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Academic Appointments

2019–Present	Assistant Professor, Adelphi University
2022-2023	Howard J. Samuels State and City Policy Center Fellow, Austine W. Marx School of Public and International Affairs, Baruch College, The City University of New York
2022	Director of International Relations, Adelphi University
2019	Research Coordinator, Inequality and Policy Research Center
2018	Adjunct, Claremont Graduate University
2016–2018	Adjunct, Azusa Pacific University, California State University, Long Beach & Dominguez Hills
2017	Post-doctoral Research Associate, Claremont Institute for Economic Policy Studies

Education

2016	Ph.D. in Political Science, Claremont Graduate University, CA
2008	M.A. in Political Science, Pennsylvania State University, PA
2004	M.A. in International Relations, University of Chicago, IL
2003	M.A. in Religion (with Ethics Concentration), Yale University, CT
2000	B.A. in Political Science, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI

Summer Institutes

2024	Bayesian Thinking in STEM - Instructor Training Bootcamp, Vassar College, NY
2021	IBM Data Science Practitioner - Instructor Certificate, Adelphi University, NY
2014	Empirical Implication of Theoretical Models - Classes, University of Huston, TX
2006	Inter-University Consortium for Political and Social Research - Classes, University of Michigan Ann Arbor, MI

Peer Review Journal Articles

- Lee, Dong Wook, Melissa Rogers, and Hillel Soifer. Forthcoming. “[The Modifiable Areal Unit Problem in Political Science.](#)” *Political Analysis*.
- Ha, Eunyoung and Dong Wook Lee. 2022. “[Partisanship, Fiscal Transfers, and Social Spending in Korea: The Politics of Partial Decentralization.](#)” *Journal of East Asian Studies*, 22(2): 171-200.
- Lee, Dong Wook and Melissa Rogers. 2019. “[Measuring Geographic Distribution for Political Research.](#)” *Political Analysis*, 27(3): 263-280.
- Lee, Dong Wook and Melisa Rogers. 2019. “[Inter-regional Inequality and the Dynamics of Government Spending.](#)” *Journal of Politics*, 81(2): 487-504.
- Ha, Eunyoung, Dong Wook Lee, and Puspa Amri. 2014. “[Trade and Welfare Compensation: The Missing Links.](#)” *International Interactions*, 40(5): 631-656.
- Dar, Luciana and Dong Wook Lee. 2014. “[Partisanship, Political Polarization, and State Higher Education Budget Outcomes.](#)” *Journal of Higher Education*, 85(4): 469-498.

Book Chapters

Alemán, José, **Dong Wook Lee**, and Dwayne Woods. 2023. “States of Emergency: In Whose Interest Are They Invoked?” In Segell, Glen. (Ed.), *Globalization, Security, Development and Global Values: Essays in Honor of Arno Tausch*. Switzerland: Springer, 157-185.

Papers Under Review

Lee, Dong Wook and Melissa Rogers. “Vote your Region or your Income? Decomposing Variance in Redistributive Voting.” Revised & Resubmitted to *Territory, Politics, Governance*.

Alemán, José and **Dong Wook Lee**. “Autocracy and Repression: Regime Features, Regime Types, and Repertoires of Repression.” Revised & Resubmitted to *Political Studies*.

Selected Working Papers

Dong Wook Lee and Huang, Xian. “Class, Place, and Interregional Economic Inequality in Chinese Fairness Perceptions.”

Ha, Eunyong and **Dong Wook Lee**. “Economic Inequality, Mass-Elite Communication, and Political Polarization in South Korea.”

Lee, Dong Wook and Melissa Rodgers. “Political Parties and the Geography of Economic Preference”.

Alemán, José and **Dong Wook Lee**. “Demonstration or Cooperation? The External Determinants of State Terrorism.”

Lee, Dong Wook, Susan Kilgore, and Se Kwen Kim. “Suburban Poverty and Dissemination of Public Goods: COVID-19 Policies Administered in Long Island, New York.”.

External Research Awards

Total external research grants = \$74,127

2022-2023 | Research grant (\$8,670) on state and local policies in New York. Funded by the Samuels Center at Baruch College’s Austine W. Marx School of Public and International Affairs. Lead PI: **Dong Wook Lee**; Co-PIs: Susan Kilgore and Se Kwen Kim.

2021-2022 | The National Institute of Aging pilot award (GR20038, \$65,457). “Fitting the Geographic Distribution of Alzheimer’s Disease and Related Dementia to Political Divisions for Health Policy Effectiveness: A Modifiable Areal Unit Problem Approach.” This is an administrative supplement report to parent “Network on Life Course Health Dynamics and Disparities in 21st Century America (#2424AG045061)”. Lead PI: Javier M. Rodriguez; Co-PIs: **Dong Wook Lee**, Sandra P. Garcia, and Melissa Rodgers.

Internal Research Awards at Adelphi University

Total internal research grants = \$4,200

2020-2021 | Adelphi Faculty Development Grant (\$2,700) (Lead PI: **Dong Wook Lee**; Co-PI: Susan Kilgore)

2020-2021 | Adelphi Faculty Development Grant (\$1,500) (PI: Dong Wook Lee)

2019-2022 | Faculty Research/Creative Activity Release (Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Fall 2021, Fall 2022), Adelphi University

Other Grants, Fellowship, and Awards

2024	Outstanding Mentor Award, College of Arts and Sciences, Adelphi University
2023	Training stipend for the first tier program of Bayesian Thinking in STEM funded by NSF, Vassar College, NY. (\$2,000)
2022	American Political Science Association Conference Travel Grant (\$200)
2014-2015	Doctoral Dissertation Research Grant, Claremont Graduate University, CA (\$10,000)
2014	Training Stipend for Empirical Implication of Theoretical Model funded by NSF, University of Houston, TX (\$2,000)
2014	Research Conference Travel Grant, Institute for Humane Studies, George Mason University, VA (\$350)
2012-2013	Graduate Student Council Travel Award, Claremont Graduate University, CA (2x\$350)
2009-2016	Teaching and Research Assistant Fellowship, Department of Politics and Policy, Claremont Graduate University, CA
2009-2011	Graduate Tuition Fellowship, Claremont Graduate University, CA
2005-2008	College of Liberal Arts Scholar Fellowship, Pennsylvania State University, PA
2002	Two Brothers Fellowship for Language Training in German, Yale Divinity School, CT
2001-2002	Graduate Teaching Fellowship, Department of East Asian Language and Literature, Yale University, CT

Invited Research Talks

Sept. 2022	<u>Comparative Politics Workshop</u> , University of Southern California, California, USA.
Apr. 2022	<u>In_equality Conference 2022</u> , University of Konstanz, Konstanz, Germany.
Feb. 2022	<u>Webinar Talk</u> , University of California Santa Barbara, California, USA.
Feb. 2020	<u>Comparative Politics Workshop</u> , London School of Economics, London, UK. “Vote Your Region or Your Income? Decomposing Variance in Redistributive Voting.” (w/ Melissa Rogers).
Nov. 2019	<u>Spotlight on Asia’ Talk Series</u> , Adelphi University. “Partisan Politics and Redistributive Policies in South Korea.”
Feb. 2019	<u>US Immigration Policy Center</u> , University of California San Diego. “Political Geography of Wage Inequality and Public Opinion Toward Latinos: A Text Analysis Approach.” (w/ Raul Madrid).
Apr. 2017	<u>California State University Long Beach Faculty Research Colloquium</u> . “Measuring Geographic Distribution.”
Oct. 2013	<u>University of California San Diego Political Economy Group</u> . “Inequality, Electoral Institutions, and Government Spending.” (w/ Melissa Rogers).
Feb. 2012	<u>Claremont Graduate University Tuesday Talk Series</u> . “Uneven Development, Unequal Education.” (w/ Melissa Rogers).

Conference Paper Presentations

2024	American Political Science Association (APSA), Philadelphia, USA Korea Inequality Research Lab (KIRL) International Conference, Seoul, South Korea Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, USA
2023	American Political Science Association (APSA), Los Angeles, USA Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, USA.
2022	The 11th World Congress of Korean Studies, Seongnam City, South Korea. American Political Science Association (APSA), Montreal, Canada. Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Virtual Meeting.
2021	American Political Science Association (APSA), Seattle, USA.
2020	American Political Science Association (APSA), Virtual Meeting.
2019	Visions in Methodology, University of Georgia, USA. World Congress Conference, Seoul, South Korea. Western Political Science Association (WPSA), San Diego, USA.
2018	Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, USA.
2017	Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, USA.
2016	Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, USA.
2015	Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, USA.
2014	American Political Science Association (APSA), Philadelphia, USA. Southern California Comparative Political Institutions, UCLA, Los Angeles, USA. Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, USA. International Studies Association West Conference, Pasadena, USA.
2013	Southern California Comparative Political Institutions, UCSB, Santa Barbara, USA. American Political Science Association (APSA), Chicago, USA. Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, USA. International Studies Association (ISA), San Francisco, USA.
2012	Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, USA.
2011	Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, USA.
2010	International Studies Association (ISA) West Conference, Los Angeles, USA Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, USA.

Community Exhibition and Media Participation

2019	Exhibition of Scholarly and Artistic Works, Adelphi University Showcase (Journal Article): Measuring Geographic Distribution for Political Research
2019	Inequality and Policy Research Center Webinar (https://youtu.be/PFpq9bqQn5Q)

Memberships in Professional Societies

2019–Present	Inequality and Policy Research Center, Institute for Democratic Renewal (Research Associate)
2014–Present	Association of Korean Political Studies (General Member)
2013–Present	American Political Science Association (General Member, Class and Inequality Section)
2010–Present	Midwest Political Science Association (General Member)
2013–2019	Southern California Comparative Political Institutions (General Member)
2010–2014	International Studies Association (General Member)

Service to the Profession

Committee	<p><u>Department Level:</u> Faculty Fund Committee (Chair: Traci Levy) Fall 2023 – Present. Responsibility: Budgetary review for the departmental funds to support faculty teaching and research SOC Student Opportunity Committee (Chair: Maggie Gray) Fall 2023 – Present. Responsibility: Developing Internship programs /global immersion experiences (for POLIR majors) Search committee for a tenure-track position in public policy, Spring 2022. Responsibility: Diversity advocate; reviewing applications; attending job interviews. The Best Political Science Paper Awards Committee (Chair: Regina Axelrod) Spring 2022, (Chair: Maggie Grey) Spring 2021, Spring 2020. Responsibility: Selecting the Best Senior Seminar Paper</p>
	<p><u>School (College of Arts and Sciences) Level:</u> Political Science Liaison to Levermore Global Scholars (LGS) Program (Chair: Susan Briziarelli) Fall 2023 – Spring 2024. Responsibility: Attending LGS Faculty Meetings and IR Majors (also in LGS) Advising</p>
	<p>Asian Studies Affiliated Faculty, Spring 2022-Present.</p>
	<p>Director of International Relations Program. Fall 2022. Responsibility: Course Planning and Majors Advising.</p>
	<p>College of Arts and Sciences Academic Affairs Committee (Chair: Ryan Ehrhart) Fall 2020 – Fall 2022. Responsibility: Reviewing New Course Proposals, New Majors/Minors, Program Changes</p>
	<p>The International Studies Faculty Committee (Chair: Jonathan Hiller) Fall 2019 – Spring 2022. Responsibility: Decision-making Body for Curriculum of IS Program. Student Advising as a member of Political Science Track.</p>
	<p><u>University Level:</u> Research/Creative Works Day Committee (Co-chairs: Wei Liu and Karolina Lempert) Fall 2024- Present Responsibility: Program planning; Moderating the student presentations.</p>
	<p>Recruiter</p>
	<p>Representative of the Political Science department at the university’s accepted student day: May 11, 2024, March 7, 2024, May 11, 2023, November 19, 2022, October 24, 2021, March 7, 2021, October 17, 2020, and April 4, 2020.</p>
	<p>Guest Lecturer</p>
<p>Interdisciplinary 360 Food for Thought (Anthropology department), October 28, 2021. Title: “Food” as a Measurement in Social Science Inquiries.</p>	
<p>Panelist</p>	
<p>The Taiwan (ROC) – mainland China (PRC) Relationship: Its Past, Present, Future. Adelphi University (sponsored by POLIR), March 5, 2024 The Second Anniversary of the Russian Invasion of Ukraine. Adelphi University (sponsored by LGS), March 13, 2024 International Relations: Spotlight on Asia, Adelphi University, 2019</p>	
<p>Chair&Discussant</p>	
<p>American Political Science Association (APSA) Conference, 2022 (Discussant only) American Political Science Association (APSA) Conference, 2020 Western Political Science Association (WPSA) Conference, 2019 International Studies Conference, Claremont Graduate University, 2019</p>	
<p>Reviewer</p>	
<p><i>British Journal of Political Science, Political Analysis, International Journal of Comparative Sociology, American Political Science Review</i></p>	

Teaching Experiences

Adelphi University

- International Politics of East and Southeast Asia
- International Political Economy
- Political Economy of Inequality
- Government Designs around the World
- Research Design and Methods
- Guided Research Thesis
- Politics of Developing Nations
- Comparative Political Analysis
- Data Training in Political Science

Claremont Graduate University

- Comparative Political Institutions
- Computer Application for Social Science Research

Azusa Pacific University

- Comparative Political Systems

California State University, Dominguez Hills

- International Politics
- Quantitative Methods of Political Analysis

California State University, Long Beach

- International Political Economy
- Scope and Methods of Political Science

Student Advising

Adelphi University

Fall 2024	Faculty Adviser to the Korean Student Association
	Faculty Adviser to 9 Political Science majors
	Faculty Adviser to 18 International Relations majors
Spring 2024	Honors College thesis defense committee, reader (student: Ryan Hugh)
Spring 2023	Senior capstone defense committee, reader (student: Eran Wang)
Spring 2022	Honors College thesis defense committee, reader (student: Billy Smith, Andrade, Isabella)
Summer 2021	Senior capstone adviser (student: Sofia Shchukina)
Spring 2021	Honors College thesis defense committee, reader (student: Sarah Shin)
Spring 2020	Senior capstone adviser (student: Joseline Guaman)

Software Skills

R, STATA, Tableau, QDAMiner (Text Analysis), WordStat, Social Explorer.

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