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EDUCATION

Georgia State University, Atlanta GA 2022 – 2027 (*expected*)

Ph.D. Candidate in Economics

Fields: Economics of Education, Labor Economics

Dissertation Committee: Dr. Jonathan Smith (Chair), Dr. Seth Gershenson,
Dr. Benjamin Marx, Dr. Tim Sass

Dong-A University, Republic of Korea 2022

B.A. in Economics & Minor in Mathematics

Study Abroad, University of Hertfordshire, England, UK (2019)

WORKING PAPER

- [JMP] Sibling Spillovers of Georgia's HOPE Scholarship
- The Role of Georgia's HOPE Scholarship on College Enrollment, Persistence, and Completion
- Gun Violence in School and Teacher Turnover
- Full-Day Kindergarten Mandates and Child Maltreatment (with Yu-Ting Huang)

WORK IN PROGRESS

- The Evaluation of Attendance Recovery Bus Pilot on Chronic Absenteeism (with Tim R. Sass)
- Early Childhood Education, Childlessness, and Fertility (with Yu-Ting Huang)
- Non-Structural Student Mobility: Patterns of Mobility and Student Outcomes (with Kevin Fortner and Natalie Pruitt)
- Non-Structural Student Mobility and Long-Term Outcomes (with Kevin Fortner and Natalie Pruitt)

PUBLICATION

Policy Report

- Attendance Recovery Bus Pilot (with Tim R. Sass), 2025. *Georgia Policy Labs*.
[Policy Report](#)
- School Climate and Student Attendance in Fulton County Schools, 2025. *Georgia Policy Labs*.
[Policy Report](#), Harvard SDP

Pre-Doctoral Publication

- Relationship between Home Ownership and Political Orientation (with Daehwan Kim), 2021. *Korean Real Estate Review. in Korean*
- A Study on the Global Expansion of Companies and the Employment of Women (with Daehwan Kim), 2021. *The Women's Studies. in Korean*

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Georgia Policy Labs

Research Assistant in Metro Atlanta Policy Labs for Education (MAPLE) 2022–2026

Georgia State University

Research Assistant to Dr. Tim R. Sass 2022–2025

Research Assistant to Dr. Elaine Liu 2025–2026

Dong-A University

Undergraduate Research Assistant to Dr. Daehwan Kim 2020-2021

Undergraduate Research Assistant to Dr. Daehwan Kim & Dr. Seong-Dong Son 2022

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor of Record, Georgia State University

- ECON 4300: Economics of Cities *Fall 2025*
Class Size: 37; Teaching Evaluation: 4.7/5.0
- ECON 2105: Principles of Macroeconomics *Summer 2025*
Class Size: 80; Teaching Evaluation: 4.6/5.0

AWARDS & FUNDINGS

Second Century Initiative (2CI) Fellow, GSU (\$22,000/year) 2022–2026

Mark and Mary Kassis Economic Excell, GSU (\$2,275) 2026

E.D. (Jack) Dunn Fellowship and Research Fund, GSU (\$1,154) 2024, 2025

W.J. Usery Chair Research Fund, GSU (\$4,024) 2024

W.J. Usery Chair Travel Fund, GSU 2024, 2025

Merit-Based Academic Scholarship, Dong-A University 2017–2020

CONFERENCES & SEMINARS (scheduled *)

- 2026 Association for Education Finance & Policy, Chicago IL (Presenter & Ambassador)
Midwest Economics Association, Chicago IL (Presenter & Discussant)
Public Policy and Child Well-being, Atlanta GA (Non presenting co-author)
GSU Graduate Conference for Research, Atlanta GA (Presenter)
- 2025 Southern Economic Association, Tampa FL (Presenter)
Association for Public Policy Analysis & Management, Seattle WA (Presenter)
Harvard University Strategic Data Project, Boston MA (Presenter)
Association for Education Finance & Policy, Washington DC (Poster Presenter)
- 2024 Association for Education Finance & Policy, Baltimore MD (Presenter)
- 2023 Georgia Policy Labs Summit 2023, Atlanta, GA (Presenter)
- 2022 Winter Conference at Korean Insurance Academic Society, Online (Presenter)

SKILLS

Programming: STATA, R, Python, LaTeX

Languages: English (fluent), Korean (native)

Citizenship: Republic of Korea (F1 STEM)

REFERENCES

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