# **EUN JOO LEE**

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

American Politics, Political Participation, Political Behavior, Political Psychology, Election, Voting Behavior, Survey, Public Opinion, Media

## **EDUCATION**

University of Georgia (UGA) (expected) Sep. 2029 PhD Political Science Athens, GA

Major field: American Politics Minor field: Political Methodology

**New York University (NYU)** 

MA Politics New York, NY

Sep. 2020

Feb. 2016

Major field: American Politics Second field: Political Economy

GPA: 3.463/4.0

State of University New York at Stony Brook (SUNY)

Aug. 2015 Major in Political Science Stony Brook, NY

Minor in Applied Mathematics and Statistics

GPA: 3.63/4.0

**Chungnam National University (CNU)** 

**Humanities and Social Sciences** Daejeon, South Korea

GPA: 4.236/4.5

• Note: I transferred to SUNY through the dual degree program after two and a half years at CNU. I received two bachelor's degrees at two universities.

## RESEARCH PAPERS

"How Voters Turn into Supporters of Hopeless Candidates: The 2012 and 2017 Presidential Election in South Korea", Master's Thesis, NYU, Supervised by Professor Hye Young You

- Hypothesis: If the probability of being decisive is substantially low, centrists are more likely to cast an expressive vote than extremists (In this paper, voting for minor candidates is considered an act of expressive voting)
- Data: Survey data on voters' perceptions of the 18th and 19th Korean presidential elections conducted by the Korean Social Science Data Center
- Method: Ran multivariable logistic regressions using R, presented results using LaTex
- Result: In the 19th presidential election held after impeachment, centrist voters are more likely to vote for minor candidates than extremist voters

"Social Media As a Channel for Sharing Information about Politics", Final project in Social Survey in Contemporary Society, SUNY, Supervised by Professor Michael Peress

• Conducted research in order to answer the research question: "Can social media be an effective channel for sharing information and opinions, or debating about politics?"

- Method: Designed own questionnaire for a survey, conducted the survey through Mechanical Tuck with 221 survey samples, and analyzed the data and presented the findings using SPSS
- Result: Found that 81% of the respondents used social networking service, and based on a 1-7 scale of political interest, the social media users interested in politics participated in social media activities related to politics more than those who were not very interested in politics

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

Flockstory May 2021-Apr. 2023

Content Developer

Gyeonggi-do, South Korea

Project Title: AI Intelligent English Conversation 8-Step Level Assessment and Personalized Content Recommendation Application (national subsidy program)

- Preliminary Research: Investigated more than 13 competitor English education apps, analyzed their learning types, features, and limitations of each app
- Screen Design and Learning-Module Development: Sketched main/other screens and UI/UX designs for 37 learning modules, wrote proposal for design requests, and finalized feedback on design draft
- Data and Resource Tasks: Data refinement work (programming language: Java)
- Communication: Recorded and shared meeting contents, assigned the task to each team, and set/modified monthly expected workloads
- Research Note: Documented the entire progress of the project for submission

## POL-UA 812: Introduction to Political Psychology (Professor Eric Dickson)

Fall 2018

Grader

NYU, New York, NY

- Assisted the class of 80 students and proctored a midterm exam
- Graded 162 essays for 3 assignments
  - Assignment 1: Compare and analyze the differences in left/right-of-center views on issues in two blogs
  - Assignment 2: Design your own political psychology experiment, including motivation, research questions, treatments, measurements, subject pool, and potential shortcoming
  - Assignment 3: Analyze a potential conflict between countries using idea from political psychology

## UNIV. INVOLVEMENT

#### Foreign and Native Students (FaNS)

Founder and Vice President

Nov. 2013- May 2015 SUNY, Stony Brook, NY

- Founded and led FaNS, the cultural exchange social group in which native and foreign students had
  conversations or debates on familiar topics once a week for sharing culture and perspectives, improving
  communication skills
- Managed and promoted the group; for example, coordinated places, selected weekly topics, and posted announcements and group activities on Facebook

## DaVinci Style: CNU's Undergraduate Arts & Science Journal

Mar. 2010- Dec. 2012

Editorial staff

CNU, Daejeon, South Korea

- Had a weekly meeting for brainstorming, editing process, and publications
- Published one journal and two newspapers per year
- Wrote and published articles: "Cultural Power of Politics," "Warning, Your Identity is in Crisis," "Story of Debating Championship," and "Real Discourse on Youth"

#### Narinhaje (Debate Clue)

Mar. 2010- Dec. 2012

Regular Member

CNU, Daejeon, South Korea

- Participated and selected as a finalist in collegiate debating championships: the National Assembly Collegiate Debating Championship and National Election Broadcasting Collegiate Debate Competition
- Achieved 3rd place in the CNU Debating Championship in 2010 and secured 1st place in 2012

## LEADERSHIP/VOLUNTEER

#### **Association of Serving People**

2006-12, 2016-18, 2021-23

Regular Member

Daejeon, South Korea

- Prepared for the Children's Day Festival, where all children, including those facing financial difficulties, can enjoy the event for free (Apr.-May)
- Engaged in cleaning patriots' memorial stones at Daejeon National Cemetery (Jun.)
- Delivered coal briquettes to neighbors in need to help them endure the winter cold (Nov.)
- Participated in the 'Love Box' Christmas gift project for unmarried mothers, their children, and neighbors in need (Dec.)

#### New York In2 Onnuri Church

Leadership Member of Youth Group

Aug. 2019-Jul. 2020

New York, NY

- Planned and executed annual events and weekly-meetings, documented and shared meeting outcomes
- Orchestrated a winter camp for approximately 400 members of the group, overseeing all aspects of planning and management

#### **Youth Korea Summer Festival**

Summer 2012, 2013, 2016, 2017

Director of the Administration Department

Cheonan, South Korea

- Prepared a summer festival for Christian teenagers where about 25,000 people attended
- Coordinated the whole schedule for the preparation process and to-do-list for all other teams
- Managed application system, registration fees, and complaints

Nanum Church Jan. 2014-Dec. 2014

Vice President of Youth Group

Stony Brook, NY

• Coordinated the place and activities for small groups, and hosted the Nanum Night Festival

#### **Youth Korea Summer Festival**

Summer 2011

Director of the Accommodation Department

Cheonan, South Korea

- Assigned rooms, provided convenience for about 25,000 participants, and dealt with complaints
- Assigned works to and supervised team 20 members

### Stumps (Volunteer Club), Chunyang Orphanage

Mar. 2011- Dec. 2011

Volunteer Tutor

Daejeon, South Korea

• Taught English to elementary school students in the orphanage once a week

## **AWARDS**

Degree Honors of Cum Laude, SUNY, 2015

Dean's List, SUNY, Spring 2013, Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Spring 2015

Dual Degree Scholarship, CNU, Spring 2013, Fall 2013, Spring 2014

Global Competent Person, CNU, Fall 2012

Debating Championship, CNU, Nov. 2010, Nov. 2012

Academic Achievement Scholarship, CNU, Fall 2010, Spring 2011, Fall 2011, Fall 2012

Merit-based Tuition Scholarships, CNU, Spring 2010

## **SOFTWARE SKILLS**

R, STATA, SPSS, SAS, LaTeX, Excel