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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

Qatar Computing Research Institute, Hamad Bin Khalifa University (December 2025-January 2026)

Consultant & Contributor on AI Policy

Singapore Management University, Singapore (February 2025-present: remote)

Senior Research Affiliate at the Centre for Digital Law, Yong Pung How School of Law

National University of Singapore, Singapore (November 2024-March 2025; resigned)

Senior Research Fellow at the Middle East Institute

George Washington University, Washington, DC USA (September 2023-August 2024: remote)

Non-resident Visiting Scholar at the Institute for Middle East Studies (IMES),

Elliott School of International Affairs

Princeton University, Princeton, NJ USA (September 2021-June 2022)

Fung Global Fellow (Early-Career Scholar Track) at the Princeton Institute for International and Regional Studies (PIIRS)

George Washington University, Washington, DC USA (September 2020-September 2022)

Visiting Scholar at the Digital Trade & Data Governance Hub (November 2021-September 2022) & East Asia

Voices Initiative (EAVI) Fellow at the East Asia National Resource Center,

Elliott School of International Affairs (September 2020-September 2021)

National Research Foundation of Korea, Seoul, South Korea (December 2019-November 2020)

Next Generation Researcher at the Humanities and Social Sciences Division

American University of Beirut, Beirut, Lebanon (August 2019-December 2019)

Consultant at the Energy Policy and Security Program of the Issam Fares Institute

George Mason University Korea, Songdo, South Korea (February 2019-July 2019)

Lecturer of Global Affairs & Government

Hanyang University, Seoul, South Korea (September 2018-January 2019)

Adjunct Professor of International Political Economy at the Division of International Studies

Seoul National University Asia Center, Seoul, South Korea (February-September 2018)

Research Fellow at the Key Research Institute & Northeast Asia Center

National University of Singapore, Singapore (August 2015-August 2017)

Postdoctoral Fellow at the Centre on Asia and Globalisation, Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy

EDUCATION

Boston University, Boston, MA USA (Fulbright Fellow, 2007-2009)

Ph.D., Political Science, May 2015

Dissertation: *Trade Wars & Currency Conflict: China, Japan, and South Korea's Responses to U.S. Protectionism, 1971-2013*

Committee: William W. Grimes, Joseph Fewsmith, Kevin P. Gallagher, Douglas L. Kriner

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI USA (Summer Scholar, 2011)

Quantitative Research Training at the Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research (ICPSR)

Université de Genève, Geneva, Switzerland (2002)

French (Attestation) - cours d'été

Korea University, Seoul, Korea (BrainKorea21 Fellow, 2005)

M.A., Political Science, August 2007

Thesis: *Legal Initiatives of the United States on the United Nations Military & Economic Sanctions Regime*

B.A., Political Science and Journalism (minor), February 2005

RESEARCH FOCUS & INTERESTS

Geopolitics of Emerging Technologies and Future Industries

Digital and Green Transitions (DX/GX); Geopolitical Risk; Law & Geoeconomics; Energy Market Dynamics

AI Governance and AI Industrialization

AI Safety, Data Protection, Supply Chains in the AI Tech Stack (Semiconductors, Critical Minerals, Energy)

International and Regional Political Economy in the Digital Space

East Asian Economies (China, Japan, South Korea, North Korea); U.S., UK;

Gulf Economies (KSA, UAE, Qatar)

European Economies (Germany, France, Italy, Netherlands, Finland)

Trans-Regional Economic and Security Relations

U.S.-Gulf-East Asia Technology Supply Chains; U.S.-East Asia and East Asia-Gulf Energy Transactions

Data Visualization

ArcGIS, QGIS, R, Tableau, Stata

PUBLICATIONS

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BOOK MANUSCRIPT	1. (In progress) June Park. 'DIGITAL TRADE WARS & CURRENCY CONFLICT: China, South Korea and Japan's Responses to U.S. Pressures.' funded by Schmidt Futures Individual Impact Grant (G-22-63371) and the National Research Foundation of Korea (NRF-2019S1A5B5A07106479) – Currently seeking book contract
PEER-REVIEWED	(Invited) June Park. "Exercising Leverage in Chips: The Varying Levels of Control by the State in the Semiconductor Industry." (For publication in a forum edited by Michiel Foulon and Ivan Zaccagnini for <i>Contemporary Security Policy</i>, a Taylor & Francis journal) (Invited) June Park. "The Pursuit of AI Supremacy: US Chip Export Controls from East Asia and Europe to the Gulf and Southeast Asia." (For publication in a special issue of <i>Law & Geoeconomics</i>, a Brill journal) - June Park. "Expertise as a Response to the Limits of Multilateralism: The Case of South Korea's 'Vaccine Procurement Task Force' for COVID-19 Vaccines amid Unequal Access via the COVAX Facility." Special issue on The Political Economy of Vaccines During the COVID-19 Pandemic. <i>Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law</i>, 49 (1) 2024: 99–132. DOI: 10.1215/03616878-10910224 - June Park. "Governing a Pandemic with Data on the Contactless Path to Artificial Intelligence: Personal Data, Public Health, and the Digital Divide in South Korea, Europe and the United States in Tracking of COVID-19." <i>Partecipazione e Conflitto</i>, 14(1) 2021: 79-112. DOI: 10.1285/i20356609v14i1p79 - June Park and Eunbin Chung, "Learning from Past Pandemic Governance: Early Response and Public-Private Partnerships in Testing of COVID-19 in South Korea." Special issue on Pandemics, COVID-19, Sustainability and Development. <i>World Development</i> 137. DOI: 10.1016/j.worlddev.2020.105198 - June Park and Troy Stangarone. "Trump's America First Policy in Global and Historical Perspectives: Implications for US–East Asian Trade." <i>Asian Perspective</i> 43(1) 2019: 1-34. DOI: 10.1353/apr.2019.0000
WORKS IN PROGRESS	[Project] June Park and Jung Kian Ng. "CarbonX: Comparing Europe and Asian Compliance Carbon Markets Toward Net-Zero." Funded by Schmidt Futures Collaborative Impact Grant (G-22-64300). June Park. "Europe's Climate Policies, Gulf Responses: The Geoeconomics of CBAM and CSDDD" for consideration in the special issue, "The Geopolitics of the Energy Transition – A European Perspective," for <i>Energy Policy</i> (an Elsevier Journal), edited by Daniel Scholten and Morena Skalamera. Potential presentation at the 4th IAEE MENA Conference, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia (7-8 December 2026) - June Park. "Beyond the Chip: AI Model Export Controls and the Geoeconomics of Compute Capacity amid Geopolitical Turbulence." Draft submitted to the CDL Computational Law Conference for consideration in the special issue of the <i>Cambridge Forum on AI: Law and Governance</i>, Centre for Digital Law, Singapore Management University, Singapore (September 7-8, 2026) - June Park. "The Ras Laffan Paradox: Economies of Scale, Geographic Concentration, and Conflict Exposure in a Resource State." Draft submitted to the Conference on the Economics of Conflict in the MENA Region, "Theme 4: Natural-resource dependence and conflict incentives," for consideration in the special issue of the <i>Economics of Peace and Security Journal</i>. Organized by the School of Economics, Administration and Public Policy, Doha Institute for Graduate Studies - Doha, Qatar (November 15-16, 2026) - June Park. "AI Advanced Model Export Controls and the Pursuit of Sovereign AI: Cases from the UK, South Korea, and the Gulf States." Draft submitted to the 2026 AsianSIL Intersessional Conference, "Is a New Normative International Legal Order in the Making? The Asian Perspective," organized by the College of Law, Hamad Bin Khalifa University - Doha, Qatar (November 10–11, 2026) - June Park. "The Geoeconomics of Payment Systems in Fiat and Digital Worlds: The Case of the Petrodollar Leading Up to the U.S./Israel-Iran War since the JCPOA," Draft submitted to the joint workshop, 'China shock 2.0: Causes, Consequences, and Policy Responses,' organized by the Bank of Italy and the European Central Bank (ECB), Rome, Italy (September 28, 2026) - June Park. "Defense AI and the Impact of LLMs on National Security in the Gulf: The Cases of the UAE, KSA and Qatar." Draft submitted to Workshop 7, 'Emerging Technologies and Defense Industrialization in the GCC: Navigating the Localization–Outsourcing Dilemma in the AI Era,' for inclusion in an edited book volume by Alessandro Arduino and Eman Ragab via the 2026 Gulf Research Meeting, the University of Cambridge, UK (July 22-24, 2026) - June Park. "Governing AI among Digital Empires: Cases from South Korea, the United Arab Emirates, France and Germany." Springer Studies in Law & Geoeconomics, Vol II, No.1. Springer.

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POLICY REPORTS

1. June Park. "Gulf LNG in the Time of U.S. Tariffs: Navigating Geoeconomic Turbulence amid Trump's Trade War." Issue Brief, Middle East Council on Global Affairs. August 2025. <https://mecouncil.org/publication/gulf-lng-in-the-time-of-u-s-tariffs-navigating-geoeconomic-turbulence-amid-trumps-trade-war/>
2. June Park. "EVs and Batteries in the Gulf: Industrial Policy amid Tariff Wars and the Battle for Market Access." Issue Brief, Middle East Council on Global Affairs. March 2025. <https://mecouncil.org/publication/evs-and-batteries-in-the-gulf-industrial-policy-amid-tariff-wars-and-the-battle-for-market-access/>
3. June Park. "AI Competition amid Expansion of U.S. AI Chip Export Controls into the Gulf." Issue Brief, Middle East Council on Global Affairs. June 2024. <https://mecouncil.org/publication/ai-competition-amid-expansion-of-u-s-ai-chip-export-controls-into-the-gulf/>
4. June Park. "CBDC Global Pioneers: A Roadmap for Gulf Countries." Issue Brief, Middle East Council on Global Affairs. February 2024. <https://mecouncil.org/publication/cbdc-global-pioneers-a-roadmap-for-gulf-countries/>
5. June Park. "Semiconductors in Key European and Indo-Pacific Economies: Geopolitical Risk in the Supply Chains into 2030 and Beyond," in Paul van Hooft, Benedetta Girardi and Alisa Hoenig eds., 'Access or Absence: Supply and Maritime Security in the Indo-Pacific,' The Hague Center for Strategic Studies (HCSS) of the Netherlands. November 20, 2023.
6. June Park. "Industrial Policy and Uncertainties in US-ROK Cooperation in Semiconductors: The U.S. Chips & Science Act Subsidy Conditions and Guardrails," in Mark Manantan and Soyoung Kwon eds., 'Strengthening ROK-US Critical Technologies Cooperation: Progress and Path Forward,' Pacific Forum & George Mason University Korea. July 25, 2023.
7. June Park. "South Korea in the Gulf: Emboldening Economic and Political ties with the GCC amid the U.S.-China Tech Conflict," in Adel Abdel Ghafar and Abdullah Baabood eds., 'Asia in the GCC: A New Strategic Partner?' The Middle East Council on Global Affairs & Waseda University Qatar Chair. July 12, 2023. <https://mecouncil.org/publication/asia-in-the-gcc-a-new-strategic-partner/>
8. June Park. "Data Protection vs. Utilization for Scientific Research and Public Health: South Korea's Revision of Data Protection Laws amid the Pandemic," in 'Public Health' Section of 'The Democracy in Asia Project' Report, The Brookings Institution. December 14, 2022. (Funded by the National Endowment for Democracy)
9. June Park. "Geoeconomics and Politics in Lawsuits on EV Batteries." A Path to Net Zero: Opportunities for U.S.-ROK Technology Collaboration, NBR Special Report No.101, The National Bureau of Asian Research. September 27, 2022. (Funded by the Korea Foundation)
10. June Park, Pamela Rizkallah and Ali Ahmad. "A Decade Later: South Korea's Nuclear Energy Exports to the Middle East." Middle East Nuclear Energy Monitor 2019, American University of Beirut. January 2020. (Funded by the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation: G-1708-152348)

POLICY PAPERS

1. June Park. "[North Korea's Evolving Methods of Cryptocurrency Theft amid the Challenges of Regulation: Crypto Mixing for Anonymity and Economic Gain.](#)" in Yonho Kim ed., "The Correlation between North Korea's Economic and Foreign Policy," GWIKS-NKEF Policy and Research Paper Series on the North Korean Economy, George Washington Institute for Korean Studies. April 2024.
2. June Park. "Is Economic Security National Security? Defining South Korea's Economic Security for Future Industries – The Case for Semiconductors," *Korea Policy*, Vol. III: *Economic Security from Different Countries' Perspectives*, Korea Economic Institute of America. January 2024.
3. June Park. "South Korea's Critical Moment in Digital Currency Policymaking: Between Limiting Cryptocurrencies and Launching a Central Bank Digital Currency (CBDC)." KEI Academic Paper Series – *On Korea*, Korea Economic Institute of America. March 2022.
4. June Park. "Cyber-hacking as a Means of "Self-reliance": North Korea's Ransomware-based Cyber-hacking for Economic Gains in the Absence of Regulations on Cryptocurrencies in Global Finance." Series on *Understanding North Korea*, NCNK/The Wilson Center. January 2022.
5. June Park. "Renewable Energy in Trade Wars: Solar Power in South Korea's Energy Mix and the Impact of Protectionism," KEI Academic Paper Series – *On Korea*, Vol.12, Korea Economic Institute of America. January 2019.
6. June Park. "Striking the 21st Century Trade Agreement: The Case of IP in the TPP and U.S.-Northeast Asian Economic Relations," *The Asan Forum*, 3:4, The Asan Institute for Policy Studies. August 2015.
7. June Park. "From Cardinal Sin to Policy Agenda? The Role of Capital Controls in Emerging Market Economies: A Study of the Korean Case, 1997-2011," *Joint U.S.-Korea Academic Studies: Emerging Voices*, Korea Economic Institute of America. March 2012.
8. June Park. "Implications of the Bilateral Swap Agreements in Northeast Asia: Korea's Role in Regional Financial Cooperation in the era of a New Critical Juncture," *Korea Policy Review*, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University. July 2009.

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BOOK CHAPTERS

1. June Park. "The "Geolegality" of U.S. Investment Screening on Chips and AI: Cases from East Asia and the Gulf," Dan Hanqvist and Jens Hillebrand Pohl eds. *Geoeconomics and International Legal (Dis)Order - Economic Warfare Amid Rising Geolegal Rivalry*, Springer Studies in Law & Geoeconomics, Vol 1. No. 2. Springer. 2027.
2. June Park. "COVID-19 Vaccination in South Korea: Bilateral Contracts, Licensed Production and Indigenous Development," Scott L. Greer, Elizabeth J. King, Elize Massard da Fonseca and Holly Jarman eds. *Vaccination Politics: The Comparative Politics of COVID-19 Vaccinations*. University of Michigan Press. 2027. ISBN 9780472040216 (paper) 9780472905843 (open access)
3. June Park. "Redefining the Post-Pandemic Global Economic Order: The U.S. and China Jostling for Power in Technology," in 'Regional Economic Integration in the Post-Pandemic Era,' RSIS Monograph No.37, S. Rajaratnam School of International studies, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore. August 2022. ISBN 9789811853500
4. June Park. "The Art of Evasion in the Cyber Economy: Cyber-hacking, Money Laundering and the Evasion of Sanctions by North Korea," in Andrea Charron and Clara Portela eds., *Multilateral Sanctions Revisited: Lessons Learned from Margaret Dacey*, McGill-Queens University Press, 2022. ISBN 9780228011859
5. June Park. "Institutions Matter in Fighting COVID-19: Public Health, Social Policies and the Control Tower in South Korea," in Scott L. Greer, Elizabeth J. King, André Peralta-Santos and Elize Massard eds., *Coronavirus Politics: The Comparative Politics and Policy of COVID-19*, University of Michigan Press, 2021. DOI: 10.3998/mpub.11927713 ISBN 9780472038626 (paper) 9780472902460 (open access)
6. June Park and Emma Ashford, "Securing Energy from the Gulf amid Geopolitical Strife: Japan, South Korea and the GCC," in Tim Niblock, Degang Sun and Talmiz Ahmad eds., *The Gulf States, Asia and the Indian Ocean: Ensuring the Security of the Sea Lanes*. Gerlach Press, 2018. DOI: 10.2307/j.ctv4ncp9p.7 ISBN 9783959940580
7. June Park. "A Cautionary Tale of Market Power and Foreign Policy: Beyond the Geoeconomics of Renminbi Internationalization," in Tomoo Kikuchi and Masaya Sakuragawa eds., *China and Japan in the Global Economy*. Routledge Series in the Modern World Economy, 2018. ISBN 9780367504250
8. June Park. "Bargaining for More: China's Initiatives for Regional Free Trade in East Asia," in Mingjiang Li ed., *China Joins Global Governance: Cooperation and Contentions*. Rowman & Littlefield, 2012. ISBN 9780739176771

POLICY BRIEFS & COMMENTARY

- June Park. 'U.S. Deals with Japan and the Netherlands signal to Heightened Competition in Semiconductor Equipment,' *East Asia Forum*. April 26, 2023.
- June Park. 'United States doubles down on its tech war with controls that target China but also hit Taiwan and South Korea,' *East Asia Forum*. November 30, 2022.
- June Park. 'The Election of Yoon Suk-yeol and Implications for the United States: U.S.-ROK Economic Cooperation,' The National Bureau of Asian Research. March 24, 2022. (A roundtable briefing for the U.S. House of Representatives staff was held at the Rayburn House Office Building on March 14, 2022.)
- June Park. 'The United States is determined to dominate the semiconductor tech war,' *East Asia Forum*, August 6, 2021.
- June Park. 'Why are semi-conductors so relevant for global manufacturing industries?' Commentary in Dossier 'Semiconductors: The Global Race for Technology'. *Istituto per gli Studi di Politica Internazionale (ISPI)*. June 7, 2021.
- June Park. 'Striking a Balance between Data Privacy and Public Health Safety: A South Korean Perspective,' Commentary from *The Evolving Indo-Pacific Trade Environment*, *The National Bureau of Asian Research*. April 29, 2021.
- June Park. 'What COVID-19 Reveals: The Risk of China-Centered Global Supply Chains and the Acceleration of Tech Wars in AI,' *OpenAsia*, IAFOR, July 30, 2020.
- June Park. 'Tracking COVID-19 in the Age of AI and Tech Wars,' *Asia Pacific Bulletin*, No. 517. East West Center in Washington. July 17, 2020.
- June Park. 'Semiconductor tech war underlies the Japan-South Korea trade dispute,' *East Asia Forum*, September 24, 2019.
- June Park. 'Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises at Risk: South Korea's Awkward Positioning on the U.S. Huawei Ban amid the Global Race on 5G,' in Asia's Great Huawei Debate, *The Diplomat*, Issue 57, August 2019.
- June Park. 'Reinventing the Middle East? South Korea's Engagements with the Gulf amid Geopolitical Conflicts,' News from Northeast Asia, *The NewsLetter*, International Institute for Asian Studies (IIAS), Leiden University. No. 80, Summer 2018.
- June Park and Ali Ahmad. 'Risky Business: The Hidden Military Pact in the UAE-ROK Nuclear Power Plant Deal,' *The Diplomat*. March 1, 2018.
- June Park and Jonathan B. Miller. 'Is North Korea's Nuclear Tech for Sale?' *East Asia Forum*. November 3, 2016. Re-published as 'The Scariest Thing North Korea Could Ever Do: Sell a Nuclear Weapon,' *National Interest*. November 6, 2016.
- June Park. 'Forging Ties in Different Pathways: Developing Iranian-Asian Relations in the Aftermath of the JCPOA,' *Rising Powers Project*, Marmara University. October 26, 2016.
- June Park. 'South Korea's Policy Choices in the TPP Era,' *Asia Pacific Bulletin*, No. 307, East West Center in Washington. April 9, 2015.

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BOOK REVIEWS	June Park. 'Envisioning the Future of Sino-Latin American Trade Relations,' a review of Kevin Gallagher and Roberto Porzecanski, 'Dragon in the Room: China and the Future of Latin American Industrialization' (Stanford University Press: 2010), <i>Fudan Journal of the Humanities and Social Sciences</i>, Fudan University, 8:2, May 2012. June Park. 'Reconceptualizing the Chinese Economic Miracle,' a review of Yasheng Huang, 'Capitalism with Chinese Characteristics: Entrepreneurship and the State' (Cambridge University Press: 2008), <i>Fudan Journal of the Humanities and Social Sciences</i>, Fudan University, 8:1, March 2012. June Park. A review of Emilian Kavalski ed., 'China and the Global Politics of Regionalization' (Ashgate: 2009), <i>Journal of Chinese Political Science</i>, 17:1, November 30, 2011. DOI: 10.1007/S11366-011-9183-X
ORGANIZATION REPORTS	'Report of the Economic and Social Development Group: Combine Our Efforts', in 'The UN at 60: The Road Ahead', the 43rd Graduate Study Programme, United Nations Information Service, United Nations Office in Geneva (October 2005)

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Qatar Intelligent Transportation Systems (QITS) – Ministry of Transport (MOT), State of Qatar
Observer (December 2025-present)

Inaugural Trade & Technology Roundtable of the World Trade Organization Chairs Programme (WCP),
Qatar WTO Chair, Hamad Bin Khalifa University (HBKU)
Participant (Fall 2025-present)

Centre for AI and Digital Policy (CAIDP), Washington, DC USA (September 2025-present) (remote)
AI Policy Clinic - Research Group (RG) Member (Fall 2025)

Middle East Council on Global Affairs, Doha Qatar (August 2023-December 2025)
Visiting Fellow for project: 'Beyond Generative AI: Envisioning AI Applications for Future
Technologies in the GCC' (May 2025-October 2025)

Non-resident Fellow (November 2024-April 2025)
Visiting Fellow for project: 'ROK-GCC Relations: Energy, Tech, Security' (August 2023-October 2024)

Waseda University, Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies (March 2023)
Visiting Research Fellow for project on semiconductors and CBDCs

Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Korea (September 2022-December 2022)
Consultant for commissioned confidential national research project on CBDCs

Schmidt Futures
International Strategy Forum-Inaugural Asia Fellow (April 2022-present)

Center for East Asia Policy Studies (CEAP), the Brookings Institution (December 2022-present)
External Expert Group Member

Kim Koo Foundation, Korea Society (2022)
Kim Koo Forum Fellow

National Bureau of Asian Research (January 2022-present)
Non-resident Fellow

Salzburg Global Seminar (May 2021-May 2022) (remote)
Korea Foundation Fellow (Finance and Governance Forum/ Law and Technology Forum)

U.S. Embassy Seoul, Public Diplomacy Section (February 2021-June 2021)
Moderator of Federal Assistance Project for three-part seminar series,
'U.S.-ROK Energy Cooperation and Climate Change'

National Library of Korea (January 2021-January 2023)
Foreign Reserve Acquisition Recommendation Committee Member

National Library of Korea, Research Information Services (RINK) (July 2019-present)
Academic Book Publication Member

Korea Foundation-IAFOR Policy-Oriented Research Program (December 2019-December 2021)
Project Member, 'Korea and Japan in the Evolving China-U.S. Relations:
COVID-19 and Global Governance'

Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Korea (May 2019-September 2019)
Consultant for commissioned report, 'U.S.-China Trade War'

Korea Economic Energy Institute (May-December 2018)
Consultant and member of political economy/energy expert group for commissioned report,
'Regional Energy Cooperation'

Seoul National University Asia Center, Program on US-China Relations (November 2017-January 2018)
Visiting Scholar

Pacific Forum (November 2017-January 2019)
Non-resident James A. Kelly Korea Studies Fellow

Asia Society, Asia 21 Young Leaders Initiative (August 2017-August 2018)
Asia 21 Leader (2017 Cohort)

Keio University, Global Security Research Institute (December 2016-January 2017)
Visiting Scholar

American Political Science Association (APSA) Centennial Center for Political Science & Public Affairs
Visiting Scholar (April-July 2015, August 2016)

East-West Center in Washington (January-April 2015)
Asia Studies Fellow

George Washington University, Center for International Business Education and Research (GW-CIBER)
Doctoral Scholar (June-July 2014, June-July 2015)

Pacific Forum CSIS (April 2014-March 2015)
Non-resident Korea Foundation Fellow

The Tobin Project (September 2013-May 2014)
Democracy & Markets Fellow

Policy Research Institute, Ministry of Finance, Japan (February-October 2011)
Visiting Scholar

ICPSR Summer Program (June 2011-July 2011)
Scholar

Peking University, School of International Studies (August 2011-July 2012)
Visiting Senior Research Student

The University of Tokyo, Institute of Social Science
Visiting Research Fellow (September 2010-August 2011)

Pardee Center for the Study of the Longer-Range Future (June 2010-August 2010)
Graduate Summer Fellow

UN Security Council Subsidiary Organs Sanctions Branch (September 2005-March 2006)
Intern

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FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS & AWARDS

Individual Impact Grant and Collaborative Impact Grant, Schmidt Futures (2022-2023)
Next Generation Field Research Fellowship, Japan Foundation & Lee Hee-kun Foundation (2021-2022)
Fung Global Fellowship, Princeton University (2021-2022)
East Asia Voices Initiative (EAVI) Fellowship, George Washington University (2020-2021)
Next Generation Researcher Grant, National Research Foundation of Korea (2019-2020)
Trilateral Young Scholars/Researchers Workshop Grant, Trilateral Cooperation Secretariat (2017)
Asian Regional Workshop Grant, Institute for Global Law & Policy, Harvard Law School (2017)
Travel Grants, American Political Science Association (2014, 2016)
Research Fellowship, APSA Centennial Center for Political Science and Public Affairs (2015, 2016)
Asia Studies Fellowship, East-West Center in Washington (2014-2015)
GW-CIBER Summer Doctoral Fellowship, George Washington University Business School (2014, 2015)
Korea Foundation Fellowship, Pacific Forum CSIS (2014)
Research Travel Grant, Graduate Student Organization, Boston University (2014)
Tuition Waiver for Dissertation Writing, Department of Political Science, Boston University (2012-2014)
Graduate Research Fellowship in Democracy & Markets, The Tobin Project (2013-2014)
Korean Studies Dissertation Workshop Fellowship, Social Science Research Council (2013)
Global Political Economy Workshop Fellowship, Balsillie School of International Affairs (2013)
'Study in Asia' Senior Visiting Research Student Fellowship, China Scholarship Council (2011-2012)
'Emerging Voices' Publication and Presentation Award, Korea Economic Institute of America (2011)
Foreign Students Research Grant, Fuji Xerox Setsutaro Kobayashi Memorial Fund (2011-2012)
Atsumi International Research Fellowship, Atsumi International Foundation (2011-2012)
Matsushita International Research Fellowship, Matsushita International Foundation (2010-2011)
Traveling Scholar Tuition Waiver, Department of Political Science, Boston University (2010-2012)
Conference Travel Grants, Graduate Student Organization, Boston University (2011-2013)
Conference Travel Grants, Department of Political Science, Boston University (2010-2013)
Travel Grants, International Studies Association (2010-2014)
Tuition and Stipend Grant for ICPSR, Department of Political Science, Boston University (2011)
Summer Research Fellowship, Pardee Center for the Study of the Longer-Range Future (2010)
Young Leaders Training and Research Program Fellowship, Northeast Asia Economic Forum (2008)
Fulbright Graduate Study Award, Korean-American Educational Commission (2007-2009)
UN Internship Fellowship, Ministry of Gender Equality, Republic of Korea (2005)
Research Fellowship, Ilimin International Relations Institute, Korea University (2006)
Brain Korea 21 Fellowship, Korea University (2005)
International Summer Campus Scholarship, Korea University (2004)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE - ACADEMIA

Reviewer for peer-reviewed academic journals:
Political Science Quarterly (October 2023-present)
Journal of Health Politics, Policy, and Law (November 2022-present)
Contemporary Arab Affairs (April 2022-present)
International Journal of Health Planning and Management (April 2022-present)
Foreign Policy Analysis (May 2020-present)
Cambridge Review of International Affairs (March 2020-present)
Asia Policy (January 2020-present)
Revista CIDOB d'Afers Internacionals (January 2020-present)
Energy Policy (December 2019-present)
Applied Economics (November 2019-present)
Asian Journal of Political Science (May 2019-present)
Review of International Political Economy (November 2018-present)
Journal of Chinese Political Science (October 2018-present)

Acquisition editor for *DiverseAsia* of Seoul National University Asia Center (February-September 2018)

External reviewer for Joseph Grieco, John Ikenberry, and Michael Mastanduno, *Introduction to International Relations: Enduring Questions and Contemporary Perspectives*, 2nd Edition (January 2017)

External reviewer for APSA Centennial Center for Political Science & Public Affairs Research Grant Program (February 2016)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE - TESTIMONIES & BRIEFINGS

[Closed] Briefing for the House of Representatives Foreign Relations Committee of the Kingdom of the Netherlands, Seoul, South Korea. April 27, 2023.

[Closed] Meeting with the Asian Affairs Bureau of the Congressional Research Service (CRS) and the Embassy of the Republic of Korea, Washington, DC, USA. December 8, 2022.

[Closed] 'Light and shade of ROK-U.S. technology cooperation,' Presentation at the Dialogue on China and ROK-U.S. Cooperation in the Indo-Pacific, Center for Strategic & International Studies (CSIS), Washington, DC, USA. December 7, 2022.

[Closed] 'The New South Korean President & Implications for the United States,' Briefing before the House Foreign Affairs Committee & Congressional Staff of the National Bureau of Asian Research (NBR), Capitol Hill, March 14, 2022.

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICE – POLICY

Participant, AI Safety Policy and International Collaboration Section, Korea AI Safety Institute (AIS), Pangyo/Seoul/Online, South Korea (May 2026-present)

Expert Participant, U.S.-Northeast Asia Forum on AI Risks and Opportunities, Center for a New American Security (CNAS), Washington, DC USA (March 2026-present)

Expert Participant, Science & Technology Policy Virtual Expert Roundtable, Government Office of Science, UK (February 2026-present)

Adviser, Korea Trade-Investment Promotion Agency (KOTRA Doha Office), Commercial Section of the Embassy of ROK in Qatar (November 2025-present)

Reviewer, [‘In whose tech we trust – Part I: Mapping Indo-Pacific approaches to foreign owned, controlled or influenced technology’](#), Australian Strategic Policy Institute (ASPI) (November 2025)

Project Member, Public Health Section, Democracy in Asia, Project Phase II, Center for East Asia Policy Studies (CEAP), The Brookings Institution (February-November 2022, Project Report Launch event speaker, December 14, 2022)

Expert, U.S.-South Korea Webinar Series and in-person Workshop on foundational and emerging technologies, Pacific Forum (September 29-30, 2022 and November 9-10, 2022)

Expert, Private and Virtual Expert Workshops on South Korea, Center for East Asia Policy Studies (CEAP) and SK-Korea Foundation Chair in Korea Studies, the Brookings Institution (October 2021-present)

Expert, ‘Perception of the Planned EU Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism (CBAM) in Asia Pacific – An Expert Survey,’ Konrad Adenauer Stiftung (KAS)/GlobeScan (published April 2021; 2,000 trees planted via One Tree Planted in a *pro bono* effort)

Expert, ‘The US-China Trade Conflict and its Impacts to Energy Security in Asia-Pacific: A Survey of Key Opinion Leaders,’ Konrad Adenauer Stiftung (KAS)/GlobeScan (published March 2020; 1,500 trees planted via One Tree Planted in a *pro bono* effort)

Reviewer for peer-reviewed policy forums:
East Asia Forum (November 2019-present)

Member, Democracy Cluster on the Challenges of Contemporary Democracy, School of Transnational Governance, European University Institute, Florence, Italy (April 2018-present)

Adviser, The U.S.-ROK Next Generation Leadership Program, the National Bureau of Asian Research (NBR) and the Korea Foundation for U.S. delegation visits to South Korea (March 2018-present)

Facilitator, Asia Pacific Young Leaders Program (APYLP) in conjunction with the Atsumi International Scholarship Foundation (AISF) and the International House of Japan (November 2017-July 2019)

ADVISING (PUBLIC SECTOR)

Trade Wars, Geopolitics and Tech Policy advising for:

- The ROK Embassy in Doha, Qatar (December 2023)
- The British Embassy in Seoul, South Korea (November 2022)
- The ROK Embassy in Washington, USA (December 2023)
- The British Embassy in Tokyo, Japan (November 2023)
- The French Embassy in Seoul, South Korea (February 2023)
- The Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in Tokyo, Japan (March 2023)
- The ROK Ministry of Foreign Affairs, South Korea (July 2018)

CONSULTING (PRIVATE SECTOR & INT’L ORGS)

World Bank Group - World Bank Group – Seoul Center for Finance and Innovation (SFIC), Finance, Competitiveness, and Innovation Global Practice – East Asia and Pacific (EAP) (October 2024)

- Special Report on Digital Finance and Aging in Japan and South Korea G3 (June 2024)
- South Korea’s Nuclear Power Plant Construction in the Gulf and Europe (declined)

Quadrant Strategies (May 2023, May 2025)

- Tech Policy Advising on App Store Regulations by Jurisdictions

Ernst & Young Japan (November 2021-February 2022)

- Tech Policy Advising on Regulating Artificial Intelligence

The Economist Intelligence Unit (EIU), The Economist Group (September 2021-present)

- Contributor of research and analysis to the EIU Asia Team focusing on the Koreas

Enquire.AI (Formerly GlobalWonks) (2019-2024)

- Contributor to various geopolitical and geoeconomics risk issues via Network Pulse

Duco Experts (2019-present)

- South Korea AI Act (August 2025)
- Trust Measure Consumer Choice (February 2025)
- Data Security & Geopolitical Risk - GCC Economies, South Korea and SEA (November 2023)
- Mobile Data Privacy (August 2023)
- Digital Trust and Safety Landscape Analysis Review for the Digital Forensic Research Lab Project (December 2022)
- Data Governance Project (July 2022)
- Confidential Intel Report on Misinformation in South Korea (August 2020)
- Confidential Final Report 2 on Misinformation in South Korea (July 2020)
- Confidential Final Report 1 on Misinformation in South Korea (May 2020)
- Korean Experts Vetting on Misinformation and Online Child Safety (March 2020)

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MEDIA

EXPERT INTERVIEWS

“A Conversation with Dr. June Park - Digital Finance and Global Currency Power: The Rise of Stablecoins and Central Bank Digital Currencies,” Exclusive Expert Interview for Summer Report, Nottingham Economic Review. August 25, 2025.

[EN] ‘Three Questions to June Park: South Korea, the United States, and the Gulf-Semiconductors in the Development of AI,’ Institut Montaigne, Paris, France. June 25, 2025.

[FR] ‘Trois questions à June Park : Corée du Sud, États-Unis et Golfe - les semi-conducteurs dans le développement de l’IA,’ Institut Montaigne, Paris, France. 25 juin 2025.

Voices on China – Dr. June Park, East Asia Voices Initiative Fellow at George Washington University, Young China Watchers (YCW). November 14, 2020.

Interview with Dr. June Park, APEC Oil & Gas Security (OGS) Newsletter No. 36, October 2020. The Asia Pacific Energy Research Centre (APEREC).

‘Strategies, Challenges, and Considerations for Economic Growth in South Korea,’ An Interview with June Park, *Policy Quarterly*, The National Bureau of Asian Research. November 16, 2017.

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TV INTERVIEWS

'Labor Dispute at Samsung Electronics,' Interview by Laura van Megen, Journaal, NOS, May 21, 2026.
'Samsung cuts chip production after profits plunge,' Deutsche Welle – Business, April 7, 2023.
'Will the US default on its debt?' Al Jazeera – Inside Story, January 26, 2023.
'Will the West engage with North Korea?' Al Jazeera – Inside Story, August 31, 2021.
'Global Semiconductor Shortage,' Al Jazeera – Live News Bulletin, August 20, 2021.
'South Korea Battles Surging Cases,' Deutsche Welle – COVID-19 Special, July 26, 2021.
'Why is the world running short on semiconductors?' Al Jazeera – Inside Story, June 25, 2021.
'U.S. Votes 2020,' CNA – News 5, October 27, 2020.
'What's behind the recent tension on the Korean peninsula?' Al Jazeera – Inside Story, June 19, 2020.
'Coronavirus: South Korea election,' BBC World News – The Briefing, April 15, 2020.
'North Korea Fires Projectiles,' CNA, March 2, 2020.
'Inter-Korean Relations,' CNA – Primetime Asia, January 7, 2020.
'Japan-China-South Korea Trilateral Summit,' CNA – Primetime Asia, December 24, 2019.
'US-South Korea ties: Expert on proposed revision to joint crisis manual,' CNA – Primetime Asia, October 29, 2019.
'Samsung heir will retain control of firm until final ruling: Expert,' CNA – Asia Tonight, August 29, 2019.
'North Korea fires missiles,' BBC World News – The Briefing, July 31, 2019.
'South Korea-Japan Tensions / North Korea Tensions / South Korea-Russia Tensions,' BBC World News – Impact, July 27, 2019.
'Japan-South Korea Trade Dispute,' CNA – Asia Now, July 12, 2019.
'Japan-South Korea Trade Dispute,' CNA – Asia Tonight, July 11, 2019.
'Xi-Kim Summit,' BBC World News – Today, June 20, 2019.
'Xi-Kim Summit,' CNA – Asia Now, June 20, 2019.
'One Year On: The Trump-Kim Summit,' CNA, June 14, 2019.
'Shangri-La Dialogue 2019,' CNA – Asia Now, June 1, 2019.
'Putin-Kim 1st Summit,' BBC World News, April 25, 2019.
'Putin-Kim 1st Summit,' Australian Broadcasting Corporation – The World, April 24, 2019.
'Trump-Kim 2nd Summit,' BBC World News, February 27, 2019.
'Trump-Kim 2nd Summit,' Channel NewsAsia – Asia Business First, February 27, 2019.
'US-North Korea 2nd Summit,' Australian Broadcasting Corporation – The World, January 18, 2019. 'US-North Korea Stalemate,' Channel NewsAsia – Primetime Asia, January 11, 2019.
'US-China Trade War,' BBC World News, December 10, 2018.
'US-China Trade War,' BBC World News – Impact, December 5, 2018.
'US-China Trade Tariff Suspension,' BBC World News, December 2, 2018.
'North Korea Diplomacy,' Channel NewsAsia – NewsNow, October 8, 2018.
'Pyongyang Meeting,' Australian Broadcasting Corporation – The World, September 19, 2018.
'Inter-Korean Liaison Office Opening,' CGTN – Asia Today, September 14, 2018.
'Korean Peninsula Diplomacy,' CGTN – World Insight with Tian Wei, September 12, 2018.
'Korean Peninsula Diplomacy,' CGTN – World Insight with Tian Wei, September 6, 2018.
'June Park on Korean Peninsula Diplomacy,' CGTN America, September 2, 2018.
'South Korea Coffee Ban,' BBC World News, August 28, 2018.
'U.S.-North Korea Relations,' Channel NewsAsia – Primetime Asia, August 29, 2018.
'Inter-Korean Ties,' Channel NewsAsia – Primetime Asia, August 13, 2018.
'Repatriation of U.S. Remains,' Channel NewsAsia – NewsNow, July 27, 2018.
'North Korea's Kim Visiting China,' Channel NewsAsia – NewsNow, June 19, 2017.
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'North Korea Nuclear Test Site,' Channel NewsAsia – Primetime Asia, May 23, 2018.
'Trump-Kim Summit: The Prospect of Peace,' Channel NewsAsia – Insight, May 18, 2018.
'Trump-Kim Summit: The North Korean Dilemma,' Channel NewsAsia – Insight, August 17, 2017.
'Trump-Moon Summit,' Channel NewsAsia – FirstLook Asia, June 30, 2017.
'North Korea Missile Launch,' Channel NewsAsia – Primetime Asia, May 29, 2017.
'The Future of Chaebols in South Korea,' CGTN America – Global Business, May 23, 2017.
'South Korea: Writing a New Chapter,' Channel NewsAsia – Insight, May 10, 2017.
'The 2017 South Korean Presidential Election,' Channel NewsAsia – FirstLook Asia, May 10, 2017.
'US-North Korea Standoff,' Channel NewsAsia – Insight, April 20, 2017.
'Downfall of a Political Princess,' Channel NewsAsia – Insight, March 16, 2017.
'The Murder of Kim Jong Nam,' Channel NewsAsia – Insight, February 23, 2017.

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NEWSPAPER INTERVIEWS

'Iran War Poses New Challenges to the Gulf's Burgeoning AI Industry,' Middle East Broadcasting Networks (MBN), July 31, 2026

'SK Hynix, cet autre géant sud-coréen des semi-conducteurs qui s'invite à Wall Street,' *Le Figaro*, July 10, 2026.

'Vakbond vs. landsbelang: ruzie in Zuid-Korea over winstverdeling chipafdeling Samsung,' NOS, 23 May, 2026.

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'South Korean President travels to UAE, seeks arms sales,' AP, January 15, 2023.

'From Kim-Trump summits to missile tests: the failures of South Korea's Moon,' *Agence-France Presse*, May 5, 2022.

'South Korea space rocket test prompts fear of arms race with North,' *Deutsche Welle*, October 21, 2021. 'Seoul watches on as US corrals allies to counter China,' *Financial Times*, October 5, 2021.

'South Korea's balancing act amid US-China Indo-Pacific rivalry,' *Deutsche Welle*, September 20, 2021.

'Is South Korea in danger of repeating Japan's economic bubble collapse?' *Deutsche Welle*, September 2, 2021.

'North Korea's sibling rulers Kim Jong Un and Kim Yo Jong are putting those on Yeonpyeong Island on edge,' *ABC News*, August 16, 2021.

'Why North Korea is wary of foreign warships in the region,' *Deutsche Welle*, August 10, 2021.

'South Korea by-elections cast doubt on outreach to Pyongyang,' *Financial Times*, April 8, 2021.

'Companies try to cut geopolitical risk from supply chains,' *Financial Times*, April 7, 2021.

'US chip ban strikes at China's digital Achilles heel,' *Asia Times*, February 11, 2021.

'Guerre froide sino-américaine sur les puces électroniques,' *Le Figaro*, January 25, 2021.

'Expert roundup: What North Korea's Eighth Party Congress says about the future,' *NK News*, January 9, 2021

'The Washington Spring' or just a blip? How Asia saw the chaos of Trump supporters storming US Capitol,' *South China Morning Post*, January 8, 2021.

'La Chine renforce son intégration économique en Asie,' *Le Figaro*, November 16, 2020.

'South Korea caves in to Trump over WTO developing nation status,' *Financial Times*, October 25, 2019.

'Korean or Chinese? Copycat dollar stores face intellectual property crackdown in South Korea,' *South China Morning Post*, October 20, 2019.

'Historic inter-Korean football clash highlights frosty relations,' *Financial Times*, October 15, 2019.

'South Korea's economy facing 'perfect storm' as Japan trade dispute continues and exports plunge,' *South China Morning Post*, August 23, 2019.

'South Korea's president seeks Korean unification by 2045,' *Financial Times*, August 15, 2019.

'Les dissensions entre Tokyo et Séoul s'aggravent,' *Le Temps*, August 3, 2019.

'How China can win a 'trade war' between Japan and South Korea,' *South China Morning Post*, July 10, 2019.

'Seoul risks rift with US over North Korean industrial zone,' *Financial Times*, March 21, 2019.

'Liu He, le démineur de Xi Jinping, en première ligne face à Washington,' *Le Figaro*, November 27, 2018.

'Quand le «made in China» devient trop cher,' *Le Figaro*, October 19, 2018.

'Japan Caved to Trump on Trade Talks. Now the Real Haggling Begins,' *The New York Times*, October 19, 2018.

'South Korean president visits UAE amid deepening ties,' AP, March 25, 2018.

'South Korean president Moon Jae In to unveil policy to boost ties with ASEAN,' *The Straits Times*, November 6, 2017.

'Trump threatens to "destroy" North Korea: experts react: What should we make of the President's hardline speech?' *NK News*, September 20, 2017.

'Trans-Pacific Partnership: Korea Likely to Sign on to TPP But Political Debate Anticipated,' *Bloomberg BNA International Trade Daily*, April 13, 2015.

RADIO INTERVIEWS

'Ook Japan overweegt exportbeperkingen op chiptechnologie naar China,' NOS, March 17, 2023.

'Leaflets and North Korea's Communication Shutdown,' *CNA938 – Singapore Today*, June 9, 2020.

'North Korea's Plenum Report,' *BBC Four – Today*, January 1, 2020.

'China-Japan-Korea Trilateral Summit,' *BBC World Service – Newshour*, December 24, 2019.

'ROK-Mekong Summit,' *CNA 938 – Singapore Today*, November 27, 2019.

'The Japan-South Korea trade dispute explained,' *BBC World Service – World Business Report*, October 2, 2019.

'South Korean Drills in Dokdo Islets,' *CNA 938 – Asia First*, August 12, 2019.

'Samsung's profits tumble as it warns of challenges ahead,' *BBC World Service – World Update*, July 31, 2019.

'CNA938'Wider implications of Japan's export curbs on key materials to South Korea,' *CNA 938*, July 11, 2019.

'Trump-Kim Exchange of Letters,' *BBC World Service*, June 23, 2019.

'Trump-Kim 2nd Summit Outcomes,' *BBC Radio Scotland – Newsdrive*, February 28, 2019.

PODCASTS

'AI Chips: The New Oil?' *MENbar*, Middle East Council on Global Affairs, November 21, 2024.

'South Korea's Semiconductor Strategy: Economic ties are being reshaped by the semiconductor industry's evolution.' *The Sound of Economics*, Bruegel, February 28, 2024.

'Empty Shells and Clogged Ports,' *The Real Story*, a podcast of the BBC World Service (October 8, 2021)

'South Korea, Technology, and COVID-19 Responses,' *East Asia Hotspots*, a podcast of the East Asia National Resource Center, Elliott School of International Affairs, The George Washington University (October 30, 2020)

'Trade Wars Strike Back: Dr. June Park,' *Korean Kontext*, a podcast of the Korea Economic Institute of America, February 1, 2019. (September 7, 2018)

'Political Risk and Investment in North Korea,' *NK News*, a podcast of the Korea Risk Group, ep.26, July 2, 2018. (June 25, 2018)

PRESENTATIONS

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BOOK PROJECT PRESENTATIONS

[Book Manuscript (updated): 'DIGITAL TRADE WARS & CURRENCY CONFLICT: China, South Korea and Japan's Responses to U.S. Pressures.']

[Book Manuscript: Trade Wars & Currency Conflict: China, South Korea and Japan's Responses to U.S. Pressures since the Global Financial Crisis'] Nissan Institute of Japanese Studies, Oxford School of Global and Area Studies, University of Oxford (via MS Teams June 5, 2020); IGLP Scholars Workshop, Institute for Global Law & Policy, Harvard Law School, Bangkok, Thailand (January 6-10, 2019)

[Chapter 1] Korea International Studies Association Annual Meeting, Korea National Diplomatic Academy (November 22, 2019); IREA Colloquium (February 6, 2018)

[Chapter 5] Korea Institute for International Economic Policy, Sejong City, South Korea (November 27, 2018) 'La Guerre Commerciale entre la Chine et les États-Unis,' Club de Lecture, Seoul, South Korea (held in French, October 16, 2018); Hanyang University, Seoul, South Korea (May 14, 2018); Briefing to Economic Affairs Section, U.S. Embassy ROK (April 11, 2018); 'Program on US-China Relations, Seoul National University Asia Center, Seoul, South Korea (March 14, 2018);

[Book Project Presentations] 'Trade & Currency Conflict: Northeast Asian States Responses to U.S. Pressures,' King's College London (September 11, 2017); Yonsei University (September 9, 2017); National University of Singapore (April 13, 2017); University of Tokyo (January 18, 2017); Singapore Management University (December 2, 2015); Southern Methodist University (January 25, 2016); Georgetown University (February 3, 2016); George Mason University (Fairfax) (February 20, 2014)

DISSERTATION CHAPTER PRESENTATIONS

Dissertation Project 'Trade Wars and Currency Conflict: China, Japan, and South Korea's Responses to U.S. Protectionism, 1971-2013', Korean Studies Dissertation Workshop, Social Science Research Council, Monterey, CA, USA (July 1-5, 2013)

Dissertation Ch.5 'Exchange Rate Policies as Responses to U.S. Currency Appreciation Pressures: The Japanese yen, the South Korean won, and the Chinese yuan, 1971-2013', 2014 International Studies Association Annual Convention, Toronto, Canada (March 26-29, 2014)

Dissertation Ch.4 'Resorting to International Institutions to Resolve Trade Imbalances? U.S. Protectionism via GATT/Dispute Initiation', Section on International Political Economy, Session on WTO and International Trade Disputes, The Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, USA (April 12-15, 2012)

Dissertation Ch.3 'Responses to the Recurring Cycles of Trade Protectionism from the GATT to the WTO: U.S. Anti-Dumping and Countervailing Duty Investigations on Trade with Japan, South Korea, and China' 2013 International Studies Association Annual Convention, San Francisco, CA, USA (April 3-6, 2013); PhD Dissertation Workshop in Global Political Economy at the Balsillie School of International Affairs, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada (April 24-26, 2013)

Dissertation Ch.1 'Introduction: Defining Trade Wars and Currency Conflicts' & Dissertation Ch.2 'Theoretical Framework: Political Capacity and Industrial Interests', Visiting Fellows Seminar, Rajawali Fellows Institute, the Ash Center for Democratic Governance and Innovation, Harvard Kennedy School, Cambridge, MA, USA (September 10, 2013)

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SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS & INVITED TALKS

June Park. "South Korea's Policy Responses to the U.S./Israel-Iran War." (TBD) Majlis@Waseda, Chair of Qatar for Islamic Studies at Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan (September 18, 2026)

June Park. 'Strategic Plenary II: Technology, AI, Information and Society: Redefining National Power,' International Programme for Development and Stability (IPDS) 2026, "*Navigating the Great Transformation: Power, Technology, Security, Resilience*." ISSRA, National Defence University, Islamabad, Pakistan (September 14-15, 2026)

June Park. "Beyond the Chip: AI Model Export Controls and the Geoeconomics of Compute Capacity amid Geopolitical Turbulence." Centre for Digital Law, Singapore Management University, Singapore (September 7-8, 2026)

(Invited) June Park. "Defense AI and the Impact of LLMs on National Security in the Gulf: The Cases of the UAE, KSA and Qatar." Workshop 7: Emerging Technologies and Defense Industrialization in the GCC: Navigating the Localization-Outsourcing Dilemma in the AI Era, Gulf Research Meeting 2026, The University of Cambridge, UK (July 21-23, 2026)

(Invited) June Park. "The Pursuit of AI Supremacy: US Chip Export Controls from East Asia and Europe to the Gulf and Southeast Asia." Workshop on Technological Sovereignty, Geoeconomics, and Middle Powers in Great Power Tech Rivalry, The Finnish Institute of International Affairs, Helsinki, Finland (June 9, 2026)

(Invited) Online Discussion Roundtable, "East Asia and the Gulf in Shadow of the Iran War: Challenges, Opportunities, and Emerging Roles" (الخليج وشرق آسيا على مفترق طرق: تداعيات حرب إيران وأفاق الأدوار الجديدة) Anwar Gargash Diplomatic Academy, Abu Dhabi, UAE (April 20, 2026)

(Invited) June Park. "AI Data Centers in the Gulf: The Drive for Sovereign AI and the Limits of Infrastructure and Energy." Korea National Defense University, Nonsan, South Korea (December 16, 2025)

(Invited) Track 3 – The Global AI Edge, [World Summit on AI \(WSAI\) 2025](#), Doha, Qatar (Hybrid: December 9-10, 2025)

(Invited) Panel "How AI is Transforming Islamic Fintech," [MENA Fintech & Insurtech Festival](#) 2025, Doha, Qatar (December 2-3, 2025)

(Invited) Closed Ministerial AI Roundtable, [MWC Doha](#), Doha, Qatar (November 26, 2025)

(Invited) Closed AI Roundtable, KOTRA Doha Office, Doha, Qatar (November 24, 2025)

(Invited) Guest Lecture on Geopolitics and Technology for Professor Matteo Dian – 96816 – INTERNATIONAL POLITICS OF EAST ASIA, University of Bologna-Fordì, Bologna, Italy (Hybrid: November 20, 2025)

(Invited) Forum C: "The Algorithmic War: How AI is Redefining Influence and Security?" under the theme, "The Future of Global Order: Cooperation or Confrontation?" Margalla Dialogue 2025, Islamabad Policy Research Institute (IPRI), Islamabad, Pakistan (November 11-13, 2025)

(Invited) Panel on "Confronting Supply Chain Insecurity: Critical Minerals, Semiconductors and Economic Coercion," Annual Conference 2025, Center for Asian Studies, Institut français des relations internationales (IFRI), Paris, France (November 6, 2025)

(Invited) Panel S5, "AI and the New World Order: Sovereignty, Security, and Strategy in a Digital Age," at the Conference on AI Ethics: The Convergence of Technology and Diverse Moral Traditions, Research Center for Islamic Legislation and Ethics (CILE), Hamad Bin Khalifa University (HBKU), Doha, Qatar (September 28-29, 2025)

(Invited) In-Person Workshop "AI and Geopolitical Risk in the Indo-Pacific," Kubernein Initiative, Mumbai, India (September 8, 2025)

(Invited) "The IGCC-LKYSP workshop on Economics, Security, and Asian Regional Dynamics and the 33rd Northeast Asia Cooperation Dialogue (NEACD), The UC Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation (IGCC) and the Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy (LKYSP), National University of Singapore, Singapore (September 2-5, 2025)

(Invited) Panel on 'INDUSTRIAL POLICY: The Indispensable Firm: How Industrial Policy Creates Corporate Power, and Becomes Dependent on It,' (August 14, 2025), Helsinki Geoeconomics Week 2025, Helsinki, Finland (August 11-15, 2025)

"From Crypto to CBDCs and Stablecoins: Interests and Risk Aversion in Digital Finance in the Gulf," Workshop 1, 'GCC 2030 and Beyond: National Visions, Fintech, and the Future of Finance,' (Directors: Ahmet Faruk Aysan, HBKU; Konstantinos Tsanis, IFC), Gulf Research Meeting, Cambridge University, United Kingdom (July 22-24, 2025)

(Invited) Webinar: "Semiconductors as the hardware of A.I. – a missed opportunity for European actors?" Institut Montaigne, Paris, France (Host: Mathieu Duchâtel, Co-panelist: Cheng Ting-fang, Nikkei Asia (June 5, 2025) for the EU-funded project, [Chipsdiplo] An EU semiconductor network led by Institut Montaigne with CEIAS, CSDS, and EUISS. Co-funded by the European Commission.

(Invited) "Opening Fireside Chat: Geoeconomics, Geostrategy, and the Role of Lawfare" & Session 2: Sanctions, Economic Coercion, and Strategic Compliance, Singapore Geoeconomics Forum 2025, Singapore (March 28-29, 2025)

(Invited) Roundtable (Host: Georgios Dimitropoulos, HBKU): "Middle Powers in the Digital Geoeconomic Competition, Conference on Digital Development: Reorienting International Economic Law for the Digital Economy," Hamad Bin Khalifa University and Center for Trade and Economic Integration, Geneva Graduate Institute (January 8-9, 2025)

(Invited) "The Limits of Investment in EVs and Batteries: Domestic Demand, Market Competition and Industrial Policy for Energy Transition," 3rd IAEE MENA Conference: Domestic Energy and Economic Transformations in a Transitioning World, King Abdullah Petroleum Studies and Research Center (KAPSARC), Riyadh, Saudi Arabia (December 8-9, 2024)

(Invited) "End-Users at Inflection Point: The Gulf Region in the U.S.-China Tech War," Panel on "The Indo-Pacific, the Middle East and Regional Order and Disorder," The Annual International Multidisciplinary Conference, "The Gulf in the Emerging Regional (Dis)Order". Gulf Studies Center, College of Arts and Sciences, Qatar University, Doha, Qatar (November 17-18, 2024)

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DISCUSSANT ROLES

[2026 KER International Conference] AI and the Future of the Korean Economy, hosted by the Korean Economic Association. Discussant in Special Session A4 (AI, Innovation Economy, and Firm Competitiveness (a joint panel by KATIS, KERI and KIEP), Jeju Island, South Korea (June 22-23, 2026)
KF Panel on 'Korean Public Diplomacy,' Kangwon National University (November 2019)
Panel on 'The Korean Peninsula in the Era of Uncertainty,' KAIS (June 2018)
Panel on 'The Targeted Sanctions of the European Union,' ISA Hong Kong (June 2017)
Panel for the Association for Chinese Political Studies, APSA, Philadelphia, USA (August 2016)
Panel on 'The Origins and Effects of International Law,' APSA, Boston, USA (August 2008)

TEACHING

AS INSTRUCTOR

(Proposed) 'Digital Economy and AI Governance: From Data to Algorithms and Mobility,' Digital Skills Workshop of the Erasmus Mundus Master's Program in Public Policy, Central European University (PU) (Summer 2025)
'Introduction to International Politics,' George Mason University Korea (Spring 2019)
'Introduction to Global Affairs – Sections 01 & 02,' George Mason University Korea (Spring 2019)
'International Political Economy,' Hanyang University (Fall 2018)
'Contemporary International Relations of East Asia,' Tufts University (Spring 2013)
'China: From Revolution to Reform,' Boston University (Summer II 2010)
'Theory and Practice of International Relations,' Suffolk University (Fall 2009)

AS TEACHING ASSISTANT

'Contemporary East Asian Economics,' Boston University (Fall 2012)
'Rise of China,' Boston University (Fall 2009)
'Southeast Asia in World Politics,' Boston University (Spring 2009)
'Global Agenda in the 21st Century,' Korea University (Fall 2006, Spring 2007)
'Introduction to International Relations,' Korea University (Spring 2005)
'International Organizations,' Korea University (Spring, 2006)
'UN and Global Security,' Korea University (Fall 2006)
'East Asian Regionalism and International Relations,' Korea University (Spring 2007)

RESEARCH ASSISTANTSHIPS

Research Assistant for Professor Kevin P. Gallagher, Boston University (2012)
Content analysis on South Korea's capital controls for 'Ruling Capital: Emerging Markets and the Reregulation of Cross-Border Finance' (Cornell University Press, 2014)

Research Assistant for Professor William W. Grimes, Boston University (2013)
Data collection on Japanese macroeconomic policies under the Abe administration for 'Will Abenomics Restore Japanese Growth?' (NBR Policy Brief, June 2013)

POLICY

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POLICY DIALOGUES

(Invited) In-Person Dialogue, "U.S.–Northeast Asia Forum on AI Risks and Opportunities," organized by Center for New American Security (CNAS), Tokyo, Japan (September 17, 2026)

(Invited) CHIPDIPLO Dialogue "Semiconductors under Geopolitical Stress: From Global Shocks to the European Chips Act 2.0," organized by the Chips Diplomacy Support Initiative (CHIPDIPLO), an 18-month project led by the Institut Montaigne (Paris), the Central European Institute for Asian Studies (CEIAS, Bratislava), CSDS (Brussels) and the EU Institute for Security Studies (EUISS, Paris and Brussels), with the support of the Directorate-General for Communications Networks, Content and Technology of the European Commission (DG CONNECT), Brussels, Belgium (July 8-9, 2026)

Paris Defence Young Leaders Programme, L'Institut de Recherche Stratégique de l'École Militaire, Paris, France (June 12-16, 2023)

International Strategy Forum, Schmidt Futures & RSIS, Singapore (April 25-28, 2022)

Shangri-La Dialogue 2019, International Institute for Strategic Studies (IISS), Singapore (May 31-June 2, 2019)

Asia Pacific Roundtable, ISIS Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia (May 7-9, 2018)

The Asia 21 Young Leaders Summit, 'World Disrupted: Asia's Future', Asia Society, Melbourne, Australia (November 29-December 1, 2017)

CSCAP Nuclear Energy Expert Group, Pacific Forum CSIS, Singapore (February 27-28, 2017)

Dialogue on Nonproliferation and Nuclear Security Cooperation in Southeast Asia, Pacific Forum CSIS, Singapore (May 31-June 1, 2016)

The 2nd Council for Security Cooperation in the Asia Pacific (CSCAP) Study Group on Preventive Diplomacy, "Promoting Prospects for Mediation and Peaceful Settlement of Disputes in the Asia-Pacific Region", Pacific Forum CSIS, Singapore (January 20-22, 2016)

'The 6th Generation Prague 2015: Bridging Divides, Defining the Future', The US Department of State and George Washington University, Washington, DC, USA (July 15-17, 2015)

'ROK-US Security Seminar Dialogue', Pacific Forum CSIS, Korea Foundation, and the ROK Consulate General in Honolulu, Honolulu, HI, USA (November 7, 2014)

'The 6th US-ROK Strategic Dialogue' and 'US-ROK-Japan Trilateral Strategic Dialogue', Pacific Forum CSIS, Maui, HI, USA (July 21-23, 2014)

POLICY TRAINING

Global Academy on Conflict Resolution and Sustainable Development, George Mason University Korea (October-November 2018)

WITA-GWU Intensive Trade Seminar
Washington International Trade Association and the International Trade and Investment Program
The Elliott School of International Affairs, George Washington University (2013, 2018)

World Bank Global Development Learning Network Global Issues Seminar
KDI (Korea Development Institute) School of Public Policy and Management (2007)

Research Associate for CSCAP (Council for Security Cooperation in the Asia Pacific) Korea & NTS-Asia
Ilmin International Relations Institute, Seoul, South Korea (2006-07)

Media Assistant for the World Summit, UN Department of Public Information
United Nations Headquarters, New York, USA (2005)

Training for the UN Internship Programme, Institute of Foreign Affairs and National Security
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