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Education

- Ph.D. Candidate Political Science, University of Minnesota, 2019-Current.
 - Subfields: International Relations, Methodology
 - Dissertation: *Cities' Engagement in Global Climate Change Politics*
 - Committee: Tanisha Fazal (chair), Gabriel Chan, Jessica Hellmann, James Hollyer, Andrew Karch
- M.A. Political Science and International Relations, Korea University, 2019.
- B.A. Political Science and International Relations, Korea University, 2017.

Research Interests

Urban Politics, Climate Change, Collective Action, Transnational Municipal Networks
Human Rights, Political Apology, Collective Emotion, Reconciliation

Selected Working Papers

- "Nationally Determined Contributions to the 2015 Paris Climate Accord", co-authoring with Tanisha Fazal and Maria Sanchez.
- "Reflecting on the Future of Global Urban Climate Governance", co-authoring with Marielle Papin, Devon Cantwell-Chavez, Nadezhda Filiminova, Milja Heikkinen, José Manuel Leal, Emma Lecavalier, Gaea Patrice Morales, Anne Bach Nielsen, Lauri Peterson, and Ira Shefer.
- "Selective Tendency of Targets of Political Apology: Collective Shame vs. Collective Guilt", co-authoring with Jiyeon Kim.

Conference Presentation History

- "Cities' Commitment to Environmental Transnational Municipal Networks", presented at the 80th Annual MPSA Conference in Chicago, Illinois, United States, April 13-16, 2023.
- "Selective Tendency of Targets of Political Apology: Collective Shame vs. Collective Guilt", presented at the 80th Annual MPSA Conference in Chicago, Illinois, United States, April 13-16, 2023.
- "Cities' Commitment to Environmental Transnational Municipal Networks", presented at the 64th ISA Annual Convention in Montréal, Québec, Canada, March 15-18, 2023.
- "Seeking Apology for Children of War: Case Studies on Lebensborn and Lai Dai Han", presented at the 63rd ISA Annual Convention in Nashville, Tennessee, United States, March 28-April 2, 2022.

“Diffusion of the Air Defense Identification Zone: Same Diffusion, Different Mechanisms”, presented at the 2021 IS-ISSS Joint Annual Conference, Bloomington, Indiana, United States, November 12-14, 2021.

“The Conditions of States’ Conforming to the Derogation Clauses in International Human Rights Treaties”, presented at the 2019 World Congress for Korean Politics and Society, The Korean Political Science Association, Konkuk University, Seoul, Korea, 2019.

“Determinants of State Repression”, presented at the Social Science Korea Networking Conference, E-Symposium, Seoul, Korea, 2017.

Grants, Honors, and Awards

College of Liberal Arts Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship (CLA DDF), \$12,500, Granted by the University of Minnesota, 2023-2024.

Duvall Fellowship in International Relations, \$2,500, Granted by the University of Minnesota, Summer 2023.

Claggett Graduate Research Fellowship, \$2,010, Granted by the University of Minnesota, Summer 2023.

Travel Grants for Conference Presentation, \$1,000, Granted by the University of Minnesota, 2023.

Graduate Research Partnership Program Fellowship (GRPP), \$4,000, Granted by the University of Minnesota, Summer 2022.

Claggett Graduate Research Fellowship, \$3,000, Granted by the University of Minnesota, Summer 2022.

Travel Grants for Conference Presentation, \$400, Granted by the University of Minnesota, 2022.

Travel Grants for Conference Presentation, \$400, Granted by the University of Minnesota, 2021.

College of Liberal Arts Graduate Fellowship (CLAGF), \$21,000, Granted by the University of Minnesota, 2019-2020.

Research Assistant Scholarships, Granted by Korea University, 2018.

General Scholarships, Granted by Korea University, 2017.

Outstanding New Student Scholarship, Granted by Korea University, 2017.

Research Assistant Fellowship, Granted by Social Science Korea Human Rights Forum, 2017-2019.

Honors Scholarships, Granted by Korea University, 2013.

Research Experience

Research Associate, Professor Hun Joon Kim, Social Science Korea Human Rights Forum, 2017-2019.

Research Assistant, Professor Hun Joon Kim, Korea University, 2018.

Researcher, International Council for Environmental Initiatives (ICLEI) Korea Office, 2023.

Teaching Experience

Teaching Assistant

POL 3309 U.S. Supreme Court Decision-Making, Process, and Politics, Professor Timothy Johnson, Spring 2023.

POL 1026 U.S. Foreign Policy, Professor Tracey Blasenheim, Fall 2022.

POL 3423 Politics of Disruption: Violence and Its Alternatives, Professor Anoop Sarbahi, Fall 2022.

POL 3835 International Relations, Professor Cosette Creamer, Spring 2021, Spring 2022

POL 3235 Democracy and Citizenship, Professor Anuja Bose, Fall 2021

POL 1025 Global Politics, Professor Tanisha Fazal, Fall 2020

Professional Development

Completion of the Fundamentals of Disability Accommodations and Inclusive Course Design, Spring 2023.

Completion of the Teaching with Access & Inclusion Program, Fall 2022.

Invited Lecture on "The Political Economy of Climate", in POL 3835 International Relations, April 2022.

Practicum in University Teaching for Nonnative English Speakers, Fall 2021.

Completion of the Teaching Assistant and Postdoc Professional Development Program, Fall 2021.

Certificate of Dedication to Student Learning, Fall 2020.

Service

Memberships

International Studies Association

Midwest Political Science Association

Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) Korea Chair

2023 NextGen Young Leader, The 3.0: The Next Generation of the U.S.- ROK Alliance, with support from the U.S. Embassy Seoul and State Department, 2023

University of Minnesota

Graduate Student Representative on Harold E. Stassen Chair in World Peace Faculty Search Committee, Fall 2022-Spring 2023

Graduate Student Representative on Political Science Graduate Program Coordinator (GPC) Search Committee, Summer 2022

Coordinator, Minnesota International Relations Colloquium, 2020-2021

United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)

Virtual-only observer in Bonn Climate Conference (SB58), June 5-15, 2023

International Council for Environmental Initiatives (ICLEI) Korea Office

Virtual-only observer in Global Covenant of Mayors (GCoM) East Asia Regional Conference, April 18-19, 2023

Researcher, June 2023 - August 2023.

United Nations Disaster Risk Reduction (UNDRR) Office for Northeast Asia and Global Education and Training Institute (ONEA & GETI)

Trainee of “Making Cities Resilient and Tools for Urban Resilience for Public and Private Sectors”, Incheon, South Korea, August 15-16, 2023.

Language and Software Proficiencies

Korean (native), English (advanced), Japanese (beginner)

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References

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