - February 2016, Assistant Professor, Economics, University of Maryland (College Park)

April 1999 - May 2007, Deputy Director, Ministry of Finance, South Korea
Second best score in Finance and Economics of the 42nd Civil Servant Qualification Exam
Working at the International Finance Bureau, then training at Stanford University from 2002.

Research Papers

Publications

Does the Nuclear Engineering Field Perform Worse in Utilizing Women? Evidence from South Korea
(with Jihye Kam and Sungyeol Choi), *Nuclear Engineering and Technology*, R&R

Female representation in academia: Are women underrepresented among faculty at public colleges
and universities? (with Jihye Kam), *International Economic Journal*, forthcoming

Cayman over China: Trends and Accounting Factors of South Korea's Outward Foreign Direct
Investment (with Kyung Hyun Kim), *International Economic Journal*, 2023, 37(3), 424-445

Sejong's Effects of People's Health: Consequences of a Long Commute (with Seulgi Lim)
Asian Economic Papers, 2023, 22(2), 1-27 (lead article)

Signaling in Two-Sided Matching Markets in "Online and Matching-Based Market Design"
edited by Federico Echenique, Nochole Immorlica, and Vijay V. Vazirani,
Cambridge University Press, 2023, ISBN: 978-1108831994

The Effects of Indoor Temperature and Humidity on Local Transmission of COVID-19 and

- How It Relates to Global Trends (with Han June Park, Sung-Gwang Lee, Jeong Suk Oh, Minhyuk Nam, Steven Barrett, and Wontae Hwang), *PLOS ONE*, 2022, 17(8), e0271760
- Foreign Direct Investment and Housing Prices: Evidence from South Korea (with Joohee Kim), *International Economic Journal*, 36(2), 247-262
- Consumption Response to Seoul's COVID-19 Shopping Coupons: Evidence from Consumer Data (with Seokjin Woo, Dohyung Kim, Heyjin Moon, Sangmin Yum), *Korean Economic Review*, 2022, 38(2), 231-250
- Recent Trends in Public and Private Debts: Cross Country Comparison (with Eujin Lee), *Korean Social Science Journal*, 2021, 48, 119-141
- Gender Norm Conflict and Marital Outcomes (with Francisca M. Antman and Priti Kalsi), *Journal of Demographic Economics*, 2021, 87, 537-560
- How to Improve Worker-Firm Matching: Evidence from a Temporary Foreign Worker Market (with Yoonyoung Cho), *Korean Economic Review*, 2021, 37(2), 419-454
- How Do House Prices Affect Consumption Patterns across Categories?, (with Wonhyeok Kim and Yoonsoo Lee), *Korean Economic Review*, 2021, 37(2), 367-398
- Can Stimulus Checks Boost an Economy under Covid-19? Evidence from South Korea, (with Moon Jung Kim), *International Economic Journal*, 2021, 35(1), 1-12
- COVID-19 and Employment in South Korea: Trends and Comparison with the 2008 Financial Crisis (with Minhyuk Nam), *Seoul Journal of Economics*, 2021, 34(1), 43-80
- Does Ramadan Harm Infant Health? Evidence from Ethiopia (with Minhyuk Nam, Daeun Jeong, Wonmoon Lee), *International Economic Journal*, 2020, 34(4), 613-633
- Collaboration and Female Representation in Academic Fields (with Benjamin Malin), *Minneapolis Fed: Quarterly Review*, 2019, 39(1), 2-21
- Efficient Supply of Human Capital: Role of College Major (with Sungjin Cho and Jihye Kam), *Singapore Economic Review*, 2018, 63(5), 1319-1343
- Girls and Boys: Economic Crisis, Fertility and Birth Outcomes (with Chiara Orsini), *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, 2018, 33(7), 1044-1063
- Impact of the Clean Air Act on Air Pollution and Infant Health: Evidence from South Korea (with Minhyuk Nam and Heesun Yoo), *Economics Letters*, 2018, 168, 98-101
- College Major and Female Labor Supply (with Jihye Kam), "Strategic, Policy and Social Innovation for a Post-Industrial Korea," edited by Joon Nak Choi, Yong Suk Lee, and Gi-Wook Shin, Routledge, Ch.6, 2018
- Did the Great Recession Affect Sex Ratios at Birth for Groups with a Son Preference? (with Chiara Orsini), *Economics Letters*, 2017, 154, 48-50
- Brides for Sale: Cross-Border Marriages and Female Immigration (with Daiji Kawaguchi), *Economic Inquiry*, 2017, 55(2), 633-654 (lead article)

- Effect of Online Dating on Assortative Mating: Evidence from South Korea,
Journal of Applied Econometrics, 2016, 31(6), 1120-1139
- Carrot and Stick? : Impact of a Low-Stakes School Accountability Program on Student Achievement
(with Seokjin Woo and Kyunghye Kim), *Economics Letters*, 2015, 137, 195-199
- Propose with a Rose? Signaling in Internet Dating Markets (with Muriel Niederle), *Experimental Economics*, 2015, 18(4), 731-755
- Beauty Pays but Does Investment in Beauty?, *IZA World of Labor*, October 2015
- Bonus Compensation and Productivity: Evidence from Indian Manufacturing Plant-Level Data (with Natalie Chun), *Journal of Productivity Analysis*, February 2015, 43(1), 47-58
- Do Single-Sex Schools Make Girls More Competitive? (with Muriel Niederle and Namwook Kang),
Economics Letters, September 2014, 124(3), 474-477
- All for One? Family Size and Children's Educational Distribution Under Credit Constraints (with Jeanne LaFortune), *American Economic Review, P&P*, May 2014, 104(5), 365-369
- Overeducation in the Korean Labor Market : Evidence from Young Workers (with Sungjin Cho)
Journal of Economic Research, May 2014, 19-41
- Multiple Testing and Heterogeneous Treatment Effects: Re-evaluating the Effect of Progesa on School Enrollment (with Azeem Shaikh), *Journal of Applied Econometrics*, June/July 2014, 29(4), 612-626
- Can the Job Market for Economists be Improved? (with Fedor Iskhakov, Terence Johnson, David McArthur, John Rust, and Joel Watson), *Handbook of Market Design*, edited by Zvika Neeman, Alvin Roth, and Nir Vulkan, Oxford Press, July 2013, ISBN-13: 978-0199570515
- Education's Role in China's Structural Transformation (with Benjamin Malin), *Journal of Development Economics*, March 2013, 148-166
- Plastic Surgery: Investment in Human Capital or Consumption? (with Keunkwan Ryu), *Journal of Human Capital*, September 2012, 224-250
- Self-Control and Provision of Education Subsidies, *Journal of Economic Research*, May 2012, 61-76

Published Papers in Korean

- Foreign Acquisition of Real Estates: Trends and Implications (with Seulgi Lim, and Joohee Kim),
The Korean Journal of Law and Economics, 2022, April, 177-205
- How Does Public Housing Affect Neighboring Apartment Prices and Migration? (with Seulgi Lim, and Hyunji Lee), *The Korean Journal of Economic Studies*, 2021, 151-184
- Implications of AI for the Korean Labor Market, Chapter 2, *AI Ethics and Governance*, 2021
- Public Housing Subsidies in South Korea (with Seulgi Lim), *Journal of Market Economy*, 2020, 49(2), 1-26
- Economic and Regulatory Implications of New Business Models in the ICT Sector,
Korean Journal of Law and Economics, 2020, 17(1), 253-279

Dynamics and Determinants of the Gender Gap in Math Test Scores (with Seulgi Lim),
The Journal of Curriculum and Evaluation, 2019, 22(2), 293-317

Impact of Ordinal Rank on Career Choice (with Seulgi Lim), *Korean Journal of Labour Economics*,
 2017, 40(2), 1-29

Book

“To Parents in South Korea,” parental guidebook regarding college application, human capital, and career development, written in Korean, *Gimmyoung*, June 2023

Awards, Fellowship, and Grants

2022 Teaching Award, Graduate School of International Studies, Seoul National University

2021 Recognition of Public Service, by the Chairman of the Financial Services Commission,
 South Korea

2021 Winner at Data Analytics Competition, hosted by Kaggle-LearnPlatform, [link](#)
 Topic: COVID-19 Impact on Digital Learning – Use digital learning data to analyze the impact
 of COVID-19 on student learning

2021 - 2023 Korean Research Foundation, Research Grant, Principal Investigator, Amount: US\$ 40,000.

2020 Recognition of Public Service, by the Minister of Finance and the Vice Prime Minister,
 South Korea

2020 Interdisciplinary Research Grant, Seoul National University, Principal Investigator,
 Amount: US\$ 79,000.

2020 Korean Economic Award for Applied Economists, Korean Economic Association

2019 Pyeongsan Research Award, Sogang University

2018 - 2019 Korean Research Foundation, Research Grant, Principal Investigator, Amount: US\$ 120,000.

2018 Korean Research Foundation, Travel Grant, Principal Investigator, Amount: US\$ 6,000.

2017 Dasan Young Economist Award, *Hankyung* (the Korea Economic Daily).

2017 Korean Research Foundation, Grant, Principal Investigator, Amount: US\$ 51,000.

2016 Teaching Award, Department of Economics, Sogang University

2016 “Prominent Korean Economist under age 50,” nominated by *ChosunBiz*

2016 Young Economist Award, the Korea-America Economic Association (KAEA)

2014 Dean’s Research Initiative, University of Maryland, Principal Investigator, Amount: US\$ 10,200.

2013 - 2014 Korean Research Foundation (SSK Grant), Co-Principal Investigator, Amount: US\$ 200,000.

2008 Landau Best Working paper Prize, SIEPR, Stanford University

2007 - 2008 B.F. Haley and E.S. Shaw Fellowship, SIEPR, Stanford University

2006 Graduate Research Opportunity Fellowship, Stanford University
2006 Taube Fellowship, SIEPR, Stanford University
2002 - 2005 Pre-doctoral Fellowship, Kwanjeong Educational Foundation
2002 - 2004 Fulbright Scholarship (declined)
1998 Award for Academic Excellence, Seoul National University
1998 President Award, Alumni Association of Economics and Business, Seoul National University
1995 - 1998 Department Fellowship, Seoul National University

Presentations

2023 - 2024 International Association of Applied Econometrics Meeting (Oslo, Norway), Asian Economic Panel (Tokyo), IEJ Conference (Seoul), Simons Institute at Berkeley (Berkeley, US), Seoul National University (GSPA, Dept. Nuclear engineering), NEA Global Forum on Nuclear Science, Technology and Policy (Seoul), Korea Federation of Women's Science and Technology Associations Meeting (Seoul), AI and Financial Services Conference (KCB, Seoul), Seoul National University Alumni Association (Seoul)

2022 - 2023 Asian Economic Panel (Seoul, Tokyo), Meta - XR Hub Korea Roundtable (Seoul, online), Seoul High Court, Seoul Education Training Institute, Korean Economic Association Meeting

2021 - 2022 Seoul National University (Computer Science; SPARC; GSPA), AALSE (Beijing, online), KEA-KAEA International Conference (Seoul, online), Korean Economic Association's 70th Anniversary Conference (Kangneung)

2020 - 2021 SNU Covid-19 Conference (Seoul), Covid-19 and South Korean Economy (Seoul), Korean International Economic Association Winter Meeting (Seoul), SJE International Symposium (Seoul), Korea University (Seoul), University of Mannheim (Guest Lecture), Annual Conference of the Society for the Advancement of Economic Theory (SAET, Seoul)

2019 - 2020 AASLE (Singapore), Korean Economic Association Meeting, SNU AI Institute, SNU (GSPA)

2018 - 2019 University of Sheffield, Korea Development Institute, Conference on Advancing South-South Learning in Asia (Seoul), Korea Society For Regulatory Studies Meeting (Seoul), Korea Institute for Curriculum and Evaluation (Seoul), Inter-American Development Bank (Washington DC), Korea Institute of Public Finance (Sejong)

2017 - 2018 ASSA(Philadelphia), KAEA (Philadelphia), GRIPS (Tokyo), National University of Singapore, Asian and Australasian Society of Labour Economics conference (Canberra), Korean Association of Public Finance meeting (Seoul), Asian Economic Outlook Meeting (Seoul), Korea International Economic Association Meeting (Seoul), OECD (Paris), Asian Econometrics Society Meeting (Seoul), Korea Institute of Public Finance (Sejong), National Assembly Budget Office (Seoul)

2016 - 2017 KAEA-KEA Joint Conference, Waseda University, University of Tokyo, Asian Econometric Society Meeting (Hong Kong), Shanghai University of Finance and Economics, MATCH 2017 (Microsoft Research, Boston), International Association Meeting (Sapporo), Japanese Women Economists

Network Meeting (J-WEN, Sapporo), National University of Singapore, Yonsei University, Seoul National University (GSPA)

2015 - 2016 ASSA (San Francisco), Southern Economic Association Meeting (New Orleans), ITAM (Mexico City), Bank of Mexico (Mexico City), University of Maryland - Baltimore County, Tulane University, SUNY Buffalo, Inter-American Development Bank (DC), Korea Economic Society (DC), World Bank workshop on Higher Education in Latin America and the Caribbean (DC), Stanford University (Shorenstein Asia-Pacific Research Center), Korea University, Korean Applied Econometrics Society Meeting (Busan), Seoul National University (GSIS), Korean Labor Economic Association Meeting (Seoul)

2014 - 2015 Society of Labor Economists Meeting (Montreal), University of Montreal, IZA/RIETI Workshop on Changing Demographics and the Labor Market (Tokyo), KAEA/KIPF conference (Sejong)

2013 - 2014 ASSA (Philadelphia), Annual Conference of Asian Studies (Philadelphia), Seoul National University, Myungji University, Ewha University, KDI policy school, National University of Singapore, Western Economic Association Meeting (Denver), KDI-KAEA Conference on Job Creation and Labor Market Policies

2012 - 2013 ASSA (San Diego), City University of New York, "Migration: Global Development, New Frontiers" (UCL), University of Tokyo, GRIPS (Tokyo), Asian Conference on Applied Micro and Econometrics (Seoul), Kyunghee University, CAU ERIC Conference (Seoul), Hankyung Global Financial Conference (Seoul, discussant), Sogang University

2011 - 2012 ASSA (Chicago), Stanford Institute of Theoretical Economics, George Mason University, Claremont McKenna College, University of South California, Southern Economic Association Meeting (Washington DC), Suffolk University, Sungkyunkwan University, Hanyang University, KAEA-KEA conference (Seoul), NBER Japan Conference (Tokyo), Cowles Foundation Summer Conference (Yale)

2010 - 2011 UC-Irvine, NBER Market Design (Boston), Maryland Population Research Center, University of Tokyo, Hitotsubashi University, PAA- Economic Demography Workshop (Washington DC), Sogang University, The Osaka Economic Workshop (Tokyo), Society of Labor Economists (Vancouver), The 2011 Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society (Seoul), Workshop on Empirical Analysis of Family Economics (Denmark), Korea University, University of Maryland

2009 - 2010 ASSA (Atlanta), New York University, Rand Corporation, George Washington University, World Bank, Aarhus, Free University of Berlin, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Society of Economic Dynamics (Montreal), Annual Meeting of Population Association of America (discussant, Dallas), New Directions in Applied Microeconomics (Florence), Seoul Summer Economics Conference, International Symposium on Econometric Theory in Honor of Takeshi Amemiya's Contribution to Econometrics (Shanghai), Econometric Society World Congress (Shanghai)

2008 - 2009 MIT, New York Fed, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, George Washington University, Florida International University, Seoul National University, Yonsei University, University of Tokyo, Collegio Carlo Alberto, Bocconi, Seoul Summer Economics Conference, American Economic Association (San Francisco), Society of Labor Economists (Boston), Society of Economic Dynamics Meeting (Boston), IZA Trans-Atlantic Meeting (Ammersee, Germany)

2007 - 2008 Cornell, Harvard Business School, Penn State University, Rand Corporation, University of Maryland, University of Minnesota, National University of Singapore, Singapore Management University, Korea Economic Research Institute, Peking University, Tsinghua University, Korea University

Teaching

Principles of Economics

- Undergraduate, Sogang University: Spring 2016, Spring 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2018

Development Economics

- Undergraduate, Sogang University: Spring 2016, Spring 2017, Fall 2018
- Graduate, Sogang University: Spring 2018

Applied Econometrics

- Undergraduate, Sogang University: Fall 2016
- Graduate, University of Maryland: Spring 2014
- Graduate, Seoul National University: Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Spring 2022, Fall 2022
- Undergraduate & Graduate, Hitotsubashi University: Winter 2012/2013

Statistics

- Undergraduate, Sogang University: Fall 2019
- Graduate, Seoul National University: Fall 2021, Spring 2022

Labor Economics

- Graduate, Seoul National University: Spring 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021
- Graduate, Sogang University: Fall 2016, Fall 2017, Fall 2019
- Graduate, University of Maryland: Spring 2009, Spring 2010, Spring 2011, Spring 2015
- Undergraduate, University of Maryland: Spring 2009, Fall 2010, Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Spring 2015

Media Coverage and Popular Writings

Interviews with *SE Daily*, July 20, 2022

on Evidence-based Policy Making, [link1](#)

on Education Reforms, [link2](#)

"Foreign Acquisition of Real Estates: Trends and Implications"

cited in *Maekyung*, November 30, 2021, [link](#)

cited in *Hankook*, November 24, 2021, [link](#)

cited in *Huffingtonpost*, November 25, 2021, [link](#)

"Covid-19 and Inequality in Access to Educational Services"

interviews with *Joongang*, November 19, 2021, [link](#)

Kukminilbo and *ETNews*, November 16, 2021, [link1](#), [link2](#)

"Effective Job Search for Young Adults in Korea"

- interviews with *SNU news*, September 6, 2021, [link](#)
- "Consumption Response to Seoul's COVID-19 Shopping Coupons: Evidence from Consumer Data"
cited in *Hankyoreh*, August 27, 2021, [link](#)
- Impact of the Covid-19 on Jobs in South Korea, *ChosunBiz*, October 7, 2020, [link](#)
- King Sejong and the 2019 Nobel laureates in Economics
contribution to *Changbi Weekly*, October 23, 2019, [link](#)
- "Dynamics and Determinants of the Gender Gap in Math Test Scores"
cited in *KBS news, MBC news, Maekyung, Yeonhap, Segye*, June 6, 2019
[link1](#), [link2](#), [link3](#), [link4](#), [link5](#),
cited in *Joongang*, December 8, 2019, [link6](#)
- Girls and Boys: Economic Crisis, Fertility and Birth Outcomes,
cited in *Joongang Sunday*, December 30, 2018, [link](#)
- Current Status of the South Korean Labor Market,
Interview with *ChosunBiz*, May 29, 2018, [link](#)
- "Price Response to the Announcement of Building Public Housing Clusters",
cited in *Yeonhapnews*, October 23, 2017, [link](#)
cited in *Maekyung*, October 23, 2017, [link](#)
- Interviews for the 6th *Dasan* Young Economist Award
cited in *Hankyung*, October 12-13, 2017, [link1](#), [link2](#), [link3](#)
- Monthly contributions to *Joongang Sunday*: April - October, 2017
- "Smart" policy making, October 15, 2017, [link](#)
 - The era of Big Data and public policies, September 3, 2017, [link](#)
 - Low fertility rates, July 30, 2017, [link](#)
 - "Blind review" in recruiting, June 25, 2017, [link](#)
 - Labor market rigidity, May 21, 2017, [link](#)
 - Evidence-based policy, April 15, 2017, [link](#)
- "Did the Great Recession Affect Sex Ratios at Birth for Groups with a Son Preference?"
cited in *Quartz*, April 21, 2017, [link](#)
- "Brides for Sale: Cross-Border Marriages and Female Immigration"
cited in *Marginal Revolution*, October 29, 2016, [link](#)
cited in *Foreign Policy*, March 26, 2015, [link](#)
- South Korea's Role in International Development Aids, *Maeil Kyungjae Shinmun (MK)*, March 9, 2016, [link](#)
- "Prominent Korean Economists under 50" Interview Series, *ChosunBiz*, January 14, 2016, [link](#)
- 2016 KAEA Young Economics Award Interview in *Maeil Kyungjae Shinmun (MK)*, January 5, 2016, [link](#)
- "All or Nothing? The Impact of Gender Composition on Effort and Academic Achievement"

cited in *FiveThirtyEight*, December 8, 2014, [link](#)

"Do Single-Sex Schools Make Girls More Competitive?"

cited in *Pacific Standard*, September 22, 2014, [link](#)

"New Development in Economics" in *Chosun Business Weekly*, January 2014, [link](#)

"Market Design: How might the U.S. experience be relevant for Korea?" (discussant at the 2013 Seoul Global Finance Conference), *Hankyung TV, Hankyung*, April 2013

Use of "Market Design" in South Korea (interview with Alvin Roth, 2012 Nobel Prize Winner) in *Seoul KyungJae, Joongang Ilbo, Joongang Sunday, Korea International Tribune*, October 2012

"Propose with a Rose? Signaling in Internet Dating Markets"

cited in *Wall Street Journal*, February 8, 2016, [link](#),

cited in *Quartz* January 17, 2014, [link](#),

cited in *Slate*, February 13, 2012. [link](#),

cited in *Freakonomics*, August 26, 2011 [link](#)

"The Competition for Brides in East Asia," *SERI Quarterly*, October 2011

"Plastic Surgery: Investment in Human Capital or Consumption?"

cited in *USA Today*, March 30, 2011 [link](#)

cited in *Joongang, Donga, Hankook, Hankyung, Korea Herald, and Yonhapnews*, July 20, 2010

"Marriage and Online Mate-Search Services"

cited in *Korea Joongang Daily - International Herald Tribune*, December 17, 2007 [link](#)

Professional Activities

Public Service: *Ministry of Finance, South Korea (2018-present), Financial Services Committee, South Korea (2016-2018, 2021-2023), Korea Deposit Insurance Corporation (2022), Presidential Committee for National Cohesion, South Korea (2022-2023), Bank of Korea (2023-present), Korea Insurance Research Institute (2024-present)*

Board member: *Korean Economic Association (2019-2021, 2022-present), Korean International Economic Association (2019-2020), Korean Female Economist Association (2019-2020), Asian & Australasian Society of Labour Economics (AASLE, 2020-2023, 2023-2026), Geje University (2024-present)*

Editorial Board: *Korea Review of Applied Econometrics, Korean Journal of Economic Studies, Journal of Women and Economics, Korean Journal of Law and Economics, International Economic Journal*

Referee for: *American Economic Review, Econometrica, Review of Economic Studies, Quarterly Journal of Economics, American Economic Journal – Economic Policy, American Economic Journal – Microeconomics, International Economic Review, Review of Economics and Statistics, Journal of Econometrics, Journal of Applied Econometrics, Economic Journal, Journal of Human Resources, Journal of Development Economics, Journal of Public Economics, Management Science, Journal of Comparative Economics, Journal of European Economic Association, Economic Inquiry, Canadian Journal of Economics, Macroeconomics Dynamics, Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization, Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Economics of Education Re-*

view, Experimental Economics, Journal of Human Capital, PNAS, Demography, Applied Economics, European Economic Review, Labour Economics, Journal of Experimental & Theoretical Artificial Intelligence, Economica, Oxford Bulletin of Economics and Statistics, IZA Journal of Labor Policy, Southern Economic Journal, Review of Economics of the Household, B.E. Journal of Economic Analysis and Policy, Journal of Family Issues, Feminist Economics, Demographic Research, Singapore Economic Review, Social Science Japan Journal, Canadian Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, BMJ Open, Contemporary Economic Policy, Asian Pacific Journal of Education, Social Inclusion, Journal of Research on Educational Effectiveness, Management Science, Journal of Asian Economics, Economic Systems

Conference organization: Asian Meeting of the Econometric Society (2018, Program Committee, Seoul) Seoul Summer Economics Conference (2009, 2010, jointly with Keunkwan Ryu, Seoul National University)

Department/University service: SNU Longterm Strategy Taskforce (2021), SNU Performance Assessment Taskforce (2020), Supervisor of the PhD program (2020-2022), Graduate student admission committee (2013-2015), Junior faculty recruiting committee (2008-2011), Media communication committee (2009-2011)

Student Advising

Graduate students: Juha Park (2024, Lotte Department MD), Kyung Hyun Kim (2023, BASF Korea), Jae Kyung Kim (2023, Credit Agricole), Yoojin Bin (2022, Counterpoint Research), Yurnur Nurlan (2022), Daniel Bensley (2022, LIQID Asset Management, Germany), Joohee Kim (2022, Samil-PWC), Myung Jin Chung (2021, Arirang TV), Eujin Lee (2021, STAN KOREA), Seulgi Lim (2020, National Assembly Budget Office), Daeun Jeong (2019, NICE Information Service), Jihye Kam (2018, Harbin Institute of Technology, Shenzhen), Hyunji Lee (2018, *BigValue*, then *Zigbang*), Ricardo Espinoza (2017, OECD), Hector Lopez (2016, Rivada Networks), Geunyoung Kim (2016, MA), Keonwoo Kim (2015, KITA), Miguel Sarzosa (2015, Purdue University), Maria Prada (2014, IADB), Jing Zhang (2011, Renmin University), Sheri Pruitt (2011, FDA)

Undergraduate students: Minhyuk Nam (2022, PhD program, Canegie Mellon), Alva Markelius (2022, MA program, Cambridge University: AI Ethics and Society), Juha Park (2022, US Embassy in Seoul, then GSIS), Wonmoon Lee (2017, Korea Investment Corporation), Heesun Yoo (2017, PhD program, Vanderbilt), Saeyoung Jong (2016, KDI school, then KPMG), Younggun Na (2016, data analyst & product developer, Onion5), Pulasthi Amarasinghe (2015, PhD program, AREG, University of Iowa), Meryem Demirkaya (2014, UMD Applied Economics), Yusuf Salloum (2011, Analysis group, then Univ Michigan Law School)