

CURRICULUM VITAE (Updated March, 2026)

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Professor (Tenured Full Professor), Graduate School of International Studies (2021-Present)
Chair, Graduate Department of International Studies (2024-Present)
Ewha Womans University, Seoul, Korea <http://gsis.ewha.ac.kr/>

Personal

Date of Birth: February 23, 1977 / Nationality: Korean
Languages: Korean (Native), English (Fluent), Japanese (Intermediate)

Past Position

Chair, Undergraduate Major in International Development Cooperation (2015-2025)

Director (2021 – 2023), Institute for Development and Human Security, Ewha University

Director, Cambodia Development Institute, Phnom Penh, Cambodia (2012-2018)
<http://cdicambodia.org/>

Associate Professor (2016 – 2021) & Assistant Professor (2012 – 2016)
Graduate School of International Studies, Ewha University, Seoul, Korea

Associate Professor (2011-2012) & Assistant Professor (2009-2011)
Graduate School of International Relations, International University of Japan, Niigata, Japan

Education

B.A. in English and Sociology, Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea, 2002
M.A. in Development Studies, Brown University, Providence, RI, USA, 2004
Ph.D. in Regional Science (Economics focused), Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, USA, 2009

Ph.D. Dissertation

Title: Industrial Development and Regional Inequality: Theory and Korean Economy
Supervisor: Kaushik Basu (Department of Economics, Former Chief Economic Adviser to the Indian Government and Senior Vice President of World Bank)

Research and Teaching Interest

Economic Development, International Trade, Microeconomics, Development Cooperation

Experience

Consultant for *World Development Report 2009*, World Bank, Washington DC, 2008
Visiting Scholar, Center for Asian Studies, University of Colorado at Boulder, USA 2016-2017
Consultant for *Countries with Special Needs Development Report 2018*, UNESCAP, Thailand, 2017
Consultant for KOICA PBA & RBA studies, Rwanda and Tanzania, 2018-2019
Visiting Professor, Rikkyo University, Tokyo, Japan, 2020, 2021, 2025

Consultant for *Positioning Africa to Claim the 21st Century*, World Bank, Washington DC, 2021
Program Manager, Ewha-Rikkyo Joint Seminar (the Korean NRF and the Japanese JSPS), 2022
Visiting Scholar, Department of Economics, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, USA 2023

Awards

Recognition, *Outstanding Teaching Record*, Department of Economics, Cornell University, 2008, 2009
Best E-Class, Ewha Womans University, Seoul, Korea, 2015
Blue Ribbon Best Course, K-MOOC: Poverty, Inequality, and Development Cooperation, 2024

Courses Taught

Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, 2006-2009 (TA sections)

Intro. Microeconomics (Jennifer Wissink), Fall 2006. Evaluation: 4.15/5.0
Intro. Microeconomics (Robert Frank), Spring 2007. Evaluation: 4.35/5.0
Intermediate Microeconomics (Jennifer Wissink), Fall 2007. Evaluation: 4.75/5.0
Intro. Microeconomics (Richard Schuler), Spring 2008. Evaluation: 4.63/5.0
Intro. Macroeconomics (Steve Kyle), Fall 2008. Evaluation: 4.83/5.0 (*Recognized: Outstanding*)
Intermed. Microeconomics (Talia Bar), Spring 2009. Evaluation: 4.78/5.0 (*Recognized: Outstanding*)

State University of New York, Cortland, NY, 2008

Principles of Microeconomics, Spring 2008. Evaluation: 4.35/5.0

International University of Japan, Niigata, Japan, 2009-2012 & 2023

International Trade, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012; Microeconomics, 2010, 2011, 2012
Economic Geography, 2010, 2011, 2012
Seminar: Poverty Inequality, and Development Cooperation, 2023
General Equilibrium: Theory and Practice, 2023

Ewha Womans University, Seoul, Korea, 2012-present

International Economics, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2024
Advanced Statistical Analysis, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2018, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2024
Quantitative Analysis, 2013; Economic Analysis, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018
Introduction to Economics, 2014, 2018; International Trade, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019
Microeconomics, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2024
Advanced Topics in International Economy, 2016, 2017, 2020
Understanding International Development (in Korean), 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022
Trade and Development, 2020; Special Topics in Development, 2021, 2022
International Economic Development, 2024, 2025

Rikkyo University, Tokyo, Japan, 2020, 2025

Inequality and Poverty, 2020, 2025 International Trade, 2020

E-School and Open Online Courses

International Economics, 2016-present <http://kocw.net/home/search/kemView.do?kemId=1270330>

Microeconomics, 2018-present <http://kocw.net/home/search/kemView.do?kemId=1271367>
K-MOOC: Poverty, Inequality, and Development Cooperation, 2022-present (Exported to J-MOOC)
<https://www.kmooc.kr/view/course/detail/16935?tm=20251206115450>
Development Cooperation and South Korea (Goethe University, Frankfurt, Germany), 2020

Thesis Supervised (Main Supervisor)

International University of Japan, 2009-2012

Le Tuan Anh, Vietnam, 2010	Dian Fachroni, Indonesia, 2011
Diah Bunda, Indonesia, 2010	Rokhmawan, Indonesia, 2011
Akio Kusakabe, Japan, 2010	Ei Zin Oo, Myanmar, 2012
Orgilbold Tumuurbaatar, Mongolia, 2010	Khin Mya Mya Htway, Myanmar, 2012
Robin Jong, East Timor, 2010	Jin Suyan, China, 2012
Hilmi Arifin, Indonesia, 2010	Laxmi Prasai, Nepal, 2012
Sri Anita, Indonesia, 2010	Bekzod Yuldashev, Uzbekistan, 2012
Ou Rong, China, 2011	Siswadi, Indonesia, 2012
Nwe Nwe Oo, Myanmar, 2011	Ari Sristyowati, Indonesia, 2012
Rashedur Sadar, Bangladesh, 2011	Fadly, Indonesia, 2012
Kyi Cin Thant, Myanmar, 2011	Rudianto, Indonesia, 2012
Heru Sulistyono, Indonesia, 2011	

Ewha Womans University, 2012-present

Maritza Elizabeth Vermeo, Peru, 2013	Htay Htay Htun, Myanmar, 2014
Rachel Syengo, Kenya, 2013	Dilla Trianti, Indonesia, 2014
Goma Chemjong, Nepal, 2013	Khin Ohnmar, Myanmar, 2015
Qianxi Wu, China, 2014	Sonom Dulguun, Mongolia, 2015
Salma Gebril, Egypt, 2014	Fatema Jahan, Bangladesh, 2016
Sothevy Mom, Cambodia, 2017	Nadine Mujinga, DR Congo, 2018
Rachael Lola, DR Congo, 2019	Khue Doan, Vietnam, 2021
Yi Young Chu, Korea, 2021	Hyeji Jang, Korea, 2022
Soowon Choi, Korea, 2022	Zoljargal Munkhsaikhan, Mongolia, 2022
Shurenchimeg Davaasambuu, 2024	Olivia Da Costa Alves Barreto, 2025
Xu Rui, 2025	Heo Sol, 2025

Services

Faculty-led Study Abroad Program: Overseas Fieldworks in International Development

Headquarters (2 credits)

[1] Switzerland and France (UNHCR, WIPO, WHO, WTO, ILO, OECD, UNESCO, etc): June 2015, January 2016, June 2016, June 2019

[2] The United States (World Bank, IMF, IFPRI, Freedom House, USAID, UN, UNDP, UN WOMEN): June 2017, August 2018, January 2023, January 2026

Fields (1 credit)

[1] Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar, Thailand: Aug. 2013, Aug. 2014, Feb. 2016, Jun. 2016, Aug. 2017

[2] Japan: Dec. 2017, Oct. 2022

Projects and Grants (ALL as PIs)

1. Leading University Project (partnership with Cambodia's Royal University of Phnom Penh), *Korean Ministry of Education and National Research Foundation*, 2012-8
2. Start-up Grant 신진연구자지원사업, *Korea National Research Foundation (NRF)*, 2013, 2014
3. Research Grant, *POSCO Cheongam Foundation*, 2015
4. Graduate Program for Area Studies, *Korea Institute for International Economic Policy* 2019
5. Research Grant, Program-Based Approach, *Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA)*, 2018
6. Research Grant, Feasibility Studies for Result-Based Funding, *KOICA*, 2019
7. Research Grant, Measuring SDGs Progress and Development Cooperation, *KOICA*, 2020
8. Research Grant, Studies on the Global Disease Eradication Fund (GDEF), *KOICA*, 2021
9. Grant for International Cooperation, Ewha-Rikkyo Joint Seminar, *NRF*, 2021-22
10. Research Grant, Appropriate Technology for Arsenic Removal and Raising Public Awareness in Cambodia, *NRF*, 2022-24 중견연구자지원사업
11. Research Grant, A Study on Measures to Advance Korea's Humanitarian Assistance Policy, *KOICA*, 2024-25
12. Long-Term Scholarship for Ewha-KOICA Master and PhD Program, *KOICA*, 2021-25

Presentations and Special Lectures

1. Western Regional Science Association, Kona, HI, Feb. 2008
2. Southern Regional science Association, Washington, DC, Mar. 2008
3. European Regional Science Association, Liverpool, UK, Aug. 2008
4. North America Regional Science Council, New York, NY, Nov. 2008
5. World Trade Organization, Geneva, Switzerland, Mar. 2009
6. Pacific Regional Science Conference, Seoul, Korea, Jul. 2011
7. European Regional Science Association, Barcelona, Spain, Aug. 2011
8. Academy of International Economic Affairs, Taipei, Taiwan, Oct. 2011
9. Intensive Seminar for JICA-JDS Scholars, Colombo, Sri Lanka, Jul. 2012
10. Pacific Regional Science Conference, Bandung, Indonesia, Jul. 2013
11. International Education Development Forum, Hiroshima, Japan, Nov. 2013
12. Department of International Studies, Royal University of Phnom Penh, Cambodia, 2013-7
13. Asia Political and International Studies Association, Chiang Mai, Thailand, Sep. 2014
14. International Education Development Forum, Kobe, Japan, Nov. 2014
15. North American Regional Science Council, Washinton, DC, Nov. 2014
16. Global Conference on Education, Las Vegas, NV, Aug. 2015
17. European Regional Science Association, Lisbon, Portugal, Aug. 2015
18. Asia Political and International Studies Association, Phnom Penh, Cambodia, Sep. 2015
19. International Education Development Forum, Tokyo, Japan, Nov. 2015
20. Korea Association of International Development and Cooperation, Seoul, Korea, Dec. 2015
21. Yangon University of Economics, Yangon, Myanmar, Jun. 2016
22. Southern Regional Science Association, Memphis, TN, Mar. 2017
23. Center for Asian Studies, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, Apr. 2017
24. Conference on Teaching and Research in Economic Education, San Antonio, TX, Jun. 2018
25. International Education Development Forum, Kobe, Japan, Nov. 2018
26. Center for Asian Studiess, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, Oct. 2019
27. North America Regional Science Council, Pittsburgh, PA, Nov. 2019
28. Korea Association of International Development and Cooperation, Seoul, Korea, Dec. 2019
29. Center for Asian Studiess, University of Colorado, Virtual, Jun. 2020
30. European Regional Science Association, Virtual, Aug. 2020

31. North America Regional Science Council, Virtual, Nov. 2020
32. Graduate School of Business, Rikkyo University, Tokyo, Japan, Jan. 2021, Mar. 2023
33. North America Regional Science Council, Denver, CO. Nov. 2021
34. KISA 13th Annual Convention & APISA 15th Congress, Seoul, Korea. Nov. 2021
35. European Regional Science Association, Pecs, Hungary, Aug. 2022
36. Pacific Regional Science Association, Siem Reap, Cambodia, Jun. 2023
37. European Regional Science Association, Alicante, Spain, Aug. 2023
38. Royal University of Phnom Penh, Cambodia, Phnom Penh, Jan. 2024
39. Japan-Vietnam International Business Conference, Tokyo, Japan, Mar. 2024
40. Korea Association of International Development Cooperation, Seoul, Korea, Jun. 2024
41. Western Regional Science Association, Las Vegas, USA, Feb. 2025
42. Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University, Beppu, Japan, Jul. 2025
43. The 7th Asian Conference on Business and Economic Studies, Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam, Aug. 2025
44. International Conference on Rebuilding Place, Bangkok, Thailand, Sep. 2025
45. North American Regional Science Association, Denver, CO, USA, Nov. 2025

Publications (Books, in Korean)

1. *International Development Cooperation Project for Education: A Beautiful Partnership between Ewha Womans University and Royal University of Phnom Penh.* 2018
2. *Analysis of Program-based Approach (PBA) in KOICA and policy implications*, with Hee Jung Cho, Jisun Song and Min Joung Park. Korea International Cooperation Agency. 2018
3. *Analysis of the SDGs and its Implementation from Development Cooperation Perspective*, with Haelim Cho, Jisun Song and Min Joung Park. Korea International Cooperation Agency. 2021
4. *Strategies to Strengthen Engagement with Global Health Initiatives*, with Jison Song and Jaeun Lee. Korea International Cooperation Agency. 2021
5. *The Republic of Beliefs*, supervised its Korean translation (믿음의 공화국 번역 감수) 2022
6. *Strategies to Strengthen South Korea's Humanitarian Assistance.* Korea International Cooperation Agency. 2025.

Publications (Peer-Reviewed Journals, in English)

1. "Multiple Equilibria: Is Big Push Possible? Evidence from the Kaesong Industrial Complex in North Korea" *Global Business and Finance Review (SCOPUS)*. 12(3), 2007.
2. "Concentration, Congestion, and the Dynamics: Spatial Re-modeling of the Murphy, Shleifer, and Vishny Model." *Letters in Spatial and Resource Sciences (SCOPUS)*. 1(2), 2008.
3. "Spatial Analysis of the Japanese Gas Industry" *Review of Urban and Regional Development Studies (SCOPUS)*. With Akio Kusakabe. 22(2-3), 2010.
4. "Mongolia's International Trade: The Impact of Its Geographical Location" *Journal of Econometric Study of Northeast Asia*. With Orgilbold Tumurbaatar. 7(2), 2011.
5. "The Effectiveness of Economic Sanctions on North Korea: China's Vital Role" *Korean Journal of Defense Analysis (SSCI)*. With Jiyong Ryu. 23(2), 2011.

6. "Spatial Adaptation of the MSV Model, with special reference to World Development Report 2009 and Korean Examples" *Letters in Spatial and Resource Sciences* (SCOPUS). 5(1), 2012
7. "Determinants of South Korea's ODA Disbursement" with Eun Mee Kim. *Journal of East Asian Studies* (SSCI). 12(2), 2012
8. "Does Gravity Matter? Evidence from Nepal's Trade Pattern" with Laxmi Prasai. *International Area Studies Review* (SCOPUS). 15(2), 2012
9. "Does Gravity Matter? Bangladesh's Trade Pattern" with Rashedur M.D. Sardar. *Review of Urban and Regional Development Studies* (SCOPUS). 25(1), 2013
10. "What Determines International Tourist Arrivals to Peru and What Should Be Done?" *International Area Studies Review* (SCOPUS). 16(4), 2013
11. "Mutual Priority: Is South Korea a Major Donor for Its Major Recipients?" *Pacific Focus* (SSCI). 29(1), 2014
12. "Environmental Kuznets Curve Revisited with Special Reference to Eastern Europe and Central Asia" with Chihyun Yun. *International Area Studies Review* (SCOPUS). 17(4), 2014
13. "Competitiveness of Indonesia's Wood-Based Products" with Siswadi and Jihee Kim. *Review of Urban and Regional Development Studies* (SCOPUS). 27(1), 2015
14. "Proliferation and Fragmentation: Uphill Struggle of Aid Effectiveness" with Yunjeong Kim. *Journal of Development Effectiveness* (SSCI). 7(2), 2015
15. "Comparison of Aid Allocation Patterns of Two Emerging Donors: Korea and Greece" with Jisun Song and Se Eun Yim. *Review of European Studies*. 7(12), 2015
16. "Spatial Dimension of Economic Growth, with a Special Reference to East Asia" with Moon Sub Choi and Changsu Ko. *Journal of Applied Business Research* (SCOPUS). 32(2), 2016
17. "Impact of Myanmar's Trade Liberalization on the Country's International Trade Environments: A Gravity Approach" with Kyi Cin Thant. *Applied Econometrics and International Development* (SCOPUS), 16 (2), 2016
18. "Patterns and Potentials of Peru's International Trade: A Gravity Approach" with Maritza Bermeo. *Regional and Sectoral Economic Studies*. 16 (2), 2016
19. "How to Attract More Tourists to Korea? Possible Collaborations with China" with Wenjun Zhong. *Asia Pacific Management Review* (SCOPUS) 21(4), 2016
20. "South Korea's Regional Disparities and the 2018 Winter Olympics for Regional Development: Big Push Revisited. *International Area Studies Review* (SCOPUS), 20(2), 2017
21. "Effectiveness of Economic Sanctions against North Korea and Role of China: Empirical Approach" with Jina Choi and Hyoshin Kim. *Global Business and Finance Review* (SCOPUS) 22(2), 2017
22. "Spread Or Concentrated: Where Is South Korean Inbound Education Aid Aimed And Where

Should It Be Directed? A Comparison with the Japanese Case” *Review of Urban and Regional Development Studies* (SCOPUS), 29(2), 2017

23. “Where Is Uzbekistan’s Trade and Where Should It Be Directed? Gravity Analyses for Double Landlockedness” *International Area Studies Review* (SCOPUS) with Bekzod Yuldashev and Soo Hyun Moon, 21(1), 2018
24. “Dual Determinants: Aid Disbursement and Volume, with Special Reference to Japan” *Asia Pacific Management Review* (SCOPUS) with Jisun Song, 23(4), 2018
25. “The EU-South Korea FTA: Which Sector Benefits the Most?” *Journal of Korea Trade* (SSCI) with Janik Evert, 23(2), 2019
26. “Crisis and Poverty, with Reference to Latin America” *International Area Studies Review* (SCOPUS) with Hyevin Koo, 22(3), 2019
27. “Effectiveness of Aid Modalities on Government Financing, with Reference to Tanzania” *Global Business and Finance Review* (SCOPUS) with Songhee Han, 24(4), 2019
28. “Effectiveness of Aid-for-Trade: Are There Strings Attached? Empirical Evidence and Case Study for Vietnam” *Post Communist Economies* (SSCI) with Chanyou Kim and Joo Eun Chae, 32(1), 2020
29. “ASEAN or Plus Alpha? The Effectiveness of Regional Economic Cooperation.” *Asia Pacific Management Review* (SCOPUS) with Ji Won Lee, 25(1) pp.48-53, 2020
30. “Online Education as a Solution to Managing and Sustaining Foreign Aid: Comparison Between the European Cases and Others” *Review of European Studies*, 12 (2) pp. 12-19, 2020
31. “Determinants of Presidential Approval Rating: Cross-Country Analyses with Reference to Latin America” *International Area Studies Review* (SCOPUS) with Ji Won Jung, 23(3) pp. 251-267, 2020
32. “Impacts of Health Expenditure Financing on Infant Mortality and Diminishing Returns: Implications for Sub-Saharan Africa” *Global Business and Finance Review* (SCOPUS) with Yoorim Bang, 25(4), 2020
33. “Sectoral Determinants of Korean Development Assistance: Similar, yet Different?” *Journal of Economic Development* (SCOPUS) with Hanna Kim, 46 (1), 2021
34. “Trade and Tourism in Democratic Republic of Congo: Key Business for Sustainable Financing” *Global Business and Finance Review* (SCOPUS) with Nadine Kuka Mujinga and Jisun Song, 26(1), 2021
35. “Environmental Kuznets Curve Revisited, with Reference to the Middle East and North Africa (MENA)” *Journal of Environmental Design and Planning* (SCOPUS) with Patricia Aguado Gamero 20(1), 2021
36. “Determinants of Myanmar’s Trade Pattern and Policy Implications for Effective Financing” *Global Business and Finance Review* (SCOPUS) with Yuzana Hlaing and Kyeongmin Park 26(3), 2021

37. "The Impact of Foreign Public Evaluations of the U.S. Presidents on the Favorability toward the Country" *International Area Studies Review* (SCOPUS) with Eun Bin Kim, 24 (3), 2021
38. "Is Aid-for-Trade Working? Evidence from Southeast Asian Countries" *Asia Pacific Management Review* (SCOPUS) with Yujin Lee, 27(2) p. 137-144, 2022
39. "Women's Empowerment Matters: Evidence from the Health and Education Sectors in Developing World" *Journal of Global South Studies* (SSCI) with Kyeongmin Shin and Yujin Lee, 39 (1), 2022
40. "What Determines Saudi Arabia's Development Finance? An Empirical Approach," *Global Business and Finance Review* (SCOPUS), with Elham Bokhari, 27 (5), 2022
41. "The Impact of Official Development Assistance on Carbon Emissions in Developing Countries: Implications for Mongolia," *Journal of Environmental Design and Planning* (SCOPUS) with Soowon Choi and Zoljargal Munkhsaikhan, 21 (3), 2022
42. "Effects of the EU's Carding System for IUU Fishing on Its Trading Partners," *Global Business and Finance Review* (SCOPUS) with Assia Baric, 27 (6), 69-80, 2022
43. "Is Arsenic a Major Determinant of Health ODA Disbursement? An Evaluation with a Tobit Model and Challenges in Cambodia," *Development Studies Research* (SCOPUS), with Seunghee Lee, 10 (1), 2023
44. "Effect of Oxide Presence in Activated Carbon on Arsenic Removal" *Environment and Natural Resources Journal* (SCOPUS) with Thearak Vong, Korea Phat, Seunghee Lee, and Shinhoo Kang, 21 (4), 345-357, 2023
45. "What determines Tanzania's trade? A gravity approach," *International Area Studies Review* (SCOPUS), with Bertha Makilagi, 26 (4), 438-448, 2023
46. "The Impact of Foreign Aid on Gender Inequality in Developing Countries: Does It Really Work?" with Vimala Asty and Jaehyun Jung, *Global Business and Finance Review* (SCOPUS) 29 (4), 169-178, 2024
47. "Women's Empowerment Matters: Conditional Evidences on Income Level and Governance, with Reference to Mongolia" *Global Business and Finance Review* (SCOPUS) 30 (7), 174-186, 2025
48. "Combined Effects of Foreign Aid and Literacy Rate on Economic Growth" with Seoha Min, Seiyong Park, and Soobin Yoon. *Review of European Studies* 17(2), 2025
49. "Economics of Long Jump: Take-off, Flight, and Landing of Rapidly Growing Asian Economies in the Past and Present" *Asia Pacific Management Review* (SCOPUS) 30(3), 2025
50. "Where and Why Do Timorese Workers Migrate? Evidence from an Augmented Gravity Model and a South Korea Case Study" with Olivia da Costa Alves Barreto. *Journal of Environmental Design and Planning* (SCOPUS) 25(1), 2026
51. "What Drives South Korea's Trade Volume? Gravity, Migration, and Beyond" with Jimin Yang. *Journal of Asia Business and Economic Studies* (SCOPUS) (Forthcoming)
52. "Balanced Regional Development in South Korea through Immigration, Linked with Development Assistance" with Hyeji Jang and Joeun Kim. *Journal of Asia Pacific Economy* (SSCI) (Forthcoming)

53. "Determinants of International Tourist Arrivals in Uganda: A Gravity Approach" with Awenu Jellie.
International Area Studies Review (SCOPUS) (Revised and Resubmitted, 08/14/2025)