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Education

Dual Ph.D. Political Science and Social Data Analytics, Pennsylvania State University, 2022 (expected)

M.A. Political Science, Seoul National University, 2016.

B.A. Political Science, Yonsei University, 2013.

B.A. English Language and Literature, Yonsei University, 2013.

Research Interests

Political Science:
Political Behavior, Political Polarization, Social Media and Politics

Social Data Analytics:
Network Analysis, Natural Language Processing, Machine Learning, Experiment

Research

Publications

1. Choi, Jongho, Taegyoon Kim, and Kangwook Han (2017). "The Effects of Diverse Polling Methods on the Estimation of Candidates' Approval Ratings: The Case of 19th Presidential Election in South Korea.", *Journal of International and Area Studies*, Vol. 24, No. 1.

In Progress

1. "Network Dynamics of Spread of Politically Violent Content on Twitter"

2. "Political Polarization on Social Media: Incivility and the Effects of Pro- and Counter-attitudinal Exposure"

3. "Forecasting Political Aggression on Social Media: A Network Analytic Approach"

4. "The Effect of Partisanship on the Perception of Democratic Institutions: Public Perception of the Electoral College on Twitter"

5. "Authoritarian Seeds of Democratic Success: Origins of Former Authoritarian Ruling Parties and their Fate under Democracy"

Grants, Fellowships, & Awards

1. Paterno Graduate Fellowship, Pennsylvania State University, 2018-2019.

Teaching Experience

Graduate Statistical Method Course Preceptor, Statistical Methods for Political Research, Bruce Desmarais, Pennsylvania State University, Fall 2019

Graduate Statistical Method Course Preceptor, Topics in Political Methodology, Chistopher Zorn, Pennsylvania State University, Fall 2019

Research Experience

Research Assistant for Joseph Wright, Pennsylvania State University, Summer 2018.

Research Assistant for Lee Ann Banaszak, Pennsylvania State University, Fall 2017 - Spring 2018.

Research Assistant for Allison Harris, Pennsylvania State University, Spring 2018.

Research Assistant for Elizabeth Carlson, Pennsylvania State University, Fall 2017.

Professional Skills

Programming Languages: R, Python, Stata, Gephi, LaTeX

Languages: English (fluent), Korean (native)

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