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EDUCATION

- **University of California, San Diego** Expected June 2027
Ph.D., Political Science
Subfields: International Relations and Political Methodology
Dissertation Chair: Jakana L. Thomas
San Diego, USA
- **University of Chicago, Harris School of Public Policy** June 2022
Master of Public Policy (MPP)
Certificates in Data Analytics and Global Conflict Studies (The Pearson Institute)
Chicago, USA
- **Ewha Womans University Graduate School of International Studies** February 2017
Master of International Studies (International Relations)
Certificate in International Legal Studies and International Public Relations
GPA: 4.18/4.3 (Valedictorian)
Seoul, Korea
- **Ewha Womans University** February 2013
Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and International Relations
Seoul, Korea

RESEARCH INTEREST

International Security and Foreign Policy; Gender and Political Leadership; Political Psychology of Gender Bias; Crisis Decision-Making; Media Framing and Public Opinion

WORK IN PROGRESS

- Are Leaders Framed in a Gender-Biased Way When Addressing External Security Threats, and If So, How? (JMP)
- Information, Bias Updating, and Gendered Leadership in International Security
- Gender, Hawkish Strategies, and Political Survival under Threat
- Female Leadership and Environmental Action in International Institutions (with Callista Chim)

CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS, AND TALKS

- Junior Scholars in Quantitative Conflict Workshop, April 3rd, 2026.
- Summer Workshop on the Analysis of Military Operations and Strategy (SWAMOS), Cornell University, 2023.
- "Behind the Curtain: The Role of Resources in Mobilizing Foreign Fighters for Rebellion."
International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Convention, San Francisco, CA, April 3–6, 2024.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

• Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

- POLI 12D – Intro to International Relations (Instructor: Eric Thai)
- POLI 143 – International Conflict: Cyberspace and UAVs (Instructor: Erik A. Gartzke)
- POLI 142A – United States Foreign Policy (Instructor: David Lake)
- POLI 145 – Theories of Technology and National Security (Instructor: Michael Joseph)
- POLI 140D – International Human Rights Law and Migration (Instructor: Tom K. Wong)
- POLI 133J – Korean Politics (Instructor: Yeilim Cheong)
- POLI 135D – Comparative Politics: Race and Ethnicity (Instructor: Karen E. Ferree)

• Graduate Teaching Assistant

- GPCO 483 – Workshop on Policy Issues (Instructor: Jesse Driscoll)

SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

- **Yankelovich Center for Social Science Research Grant** 2026
University of California, San Diego
- **Marsha Chandler Fellowship** 2024
University of California, San Diego
- **PP University Scholarship** Full program
University of Chicago, Harris School of Public Policy
- **Research Assistant Scholarship; Student Assistant Scholarship; BK21 Plus Scholarship; Sun Scholarship; Multiple National Grants** 2009, 2012, 2015, 2016
Ewha Womans University
- **Park Hyeon Joo Scholarship** 2009
Mirae Asset Park Hyeon Joo Foundation

RESEARCH AND POLICY-RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

- **Graduate Student Assistant** March 2022 – June 2022
University of Chicago, Harris School of Public Policy, Pearson Institute
 - Supported research and policy projects related to international security and conflict.
- **Local Government Official (Manager)** December 2017 – August 2020
Seoul Metropolitan Government, Global Urban Partnership Division
 - Managed international cooperation projects with partner cities and global organizations.
 - Coordinated international policy initiatives related to urban governance and partnerships.
- **Research Associate** February 2017 – December 2017
Korea Information Society Development Institute (KISDI), Center for ICT Trade
 - Conducted research on Southeast Asian broadcasting markets (Malaysia, Singapore, and Thailand) and media regulation in China.
 - Analyzed regulatory frameworks governing press, broadcasting, and digital content, including restrictions on foreign media.
 - Co-authored policy research reports, including: Jeong, et al. (2017). *Strengthening Broadcast Co-production: Broadcasting Market Opening and Regulatory System in Co-production Negotiating Parties*. KISDI Research Report (17-15).

SERVICE

- **Undergraduate**

2026

UCSD POLI 198 Research Apprenticeship Program mentor, POLI 199 Independent Research Mentor

- **Graduate**

2024–2025

Grad Pal Program Ph.D. student mentor

SKILLS

Languages: Korean (Native), English (Fluent), Mandarin Chinese (Fluent), Japanese (Basic)

Technical Skills: R, Python, QGIS, LaTeX

Certifications: ADsP (Advanced Data Analytics Semi-Professional, South Korea, June 2021);

Certificate in Data Analytics, University of Chicago Harris School of Public Policy

REFERENCES

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