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JUNWOO SUH

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EDUCATION

2022– Ph.D. Student, Political Science, University of California, Berkeley

Political Economy (Designated Emphasis), International Relations, Methods

2020 M.A. and B.A., Korea University

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Political Economy and Identity Politics in Advanced Industrialized Democracies

RESEARCH PROJECTS

Master's Thesis

• "Global Economy, Local Blame? How Local Immigration Induces Outsized Blame toward Trade and Offshoring"

Journal Article

• "Understanding Public Attitudes toward Immigrants: the Heterogeneous Effect of Contact Conditional on Local Inequality" 2021. *Korean Political Science Review*. 55(2), 33-55 (with Woo Chang Kang, in Korean)

AWARDS AND HONORS

Summer Research Grant, UC Berkeley Political Economy Designated Emphasis	Aug. 2023
Research Grant, Korea University Diversity Council	Feb. 2022
Ph.D. Fellowship, Korea Foundation for Advanced Studies	Aug. 2021
Academic Excellence Scholarship for Freshmen, Korea University Mar. 2	2012 & Mar. 2020
Joint Service Commendation Medal, UNC Commander General Robert B. Abrams	Oct. 2019

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant for Prof. Sung Eun Kim, Korea University.

Jul. 2020 – Jul.2021

- Survey design, data visualization, data analysis, and policy report drafting for:
 - Conjoint Experiment on Foreign Aid Preference (16 countries, 70,000 respondents)
 - Meta-analysis of Conjoint Experiments

MILITARY AND ACADEMIC SERVICE

United Nations Command & US-Korea Combined Forces Command

Oct. 2016 - Nov. 2019

- Liaison Officer / Second Lieutenant First Lieutenant
 - 22nd National Directors' Meeting hosted by United Nations Mine Action Service (UNMAS)
 - Evacuation Operation of North Korean Defector Chong-song Oh
 - Escort High-level visitors including members of the US Cabinet

Korea University Department of Political Science

• Head Administrative Assistant

Sep. 2020 – Aug. 2021

• Coordinator, Soodang Distinguished Speaker Series

Mar. 2021 - Dec. 2021

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WORKS IN PROGRESS

Does Embedded Liberalism Reduce Polarization?

• This project explores whether policies of compensating the losers of globalization, such as trade adjustment assistance, subsidies on critical mineral manufacturing industries, reshoring of production facilities, has successfully led to reducing the surge of the 'nativist' backlash.

Corporate Lobbying for Social Policy

A significant number of MNCs in the US lobby Congress in support of bills that affect social liberties. Existing theories provide no account for firms that lobby for bills with unclear and diffuse benefits and concentrated costs. I plan to explain this puzzle by exploring whether social policy change can act as an entry barrier against competing firms, while also considering how much firms' internal ideology–firms' stockholders, employees, CEOs, and origin of countries–matters.

Knowing Where you Stand: How Income Information Boosts Public Support for Economic Inclusion

• We introduce a survey experiment that lowers individuals' identification with their reference group, which leads to the increase in support for policies of minority inclusion. (with Sangji Lee and Seungwon Cha)

Hands-off or Hands-free? Philanthropic Organizations' Media Patronage and Narratives on Globalization

Philanthropic organizations have recently increased their funding of the ailing newspaper industry. This paper seeks to identify changes in the coverage volume and content on globalization of news agencies with declining readership revenue and greater capital inflow from philanthropic organizations.

Mitigating Carbon Tax Resistance by Redistributive Earmarking: Evidence from S.Korea

• A conjoint experiment reveals that earmarking tax revenue on redistributive purposes such as a lump-sum rebate can dampen resistance. (with Sung Eun Kim and Seungyeob Kim)

CONFERENCES

American Political Science Association (APSA) Accepted, not presented	2023
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) Annual Conference	Apr. 2022, Apr. 2023
Korea Association of International Studies (KAIS) Annual Conference	Jul. 2022

SKILLS

Software R, STATA, Python, Language Korean(native), English(fluent), Mandarin Chinese (intermediate)