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RESEARCH INTEREST	U.S. Congress, Representational style, Elections, Legislative processes, Inter-branch relationship, Text analysis, Machine learning, Formal modeling	
ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT	<b>The Ohio State University</b> , Columbus, OH Assistant Professor at the Department of Political Science, 2023 - Faculty Affiliate, East Asian Studies Center, 2024-  <b>Center for Effective Lawmaking</b> Faculty Affiliate, 2023 -  <b>University of Essex</b> , Colchester, UK Assistant Professor at the Department of Government, 2020-2023  <b>University of Pittsburgh</b> , Pittsburgh, PA Postdoctoral Research Fellow at the School of Computing and Information, 2019-2020  <b>Washington University</b> , St. Louis, MO Postdoctoral Research Associate in Methods, Political Science, 2017-2019  <b>Rutgers University</b> , New Brunswick, NJ Full-time Lecturer at the Department of Political Science, 2016-2017  <b>Columbia University</b> , New York, NY Adjunct Professor at Quantitative Methods in Social Science, ISERP, 2015-2016	
EDUCATION	<b>New York University</b> , New York, NY Ph.D. in Politics, May 2015  <b>Yonsei University</b> , Seoul, Republic of Korea B.A. in Political Science and International Relations (Honors), 2008  Exchange Student (Honors) at UC Los Angeles, CA, 2006-2007 Summer Session at UC Berkeley, CA, 2004	
BOOKS	<i>“Hearings on the Hill: The Politics of Informing Congress”</i> with Pamela Ban and Hye Young You. Cambridge University Press. Political Economy of Institutions and Decisions Series. 2024.  <i>“Political Grandstanding: An Electoral Strategy”</i> (In Progress)	
PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES	“Bureaucrats in Congress: The Politics of Interbranch Information Sharing” with Pamela Ban and Hye Young You [Paper] (Forthcoming at the <i>Journal of Politics</i> ) - Presented at MPSA 2023, APSA 2022, Women in Legislative Studies Conference 2022, and WARM at UC Berkeley 2024  “DALiSM: A Discourse Analysis framework for Legislative and Social Media texts” with Arman Irani, Kevin Esterling, and Michalis Faloutsos [Paper] Accepted for presentation and publication at	

the 17th ACM Web Science Conference 2025  
- Presented at PolMeth 2024

“WIBA: What Is Being Argued? A Comprehensive Approach to Argument Mining” with Arman Irani, Kevin Esterling, and Michalis Faloutsos [Paper], *The 16th International Conference on Advances in Social Networks Analysis and Mining (ASONAM-2024)*.

“Flexible Estimation of Policy Preferences for Witnesses in Committee Hearings” with Kevin Esterling. *Political Analysis*. 2024. 32(4):476-492. [Paper]

“The Politics of Problems versus Solutions: Policymaking and Grandstanding in Congressional Hearings” with Jonathan Lewallen and Sean Theriault. *Policy Studies Journal*. 2024. 52:515–531. [Paper]

- Policy Studies Journal Blog Post. October 2, 2024.
- “Grandstanding in Congressional Hearings Is Not Just about Winning Elections”, LSE United States Center Blog Post, February 22, 2024.

“Electoral Rewards for Political Grandstanding” *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences (PNAS)*. 2023. 120(17). [Paper] [Data]. (The lead paper)

- Presented at APSA 2021, MPSA 2021, Congress and History 2021, TADA 2021, PolMeth 2022
- Media mentions in *Rollcall.com*, October 7, 2021; *FiveThirtyEight.com*, June 9, 2022; Bloomberg Business, April 6, 2023; Washington Post, May 7, 2023.
- “During Mueller’s testimony, some members of Congress will grandstand. Here’s the logic behind which ones will.” *Washington Post, Monkey Cage*. July 24, 2019.

“How Are Politicians Informed? Witnesses and Information Provision in Congress” with Pamela Ban and Hye Young You. *American Political Science Review*. 2023. 117(1):122 - 139. [Paper] [Data].

- Best Paper Award in the Legislative Studies Section of the APSA (CQ Press Award 2022)
- Award for the Best Publication on Effective Lawmaking of the Center for Effective Lawmaking (2024) [Blog Post]

“When Do Politicians Grandstand? Measuring Message Politics in Committee Hearings” *the Journal of Politics*. 2021. 83(1):214-228. [Paper] [Data]

- Media mentions in *Rollcall.com*, October 7, 2021. *FiveThirtyEight.com*, June 9, 2022.

“Committee Chair’s Majority Partisan Status and Its Effect on Information Transmission via Hearings” *Journal of Legislative Studies*. 2019. 25(4):614-624. [Paper]

“Punishing without Rewards? A Comprehensive Examination of the Asymmetry in Economic Voting” *Electoral Studies*. 2019. 57:1-18. [Paper]

“A Lab Experiment on Committee Hearings: Preferences, Power and a Quest for Information” *Legislative Studies Quarterly*. 2017. 42(1):3-31. [Paper]

WORKING PAPERS “From Text to Measure: Creating Trustworthy Measures Using Supervised Machine Learning” with Jacob Montgomery [Paper] (R&R at Political Science Research and Methods)  
- Presented at PolMeth 2022, MPSA 2023, EPSA 2023, TADA 2023

“Moralizing Politics” with Taegyeon Kim (Under Review)  
- Presented at PolMeth 2023, MPSA 2024, and APSA 2024

“Identity of Information: Diversity in Witnesses in Congressional Hearings and Representation” with Pamela Ban and Hye Young You [Paper] (Under Review)

- Funded by the American University and Hewlett Foundation
- Presented at MPSA 2024, University of Chicago, and Women in Legislative Studies Conference 2024

“From Reddit to Congressional Hearings: A Study of Representation using an Argument Extraction Method” with Arman Irani, Kevin Esterling, and Michalis Faloutsos

- Presented at LMiSS APSA pre-conference 2024, SPSA 2025, and DSC-TDAI CSS Symposium at OSU

“Who Wants to Rock the Boat? Partisan Competition and Manipulation of Information” with Myunghoon Kang [Paper]

“Grandstanding in the Senate” with Sean Theriault

- Presented at APSA 2024

#### WORKS IN PROGRESS

“The Changing Role of Committees in the Era of Polarization and Party Government”

- Funded by the British Academy Leverhulme Grant & Center for Effective Lawmaking Grant

“From Debate to Statute: Tracing Legislative Influence Using Generative AI” with Mitchell Bosley, Kevin Esterling, Arman Irani, and Maya Treves

“Shifting Tides: The Evolution of Congressional Discourse on China” with Wha Sun Jho and Joon-seok Yang

“Walk This Way Talk This Way: Partisan Pressure in Committee Hearings” with Jonathan Lewallen and Sean Theriault

“Scientists at Congress: Use of Research in Policymaking” with Pamela Ban and Hye Young You

“Inversed Representation: Top-down Issue Framing through Twitter” with Taegyoon Kim

“Politicians’ Use of Violent Political Metaphors” with Taegyoon Kim

#### INVITED TALKS

2025: Columbia University (scheduled)

2024: UC Berkeley, University of Chicago, Purdue University, Yonsei University, Korea Advanced Institute of Science & Technology (KAIST)

2022: The Ohio State University, University of Rochester, Florida State University, Purdue University, UC Davis

2021: University of Southern California

2019: University of Essex, University of Pittsburgh, Smith College

2017: University College of London

#### GRANTS AND AWARDS

Award for the Best Publication on Effective Lawmaking of the Center for Effective Lawmaking. 2024.

Andrew Carnegie Fellows Program, 2023. \$200,000 (Won the university-wide competition for the junior scholar applicant)

NSF Grant for “Diversity and Representation in Information Provision to Congress” with Pamela Ban and Hye Young You. 2023. (Unsuccessful)

Good-to-Great Fellowship, the Ohio State University, 2023. \$12,500

Travel Grant, Text as Data Conference at University of Massachusetts, Amherst, 2023.

CQ Press Award 2022 (The Best Paper in the Legislative Studies section at APSA) with Pamela Ban and Hye Young You.

The New Perspectives in Studies of American Governance Program by Hewlett Foundation and American University, 2022, with Pamela Ban and Hye Young You. \$13,000.  
Center for Effective Lawmaking Small Grant, 2021. \$2,500.  
British Academy Leverhulme Small Grant, 2021. £9,937.27.  
NSF Grant for “Information Provision and Witness Testimony in Congress” with Pamela Ban and Hye Young You. 2020, 2021. (Unsuccessful)  
Travel Grant, Text as Data Conference at University of Washington, WA, 2018.  
Postdoctoral Research and Travel Grant, Washington University in St. Louis, 2017-2019. \$8000.  
Research Grant for an Experiment on Public Hearings, NYU Center for Experimental Social Science, 2016. \$1,200.  
Professional development fund, Rutgers University, 2016. \$1,000.  
Graduate Student Travel Grant Award from Elections, Public Opinion and Voting Behavior Section at the APSA Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA, 2015.  
Travel Grant, Behavioral Models of Politics Conference 2014 at Duke University.  
Travel Grant, Pittsburgh Behavioral Models of Politics Conference 2013.  
Empirical Implications of Theoretical Models (EITM) Summer School at UC Berkeley, CA, 2013.  
Research Grant for “When to Stack the Deck in Public Hearings,” NYU Center for Experimental Social Science, 2013.  
Research Grant for “Testing Conditional Effects of a Moderator in Deliberation: A Lab Experiment,” NYU Center for Experimental Social Science, 2011.  
MacCracken Award, New York University, 2008 - 2014.  
Departmental Summer Research Grant, 2009-2013.  
Honors Student Award in Social Science Studies, Yonsei University, Seoul, 2008.  
Honors Student at University California Los Angeles, Fall 2006, Winter 2006, Spring 2007.  
Full Scholarship from Dooeul Scholarship Foundation, 2005-2008.  
Full Scholarship and Travel Grant for the Study Abroad Program for Summer Session at UC Berkeley from Yonsei Leadership Center, Yonsei University, 2004.

SERVICE ROLES	PolMeth Program Organizing Committee 2025.
	Good-to-Great Program Oversight Committee, Department of Political Science, The Ohio State University 2024-present.
	Good-to-Great Faculty/postdoc in Politics & AI Search Committee, Department of Political Science, The Ohio State University 2024-present.
	Award Committee, Department of Political Science, The Ohio State University 2023-present.
	Graduate Studies Committee, Department of Political Science, The Ohio State University 2023-2024.
	CQ Press Award Committee 2023.
	Faculty Organizer for Graduate Research Method Seminar Series: HEROES (Helping Each-other’s Research On Empirical Subjects), Department of Government, University of Essex, 2020-2023.
DISSERTATION COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES	<p>Gechun Lin (Washington University in St. Louis, Year started: 2020)</p> <p>Jungbae An (The Ohio State University, Year started: 2020)</p> <p>Arman Irani (UC Riverside, Year started: 2021)</p> <p>Alexander Kemp (University of Essex, served from 2021 to 2023)</p>
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	<p>At the Ohio State University</p> <p>U.S. Congress (Undergraduate), Autumn 2023</p> <p>Political Analysis 1 (Undergraduate), Spring 2024, 2025</p> <p>Quant 2 (Doctoral), Spring 2024</p> <p>At University of Essex</p> <p>American Political Institutions (Undergraduate), Spring 2022 &amp; 2023</p>

American Politics (Masters; a year-long course), 2021-2022 & 2022-2023

At Washington University in St. Louis

Causal Inference (Doctoral), Fall 2017 & 2018

Maximum Likelihood Estimation (Doctoral), Spring 2019

At Rutgers University

Congressional Politics (Undergraduate), Spring 2017

Maximum Likelihood Estimation for Generalized Linear Models (Doctoral), Fall 2016

Introduction to Political Science Methods (Undergraduate), Fall 2016 & Spring 2017

Introduction to International Relations (Undergraduate), Fall 2016 & Spring 2017

At Columbia University

Theories and Methodologies of the Social Sciences (Masters), Fall 2015

Data Analysis (Masters), Spring 2016

JOURNAL REVIEWS *American Journal of Political Science, American Sociological Review, British Journal of Political Science, Electoral Studies, Interest Groups & Advocacy, Journal of Legislative Studies, Journal of Politics, Legislative Studies Quarterly, Nature Human Behaviour, Party Politics, PLOS One, Policy Studies Journal, Political Behavior, Political Psychology, Political Science Research and Methods, Research & Politics, Social Science Quarterly*

MEMBERSHIP AND SERVICES American Political Science Association since 2014  
Midwest Political Science Association since 2009  
PolMeth since 2019  
Korean-American Scientists and Engineers Association (KSEA) since 2023

COMPUTER SKILLS R, Python, Stata, MTurk, Z-tree, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

LANGUAGE SKILLS English (fluent), Korean (native)

CITIZENSHIP USA