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#### **EDUCATION**

2019	Ph.D.	Sociology	University of Hawai'i at Mānoa,	Honolulu, HI.
2015	MA	Sociology	University of Hawai'i at Mānoa,	Honolulu, HI.
2013	BA	Sociology	International Christian University,	Tokyo, Japan

#### RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Inequality, Globalization, Political Sociology, Comparative Sociology, Qualitative Methodology, Asian Studies (Japan and Korea)

#### **AFFILITATIONS**

2020- Assistant Professor, Graduate School of International and Area Studies, Hankuk

University of Foreign Studies, Seoul, South Korea

2019- 2020 Postdoctoral Fellow, Reischauer Institute, Harvard University

External affiliations

2021- Visiting Researcher, Research Institute of Automobile and Parts Industries, Waseda

University, Tokyo, Japan

2019-2020 Associate, Cluster on Comparative Inequality and Inclusion, Weatherhead Center for

International Affairs, Harvard University

2017-2018 Visiting Researcher, School of Asia-Pacific Studies, Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan

and Dept. of Sociology, Chung-Ang University, Seoul, South Korea

## **PUBLICATIONS**

## Referred Journal Articles/ Book Chapters

2020 (with Dr. Naoto Higuchi) "The Third Round of Immigrant Incorporation in East Asia: An

Introduction to Special Issue Friends and Foes of Multicultural East Asia." Journal of

Contemporary Eastern Asia. 19 (2): 1-19.

2019 (Online first) "Precarious Regular Jobs in Japan." Japan Forum: the Journal of the British Association

for Japanese Studies

2018-2019 Graduate Student Best Paper Award, Department of Sociology,

UHM

2019 "Becoming Right-Wing Citizens in Contemporary Japan." Contemporary Japan, 31 (2):

122-140.

2020 Contemporary Japan Best Paper Award [Awarded to the best article

published in this journal in the two years' period]

**Journal Special Issue** 

2020 (with Dr. Naoto Higuchi) Guest Editor "Friends and Foes of Multiculturalism in East

Asia." Journal of Contemporary Eastern Asia. 19 (2)

#### In Progress

**Book Manuscript** 

Hope and Reality: Inequality, Insecurity, and the Sense of Injustice among Young Adults

in Seoul and Tokyo.

Edited Volume

(With Dr. Naoto Higuchi) *The Digital Flourishing of the Radical Right: the Role of the Internet in Japan's Radical Right.* Manchester University Press.

**Book Chapter** 

"New Right-Wing Movement as Alternative Politics: Why Did They Achieve Success?" in *Alternative Politics in Japan* edited by D. Slater and P. Steinhoff.

2016 Seidensticker Award for Best Japan Paper, the School of Pacific and Asian

Studies Graduate Student Conference, UH Manoa

Journal Articles

(With Dr. Sharon Yoon) "The Rise and Fall of Japan's New Far-Right: How Anti-Korean Discourses Went Mainstream."— Conditionally accepted, *Politics and Society*; draft available upon request

"Reluctant-Commitment or Practical-Adjustment?: Commitment to Competition for Elite

Universities in East Asia." — Under review; draft available upon request

"Contradiction as Injustice: How Senses of Inequality Differ across National Contexts."

— draft available upon request

#### **Others**

2018 Interviewed for a newspaper article "Young People are Key in Japan-Korea Relations."

Korea JoongAng Daily, February 19, 2018.

2012 With Okubo Marie, Daiki Hiramori, and Rio Horizoe (equal authorship). 2012. "The

Effect of Parental Status on Sexual Permissiveness." Pp. 55-68 in Student *Research Papers for Quantitative Analysis in Sociology II*, 2011, edited by Yoshito Ishio. Tokyo,

Japan: International Christian University. (In Japanese)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Hankuk University of Foreign Studies

Race, Class, and Gender (Grad) — Spring 2021

Seminar in Japanese Culture and Society: Qualitative Research Method (Grad) — Spring 2021

Social Inequality in Contemporary Japan (Grad) — Fall 2020

Modern and Contemporary History of Japan (Undergrad) — Spring 2021

Contemporary Japanese Society (Undergrad) —Fall 2020

University of Hawaii at Manoa

As a lecturer

Survey of Social Stratification and Inequality — Summer 2019

As a Teaching Assistant

Introduction to Sociology — Fall 2015, 2016, Spring 2016, 2017

Survey of Sociological Theory — Fall 2018

Racism & Ethnicity in Hawai'i: — Fall 2018

Sociology of Japan — Spring 2019

## FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

## **Full-Fellowship and Awards**

2019-2020 Postdoctoral Fellow, Reischauer Institute of Japanese Studies, Harvard University 2017-2018 Korea Foundation Field Research Fellowship

2016-2017	Gary Kazuo Sakihara Memorial Award, Dept. of Sociology, UHM
2014-2015	East-West Center Graduate Degree Fellowship

## Other Scholarships and Awards

2017-2018	Core Scholarship, Center for Korean Studies, UHM
2016-2017	Edison H. and Sallie Y. Miyawaki Fellowship, East-West Center (5,500 US\$)
2015-2016	John Fee Embree Scholarship, Center for Japanese Studies, UHM
2014-2015	Achievement Scholarship, Department of Sociology, UHM (1,750 US\$)
2014-2015	Center for Japanese Studies Fellowship, UHM (500 US\$)
2014-2015	Hayano Sasaki Graduate Scholarship, Center for Japanese Studies, UHM (2,000 US\$)
2014-2015	EWCPA Alumni Scholarship, East West Center (2,400 US\$)
2013-2014	Departmental Merit Scholarship, UHM (3,250 US\$)
2012-2013	Scholarship for Outstanding Students, International Christian University (Approx. 4,500US\$)
2014 and 2015	Graduate Travel Fund, Department of Sociology, University of Hawai'I at Manoa (1,000
	US\$ each)
2014 and 2015	Travel Grant, Graduate Student Organization, University of Hawai'I at Manoa (720
	US\$ and 500 US\$)

October 2011 Dean's list, International Christian University

## INVITED PRESENTATIONS

March 2021	Global Excellence Seminar, GSIS, Seoul National University, South Korea		
Dec. 2020	Department of Modern Languages and Cultures, University of Manchester		
Mar. 2019	Japan Forum, The Reischauer Institute, Harvard University. Cambridge, MA.		
Mar. 2019	Weatherhead Center Comparative Inequality and Inclusion Symposium, Harvard University,		
	Cambridge, MA.		
Feb. 2019	Korean Millennials Project Annual Meeting at Yale University. New Haven, CT.		
Oct. 2010	Japan's New Nationalism: 'Hate Books' and Cyber-Nationalism Symposium, FAU. Nuremberg,		
	Germany.		