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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 2020

M.A. in Economics, Korea University, 2014

B.A. in Economics and Political Science, Korea University, 2012

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Primary field: Labor Economics, Urban Economics

Secondary fields: Public Economics

PUBLICATIONS

“Immigrants and the Pursuit of Amenities.” with David Albouy and Mariya Shappo.
Journal of Regional Science, 2020, 1-25.

“Minimum Wages and Retirement.” with Mark Borgschulte.
Industrial and Labor Relations Review, 2020, 73(1), 153-177.

RESEARCH IN PROGRESS

“Driver's License Reforms and Job Accessibility among Undocumented Immigrants.” *Under Review*.

“Partisanship and Survey Refusal.” with Mark Borgschulte and Darren Lubotsky. *Under Review*.
NBER Working Paper w26433.

“Instrumenting for Immigration Using Push Factors of Origin Countries”

“Living Next to the 100-Mile Border Zone”

SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES

- 2020 Southern Economic Association; Yonsei University; National Assembly Budget Office; Korea Development Institute; Korea Institute of Public Finance; Korea Institute for International Economic Policy; Korea Information Society Development Institute; Korea Institute for Industrial Economics & Trade; Ball State University
- 2019 Southern Economic Association; Urban Economics Association
- 2017 Illinois Economic Association; International Society for Quality-Of-Life Studies

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

2016-19 Teaching Assistant for Microeconomic Principles

2015 Teaching Assistant for Macroeconomic Principles

Korea University

2013 Teaching Assistant for Microeconomic Theory I (Graduate English Course)

RELEVANT POSITIONS

2015-19 Research Assistant for Mark Borgschulte, University of Illinois

2013 Research Assistant for Social Sciences Korea (SSK Project)

2012-13 Funded Graduate Student for Brain Korea 21 Project

2012-13 Research Assistant for Woojin Lee, Korea University

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

2019 Paul W. Boltz Fellowship / Department Travel Grant

2018 McNatt Memorial Award

2017 Brems Third Year Paper Award / Department Travel Grant

Korea University

2013 General Scholarship / Brain Korea 21+ (BK21+) Scholarship

REFERENCES

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