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Curriculum Vitae
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Employment

2020 – current	Assistance Professor	Metropolitan College of New York
2018 – current	Adjunct Professor	CUNY - Medgar Evers College
2011 – 2017	Graduate Teaching Fellow	Duke University
2009 – 2011	Graduate Research Assistant	Duke University
2008 – 2009	Research Assistant	Korean Institute for National Unification

Education

Ph.D.	Political Science	Duke University
M.S.	Statistical Science	Duke University
M.A. (Terminal)	Political Science	Duke University
B.A.	English Literature and Language	Ewha Womans University
B.A.	International Studies	Ewha Womans University

Publications

Sophie J. Lee, Howard Liu, and Michael D. Ward. 2018. “Lost in Space: Geolocation in Event Data”
 Political Science Research Methodology.

“Guns or Roses: The Determinants of Violent and Nonviolent Tactic in Resistance Movements”
 (Under review)

“Threat Perception and Resistance Dynamics: The Duration and Termination of Political Movements”
 (Under review)

Sophie J. Lee and Benjamin J. Radford “Going Ballistic: Nuclear Bursts in North Korea and Outbursts on Twitter”
 (Manuscript in preparation)

“Forecasting Using Tweets: Anti-government Protests in India”
 (Manuscript in preparation)

"New York City and Its Socio-Political History (Tentative title)" - Book project contracted with a Korean press
 (Manuscript in preparation)

Invited Research Talks

November 2017 University of California, San Diego (North Korea Working Group)

Title: "Going Ballistic: Nuclear Bursts in North Korea and Outbursts on Twitter."

May 2015 New York University (Alexander Hamilton Conference in Political Economy)

Title: "Guns or Roses: The Determinants of Violent and Nonviolent Strategy in Political Resistance."

2010. Asia Pacific Studies Institute (APSI) Forum at Duke University

Title: "Local Governance and Election in Ethnic Korean Communities in China's Jilin Province"

Conferences

2018 American Political Science Association (APSA) Boston, MA.

Presentation title: "Going Ballistic: Nuclear Bursts in North Korea and Outbursts on Twitter."

2017 Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) Chicago, IL

Presentation title: "Forecasting Using Tweets: Anti-government Protests in India"

Presentation title: "Threat Perception and Government Response: Duration and Termination of Resistance Movements"

2017 International Studies Association (ISA) Baltimore, MD

Presentation title: "The Power of Masses: Dynamics, Duration and Termination of Political Resistance"

2016. Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) Chicago, IL.

Presentation title: "The Power of Masses: Dynamics, Duration and Termination of Political Resistance"

Presentation title: "Learning Locations: Automated Geocoding and Location Disambiguation from Text in Event Data" (with Howard Liu and Michael Ward)

2014. Southern Association of Political Opinion Research (SAPOR), Raleigh, NC.

Presentation title: "The Lying Game: Synthesizing Precise Post-election Survey Data based on the Actual Electoral Outcome"

Teaching

- Medgar Evers College - City University of New York
 - PA 407 Comparative Public Administration (Undergraduate course)
 - PA 103 Introduction to Public Services and Administration (Undergraduate course)
- Metropolitan College of New York
 - PAA 610 SYS Introduction to Public Administration (Graduate course)
 - PAA 631 SK1 Strategic Planning and Proposal Writing (Graduate course)
 - PAA 630 SYS Public Economics (Graduate course)
 - PAA 610 VAL Public Policy (Graduate course)
- Duke University
 - PS 277 Ethnic Conflicts (Undergraduate course)
 - PS 233 Nuclear Weapons (Undergraduate course)
 - PS 332 Games and Politics (Undergraduate course)
 - PS 350 International Political Economy (Undergraduate course)

Service Activities

Reviewer of Journal of Politics
Reviewer of Foreign Policy Analysis
Reviewer of Routledge Press (Taylor & Francis Group)
Reviewer of International Journal of Nuclear Security
Panel Discussant, MPSA 2017
Panel Discussant, MPSA 2016

Professional Membership

APSA
MPSA
ISA

Skills

▪ **Statistical Software:**

R
Python (2.7 & 2.8)
STATA
SPSS
MatLab

▪ **Other computer skills**

LaTeX
MySQL
Javascript/ HTML/ CSS
Shell/ Bash
Working knowledge in C++ & Java
Photoshop
Microsoft Office Power Point, Word, and Excel.

▪ **Foreign languages:**

Korean (Bilingual proficiency)
Chinese (Professional working proficiency, 5th-year Chinese courses completed at Duke)

References

Ward, Michael (PhD Dissertation Committee Chair)
Beardsley, Kyle (PhD Dissertation Committee Chair)
Balcells, Laia (PhD Dissertation Committee)
Siegel, David (PhD Dissertation Committee)
Mukherjee, Sayan (M.S. Committee Chair)
Rundel, Colin (M.S. Committee)