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## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Syracuse University**, Syracuse, NY August 2022-  
*Assistant Professor*, Department of Political Science  
*Faculty Associate*, Moynihan Institute of Global Affairs  
Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs
- The University of California San Diego**, La Jolla, CA 2022  
*Postdoctoral Scholar*, Center for Commerce and Diplomacy  
The School of Global Policy and Strategy

## EDUCATION

- The 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

## BOOK PROJECT

*The Forging of Bureaucratic Partisanship: Careerism and Institutions in Foreign Affairs Agencies*

## WORKING PAPERS

- “How Bureaucrats Represent Economic Interests: Partisan Control over Trade Adjustment Assistance” - Revise & Resubmit at *International Studies Quarterly*
- “Electoral Rewards and Punishments for Trade Driven Compensation” (*with Robert Gulotty*)  
- Revise & Resubmit at *World Politics*
- “Bringing Home the Bacon: Politician Ambassadors and Home State Trade” (*with Shu Fu*)  
- Under Review
- “Who Wants to Work at a Transparent International Organization?”  
- Under Review
- “Certifying Treat: The Electoral Logic of Economic Relief” (*with Robert Gulotty*)  
- Stigler Center New Working Paper Series No.40

## WORK IN PROGRESS

“Firm Response to Administrative Protection: Evidence from Section 337” (*with Jieun Lee*)

“International Bureaucrats Under the Spotlight: The Case of the WTO TRIPS Council”  
(*with Sojun Park*)

“Arbitrators as Advisors: Evidence from Changes in Investment Treaty Design”  
(*with Bo Won Kim*)

## 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

<b>Lloyd and Susanne Rudolph Field Research Award</b> Center for International Social Science Research (5,000 USD)	2019
<b>Bradley Fellows Ph.D. Dissertation Award</b> Stigler Center, The 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>Appleby-Mosher Grant for Faculty Research</b> (1,500 USD), Syracuse University	2022
<b>The SOURCE Research Assistant Grant</b> (5,400 USD), Syracuse University	2022
<b>Doctoral Research Innovation Fund</b> (5,000 USD), The University of Chicago	2020
<b>Summer Grant for ICPSR Training</b> , The 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> , The 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

**Undergraduate Scholarships**, Yonsei University 2011-2013

**Conference Travel and Accessibility Grants**

American Political Science Association (APSA)	2019-2021
Department of Political Science, UChicago	2019
Center for East Asian Studies, UChicago	2019
Graduate Student Council, UChicago	2018
International Studies Association (ISA)	2016

**TEACHING**

**Instructor** Syracuse University

Introduction to International Relations, Undergraduate	Spring 2023, Spring 2024
Strategic Choice and Politics, Undergraduate	Fall 2022, Fall 2023
Formal Theories of Choice, Graduate	Fall 2022, Fall 2023

**Instructor** The University of Chicago

Formal Theory II (Game Theory I), Undergraduate	Winter 2020
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**Teaching Assistant** (Undergraduate) The University of Chicago

Social Science Inquiry III (Quantitative Research Design) for Micere Keels	Spring 2019
Formal Theory II (Game Theory I) for Monika Nalepa	Winter 2019
Formal Theory I (Social Choice Theory) for Robert Gulotty	Autumn 2018
International Political Economy for Robert Gulotty	Spring 2018

**INVITED TALKS**

Global Research in International Political Economy (GRIPE, Online)	2023
The University of Pennsylvania (International Organizations and Text-as-Data)	2022
Brown University (Bureaucracy and International Relations)	2022
UC San Diego (Political Economy Lunch Group Speaker Series)	2022
The University of Chicago (IR and America's Rise: Institutions, Ideas, and Individuals)	2020

**PRESENTATIONS**

*External*

Junior International Organization Scholars Workshop	2023
American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting	2019, 2020, 2021, 2023
International Political Economy Society (IPES)	2018, 2019, 2021, 2022
The Political Economy of International Organization (PEIO) Annual Meeting	2021, 2023
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) Annual Meeting, Chicago	2018, 2019, 2022
International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Convention	2016, 2023

*Internal*

Stigler Center Ph.D. Workshop, UChicago	2019
Workshop on International Politics (WIP), UChicago	2018, 2020 (May, Aug), 2022
CISSR Transparency and Replication Conference, UChicago	2018
Program on International Politics, Economics, and Security (PIPES), UChicago	2018

**FIELD RESEARCH**

Geneva, Switzerland	September 2019, July 2023
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**RESEARCH ASSISTANCE**

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

**SERVICE**

Disciplinary Service

**Ad-hoc Referee:** *The Review of International Organizations*

**Discussant:** International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Convention (2023)  
Virtual International Political Economy Society (VIPES) (2022)  
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) Annual Conference (2022)  
Program on International Politics, Economics, and Security (2017, 2018)

**Panel Chair:** Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) Annual Conference (2022)

Department and University Service

**Syracuse University**

Faculty Recruitment Committee (International Relations)	2023
Coordinator, Political Science Research Workshop	2023-2024
Undergraduate Committee	2022-2023

**The University of Chicago**

Student Representative, Faculty Recruitment Committee (PE & Methodology)	2018
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**Seoul National University**

Student Representative, Student Council	2015
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**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Intern**

Division of International Affairs Ministry of Justice, South Korea	March 2013 - August 2013
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## SKILLS

**Programming Languages:** R, Python, STATA

**Languages:** English, Korean (Native), Japanese (Advanced, JLPT N1),  
Mandarin Chinese (Intermediate, HSK 2.0 Level 6)

## REFERENCES

### **Robert Gulotty**

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