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EDUCATION

1995	Doctor of Philosophy, Linguistics	University of Hawaii, Manoa
1987	Master of Arts, Linguistics	SUNY at Buffalo
1984	Bachelor of Arts, English and Literature	Kon Kuk University, Seoul, Korea

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2000-Present	Assistant, Associate, Full Professor	Binghamton University
2008-Present	Director, Center for Korean Studies	Binghamton University
2017-Present	Visiting Professor (Summer)	Korea University
2007-2008	Visiting Associate Professor, Linguistics	Cornell University/University of Hawaii
2001, 2005	Interim Chair, Department of GREAL	Binghamton University
2003	Visiting Associate Professor, Linguistics	MIT
1996-2000	Lecturer, Department of Asian Languages	Stanford University
1997	Visiting Assistant Professor, East Asian	Indiana University
1993-1996	Lecturer, Department of Asian Languages	University of Michigan, Ann Arbor
1989-1993	Graduate Student Instructor, Linguistics	University of Hawaii at Manoa
1987-1989	Lecturer, Department of English	Hankuk University of Foreign Studies

RESEARCH

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Linguistics (Syntax and Morphology)

Language Pedagogy (Motivation and Assessment)

National Standards for Learning Korean and Other Languages

Language and Culture of Korea

PUBLICATIONS

Books (8)

The Cambridge Handbook of Korean Linguistics, co-edited with John Whitman. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2022. (875 pages)

Korean: A Linguistic Introduction, co-authored with John Whitman. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2020. (343 pages)

Curriculum Development and Assessment Guidelines for the National Standards Project Newcastle upon Tyne, UK: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2018. (178 pages)

Studies in Korean Linguistics and Language Pedagogy: Festschrift for Ho-min Sohn. Co-edited with Sung-Ock Sohn and Seok-Hoon You. Seoul: Korea University Press, 2013. (616 pages)

Inquiries into Korean Linguistics III. Co-edited with John Whitman, et al. Seoul: Hankook Publishing Company, 2008. (570 pages)

Integrated Korean: High Advanced I. Co-authored with Hyosang Lee and Hye-sook Wang. Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press, 2005. (265 pages)

Integrated Korean: High Advanced II. Co-authored with Hyosang Lee and Hye-sook Wang. Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press, 2005. (281 pages)

On Verbal Intransitivity in Korean: With Special Reference to Middle Constructions. Seoul: Hanshin Publishing Company, 1995. (190 pages)

Book Manuscripts under Contract (5): 2023-2024

Korean: A Language Pedagogy. Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group. 2023.

A Comparative Linguistics of Korean and Japanese, co-authored with Yutaka Sato. OUP. 2023.

Korean Syntax, co-authored with Donna Gerds and John Whitman. CUP. 2024.

Standard-Based Integrated Korean: High Advanced I and II. co-authored with HC Chun, J-Y Jung, K Ko, HS Lee, and HS Wang. Honolulu: University of Hawaii Press, 2024

Referred Journal Articles and Book Chapters (23)

2022 “Politeness Strategies in Korean” in *The Cambridge Handbook of Korean Linguistics*, co-edited by Sungdai Cho and John Whitman, 105-132. Cambridge University Press.

2022 “Introduction” in *The Cambridge Handbook of Korean Linguistics*, co-edited by Sungdai Cho and John Whitman. 1-16. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

2020 “The Transitivity/Detransitivization Profile of Japanese and Korean”, *Japanese/Korean Linguistics Journal*. CSLI, Stanford University Press (online).

2018 “Doubling Phenomena of Causative and Passive Constructions.” *Journal of Studies in Korean Linguistics* 47:71-100.

2015 “Korean Studies Program: State University of New York at Binghamton.” In *Narrative History of Korean Programs in US Colleges and Universities*, ed. Hye-Sook Wang, 171-180. Seoul, Korea University Press.

2013 “Passivization of Transitive Verbal Nouns in Korean: Factors that Facilitate Passivization in the VN-*cwung* construction,” *Language Research* 49-3:803-828.

2013 “Collaborative Writing Planning with Concept Maps,” co-authored with Yongjin Lee. In *Studies in Korean Linguistics and Language Pedagogy: Festschrift for Ho-min Sohn*, ed. S Cho, S-O Sohn and S-H You, 241-253. Seoul, Korea University Press.

2012 “Standards for Korean Foreign Language Learning in the 21st Century.” *A Collaborative Project of the Korean National Standards Task Force and the American Association of Teachers of Korean*, 519-570. Allen Press Inc. Lawrence, KS.

2010 “Using Concept Map Prewriting Strategies in Korean Writing Classes,” co-authored with Yongjin Lee. *The Korean Language in America: Journal of the AATK* 15:46-61.

2010 “National Standard: Effective Assessment Tool for Performance-Based Learning (Based on Keynote Speech).” *Toward a New Perspective on Grammar Teaching in Korean Language Education*, 387-399.

2010 “Cleft Constructions in Japanese and Korean,” co-authored with Y. Yanagida and J. Whitman. *Chicago Linguistic Society* 44-1:61-77.

2008 “Silent Structure in wh-in-situ Languages: Sluicing.” *Harvard International Studies of Korean Linguistics (ISOKL)* 12:318-331.

2006 “Linguistic Structures of Korean.” In *Korean Language in Culture and Society*, ed. Ho-min Sohn, 236-248. Honolulu, University of Hawaii Press.

2006 “Linguistics and Language Teaching: Connection and Challenge.” In *Inquiries into Korean Linguistics II*, ed. W. O’Grady, 59-70. Seoul, Taehaksa.

2006 “Korean as a World Language,” *Journal of AATK* 11:1-16.

2004 “Oral Proficiency Interview: Pros and Cons.” *Journal of AATK*. 9:144-151.

2001 “Metonymic Process of Causative Constructions.” *Harvard ISOKL* 9:35-45.

2000 “Teaching Korean in the US: Methodology and Institution Concerns.” *Journal of AATK* 4:77-94.

1999 “Distinction of Unaccusative and Unergative.” *Harvard ISOKL* 8:266-79.

1999 “Review for Korean Textbooks for English Speakers: Grammar, Culture and Task/Function.” *Journal of AATK* 3:297-307.

1998 “Putative Korean Middle Constructions.” *Harvard ISOKL* 7:266-98.

1998 “Passive and middle constructions in Korean.” *Korean Linguistics. Journal of the International Circle of Korean Linguistics* 9:151-190.

1993 “On the potential middle constructions in Korean (Revised Version).” *Language Research* 29:443-477.

TEACHING

Korean Language

- High Advanced (AAAS 480V/AAAS 580H/KOR 407, 408)

Korean Culture and Society

- Language, Culture and Society in Korea (AAAS 311/LING 335/ANTH 380K)

Linguistics

- Structure of Korean (AAAS 218/LING 283A)
- Morphology and Syntax (AAAS 314/LING 314/ANTH 314)
- East Asian Linguistic (AAAS 439/LING 480P/AAAS 580E)
- Advanced Korean Linguistics (AAAS 436/LING 436/AAAS 536)
- Pedagogy for East Asian Languages: Korean (AAAS 449/LING 480P/AAAS 580A)

SERVICES TO THE PROFESSION/COMMUNITY/UNIVERSITY/DEPARTMENT

Professional/Community Service

2022-Present	Abstract Reviewer, ACTFL and J/K Conference.
2017-Present	Editorial Board, Journal of Association for Korean Linguistics. Director, International Summer Program at Korea University
2013-Present	Editorial Board, Journal of Joongwon Linguistic Society of Korea.
2009-Present	Editorial Board, Journal of American Association of Teachers of Korean.
2017-Present	Selection Committee for Critical Language Scholarship Program, United States. Department of State
1995-Present	Manuscript Peer Reviewer <i>Linguistics</i> (<i>Lingua</i> , <i>Journal of Korean Studies at Columbia University</i> , <i>Meta: Journal des traducteurs/Translators' journal</i> , <i>Journal of Linguistics</i> , <i>Journal of Language Research</i> , <i>Linguistic Society of America</i> , <i>First Language</i> , <i>SAGE Open</i>) <i>Pedagogy</i> (<i>National East Asian Language Resource Center at Ohio State University</i> , <i>Foreign Language Annals: Language Pedagogy</i> , <i>American Association of Teachers of Korean: Korean Pedagogy</i> , <i>University of Hawaii Press</i>) <i>Korean Culture</i> (<i>Korean Journal of Policy Studies at SNU</i> , <i>Korea Observer</i>)
2013-2016	Director, International Summer Program at Hanyang University
2011-2018	Project Director (20 committee members in K-16), National Standards Project for Framework of Curriculum Development and Assessment Guideline
2009-2012	Chair, Korean Special Interest Group, ACTFL
2009	Director, Korean Language Summer Institute, Critical Language Scholarship Program, United States Department of States
2008-2011	Chair, Task Force Com. for National Standards for Learning Korean, ACTFL
2006-2008	Chair, Research Planning Committee, ICKL
2005-2008	Chair, Test Development Committee for SAT II Korean, College Board and ETS
1998-2005	Committee Member, Test Development Com. for <i>SAT II Korean</i> , CB and ETS
2003-2005	Committee Member, Research Planning Committee, ICKL
2003-2005	Committee Member, Research Planning Committee, IAKLE
2002-2005	Executive Board Member, AATK

University Service

2020	Member, Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Faculty Service
2020	Chair, Linguistics Advisory Committee
2018-2020	Member, Study Abroad Scholarship Committee, IAAD
2000-Present	Member, Linguistic Steering Committee, Department of Anthropology
2016-2017	Member, Strategic Priority #2 (Undergraduate Education), TAE
2012-2015	Member, Professional Standards Committee

2012-2014	Member, Academic Computing and Educational Technology Committee
2005-2008	Member, Dean's Research Semester Award Committee
2002-2007	Member, International Education Advisory Committee
2003-2005	Member, University Undergraduate Curriculum Committee
2003-2004	Faculty Senate
2002-2003	Chair, East Asian Library Committee

Department Service

2022-2023	Graduate Director, Asian and Asian American Studies Chair, Search Committee, Korean Language Lecturer
2017-2018	Chair, Search Committee, Korean Language Lecturer Junior Personal Committee, North Korean Literature (Service)
2015-2016	Junior Personal Committee (Secretary)
2011-2012	Harpur College Council, Graduate Committee
2009-2011	National Resources Center Grant Committee, Harpur College Council Graduate Committee, Library Committee
2008-2009	Junior Personal Committee, Asian Religion, Sociology (Research) Search Committee, Modern Korean History
2007-2008	Junior Personal Committee, Korean Literature (Chair)
2006-2007	Junior Personal Committee, Chinese Literature, Russian Literature
2005-2006	Junior Personal Committee, Japanese Linguistics (Chair), Asian Philosophy (Chair), Japanese Literature, Korean Literature (Chair), Anthropological Linguistics, Search Committee, East Asian Librarian
2004-2005	Department Interim Chair Junior Personal Committee, Southeast Asian History, Chinese Language, Japanese Language, Russian Language
2003-2004	Junior Personal Committee, Japanese Language (Chair), Chinese Language, Chinese Literature, German Literature, Russian Literature
2002-2003	Junior Personal Committee, Japanese Linguistics (Chair) Search Committee, Korean Literature (Chair)
2001-2002	Search Committee, East Asian Librarian, Lecturer in Japanese Language
2000-2001	Department Interim Chair Undergraduate Director, Harpur College Council Search Committee, Chinese Language and Literature

GRANTS/MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Total Amount of External Grants: \$2,989,288

Four faculty in Korean Studies (Literature, History, NK, Language) and two staff (CKS/IEGI) Hired	
2022-2025	PI, AKS Lab Grant: Reinforcing the Status Korean as a World Language: Theoretical and Applied Korean Linguistics. Academy of Korean Studies (AKS). 9/1/2022-8/31/2025 (\$240,000) (AKS-2022-LAB-2230005)
2016-2021	Co-PI, AKS Lab Grant: Korean at the Nexus of the Northeast Asian Linguistic Area (with John Whitman at Cornell University), Academy of Korean Studies (AKS). 9/1/2016-8/31/2021 (\$1.4 Million) (AKS-2016-LAB-2250004)
2011-2016	PI, Core University Program for Korean Studies, Academy of Korean Studies (AKS). 9/1/2011-8/31/2016 (\$909,706) (AKS-2011-BAA-2103)
2010-2014	PI, ACTFL Conference Organization, Korea Foundation (\$115,420)
2009-2012	PI, Professorship Establishment Grant, Korea Foundation (\$194,942)
2009	PI, Teaching Material Development Grant, Korea Foundation (\$25,000)
2007	PI, Korean Studies Symposium, Korea Foundation (\$3,750)
2003-2006	PI, Professorship Establishment Grant, Korea Foundation (\$100,470)