BONKYU LIM

Curriculum Vitae

Athens, Georgia

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. student in International Affairs (expected)

Aug. 2023 – Present

School of Public and International Affairs, University of Georgia

M.A., International Relations

Sept. 2019 – Feb. 2022

Dept. of Political Science and International Relations, Seoul National University

- Relevant Coursework: Research Methods in International Politics, Studies in International Organization, Seminar in Public Choice Theories, Studies in International Political Economy

B.A., International and Area Studies / Economics (Cum Laude)

Feb. 2011 – Aug. 2018

School of International Studies, Language, and Literature, Handong Global University

- Relevant Coursework: Microeconomics, Game Theory, International Organizations, Peace and Security Studies, Public International Law

RESEARCH INTEREST

International Norms, Human Rights, International Non-Governmental Organizations, Attitude

PUBLICATION

Lim, B. (2022). A Study on Norm Internalization: Focusing on Norm Contestation on Conscientious Objection to Military Service in Korea [Master's thesis (in Korean), Seoul National University]

- Short summary: This thesis illustrates the process of norm contestation between external norms and domestic value systems by analyzing the case of taking the international norm of conscientious objection to military service in South Korea. It also explains why some of the public and decision makers who were initially against the norm accepted it. This research contributes to the literature regarding the domestic process of norm internalization and its effect on human rights practice.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant to Prof. Joowon Yi / Prof. Naomi Egel

Aug. 2023 – Present

School of Public and International Affairs, University of Georgia

- Researched Nationalist movement record
- Coded raw survey data

Research Assistant to Prof. Joonhyung Kim

Nov. 2017 - Dec. 2017

School of International Studies, Language, and Literature, Handong Global University

- Summarized journals and articles related to U.S.-China relationship

Research Assistant

Aug. 2017 – Dec. 2017

Asia Policy Point, Washington D.C.

- Researched Comfort Women issue in Asia

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant to Dr. Chonghyun Choi in Emerging Issues on Peace and

Unification of the Korean Peninsula

Spring 2020

Faculty of Liberal Education, Seoul Natioal University

- Edited and corrected students' writing tasks

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

Case Study Course Sept. 2020

Extension College, Seoul National University

GRANTS

Earl F. Ziemke Graduate Fellowship Fund (10,000 USD) Fall 2023 -Spring 2024

University of Georgia

Merit-based Scholarship (2,487,200 KRW \approx 1,744 USD) *Spring 2020 – Spring 2021*

Seoul National University

National Humanities and Social Sciences Undergraduate Scholarship *Spring 2011, Spring 2012*

 $(26,638,000 \text{ KRW} \approx 18,634 \text{ USD})$

Korea Student Aid Foundation

Fall 2014 - Spring 2017

OTHER EXPERIENCE

Administrative Assistant

Aug. 2021 – Aug. 2023

Dept. of Political Science and International Relations, Seoul National University

- Assisted Director of Graduate Studies program
- Supported faculties and graduate students

SKILLS

Language: Korean (Native), English (Advanced), Japanese (Beginner)

Software: R (Beginner), STATA (Beginner)