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Education

Ph.D., History, University of California Los Angeles, 2007

Major Field: History of Korean Medicine

Secondary Field: History of East Asian Science, Technology, and Medicine

Dissertation: "Korean Medicine between the Local and the Universal: 1600–1945"

Committee: Charlotte Furth, Norton Wise, John Duncan, Burglind Jungmann

Ph.D. Candidate, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, February 1999

M.S., History of Science, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, February 1996

B.A., Science Education (Chemistry), Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, February 1993

Academic Employment

Associate Professor

Dartmouth College, Department of History in association with the Asian Societies, Cultures, and Languages Program, July 2017–present

Kyujanggak Fellow

Kyujanggak Institute for Korean Studies, Seoul National University, Seoul Republic of Korea

March–August 2018

Assistant Professor

Dartmouth College, Department of History in association with the Asian and Middle Eastern Studies Program, July 2011–June 2017

Research Fellow

East Asian Sciences and Traditions in Medicine Research Center, School of Life Sciences, University of Westminster, London United Kingdom, 2009–2010

Postdoctoral Fellow

Harvard University, Department of East Asian Languages and Civilizations in association with Department of History of Science, 2008–2009

Visiting Assistant Professor

Pitzer College, Claremont California, January–May 2007

Teaching Fellow, Teaching Associate, and Teaching Assistant

University of California Los Angeles, Department of History, 2005–2006; April–June, 2004; 2002–2003

Lecturer,

The University of Seoul, Seoul Republic of Korea, March 1998–December 1999

Teaching Assistant

Yanbian University of Science and Technology, Jilin China, March–December 1996

Fellowship

Global Visiting Fellow

School of Nursing, Seoul National University, Seoul, Republic of Korea

June 23–August 22 2022

Co-Researcher

“The Birth and Death of Disease: Understanding Social and Cultural Perceptions of and Response to Illness in History”

Ewha History Institute, Ewha Women’s University

September 2020–August 2026

Kyujanggak Fellowship

Kyujanggak Institute for Korean Studies, Seoul National University, Seoul Republic of Korea

March–August 2018

Jacobus Family Fellowship

Dartmouth College, July 2017–June 2018

Provost Research Funds

Dartmouth College, July 2017–June 2018

Junior Faculty Fellowship

Dartmouth College, September–December, 2014

Fellowship from the Leslie Center, Dartmouth College

“Evaluation, Value, Evidence: Medicine, Humanities and the Human Sciences,” held at Columbia University, New York, NY, April, 2013

Medical History Stipend

Neurobiology Department Fellowship (Research travel to China and Korea)

History Department UCLA, June–August, 2005

Andrew W. Mellon Visiting Fellowship

Needham Research Institute, Cambridge, UK, January–March, 2004

Fellowship (Tuition and boarding)

Middlebury Language School (Japanese: Third-year level), June–August, 2003

Fellowship (Tuition and boarding)

Middlebury Language School (Chinese: Fourth-year level), June–August, 2001

Fellowship (Tuition and teaching salary)

History Department UCLA, January, 2002–June, 2006

Fellowship (Tuition/stipend)

History of Science fund/ History Department UCLA, September, 2000–December, 2001

Publications

Books

Naming the Local: Medicine, Language, and Identity in Korea since the Fifteenth Century (Cambridge, Massachusetts: Harvard University Asia Center, 2017) Harvard East Asian Monograph Series, 404.

Sudden Transition and Enduring Past: Breast Cancer in Korea 1800–2010
(work in progress)

Peer-Reviewed Research Articles

- “Radiotherapies, Women, and Medical Meaning-Making in 1930s Korea,” *Journal of Korean Academic Society of Nursing* 30:4 (2024), 391–400 (Korean)
- “Beyond the Virus: Epidemics in the History of Chinese Medicine.” *Yöksa wa hõnsil* 역사와현실 118 (December 2020), 661–699 (Korean).
- “Rethinking Breast Mountain (yuam): Surgical Treatments of Breast Cancer in Korea, 1959–1993.” *Asia Pacific Perspectives* 14, no. 1 (Fall 2016), 2–26.
- “Shanghanlun in Korea, 1610–1945.” *Asian Medicine: Tradition and Modernity* 8, no. 2 (2015): 423–57.
- “Stories to Be Told: Korean Doctors Between Hwa-byung (Fire-illness) and Depression, 1970–2011.” *Culture, Medicine, and Psychiatry* 37, no. 1 (2013): 81–104.
- “From Influence to Confluence: Positioning the History of Pre-Modern Korean Medicine in East Asia.” *Korean Journal of Medical History* 19, no. 2 (2010): 225–54, state of the field article.
- “Herbs of Our Own Kingdom: Layers of the ‘Local’ in the *Materia Medica* of Chosõn Korea.” *Asian Medicine: Tradition and Modernity* 4, no. 2 (2009): 395–422.

Essays and Chapters in Books

- “Medicine in Chosõn Korea: Theory and Practice,” *Cambridge History of Korea*, submitted (peer review)
- “Marketing Medicine to Koreans.” In *Imagining Chinese Medicine*, edited by Vivienne Lo, 467–78. Leiden and Boston: Brill, 2018.
- “Hõ Chun’s (1539–1615) *Tongüi pogam* (*Precious Mirror of Eastern Medicine*).” In *Chinese Medicine and Healing: An Illustrated History*, edited by TJ Hinrichs and Linda L. Barnes, 137–39. Cambridge MA: Harvard University Press, 2013.
- “Waiting for a Feminist Critic of Science in Korea.” *Women & Society* 10 (1999). (Korean).
- “The Possibilities and Limits of Using Gender and Sexuality as an Analytical Unit in the History of Chinese Science and Technology.” *Journal of Korean History of Science Society* 20, vol. 2 (1998). (Korean).

Translation

- “Cases of Female Patients from *Miscellaneous Writings by Ujam Chang T’ae-gyõng* (張泰慶, 1809–1887).” *Asian Medicine: Tradition and Modernity* 11, no. 1–2 (2016): 192–206.

Other Contributions

- “A History of Herbal Medicine in Korea.” In *Chinese Herbal Medicine: Formulas and Strategies*, 2nd ed., edited by Volker Scheid and Dan Bensky. Seattle: Eastland Press, 2008. (encyclopedia entries)

Book Reviews

Haibŭridŭ hanŭihak (하이브리드 한의학) by Kim Jongyong (Tolpege, 2019) *Hanŭiwŏnŭi illyuhak* (한의원의 인류학) by Kim Taewoo (Tolpege, 2021), “Connected Bodies, Hybrid Medicine, and Excluded Voices” 연결된 몸, 혼종의 의학, 그리고 배제된 목소리들 *Seoul Review of Books* 4 (2021), 153–163 (in Korean)

It's Madness: The Politics of Mental Health in Colonial Korea (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2016). *Korea Journal* 61:2 (2021), 280–286.

Gender, Health, and History in Modern East Asia (Hong Kong: Hong Kong University Press, 2017). *Isis: A Journal of the History of Science Society* 111: 4 (December 2020), 863–864.

Curative Violence: Rehabilitating Disability, Gender, And Sexuality in Modern Korea by Eunjung Kim (Durham and London: Duke University Press, 2017). *The Journal of Asian Studies* 77:3 (2018), 818–19.

Tongŭi pogam kwa tongasia ŭihaksa 동의보감과 동아시아의학사 *Donguibogam and the History of Medicine in East Asia: How a Compilation Led to a Universal Synthesis of Medical Knowledge*, by Dongwon Shin (Seoul: Tŭllyŏk, 2015). *Journal of Korean History of Science Society* 39, no. 2 (2017).

Reconstructing Bodies: Biomedicine, Health, and Nation-Building in South Korea Since 1945, by John P. DiMoia (Stanford: Stanford University Press, 2013). *East Asian Science, Technology and Society: An International Journal* 9, no.1 (2015): 101–05.

The Monkey and the Inkpot: Natural History and Its Transformation in Early Modern China, by Carla Nappi (Cambridge, Massachusetts: Harvard University Press, 2009). *Journal of the Korean History of Science Society* 32, no. 2 (2010): 311–19. (Korean)

Hanŭihak, singminjirŭl alt'a 한의학식민지를앓다: 식민지시기 한의학의근대화연구 *The Modernization of Korean Traditional Medicine during the Colonial Period*, edited by Institute of History of Medicine, Yonsei University (Seoul: Akanet, 2008). *East Asian Science, Technology and Society: An International Journal* 4, no. 2 (2010): 363–66.

“In Search of the ‘Chinese’ Sexuality?”, review of *Sex, Culture, and Modernity in China*, by Frank Dikötter. *Journal of Modern Chinese History* 5 (1998). (Korean)

“Women and the History of Science and Technology,” review of *Gender and Technology*, by Francesca Bay (1997). *Women & Society* 9 (1998). (Korean)

Presentations

Invited talks and invitation-only workshops

“Radiotherapies for Women in Korea, 1930s–1970s,” Department of History, Seoul National University, Seoul Korea, June 27 2025.

“Radiotherapies for Women in Korea, 1930s–1970s,” Washington University in St. Louis, MO, Oct 10 2024.

- “Radiotherapies, Care, and Medical Meaning Making in Modern Korea,” Women’s Caring History, Leading the Future through Nursing Education, 30th Anniversary International Conference, The Korean Academic Society of Nursing Education, Seoul National University, College of Nursing, Seoul, July 11 2024.
- “Beyond Marginality: Rethinking Health and Illness in Chosŏn Korea,” Spring Colloquium, American Association of Teachers of Koreans, via Zoom, April 5 2024.
- “X-ray, Radium, and the Cobalt-60 Teletherapy in Twentieth-Century Korea,” The First Humanities Korea Conference: Nature, Technology, and Things: New Materialism in Korean Studies, The Kim Center for Korean Studies, University of Pennsylvania, PA, April 28, 2023.
- “Sudden Transition and Enduring Past: Breast Cancer in Korea, 1930s–1970s,” Sam Houston State University, Houston TX, March 22 2023 (Zoom)
- “Radiotherapies for Women in Korea, 1930s–1970s,” Ewha Women’s University, Seoul South Korea, November 18, 2022. (Zoom)
- “Radiotherapies for Women in Korea, 1930s–1970s,” The Kim Center for Korean Studies, University of Pennsylvania, PA, November 10, 2022.
- “Radiotherapies for Women in Korea, 1930s–1970s,” The Society of Korean Medical History, August 17, 2022. (Zoom)
- “Gender and Health in East Asia 1600–1900,” Seoul National University, School of Nursing, July 14, 2022. (Zoom)
- “Stories Matter: Medicine and Healing in the Margins,” Seoul National University, School of Nursing, June 30, 2022. (Zoom)
- “Medicine in Chosŏn Korea: Theory and Practice,” Cambridge History of Korea Contributor Workshop, University of British Columbia, August 28, 2021. (Zoom)
- “Breast Illnesses in Korean Medicine, 1800s–1930s,” Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures, Columbia University, New York NY, February 27, 2020.
- “Breast Illnesses in Korean Medicine, 1800s–1930s,” the Department of History workshop, “The Social and Cultural History of Disease in the East and the West,” Ewha Women’s University, Seoul South Korea, January 15, 2020.
- “Breasts, Cancer, and Women in Korea, 1800–1930s,” Asia Center Seminar Series on Science and Technology, Department of History of Science, Harvard University, Cambridge MA, November 19, 2018.
- “Medicine in Chosŏn Korea: Theory and Practice,” Cambridge History of Korea Contributor Workshop, University of Pennsylvania, PA, October 5–6, 2018.
- Conversation with Female Graduate Students, the Program of History and Philosophy of Science, Seoul National University, Seoul Korea, July 14, 2018.
- “Sudden Transition and Enduring Past: Breast Cancer in Korea, 1800–2010,” Colloquium at the Jangseogak Archive, the Academy of Korean Studies, Seongnam-si Korea, July 9, 2018.
- “Pharmaceuticals and Pharmacotherapy in East Asia, 1850–2015,” the University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, June 22–24, 2018.
- “Breasts, Cancer, and Women in Korea, 1800–1930s,” Colloquium at the Kyujanggak Institute for the Korean Studies, Seoul National University, Seoul Korea, June 20, 2018.

Conversation with Graduate Students, the Program of History and Philosophy of Science, Seoul National University, Seoul Korea, May 3, 2018.

“Bodies and Culture: Toward a Comparative History of Medicine,” Future of the Past Series, Rohatyn Center for Global Affairs, Middlebury College, Middlebury, VT, April 13 2017.

“Rethinking ‘Localization’: Medical Advertisements in Korea, 1876–1945,” paper presentation at “The Circulation of Asian Medicine and Medical Knowledge,” the Global Asias 4 Conference, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA, March 31–April 1, 2017.

“Pharmaceuticals and Pharmacotherapeutic Cultures in China and East Asia, 1850–2015,” planning workshop funded by Chiang Ching-kuo Foundation for International Scholarly Exchange, Toronto Ontario Canada, March 15, 2017.

“Naming Local Botanicals in the Vernacular: Medical Texts about *Hyangyak* (鄉藥) in Premodern Korea” paper presented at “Book Culture and Vernacular Identity in Premodern Korea and East Asia,” Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, October 30, 2016.

“Narrating Breast Cancer in Korea, 1959–1993,” paper presented at “Bodies, Healing, and Culture: A Social History of Medicine in East Asia,” International Conference at the University of San Francisco Center for Asia Pacific Studies, San Francisco CA, November 5–6, 2015.

“Naming and Identity: ‘Local Botanicals’ in the Korean Tradition of Medicine,” presented at the East Asian Studies Speaker Series, co-sponsored by History of Medicine, Johns Hopkins University, November 23, 2014.

“Medical Advertisements in Colonial Korea (1910–1945),” paper presented at “Medicine and Empire,” sponsored by the Japan Committee of the Center for East Asian Studies, University of Chicago, Chicago IL, May 11–12, 2012.

“*Shanghanlun (The Treatise on the Cold Damage Disorders)* in Korea,” paper presented at “Early Modern Asian Medical Classics and Medical Philology,” Princeton Institute for International and Regional Studies, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, February 10, 2012.

“Naming at the Margins: The Origins of Fire-illness in Korea,” paper presented at the 3rd Annual Rising Stars of Korean Studies, sponsored by University of Southern California’s Korean Studies Institute and funded by the Korea Foundation, Los Angeles, CA, October 21–22, 2011.

“*Shanghanlun (The Treatise on the Cold Damage Disorders)* in Korea,” research project presented at the “Medical Classics and Medical Philology in Early Modern East Asia, 1550–1850,” a research and reading module directed by Prof. Benjamin Elman and Prof. Susan Naquin at Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, February 18–19, 2011.

“Marketing Medicine in Colonial Korea (1910–45),” paper presented at the international conference of “Visual Culture in Medicine,” Institute of History and Philology, Academia Sinica (中央研究院歷史語言研究所), Taiwan, November 26, 2010.

“*Treatise on Cold Damage Disorders (傷寒論)* in Korea,” paper presented at “The (After)Life of Traditional Knowledge: The Cultural Politics and Historical Epistemology of East Asian Medicine,” University of Westminster, London, UK, August 20–21, 2010.

“Scientizing Korea,” paper presented at a colloquium, Korean Studies Institute, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, April 17, 2009.

“Local Botanicals in Transition: The Idea of ‘Koreanness’ under Changing Universalism of Medicine,” Brown Bag Lunch Talk at the Department of History of Science, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, February 24, 2009.

“Making Narrow Fields Broader: Research and Publication Across Areas and Disciplines,” presentation and group discussion, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, September 8, 2008.

“Medicine and the Politics of National Identity in Early Twentieth-Century Korea,” paper presented at a colloquium held by the University of Southern California Korean Studies Institute, Los Angeles, CA, September 27, 2007.

“Defining Koreans’ Bodies: Traditional Medicine and Biomedicine under Japanese Colonialism (1910–1945),” paper presented at the University of California Los Angeles Center for the Cultural Studies of Science, Technology, and Medicine, Los Angeles, CA, April 23, 2006.

“Marketing Medicine to Koreans in Manchuria,” paper presented at “Chinese Medicine: A Visual History,” Chinese Institute for the History of Medicine & Medical Literature; China Academy of Traditional Chinese Medicine and Wellcome Trust Center for the History of Medicine, University College London, Beijing China, September 15, 2005.

“Review of the Recent Scholarship in the History of East Asian Science and Medicine,” invited speech at a graduate seminar held by “Program in History and Philosophy of Science,” Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, December 12, 2003.

Conference/Workshop presentations

“Radiotherapy for Women in Colonial Korea,” paper presented at “Body, Illness, and Management,” proposed for the Association for Asian Studies annual conference, Columbus, Ohio, March 14, 2025.

“William S. Halsted’s Radical Mastectomy in South Korea, from 1948 to 2010,” paper presented at “Finding Hope: Women and Cancer Control in South Korea,” proposed for the Association for Asian Studies annual conference, Toronto, Canada, March 17, 2017.

“Lifesaving Water, Nation-Saving Medicine: Advertising Medicinal Products in Colonial Korea (1910–1945),” paper presented at the annual meeting of American Association for the History of Medicine, New Haven, CT, May 2, 2015.

Collis Manuscript Seminar, contributor for discussion of Professor Jonathan Schlesinger, “The Qing Invention of Nature,” Department of History, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, April 21, 2015.

The Manuscript Review Workshop, presentation, sponsored by the Dickey Center, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, May 13, 2014.

Book manuscript discussion, presentation, the Department Seminar, History Department, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, May 8, 2013.

“From Common Cold to Incurable Diseases: *Shanghanlun* in Korea,” paper presented at the Association for Asian Studies annual conference, San Diego, CA, March 21–24, 2013.

“Chinese Medicine in Korea,” presentation at colloquium on the “Globalization of Traditional Chinese Medicine,” organized by Prof. Susan Blader, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH, May 3, 2012.

“Stories to Be Told: Korean Doctors between Hwa-byung (Fire-illness) and Depression, 1970–2011,” paper presented at the Society for the Social History of Medicine annual meeting, Queen Mary, University of London, UK, September 10–12, 2012.

“Fire-illness: Globalized Psychiatry, Nationalized History, and the Korean Effort to Make the Local Visible,” paper presented at the History of Science Society annual meeting, Cleveland, OH,

November 4, 2011.

“Globalizing Hwabyōng: How Does an Illness Become Korean?”, paper presented at the Association for Asian Studies annual conference, Honolulu, HI, March 31, 2011.

“Defining the Local at the Margins: ‘Local Botanicals’ as a Manifestation of Korean Identity, 1236–1610,” paper presented at the Association for Asian Studies annual conference, Chicago, IL, March 26, 2009.

“When Did Chinese Medicine Become Korean?: ‘Local Botanicals’ in the Korean Tradition of Medicine,” paper presented at the History of Science Society annual meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, November 8, 2008.

“Herbs of Our Own Kingdom: Layers of the Local in the *Materia Medica* of Chosŏn Dynasty,” paper presented at the 12th International Conference of the History of Science in East Asia, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, July 15, 2008.

“Koreans’ Bodies between the Local and the Universal: 1900–1945,” paper presented at the Association for Asian Studies annual conference, Atlanta, GA, April 4, 2008.

“The Rise of Local Botanicals in Fifteenth-Century Chosŏn Korea,” paper presented at the World History Group Workshop, University of California San Diego, CA, May 13, 2005.

“*Pangyak Hap*’yŏn (*Fangyao Hebian*): A Nineteenth-Century Korean Compilation on Prescribing Drugs,” Text Reading Seminars (Lent Term), the Needham Research Institute, Cambridge, UK, February 20, 2004.

“Feminist Journalism on Science in Korea, 1999,” workshop on “The Feminist Activism and Women’s Writing,” Seoul Women’s University, Seoul, Korea, November 1999.

Comments on panels and papers

“Disease, Public Health, and Biogovernance on the Korean Peninsula,” chair, the Association for Asian Studies annual conference, Boston, Massachusetts, March 18, 2023.

“Purifying Blood: Scientific Surveys and Medical Definition of ‘Mixed Blood’ Koreans,” commentator, a roundtable panel titled Racing the Korean Imagery: Gender and the Making of Race in South Korea, Asian Center for Women’s Studies, Ewha Women’s University July 21–23, 2022.

“Governing Bloods: Science, Religion, and Race in Making Cold War South Korea,” chair and commentator, the Association for Asian Studies annual conference on line, March 21, 2021.

“Emotions, Culture, and Subjectivity in Korea,” commentator at the Hahn Moo-Sook Colloquium, the George Washington University, Washington DC, November 9–10, 2018.

“Intersections with Science, Medicine, and Technology in Korea,” commentator at workshop at Binghamton University, Binghamton, NY, October 20, 2012.

“*Han* Medicine and Russell’s Paradox,” commentator on a paper, International Conference on “Process and Han,” Claremont School of Theology, Claremont, CA February 1, 2007.

“Medical Knowledge in National Imagination of Gender,” commentator on panel of three papers, the 13th Berkshire Conference on the History of Women, “Sin Fronteras: Women’s Histories, Global Conversations,” Scripps College, Claremont, CA June 4, 2005.

Conference/Workshop Organization/Panel Proposal

“Public Health in the Making of the Modern East Asian States: A Comparative History,” a panel proposed for the Association for Asian Studies annual conference, Boston, Massachusetts, March 18, 2023.

“Illnesses in Asia: A Comparative History,” the Third History Institute Summer Workshop, Department of History, Dartmouth College June 2-4 2022.

“Finding Hope: Women and Cancer Control in South Korea,” a panel proposed for the Association for Asian Studies annual conference, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, March 17, 2017.

“Locating Emotions in the Body: Transnational Perspectives on the Treatment of Emotional Disorders,” class visit, public lecture, and workshop, sponsored by the Department of History, the Asian and Middle Eastern Studies Program, and the Dickey Center, Dartmouth College, NH, March 2–3, 2012.

“Workshop on East Asian Studies and Science & Technology Studies: Towards Productive Cross-fertilization,” co-organizer, sponsored by the Harvard-Yenching Institute, the Department of the History of Science, and the Department of East Asian Languages and Civilizations, Harvard University, MA, April 24, 2009.

Teaching Career and Courses Taught

2023-2024. All courses taught in-person. “Body Parts, Body Wholes: An Introduction to the Comparative History of Medicine,” “Introduction to Korean Culture,” “North Korea, Origins and Transition,” “Slaves and Rebels in Korea, 1392-1910,” Dartmouth College

2022-2023. All courses taught in-person. “Body Parts, Body Wholes: An Introduction to the Comparative History of Medicine,” “Introduction to Korean Culture,” “The Two Koreas, 1945–Present,” “War and Peace in Korea, 1231-1876,” Dartmouth College

2021-2022. All courses taught in-person with a mask on. “Body Parts, Body Wholes: An Introduction to the Comparative History of Medicine,” “Introduction to Korean Culture,” “The Two Koreas, 1945–Present,” “Slaves and Rebels in Korea, 1392-1910,” Dartmouth College

2020–2021. All courses taught on-line with self-produced lecture videoclips. “Body Parts, Body Wholes: An Introduction to the Comparative History of Medicine,” “Introduction to Korean Culture,” “The Two Koreas, 1945–Present,” “Slaves and Rebels in Korea, 1392-1910,” Dartmouth College

2019–2020. “Body Parts, Body Wholes: An Introduction to the Comparative History of Medicine,” “Introduction to Korean Culture,” “The Two Koreas, 1945–Present,” “Slaves and Rebels in Korea, 1392-1910,” Dartmouth College

2018–2019. “The Two Koreas, 1945–Present,” “North Korea, Origins and Transition,” Dartmouth College

2013–2017. “Introduction to Korean Culture,” “Body Parts, Body Wholes: An Introduction to the Comparative History of Medicine,” “North Korea, Origins and Transition,” “Christianity in Korea,” Dartmouth College

2012–2013. “Introduction to Korean Culture,” “Body Parts, Body Wholes: An Introduction to the Comparative History of Medicine,” “Christians in Korea: From the Seventeenth Century to the Present,” “Imperialism in Modern East Asia,” Dartmouth College

2011–2012. “Introduction to Korean Culture,” “Body Parts, Body Wholes: An Introduction to the Comparative History of Medicine,” “Science and Technology in the Making of Modern Korea,” Dartmouth College

2009. “Understanding Changes: Asian Science between the Local and the Universal,”

Harvard University

2007. “Traditional Medicine: A Cultural History of the Body in East Asia,” “Introduction to East Asian Civilization: From 1592 to the Present,” Pitzer College
2006. “Tradition and Modernity in East Asian Medicine,” “Scientific Knowledge in the Making of East Asia,” UCLA
2005. “World History after 1800” (TA for Prof. Arch Getty), UCLA
- 2002–2003. “History of World Religion” (TA for Prof. S. Scott Bartchy), “Social Knowledge and Social Power” (TA for Dr. Marcia Meldrum, “History of the Scientific Revolution” (TA for Dr. Marcia Meldrum), “History of Twentieth-Century Science” (TA for Prof. Theodore Porter), UCLA
- 1997–2000. “History of Western Science,” “History of Korean Science,” Seoul City University, Seoul, Korea
1996. Instructor of English Grammar in ESL program; Teaching Assistant in the Department of Liberal Arts, Yanbian University of Science and Technology (延邊科學技術大學) Jilin(吉林), China

Languages

Korean: Native speaker
 English: Written and spoken fluency
 Modern Chinese: Reading academic articles and basic dialogue
 Classical Chinese: Reading medical texts
 Other: Reading comprehension of modern Japanese and German

Professional Memberships

- 2014– American Association for the History of Medicine
 2013– International Association for the Study of Traditional Asian Medicine
 2011– History of Science Society
 2007– Association for Asian Studies
 1995–2000. Member, Korean Research Institute of Women
 1998–2000. Editorial Member, *Women & Society* (annual journal in Korean)

Professional Services

- 2019–2023 Senior Advisory Board, *East Asian Science, Technology and Society: an International Journal*
- 2018–Present Associate Editor, *Asian Medicine: The Journal of the International Association for the Study of Traditional Asian Medicine*
- 2018–2020 Editorial board, *the Review of Korean Studies*, Academy of Korean Studies
- 2017 Committee, The Charles Leslie Award for Best Essay by a Junior Scholar, The International Association for the Study of Traditional Asian Medicine
- 2017 February 23. External examiner of a Ph.D. thesis (by Shin Kwon Kim): The Wellcome Unit for the History of Medicine, Oxford University, UK
- 2016– Editorial Member, *Korean Journal of the History of Science*
2013. External supervisor of a Ph.D. student’s (Mr. Ki-bok Yi) qualifying examination: Program in the History and Philosophy of Science, Seoul National University, South Korea.

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