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EDUCATION

University of Texas at Austin, Ph.D., 2004
Seoul National University, M.A., 1999
Seoul National University, B.A., 1996

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Academic Positions	
2016-present	Professor of Economics, Seoul National University, Seoul, South Korea
2010-2016	Associate Professor of Economics, Sogang University, Seoul, South Korea
2007-2010	Assistant Professor of Economics, Florida International University, Miami
2004-2007	Assistant Professor of Economics, University of Arkansas at Fayetteville

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Labor Economics, Applied Micro, Law & Economics, Experimental Economics

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND SERVICES

Co-editor, Korean Economic Review, 2016-present
Co-editor, Korean Journal of Applied Economics, 2016-present
Editorial Board, Korea and the World Economy, 2011-2017
Editor, Korean Journal of Labor Economics, 2014-2016

PUBLICATIONS

[51] Price Discrimination by Language: Evidence from a Field Experiment (with Sangkon Park). Accepted at *International Journal of Industrial Organization*

[50] The Labor Supply Effect of the Earned Income Tax Credit: Evidence from Korea (with Jihye Park) Accepted at *Korean Journal of Labor Economics*

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- [45] The Labor Market in South Korea, 2000-2016, *IZA World of Labor*, 2017: 405.
- [44] The Effects of the Minimum Wage on Wage Distribution in Korea (with Seungjin Hwang). *Analysis of the Korean Economy*, 2018 (in Korean).
- [43] Cognitive Ability and Economic Outcomes of North Korean Refugees (with Byung-Yeon Kim). *Korean Journal of Economic Research*, 2018, (in Korean).
- [42] Optimal Aggregation of Consumer Ratings: An Application to Yelp.com (with Daisy Dai, Ginger Jin and Michael Luca). NBER Working Paper No. 18567. *Quantitative Marketing and Economics*, 2018.
- [41] Do Institutions Affect Social Preferences? (with Byung-Yeon Kim, Syngjoo Choi, Sokbae Lee and Kyunghui Choi). Forthcoming at *Journal of Comparative Economics*.
- [40] Gender Peer Effects: Evidence from the Transition from Single-Sex to Coeducational Schools (with Hye Yeon Park). Forthcoming at *Seoul Journal of Economics*.
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- [37] Does Labor Legislation Benefit Workers? (with Daniel Hamermesh and Daiji Kawaguchi), *Journal of the Japanese and International Economies*, June 2017, Volume 33, pp. 1-12.
- [36] Who is Sitting Next to You? Peer Effects inside the Classroom (with Sok Chul Hong). *Quantitative Economics*, March 2017, Volume 8, Issue 1, pp. 239-275.
- [35] Charitable Giving, Suggestion, and Learning from Others: Pay What You Want or Pay What Experiment at a Coffee Shop (with Sangkon Park and Sohyun Nam). *Journal of Behavioral and Experimental Economics*, Volume 66, February 2017, pp. 16-22 (a special issue on Experiments in Charitable Giving edited by John A. List, Michael K. Price and Anya Samek).
- [34] Short-term Forecasting of Japanese Tourist Inflow to South Korea using Google Trends Data (with Sangkon Park and Wonho Song). *Journal of Travel & Tourism Marketing*, Volume 34, Issue 3, 2017.
- [33] Can Working Hour Reduction Save Workers? (with Yong-Kwan Lee). *Labour Economics*, June 2016, Volume 40, pp. 25-36.

[32] The Impact of Minimum Wages on Employment in Korea (with Seungjin Hwang). *Korean Journal of Labor Economics*, June 2016 (in Korean). Awarded the 2016 Best Paper of Korean Journal of Labor Economics.

[31] Win at All Costs or Lose Gracefully in High-Stakes Competition? Gender Differences in Professional Tennis (with Nejat Anbarci and Aydogan Ulker). *Journal of Sports Economics*, May 2016, 17, pp. 323-353.

[30] People on the Verge of Death: Evidence from Impacts of Celebrity Suicides (with Sok Chul Hong). *Applied Economics*, Volume 47, Issue 7, 2015, pp. 710-724.

[29] Are Subjects Making Financial Decisions in Lab Auctions or Are They Just Gambling (with Cary Deck and Javier Reyes). *Applied Economics Letters*, Volume 22, Issue 3, 2015, pp. 18-23.

[28] Inspection Technology, Detection and Compliance: Evidence from Florida Restaurant Inspection (with Ginger Jin). *RAND Journal of Economics*, Volume 45, Issue 4, December 2014, pp. 885-917.

[27] Debt Relief Program by the National Happiness Fund: Outcomes and Suggestions for Improvement (with Joo-Ha Nam, Jungsoo Park and Sok Chul Hong), *KAMCO's Review on Finance & National Assets*, Volume 1, Issue 3, September 2014, pp. 1-37 (in Korean).

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[24] A Study on the Validity of New Debt Relief Program by the National Happiness Fund (with Joo-Ha Nam, Jungsoo Park and Sok Chul Hong), *Korean Journal of Applied Economics*, Volume 16, Issue 2, September 2014, pp. 5-31 (in Korean).

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[22] Investing versus Gambling: Experimental Evidence of Multi-Domain Risk Attitudes (with Cary Deck and Javier Reyes). *Applied Economics Letters*. January 2014, Volume 21, Issue 1, pp. 19-23.

[21] A Gift of Time (with Daiji Kawaguchi and Daniel Hamermesh). *Labour Economics*. October 2013, Volume 24, pp. 205-216.

[20] Evaluating Performance of the 30/50 Program in Korea (with Hong-Kyun Kim, Kang-Oh Yi, Yoonsoo Lee, Jung Hur, and Sung Shin Hong). *Environmental and Resource Economics Review*. September 2013, Volume 22, No. 3, pp. 481-498 (in Korean).

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[18] The Impact of A Mandatory Cooling-off Period on Divorce. *Journal of Law & Economics*, February 2013, Volume 56, Issue 1, pp. 227-243.

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[16] Estimating Risk Aversion from Individual-Level Survey Data (with Albert Young-II Kim). *Korean Economic Review*. December 2012, Volume 28, No. 2, pp. 221-239.

[15] Risk Taking Behavior: An Experimental Analysis of Individuals and Pairs (with Cary Deck, Javier Reyes, and Christopher Rosen). *Southern Economic Journal*. October 2012, Volume 79, Issue 2, pp. 277-299.

[14] Alternative Paths to Parenthood: IVF or Child Adoption? (with Gulcin Gumus). *Economic Inquiry*, Volume 50, Issue 3, July 2012, pp. 802-820.

[13] Aggregate Impacts of a Gift of Time (with Daiji Kawaguchi and Daniel Hamermesh). *American Economic Review, Papers & Proceedings*, May, 2012, Volume 102, Issue 3, pp. 612-616.

[12] Does It Matter Who Responded to the Survey: Trends in the U.S. Gender Earnings Gap Revisited (with Simon Sokbae Lee), *Industrial and Labor Relations Review*, Volume 65, Number 1, 2012.

[11] Population and Income Sensitivity of Private and Public Weather Forecasting (with Nejat Anbarci, John Boyd III, Eric Floehr, and Joon Jin Song), *Regional Science and Urban Economics*, Volume 41, Issue 2, March 2011, pp. 124-133. * Cited in Harvard Business Review.

[10] Household-Level Education Borrowing Constraints: Evidence Using the College Attendance of the Sisters of Vietnam Draft Avoiders (with Andrew Horowitz and Julie Trivitt), *Journal of Human Capital*, Volume 3, Number 3 (lead article), 2009, pp. 197-223.

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[8] Risk Attitudes in Large Stake Gambles: Evidence from a Game Show (with Cary Deck and Javier Reyes). *Applied Economics*, Volume 40, Issue 1, 2008, pp. 41-52.

[7] Sibling Size and Investment in Children's Education: An Asian Instrument. *Journal of Population Economics*, Volume 21, Issue 4, 2008, pp. 855-875. * Cited in T. Paul Schultz (2008) Population Policies, Fertility, Women's Human Capital, and Child Quality in Handbook of Development Economics, Volume 4.

[6] Outlier Aversion in Subjective Evaluation: Evidence from World Figure Skating Championships. *Journal of Sports Economics*, Volume 9, Number 2, 2008, pp. 141-159.

[5] Stressed Out on Four Continents: Time Crunch or Yuppie Kvetch? (with Daniel Hamermesh). *Review of Economics and Statistics*, Volume 89, Number 2, 2007, pp. 374-383. * Cited in The Economist December 20 "In Search of Lost Time: Why Is Everyone So Busy", 2014. Also cited in New York Times, Wall Street Journal, Newsweek, Washington Post, Sidney Morning Herald, The Age, Globe and Mail, etc.

[4] Marriage, Sharing Rule, and Pocket Money: The Case of Korea. *Economic Development and Cultural Change*, Volume 55, Issue 3, 2007, pp. 557-582.

[3] Intrahousehold Allocation of Financial Resources: Evidence from South Korean Individual Bank Accounts (with Mark Pocock). *Review of Economics of the Household*, Volume 5, Number 1, 2007, pp. 41-

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[2] Sex Preferences and Fertility in South Korea during the Year of the Horse (with Myungho Paik). *Demography*, Volume 43, Number 2, 2006, pp. 269-292. * Cited in Washington Post.

[1] Marriage, Female Labor Supply, and Asian Zodiac. *Economics Letters*, Volume 87, Issue 3, 2005, pp. 428-432.

WORKING PAPERS

Can Employment Subsidies Save Jobs? Evidence from the Synthetic Control Method (with Hyejin Kim)
R&R at *Labour Economics*

Delegation and Public Pressure in a Threshold Public Good Game (with Doruk Iris and Alessandro Tavoni)
R&R at *Environmental and Resource Economics*

Do Single-Sex School Advantages Exist? (with Yoonsoo Park)

Minimum Wages, Employment and Business Closing (with Geumbi Park)

Home Alone or Together (with Yong-Kwan Lee)

It's in Your Genes: How Genes Explain Alcohol Consumption and Labor-Market Outcomes (with Daiji Kawaguchi and Izumi Yokoyama)

Probability Weighting and Cognitive Ability (with Syngjoo Choi, Jeongbin Kim and Eungik Lee)

The Deficiency of Competitiveness: Experimental Evidence from Three Korean Groups (with Byung-Yeon Kim, Syngjoo Choi, and Sokbae Lee).

Does Single Motherhood Hurt Infant Health among Young Mothers? (with Albert Young-II Kim)

Drinking through Good Times and Bad Times (with Hailey Hayeon Joo and Minki Kim)

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