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## EDUCATION

### University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI, U.S.

2024 – *Joint Ph.D. student in Social Work & Sociology*

- Advisor: Dr. Linda M. Chatters & Dr. Pamela J. Smock.

2024 – *Master of Social Work (MSW)*

- Advisor: Dr. Linda M. Chatters
- Pathway: Social Work Practice with Older Adults & Families from a Lifespan Perspective

### Korea University

Seoul, Korea

2023 *M.S. in Public Health Sciences*

- Advisor: Dr. Jinho Kim
- Thesis: Prolonged Exposure to Intimate Partner Violence and Depressive Symptoms Among Korean Married Couples: The Intersection of Gender and Education

2021 *B.A. in Public Health (Double Major: Sociology)*

### Lund University

Lund, Sweden

2020 *Exchange Student*

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

**Topic** Population Health; Family Demography; Life Course; Gender

**Method** Panel Data Analysis; Causal Inference

## PUBLICATIONS <sup>^</sup> = co-first authorship

1. Park, Gum-Ryeong<sup>^</sup>, **Kyungeun Song**<sup>^</sup>, & Jinho Kim (2025). How Do Family-Friendly Policies Impact Marital Satisfaction: A Mediation Analysis of Korean Working Women. *Journal of Family Issues*, 0192513X251322149.
2. **Song, Kyungeun**, Min-Ah Lee, & Jinho Kim. (2024). Double Jeopardy: Exploring the Moderating Effect of Educational Mismatch in the Relationship Between Work-Family Conflict and Depressive Symptoms Among Korean Working Women. *Social Science & Medicine*, 116501.
3. **Song, Kyungeun**, & Jinho Kim. (2023). Widowhood and Functional Impairment: Gender-Specific Trajectories of Sensory and Masticatory Functions. *Ageing & Society*, 1-18.
4. **Song, Kyungeun**, & Jinho Kim. (2023). Prolonged Exposure to Intimate Partner Violence and Depressive Symptoms Among Korean Married Couples: The Intersection of Gender and Education. *Society and Mental Health*, 21568693231185853.
5. Kim, Jinho, **Kyungeun Song**, & Angelina Sutin. (2021). Gender Differences in the Relationship Between Perceived Discrimination and Personality Traits in Young Adulthood: Evidence Using Sibling Fixed Effects. *Social Science & Medicine*, 286, 114329.

## WORKING PAPERS <sup>^</sup> = co-first authorship

1. **Song, Kyungeun**, Hayun Jang, and Jinho Kim. Adolescent Depressive Symptoms and Material Hardship in Adulthood: Exploring Human Capital and Socio-Emotional Capital as Mechanisms. (*Revise & Resubmit at Society and Mental Health*).

2. Jang, Hayun, **Kyungeun Song**, & Jinho Kim. Unraveling the Life Course Pathways from Adverse Childhood Experiences to Economic Disadvantage in Adulthood. *Under Review*.
3. Kim, Jinho, & **Kyungeun Song**. Gender Differences in The Long-Term Effects of Adolescent Loneliness on Memory Performance. *Under Review*.

## PUBLIC WRITINGS

[In Korean]

**Song, Kyungeun**. Contributor to *Citizen Health Commentary* (시민건강논평), a public health platform of the People's Health Institute, analyzing issues related to family, care, and social services from a health equity perspective. [[Link](#)]

## PRESENTATIONS

2023	<b>Korean Public Health Association Conference</b>	Seoul, Korea
	Title: Double Jeopardy: Exploring the Moderating Effect of Educational Mismatch in the Relationship Between Work-Family Conflict and Depressive Symptoms Among Korean Working Women ( <i>Poster</i> )	
2022	<b>Population Association of Korea Conference</b>	Seoul, Korea
	Title: Work-Family Conflict, Skill Mismatch, and Depressive Symptoms ( <i>Oral</i> )	
2022	<b>American Public Health Association Annual Meeting &amp; Expo</b>	Boston, MA, U.S.
	Title: Prolonged Exposure to Intimate Partner Violence and Depressive Symptoms among Korean Married Couples: The Intersection of Gender and Education ( <i>Poster</i> )	

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE \* = Nonprofit organization

Sep 2023 –	<b>People's Health Institute*</b>	Seoul, Korea
Aug 2024	<i>Young Fellow</i>	
Sep 2021 –	<b>Health Sociology &amp; Demography Lab, Korea University</b>	Seoul, Korea
Aug 2024	<i>Graduate Research Assistant</i> (Lab Director: Dr. Jinho Kim)	
Jan 2021 –	<b>Health Sociology &amp; Demography Lab, Korea University</b>	Seoul, Korea
Aug 2021	<i>Undergraduate Research Assistant</i> (Lab Director: Dr. Jinho Kim)	
Oct 2020 –	<b>Integrated Health and Care Organization*</b>	Seoul, Korea
Feb 2021	<i>Social Work Program Research Assistant</i>	

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

April 2025	<b>Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program</b>	Ann Arbor, MI
	<i>2025 Spring Research Symposium Judge</i>	
Jan 2025 –	<b>Jewish Family Services of Washtenaw County</b>	Ann Arbor, MI
Aug 2025	<i>MSW Intern</i>	

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Fall 2021	<b>Health Demography</b> (Undergraduate course)	Korea University
	<i>Teaching Assistant</i>	
Summer 2021	<b>Statistics</b> (Undergraduate course)	Korea University
	<i>Teaching Assistant</i>	

## AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

Fall 2025	Karl C.K. Ma Endowed Graduate Scholarship	University of Michigan
Summer 2025	ISR-Rackham Summer Training Award	University of Michigan
Jan 2025	John and Penny Tropman Conference Travel Grant	University of Michigan

Fall 2024	YS Hwang Award	April 2025 University of Michigan
Sep 2023	Young Fellowship	People's Health Institute
2021 – 2023	Brain Korea 21 Four Fellowship	National Research Foundation of Korea
Fall 2021	Teaching Assistant Scholarships	Korea University
Fall 2020	Dean's List	Korea University

## SKILLS

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**Languages:** Korean (*native*); English (*fluent*)

**Statistical Package:** STATA; R

## REFERENCE

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