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## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Syracuse University**, Syracuse, NY August 2022-  
*Assistant Professor*, Department of Political Science
- University of California San Diego**, La Jolla, CA September 2021-August 2022  
*Postdoctoral Scholar*, Center for Commerce and Diplomacy

## EDUCATION

- University of Chicago**, Chicago, IL 2021  
*Ph.D.*, Political Science  
Subfields: International Relations, Formal Theory  
Dissertation: Bureaucratic Behavior in the Political Economy of Trade
- Seoul National University**, Seoul, South Korea 2016  
Graduate School of International Studies (GSIS)  
*M.I.A.*, International Commerce, with *Highest Honors*
- Yonsei University**, Seoul, South Korea 2014  
*B.A.*, Public Administration, College of Social Science
- Chinese University of Hong Kong**, Hong Kong 2011-2012  
*Exchange Program*, Public Administration

## WORKING PAPERS

- How Bureaucrats Represent Economic Interests:  
Partisan Control over Trade Adjustment Assistance (*Job market paper, under review*)
- Certifying Threat: The Electoral Logic of Economic Relief (*with Robert Gulotty, under review*)  
- Stigler Center New Working Paper Series No.40
- Who Wants to Work at a Transparent International Organization?  
(previously titled "Transparency, a Double-edged Sword for International Bureaucrats")

## PREDOCTORAL PUBLICATION

"Looking Beyond the Doha Negotiations: A Possible Reform of the WTO Agricultural Subsidies Rules", with Hyo-young Lee, *Asian Journal of WTO and International Health Law and Policy* 12(1), 171-200, March 2017.

## AWARDS

- Lloyd and Susanne Rudolph Field Research Award** 2019  
Center for International Social Science Research (5,000 USD)

<b>Bradley Fellows Ph.D. Dissertation Award</b> Stigler Center, University of Chicago Booth School of Business (7,500 USD)	2018
<b>Distinguished Thesis Award</b> , GSIS, Seoul National University	2016
<b>Grand Prize, 15th Trade Remedy Thesis Contest</b> Ministry of Trade, Industry, and Energy (MOTIE), South Korea The Effects of Exchange Rate Fluctuation on Anti-dumping Investigation– Focused on Article 2.4.1 and Article 3.5 of WTO Anti-dumping Agreement (in Korean, <i>with Dongchul Kwak</i> )(5,000,000 KRW)	2014

## GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

<b>Doctoral Research Innovation Fund</b> (5,000 USD), University of Chicago	2020
<b>Summer Grant for ICPSR Training</b> , University of Chicago Training in Multilevel Modeling, Text Analysis	2020
<b>Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models</b> , National Science Foundation	2017
<b>Graduate Fellowship</b> , University of Chicago	2016-2021
<b>Doctoral Study Abroad Fellowship</b> Korea Foundation for Advanced Studies (KFAS)	2016-2021
<b>FTA Commerce &amp; Strategy Research Grant</b> Ministry of Trade, Industry, and Energy (MOTIE), South Korea Research Grant for Master's Thesis (3,000,000 KRW)	2014-2015
<b>Graduate Scholarships</b> , GSIS, Seoul National University	2014-2015
<b>Undergraduate Scholarships</b> , Yonsei University	2011-2013
<b>Conference Travel and Accessibility Grants</b>	
American Political Science Association (APSA) (150USD)	2020
Department of Political Science, UChicago (400USD)	2019
American Political Science Association (APSA) (200USD)	2019
Center for East Asian Studies, UChicago (300USD)	2019
Graduate Student Council, UChicago (600USD)	2018
International Studies Association (ISA) (600USD)	2016

## TEACHING

<b>Instructor</b> (Undergraduate)	University of Chicago
Formal Theory II (Game Theory I)	Winter 2020
<b>Teaching Assistant</b> (Undergraduate)	University of Chicago
International Political Economy for Robert Gulotty	Spring 2018
Formal Theory I (Social Choice Theory) for Robert Gulotty	Autumn 2018
Formal Theory II (Game Theory I) for Monika Nalepa	Winter 2019
Social Science Inquiry III (Quantitative Research Design) for Micere Keels	Spring 2019

## PRESENTATIONS

### *External*

American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting	2019, 2020, 2021
International Political Economy Society (IPES)	2018, 2019
The Political Economy of International Organization (PEIO) Seminar	2021
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago	2018, 2019
International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Convention	2016
IR and America's Rise: Institutions, Ideas, and Individuals, UChicago (Invited)	2020

### *Internal*

Stigler Center Ph.D. Workshop, UChicago	2019
Workshop on International Politics (WIP), UChicago	2018, 2020 (May, Aug)
CISSR Transparency and Replication Conference, UChicago	2018
Program on International Politics, Economics, and Security (PIPES), UChicago	2018

## FIELD RESEARCH

Geneva, Switzerland	September 2019
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## RESEARCH ASSISTANCE

<b>Research Assistant</b> for Robert Gulotty, University of Chicago	June 2017-September 2018
<b>Research Associate</b> Center for International Commerce and Strategy, Seoul National University	2014-2016

## SERVICE

<b>Student Representative</b> Political Economy/Methodology Hiring Search Committee (UChicago)	Autumn 2018
Student Council (GSIS, Seoul National University)	2015

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

<b>Intern</b> Division of International Affairs Ministry of Justice, South Korea	March 2013 - August 2013
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## SKILLS

**Programming Languages:** R, Python, STATA, SPSS  
**Languages:** English, Korean (Native), Japanese (Advanced), Mandarin Chinese (Intermediate)

## REFERENCES

### **Robert Gulotty**

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