

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

Trinity College Dublin, Dublin, Ireland

Postdoctoral Researcher in [Patterns of Conflict Emergence \(PaCE\) project](#), Department of Political Science, August 2024-

EDUCATION

University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, United States

Ph.D. in Political Science, April 2024 (International Relations and Methodology) & M.A. in Political Science, 2020

– Doctoral Dissertation: [Essays on Public Resistance to Rapprochement](#)

Peking University, Beijing, China

M.A. in International Relations, 2016

Stony Brook University, New York, United States

B.A. in Political Science, B.A. in Economics, and Minor in Applied Mathematics, 2013

University of Seoul, Seoul, South Korea

B.A. in Public Administration, 2014 (*Dual degree program with Stony Brook University*)

RESEARCH INTEREST

Domestic Politics in International Relations, International Rivalry, Foreign Policy, Third-party Intervention, Democracy and Autocracy, East Asia Politics, Survey Experiment, Text Analysis

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

1. **Han, Jungmin**, Xin Han and Alexander Zhang, [How China's Multilateral Engagement Shapes Threat Perception Amid Rising Authoritarianism](#) (Online First at *Journal of Contemporary China*, August 2025)

ARTICLES UNDER REVIEW

5. **Han, Jungmin**, [How Reciprocal Cooperation between International Rivals Shapes Threat Perceptions: Evidence from Inter-Korean Rapprochement in 2018](#) (R&R at *Conflict Management and Peace Science*)
4. **Han, Jungmin**, [The International Landscape of Peace: How Third-Party Interactions Shape Public Opinion on Rapprochement](#)
3. **Han, Jungmin** and Hyunjung Park, [Democratic Imprints from Abroad: How External Support from Democracies Promotes Rebel Election in Civil Wars](#)
2. **Han, Jungmin**, Müge Finkel, Dhanaraj Thakur, Steven Finkel, Erdem Yörük, and Fırat Duruşan [Asymmetries of Vulnerability: How Race and Party Shape Online Violence Targeting Women Candidates in the 2024 U.S. Congressional Election](#)
1. **Han, Jungmin**, Müge Finkel, Steven Finkel, Fırat Duruşan, and Erdem Yörük [Gendered Online Violence and Visibility in Electoral Autocracies: Evidence from Parliamentary and Local Elections in Türkiye](#)

SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS

6. Patterns of Cooperation and Public Opinion on Rapprochement (with Thomas Chadeaux)
5. Fragmented at Home, Peace Abroad: Partisan Polarization and the Domestic Framing of Rapprochement
4. The Dynamics of Competitive Intervention: Multiplicity, Rivalry, and Civil War Duration (with Merve Keskin)
3. Being Hawkish, To Be Democratic
2. Rebel Governance, Government Atrocities, and Public Opinion on Military Intervention (with Hyunjung Park)
1. The Domestic Consequences of Diplomatic Blunders in Summitry (with Miseon Ku)

CONFERENCE AND WORKSHOP PARTICIPATION

P = Panel Presentation *C* = Chair *D* = Discussant *p* = Poster

2025

- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Vancouver, Canada, online (*P*)
- International Studies Association Convention, Chicago, USA (*P*)
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, USA, online ($D \times 2$)
- International Meeting on Experimental and Behavioral Social Sciences, Valencia, Spain (*P*)
- British International Studies Association, Belfast, UK (*P*)
- Seoul Workshop for Empirical Research in Politics, Seoul, South Korea, online (*P*) – *scheduled*
- BISA-ISA Joint International Conference, Newcastle upon Tyne, UK (*P*) – *scheduled*
- Violence, Instability, and Peace (VIP) Workshop, online (*P*) – *scheduled*

2024

- American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, USA (*P*)
- International Studies Association Convention, San Francisco, USA (*P*)
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, USA ($P \times 2 + C + D$)
- Junior Scholars in Quantitative Conflict and International Security, online (*P*)
- Korean Political Studies Colloquium, online (*P*)
- International Security Conference, US Military Academy West Point, USA, online (*P*)

2023

- American Political Science Association Annual Conference, Los Angeles, USA (*p*)
- Political Psychology Pre-APSA Workshop, Los Angeles, USA (*p*)
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, USA ($P \times 3$)
- Korean Political Studies Colloquium, online (*D*)
- Junior Scholars in International Security, online ($P \times D$)
- Pitt - Penn State Workshop on International Relations, The University of Pittsburgh, USA (*P*)
- International Security Conference, US Military Academy West Point, USA, online (*P*)

2022

- International Studies Association Convention, Nashville, USA (*P*)
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, USA (*P*)
- Fudan-UC Young Scholars Conference on China, University of California San Diego, USA (*P*)
- Pitt - Penn State Workshop on International Relations, The Pennsylvania State University, USA (*P*)

2021

- International Studies Association Convention, Nashville, USA (*P*)
- Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference, Chicago, USA, online (*P*)

INVITED TALKS

2025

- Centre for Asia-Pacific Research, University College Dublin, Dublin, Ireland
- Trinity Centre for Asian Studies, Trinity College Dublin, Dublin, Ireland – *scheduled*
- Department of Public Economics, Max Planck Institute, Munich, Germany – *scheduled*
- Geschwister-Scholl-Institute of Political Science, Ludwig Maximilian University, Munich, Germany – *scheduled*
- Department of Political Science, University College London, London, UK – *scheduled*
- Department of Psychology, University of Limerick, Limerick, Ireland – *scheduled*

2022

- Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies, University of Notre Dame, USA, online

FELLOWSHIP AND GRANT

- Travel Grant, BISA-ISA Joint Workshops, 2025 (£200)
- Discretionary Research Funding, York Law School, University of York, 2025 (£2,000, w/ Hyunjung Park)
- Travel Grant, Department of Political Science, Trinity College Dublin, 2024 (€2,000), 2025 (€2,000)
- Evelyn & Thomas Rawski Grant in China Studies, Asian Studies Center, University of Pittsburgh, 2023 (\$6,000, w/ Iza Ding)
- Social Science Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, University of Pittsburgh, 2021-2023 (\$35,600)
- POSCO Summer Grant in Korean Studies, Asian Studies Center, University of Pittsburgh, 2022-2023 (\$2,500)
- Linda Penkower Research Grant in China Studies, Asian Studies Center, University of Pittsburgh, 2022 (\$2,500)
- Summer Research Grant, Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences, University of Pittsburgh: 2021–2023 (\$7,500)
- Travel Grant, School of Global Policy and Strategy, University of California at San Diego, 2022 (\$900)
- Travel Grant, Graduate Student Organization, University of Pittsburgh: 2022–2023 (\$600)
- Travel Grant, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh: 2021–2023 (\$1,800)
- Graduate Fellowship, Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences, University of Pittsburgh, 2018–2019 (\$22,900)
- Junior Researcher Fellowship, Catholic Institute of Northeast Asia Peace: 2016–2019 (\$7,000)
- Third Prize, Thesis Contest on Korea–China–Japan Trilateral Cooperation, The Sejong Institute, 2016 (\$1,000)
- First Prize, Graduate Student Thesis Contest on Sino–Korean History, The Northeast Asian History Foundation, 2015
- Scholarship for Language Program at East China Normal University, University of Seoul, 2014 (\$1,500)
- Dual-degree Program Scholarship (with Stony Brook University), University of Seoul, 2011 (\$2,000)

TEACHING

- Main Instructor, [Research Method in Political Science](#) (undergraduate), University of Pittsburgh, Summer 2021
- Main Instructor, [Foundation of Mathematics in Political Science](#) (graduate), University of Pittsburgh, Fall 2020
- Guest Instructor, Experimental and Observational Studies in IR (undergraduate), University of Pittsburgh, Fall 2023
- Guest Instructor, U.S. Foreign Policy in the Asia-Pacific (undergraduate), University of Pittsburgh, Spring 2021
- Guest Instructor, Content Analysis and Big Data (undergraduate), University of Pittsburgh, Spring 2020, Fall 2021
- Teaching Assistant, Research Method in Political Science (undergraduate), University of Pittsburgh: Spring 2020 (Steven E. Finkel), Fall 2022 (Steven E. Finkel), and Fall 2023 (Yuyang Pu)

SERVICE

- Reviewer for *International Interactions*, *International Conference on Computational Social Science*, and *Politics & Gender*
- Online Workshop Organizer, Junior Scholars in International Security (JSIS), 2023
- Teaching Assistant/Fellow Mentor for Graduate Students, Political Science Department, University of Pittsburgh, 2023
- Senior Graduate Student Representative, Political Science Department, University of Pittsburgh, 2022–2023
- Graduate Student Mentor, Political Science Department, University of Pittsburgh, 2019–2022

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- Visiting Researcher, Department of Public Economics, Max Planck Institute, October 2025
- Research Assistant, Critical Race Theory's Rhetoric in the United States (Emily West), University of Pittsburgh, Spring 2024
- Research Assistant, Online Violence Against Women in Politics (Steven E. Finkel), University of Pittsburgh, Summer 2023
- Research Assistant, Machine Learning to Forecast Conflict (Michael Colaresi), University of Pittsburgh, Summer 2022
- Data Replication Assistant for *International Interactions*, University of Pittsburgh, Spring 2021
- Research Assistant, Parsing Unstructured Language into Sentiment-Aspect Representations (Michael Colaresi), University of Pittsburgh, Spring 2021
- Research Assistant, Rendition Project (Michael Colaresi), University of Pittsburgh, Fall 2020
- Research Associate, Department of International Strategy Studies, Korean Institute for National Unification, 2016–2017

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCES

- Junior Peace Scholar, Catholic Institute of Northeast Asia Peace, 2016–
- Mentor for North Korean Young Refugees, People for Successful Corean Reunification (PSCORE), 2014
- Automated Logistical Specialist, 557 Military Police Company, 8th US Army, 2009–2011

SKILLS

- Computational Skills: R, Python, Stata, Qualtrics, L^AT_EX
- Language: Korean (native), English (fluent), Mandarin Chinese (advanced)

REFERENCES

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