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ACADEMIC/ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS

Texas Tech University, Department of Political Science
Professor (Fall 2023 – Present)
Director, Center for Public Service (Spring 2017 – Present)
Director, Master of Public Administration Program (Fall 2016 – Summer 2019)
Associate Professor (Fall 2014 – Summer 2023)
Assistant Professor (Fall 2008 – Summer 2014)

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Public Administration, Askew School of Public Administration and Policy, Florida State University, 2008.
(Dissertation: Regional Organizations and Interlocal Cooperation among Florida Cities)
M.P.A., Department of Public Administration, University of Kansas, 2004.
Doctoral Student, Graduate School of Public Administration (GSPA), Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, March 2001 – January 2002.
M.P.A., GSPA, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, 2001.
B.A., Public Administration, Kookmin University (summa cum laude), Seoul, Korea, 1996.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Affiliated Faculty, Local Governance Research Lab, Florida State University (Fall 2012 – Spring 2020)
Research Assistant and Dissertation Fellow, DeVoe Moore Center for the Study of Critical Issues in Economic Policy and Government, Florida State University, 2004 – 2008.
Guest Lecturer, Florida State University, Public Administration in Society (Undergraduate course), Spring 2008 and Research Design in Public Administration (MPA course), Fall 2007.
Assistant Instructor, Policy Development (MPA course), Florida State University, Summer 2007.
Program for Instructional Excellence Certificate, Center for Teaching and Learning, Florida State University, 2007.
Research Assistant, *Brain Korea 21 Project for Public Administration*, GSPA, Seoul National University, March 2000 – December 2001.
Research Assistant, Advanced Center for Administrative Development, GSPA, SNU, February 1999 – May 1999.

Research Assistant, Research Institute of Public Information Management, GSPA, SNU, April 1996 – September 1996.

COURSES TAUGHT

Texas Tech University

Graduate: Public Organization Theory
City Management
Administrative Ethics and Leadership
Collaborative Management
Public Policy Analysis
Intergovernmental Relations and Management
Research Methods in Public Administration
Internship in Public Administration
Undergraduate: Administrative Process
Texas Politics and Topics
American Public Policy
American Government

Florida State University

Graduate: Policy Development

AWARDS AND HONORS

Institute for Inclusive Excellence Fellow, Texas Tech University, 2014 – 2015.

Marshall E. Dimock Award for the best lead article in *Public Administration Review* during the 2010 volume year, American Society for Public Administration, Awarded at the ASPA annual meeting in Baltimore, March 11– 15, 2011.

Prestage-Cook Travel Award, Southern Political Science Association, 2008.

Pi Alpha Alpha Best Doctoral Student Manuscript Award, National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration (NASPAA), Awarded at the NASPAA meeting in Seattle, October 11 – 13, 2007.

Dissertation Fellowship, DeVoe Moore Center, Florida State University, 2007.

Founders Forum Fellow, American Society for Public Administration, 2007.

Dissertation Research Grant, College of Graduate Studies, FSU, 2006 – 2007.

International Student Scholarship, University of Kansas, 2003.

Study Abroad Grant, Korea Ministry of Education, 2002.

Alumni Award, Kookmin University Public Administration Department, 1996.

Scholarships for Academic Excellence, Kookmin University, 1993 – 1995.

Sunggok Scholarship for the best student in the Department for academic excellence, Kookmin University, 1992.

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES

(*Graduate student coauthor at the time of preparation or publication)

Choi, Donwe, Jinsol Park, and Sung-Wook Kwon. Forthcoming. "Shall We Dance? Exploring the Drivers of Co-production in US Local Governments." *Local Government Studies*.

McCrea, Austin, Ricardo A. Bello-Gomez, and Sung-Wook Kwon. 2025. "Attribution Framing and Citizens' Perceptions of Bureaucracies, Bureaucrats and Public Servants." *Public Performance & Management Review* 48(4): 793-819.

Korir, Jacob,* Wanjiku N. Gichohi-Wainaina, Oak-Hee Park, Sung-Wook Kwon, Malinda J. Colwell, and Wilna Oldewage-Theron. 2025. "Mapping the Drivers of Multisectoral Nutrition Governance and Its Link to Nutrition Outcomes in Kenya: A Qualitative Inquiry." *Nutrients* 17(2), 209.

Cheng, Xiaou,* Sung-Wook Kwon, and Christopher V. Hawkins. 2024. "Examining the Factors of Interlocal Economic Development Collaboration in Rural Areas." *Public Performance & Management Review* 47(2): 449-475.

Kwon, Sung-Wook, Daniel B. Bailey, and Cheong Kim. 2024. "Zoning to Enhance Local Sustainability: Why Local Governments Choose to Use Sustainability-focused Land Use Tools." *Journal of Environmental Planning and Management* 67(4): 788-808.

Bailey, Daniel B., Sung-Wook Kwon, and Nathaniel Wright. 2023. "Pay to Protect: Examining the Factors of the Use of Market-Based Instruments for Local Water Sustainability." *Review of Policy Research* 40(2): 207-229.

Park, Jinsol, Sung-Wook Kwon, and Donwe Choi. 2022. "Local Government Responses to State Fiscal Controls: The Effects of Fiscal Preemptions on the Methods of Local Service Delivery." *Public Performance & Management Review* 45(6): 1371-1397.

Gonzalez-Gorman, Sylvia, Sung-Wook Kwon, and Dennis Patterson. 2019. "Municipal Efforts to Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions: Evidence from U.S. Cities on the U.S.-Mexico Border." *Sustainability* 11(17), 4763.

Kwon, Sung-Wook, and Sylvia Gonzalez-Gorman. 2019. "Influence of Local Political Institutions on Policy Punctuation in Three Policy Areas." *Politics & Policy* 47(2): 300-325.

Kwon, Sung-Wook and Daniel B. Bailey.* 2019. "Examining the Variation in Local Water Sustainability Practices." *The Social Science Journal* 56(1): 107-117.

Gonzalez-Gorman, Sylvia, Sung-Wook Kwon, Daehee Bak, and Sangchul Park. 2018. "Can Cities Attract Affordable Housing for Economic Development?" *Journal of Public and Nonprofit Affairs* 4(2): 181-196.

Hawkins, Christopher V., Sung-Wook Kwon, and Jungah Bae. 2016. "Balance between Local Economic Development and Environmental Sustainability: A Multi-level Governance Perspective." *International Journal of Public Administration* 39(11): 803-811.

Rawlins, Pace W.* and Sung-Wook Kwon. 2016. "Walking the Line on Police Privatization:

Efficiency, Accountability, and Court Decisions.” *International Review of Administrative Sciences* 82(3): 580-597.

Bae, Sang-Seok, Sung-Wook Kwon, Christopher Coutts, Sang-Chul Park, and Richard Feiock. 2015. “Development Impact Fees: A Vehicle or Restraint for Land Development?” *Lex localis – Journal of Local Self-Government* 13(4): 1047-1065.

Wang, Tae-Kyu, Sung-Wook Kwon, and Sang-Chul Park. 2015. “The Impact of Management Capacity on Local Green Economic Strategies.” *International Review of Public Administration* 20(1): 1-16.

Kwon, Sung-Wook and Sang-Chul Park. 2014. “Metropolitan Governance: How Regional Organizations Influence Interlocal Land Use Coordination.” *Journal of Urban Affairs* 36(5): 925-940.

Kwon, Sung-Wook and Sylvia Gonzalez-Gorman.* 2014. “Links between Performance Measures and Local Economic Development: Examination of a Two-Stage Model of Internal and External Factors.” *Public Performance & Management Review* 37(4): 658-678.

Kwon, Sung-Wook, Richard C. Feiock, and Jungah Bae. 2014. “The Roles of Regional Organizations in Interlocal Resource Exchange: Complement or Substitute?” *The American Review of Public Administration* 44(3): 339-357.

Kwon, Sung-Wook, Sang Ok Choi, and Sang-Seok Bae. 2013. “Effects of Political Institutions on Punctuated-Equilibrium in Local Emergency Management Policy Processes: Examination of County Governments in Florida, U.S.” *Lex localis – Journal of Local Self-Government* 11(2): 193-211.

Park, Sang Chul, Sung-Wook Kwon, and Se Jin Lee. 2013. “Participants in Local Zoning for Multifamily Housing Development and Decision Delay: Transaction Cost and Hierarchical Governance.” *International Review of Public Administration* 18(1): 167-197.

Park, Sang-Chul, Chang Gyu Kwak, and Sung-Wook Kwon. 2012. “Residential Development and Hierarchical Governance: Multifamily Housing and Multilevel Analysis.” *The Korean Journal of Policy Studies* 27(2): 1-22.

Kwon, Sung-Wook, and Richard Feiock. 2010. “Overcoming the Barriers to Cooperation: Intergovernmental Service Agreements.” *Public Administration Review* 70(6): 876-84. (Recipient of the Marshall E. Dimock Award for the best lead article)

Kwon, Sung-Wook, and Jongho Roh. 2010. “Accountability of Performance Oriented Contract Management: The Case of a Performance Based Cleanup Program in Florida.” *Korean Review of Organizational Studies* 7(3): 1-19.

Kwon, Sung-Wook, In Won Lee, and Richard C. Feiock. 2010. “Transaction Cost Politics and Local Service Production.” *International Review of Public Administration* 14(3): 37-52.

Choi, Sang Ok, Sang-Seok Bae, Sung-Wook Kwon, and Richard Feiock. 2010. “County Limits: Policy Types and Expenditure Priorities.” *The American Review of Public Administration* 40(1): 29-45.

Bae, Sang-Seok, and Sung-Wook Kwon. 2007. "A Study on the Asymmetric Flypaper Effect." *Korean Journal of Public Administration* 45(3): 111-34. (In Korean)

BOOK CHAPTERS

(* Graduate student coauthor at the time of publication)

Kwon, Sung-Wook and Xiaou Cheng. * 2023. "Interlocal Economic Development Collaboration in Rural America: A Case of West Texas." in *Local Government Administration in Small Town America*, ed. James C. Clinger, Donna M. Handley, and Wendy L. Eaton. New York, NY: Routledge, 340-353.

Kwon, Sung-Wook. 2009. "Intergovernmental Relations and Local Administration." In *Public Administration and Policy in America*, edited by Si-Young Oh, 239-75. Seoul: Bobmunsa. (In Korean)

Kwon, Sung-Wook. 2002. "Organizational Types and the Provision of Public Services." In *The Governing Institutions as Rational Choice*, Yong-duck Jung et al., 124-48. Seoul: Daeyoung Moonhwasa. (In Korean)

BOOK REVIEW

Kwon, Sung-Wook. 2016. Review: Local governance and inter-municipal cooperation by Filipe Teles. *Journal of Public and Nonprofit Affairs*, 2(1): 58-61.

ONLINE MANUSCRIPT

Kwon, Sung-Wook. 2007. Regional Governance Institutions and Interlocal Cooperation for Service Delivery. Wayne State University: *Working Papers on Interlocal Services Cooperation* 3 (July) #6 (http://digitalcommons.wayne.edu/interlocal_coop/28/)

WORKING PAPERS

"Interlocal Economic Development Collaboration in Rural America: Analysis of Collaboration Networks in West Texas Regions" (with Chang-Kyu Kwak and Xiaou Cheng)

"The Dynamics in Local Sustainability Planning: A Two-Stage Model of the Local Sustainability Plan and Performance Measure Adoption" (with Jeongmin Oh)

"How Can We Promote Conscious Capitalism? Investigating the Determinants of Social Enterprise Consumption" (with Donwe Choi)

"Who Coproduces Matters for Citizens?: Experimental Survey with a Food Compost Program" (with Bok Jeong and Donwe Choi)

SURVEY RESEARCH REPORTS

(* Graduate student coauthor at the time of publication)

2020 Social Enterprise Ecosystem Survey: Who Sustains Social Enterprise Ecosystem? Center for Public Service, Texas Tech University. December 2021. (with Donwe Choi)

(<https://www.depts.ttu.edu/politicalscience/cps/documents/SocialEnterpriseSurveySnapshots.pdf>)

Local Economic Development and Collaboration in West Texas, Center for Public Service, Texas Tech University. December 2021. (with Xiaouu Cheng*)

(<https://www.depts.ttu.edu/politicalscience/cps/documents/LocalEconomicDevelopmentSurveyReport.pdf>)

GRANT EFFORTS

Awarded

“How Can We Promote Conscious Capitalism? Investigating the Determinants of Social Enterprise Consumption,” PI, Scholarship Catalyst Program Grant, Texas Tech University, 2020. (\$4,000)

“Interlocal Economic Development Collaboration in Rural Metropolitan Areas: Network Approach to the Case of Municipalities in West Texas,” PI, Scholarship Catalyst Program Grant, Texas Tech University, 2017. (\$3,350)

“Can Cities Attract Affordable Housing for Economic Development?: The Roles of Growth Management Policies and Urban Political Institutions,” PI, International Travel Fund Grant, Texas Tech University Office of the International Affairs, 2016. (\$800)

“Regional Network Centrality and Local Government Sustainability Policy,” PI, Scholarship Catalyst Program Grant, Texas Tech University, 2014. (\$2,920)

Declined (Selected)

“Balancing Control and Autonomy: How Organizational Hierarchy and External Shocks Shape Human Preferences Across Sectors,” PI, TTU Arts & Sciences Faculty Research Advancement Program (RAP), 2024. (\$6,500)

“REU Site: Interdisciplinary Research Experiences to Mitigate Disaster Challenges for the Socioeconomically Disadvantaged,” Co-PI, National Science Foundation, 2021. (\$389,709)

“Do State Fiscal Preemptions Affect the Methods of Local Service Delivery?” PI, National League of Cities and Urban Affairs Association Fellowship, 2019. (\$6,000)

“Analysis of Sustainability Actions of Cities in the US-Mexico Border,” PI, National Science Foundation, 2018. (\$213,405)

“Voluntary and Collaborative Emergency Response: Integration, Cybersecurity, and Privacy Perspectives,” PI, Texas Tech University Interdisciplinary Research Seed Grant, 2016. (\$124,763)

“Stakeholder Collaboration and the High Plains Water District: Opportunities for Tackling the Challenges of Multi-Jurisdictional Water Resource Management,” PI, High Plains Water District, 2015. (\$26,400)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (Selected)

“Balancing Control and Autonomy: How Organizational Hierarchy and External Shock Shape Human Preferences Across Sectors” Annual Public Management Research Conference, June 25 – 28, June, 2025, Seoul, South Korea. (with Cheong Kim and Sanghee Park)

“Development or Sustainability? An Experiment Design of Citizens' Policy Support” Annual conference of the American Society for Public Administration, March 28 – April 1, 2025, Washington DC (with Xiaoou Cheng and Heewon Lee)

“Citizen Perception of Collaborative Governance Arrangements” Annual conference of the American Society for Public Administration, March 28 – April 1, 2025, Washington DC (with Heewon Lee and Xiaoou Cheng)

“Who Coproduces Matters for Citizens? Experimental Survey with a Compost Program,” Annual conference of the American Society for Public Administration, April 12-16, 2024, Minneapolis, MN (with Bok Gyo Jeong and Donwe Choi)

“Collaborate to Govern: A Study of Rural Government Response to the Pandemic in West Texas,” Annual Conference of the American Society for Public Administration, March 20-24, 2023, Online (with Wendy Chen)

“Blame Avoidance: Strategic Planning and Use of Performance Measurement for Local Sustainability,” Annual Public Management Research Conference, May 25-28, 2022, Phoenix, AZ (with Jeongmin Oh)

“The Dynamics in Local Sustainability Planning: A Two-Stage Model of the Local Sustainability Plan and Performance Measure Adoption,” Annual Conference of the American Society for Public Administration, March 18-22, 2022, Jacksonville, FL (with Jeongmin Oh)

“The Influence of Public Marketing on Disaster Resilience of Communities,” Annual Korean Association for Public Administration International Conference, June 23-25, 2021, Busan, Korea (with Hyun-Sang Ha)

“Do State Fiscal Preemptions Affect the Methods of Local Service Delivery? Investigating the Impact of Preemptions on Contracting Out and the Moderating Role of Fiscal Stress” Annual Fall Research Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, November 11-13, 2020 (with Jinsol Park and Donwe Choi)

“Interlocal Economic Development Collaboration in Rural Metropolitan Areas: Network Approach to the Case of Municipalities in West Texas,” Annual Conference of the American Society for Public Administration, March 8-12, 2019, Washington DC (with Chang-Kyu Kwak)

“Pay to protect: Examining the factors of the use of market-based mechanisms for local water sustainability,” Annual Conference of the Southern Political Science Association, January 17-19, 2019, Austin, TX (with Daniel Bailey and Nathaniel Wright)

“Finding Variation in Local Sustainability Efforts among the US-Mexico Border Cities,” Annual Conference of the Southern Political Science Association, January 12-14, 2017, New Orleans, LA. (with Sylvia Gonzalez-Gorman and Dennis Patterson)

“Pay to Protect: Examining the Factors of the Use of Market-Based Mechanisms for Local Water

Sustainability,” Annual Conference of the American Society for Public Administration, March 18-22, 2016, Seattle, WA. (with Nathaniel Wright and Daniel Bailey)

“Finding Variation in Local Sustainability Efforts among the US-Mexico Border Cities,” Annual Conference of Urban Affairs Association, March 16-19, 2016, San Diego, CA. (with Sylvia Gonzalez-Gorman and Dennis Patterson)

“The Future of Water: Trends in Municipal Water Sustainability Practices” Annual Conference of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management, November 12-14, 2015, Miami. (with Daniel Bailey)

“Why do Cities Attract Affordable Housing for Economic Development?: The Roles of Urban Political Institutions and State Smart Growth Policies,” Annual Conference of Midwest Political Science Association, April 16-19, 2015, Chicago. (with Sylvia Gonzales-Gorman and Sang-Chul Park)

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

Graduate School of Public Administration 10-10 Seminar, Seoul National University, February 10, 2023. (Online)

ICA (Institutional Collective Action) Workshop, University of Colorado Denver School of Public Affairs, March 8, 2018.

Graduate School of Public Administration, Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea, July 21, 2015.

Doctoral Colloquium, Local Governance Research Lab, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL. March 20, 2015.

Doctoral Colloquium, Local Governance Research Lab, Florida State University, September 30, 2014. (Online)

Symposium on Regional Development, June 12, 2013, Keimyung University, Daegu, Korea.

Graduate School of Governance, June 8, 2010, Sungkyunkwan University, Seoul, Korea.

Department of Public Administration, June 1, 2010, Kwangwoon University, Seoul, Korea.

Workshop on Networks and Collaboration in Local Government, November 13 - 14, 2008, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS.

GRADUATE DEGREE COMMITTEES

Doctoral Level

Ph.D. Committee Chair

Xiaoou Cheng, Political Science (Fall 2023 – Present)

Ph.D. Committee Member

Jacob Korir, Nutritional Sciences (Spring 2023 – Present)

Tyler de la Plaine, Interior and Environmental Design (Spring 2022 – Spring 2023)

Sylvia Gonzalez-Gorman, Political Science (Spring 2013 – Fall 2014)

- Ph.D. Comprehensive Exam Committee Chair (Political Science)
Fall 2023
- Ph.D. Comprehensive Exam Committee Member
Political Science: Fall 2022; Fall 2020; Spring 2014; Fall 2013; Spring 2013
Interior and Environmental Design: Fall 2021
- Ph.D. Student Second-Year Paper Committee Chair (Political Science)
Fall 2021 – Spring 2022
- Ph.D. Student Second-Year Paper Committee Member (Political Science)
Spring 2020 – Fall 2020; Fall 2011 – Fall 2012; Fall 2023
- Graduate Dean's Representative for the Final Oral Exam for the Doctoral Degree
Eric Busby, Land-Use Planning, Management, and Design (Fall 2019)
Dongsoo Jang, Computer Science (Spring 2017)
Sangmook Lee, Hospitality Management (Spring 2013)

MPA Level

- MPA Graduation Portfolio Committee Chair
Fall 2025: Nirali Fumakiya
Spring 2025: Diego Hernandez, Brittany Valenciano, Gabe Mata
Fall 2024: Gloria Matheson; Leslie Myatt
Summer 2024: Yessica Jasper
Spring 2024: Ty Tran; Jennifer Kalafut
Fall 2023: Joan Jebet
Spring 2023: Ellyn Anthony, Colin Ashby, Mariana Kozelsky
Fall 2022: David Beller; Austin Piccolo
Summer 2022: Leonel Vela
Spring 2022: Jinni Villalva, Cayla Rosenbaum
Fall 2021: Jimmy Maynard, LaDonna Johnson
Spring 2021: Kaitlyn Pietrzak, Peace Joseph, Esther Egbe, Austin Cote
Fall 2020: Garrett Spradling
Spring 2020: Bradly Johnson, Xiaoou Cheng
Fall 2019: Allyson Pettus, Joshua Benstowe, Melissa Sullinger
Summer 2019: Caitlyn English
Spring 2019: Alexis Milligan, Trevor Minyard, Jeff Morris, James Mullen,
Vincent Ndar, Love Osemwegie, Tyler Dominguez
Fall 2017: Chelsey Reed, Kyle Jacobson, Eren Ozen, Siobhan Shahan
Spring 2017: Grace Diana
- MPA Graduation Portfolio Committee Member
Fall 2025: Jennifer Onomah
Fall 2023: Jessie Montes
Spring 2023: Kristen Murray
Spring 2022: Tamer Mahmoud, David Zarata
Fall 2021: Christopher Moore, Taysha Williams
Fall 2020: Abigail Wesson
Spring 2020: Jolinda Westerberg
Spring 2019: Desiree Ojo
Fall 2018: Stephanie Wong

Summer 2018: Michael Wilson

Fall 2017: Ben Montecillo, Odera Anyasinti, Margaret Williams

Spring 2017: Francesca Vega, Jiayi Zhou

Fall 2016: Erin Rea

MPA Comprehensive Exam Committee Member (Fall 2008 – Fall 2016)

Non-MPA Masters Level

Master's Degree Committee Chair

Carlos Favela (MA in Interdisciplinary Studies, Fall 2018)

Tracy Tindle (MA in Interdisciplinary Studies, Fall 2016)

Shaymah Alikparah (MA in Interdisciplinary Studies, Spring 2016)

Elizabeth Gonzalez (MA in Interdisciplinary Studies, Summer 2015)

Master's Degree Committee Member

Kiran Rawat (MA in Interdisciplinary Studies, Spring 2024)

Joe Jimenez (MA in Interdisciplinary Studies, Fall 2011)

Mary Elkins (MS in Interdisciplinary Studies, Spring 2011)

David Abercia (M.Ed., Spring 2010)

Internship Advisor

Elizabeth Gonzalez (MA in Interdisciplinary Studies, Summer 2015)

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Texas Tech University

University/College Level

Faculty Promotion Committee Member (Fall 2025)

Faculty Senator (August 2021 – Summer 2024)

University Parking Appeal Committee (Spring 2023 – Summer 2024)

College of Arts & Sciences Degree Program Assessment Committee Member (Spring 2023)

Graduate Program Review Committee Member (Spring 2018)

Endowed Professorship Review Committee Member (Fall 2018)

Grant Proposal Reviewer

Scholarship Catalyst Program Grant (2015; 2018)

Student Organization Faculty Advisor

Arirang TECH-kwon-do (Fall 2013 – Spring 2018)

ICMA Student Chapter (Spring 2022 – Present)

Department Level

Department Chair Search Committee Member (Spring 2023)

Department Tenure/Promotion Standards Revision Committee Member (Spring – Fall 2013)

MPA Curriculum Committee Member (Fall 2024 – Present)

MPA Admissions Committee Chair (Spring 2017 – Summer 2019)

MPA Admissions Committee Member (Spring 2016 – Fall 2016; Fall 2019 – Summer 2022)

Faculty Tenure/Promotion Review Committee Member (Fall 2016; Fall 2018; Fall 2021; Fall 2024)

Faculty Third Year Review Chair (Spring 2025)
 Faculty Third Year Review Committee Member (Spring 2016; Spring 2018; Spring 2023; Spring 2024)
 Faculty Peer Review Committee Chair (Fall 2009; Fall 2019; Spring 2022; Fall 2022; Spring 2025)
 Faculty Peer Review Committee Member (Spring 2015; Spring 2016; Spring 2022; Spring 2024)
 Faculty Search Committee Chair (Fall 2017; Spring 2019; Fall 2019; Spring 2022; Fall 2022)
 Faculty Search Committee Member (Fall 2008; Spring 2009; Fall 2009; Fall 2010; Spring 2011; Fall 2012; Spring 2013; Fall 2014; Spring 2015; Fall 2016; Fall 2023)
 Faculty Mentor for Junior Faculty (2018 – 2019; 2019; 2024 – Present)
 Faculty Advisor, MPA Public Management Concentration (Fall 2008 – Summer 2020)
 Faculty Advisor, Public Administration Graduate Association (Fall 2016 – Summer 2019)
 NASPAA Reaccreditation Preparation Committee Member (Fall 2013 – Spring 2015)

Professional

American Society for Public Administration High Plains Chapter President (Spring 2022 – Summer 2022)
 Journal Associate Editor
 International Review of Public Administration (January 2018 – December 2019)
 Journal Editorial Board Member
 Good Governance Worldwide, ASPA's Section for Public Management Practice (Spring 2022 – Present)
 International Journal of Policy Studies (2017 – 2022)
 Korean Public Administration Quarterly (2012 – 2014; 2018 – 2021)
 Public Administration Review (Fall 2014 – Fall 2017)
 Korean Review of Organizational Studies (2009 – 2011)
 Academic Association Committee Member
 Executive Committee, ASPA Section on Intergovernmental Administration and Management (Spring 2022 – Present)
 International Collaboration Committee, Korean Association for Policy Analysis and Evaluation (2022)
 International Collaboration Committee, Korean Association for Governance (2016)
 International Collaboration Committee, Korean Association of Public Administration (2017; 2023)
 External Tenure/Promotion Reviewer (Fall 2021 (two reviews))
 Grant Proposal Reviewer: NSF (2017)
 Award Committee Chair
 Public Administration Review Louis Brownlow Award (2016)
 Award Committee Member
 State and Local Government Review Best Article Awards (2024)
 ASPA Section on Korean Public Administration Junior Asian Scholar Award

(2019, 2020)

Manuscript Reviewer

Public Administration Review, Journal of Public Administration Research and Theory, Public Performance & Management Review, Review of Policy Research, Public Management Review, Public Administration, State and Local Government Review, Urban Affairs Review, Urban Studies, Journal of Urban Affairs, Urban Research and Practice, Journal of Rural Studies, Journal of Environmental Planning and Management, Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly, Society & Natural Resources, Journal of Public Affairs Education, Asia & The Pacific Policy Studies, The Social Science Journal, Public Administration Quarterly, Australian Journal of Public Administration, Journal of Water Resources Planning and Management, Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly, Publius: The Journal of Federalism, Journal of Public and Nonprofit Affairs, International Review of Public Administration, Urban Governance, Korean Public Administration Quarterly, Korean Public Management Review, Korean Public Administration Quarterly, Korean Review of Organizational Studies, Korean Review of Public Personnel Administration

Web Master for the Program in Local Governance, DeVoe Moore Center, FSU, (2006 – 2009)

Other

Compulsory Military Service (Korean Army, Administrative Clerk) (November 1996 – January 1999)

PROFESSIONAL AND HONORARY AFFILIATIONS

American Society for Public Administration

Section on Public Administration Research

Section on Intergovernmental Administration and Management

Section on Korean Public Administration

Public Management Research Association

Midwest Political Science Association

Korean Association for Public Administration

Pi Alpha Alpha National Honor Society, inducted in 2004