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- Academic Position** Assistant Professor, Appalachian State University, Fall 2022 -  
Associate Professor, Winthrop University, Fall 2021 - May 2022  
Assistant Professor, Winthrop University, 2017 - 2021
- Visiting Position** Instructor, Northern Illinois University, Spring 2017  
Adjunct Assistant Professor, Dominican University, Fall 2016  
Visiting Faculty Fellow, Institute for Quantitative Theory and Methods (QuanTM),  
Emory University, Spring 2016  
Adjunct Instructor, University of Rochester, Fall 2015  
Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Georgia, 2014-2015
- Education** Ph.D. in Political Science, University of Rochester, 2014  
Fields: *Comparative Politics, Political Methodology, International Relations*  
M.A.L.D., The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, 2009  
M.A. in Economics, Seoul National University, 2006  
B.A. in Economics, University of Calgary (First Class Honours), 2002
- Publications** **Kim, Hye-Sung.** 2022. "Oil Extraction and the Changing Dynamics of Pastoral  
Conflicts: A Conjoint Experiment in Turkana, Kenya" *Journal of Modern African  
Studies*. forthcoming in the 2023 issue 61(1).
- Kim, Hye-Sung,** Lee, Youngchae and Huffmon, Scott. 2022. "Public Opinion  
on U.S. Investment in Foreign Countries: Survey Evidence from Eleven Southern  
States in the US." *Social Science Quarterly*. Online First.
- Kim, Hye-Sung** and Horowitz, Jeremy. 2021. "Rejecting Ethnic Pandering in  
Urban Africa: A Survey Experiment on Voter Preferences in Nairobi, Kenya."  
*Political Research Quarterly*. Online First.
- Kim, Hye-Sung.** 2021. "Promoting Ethnic Equality in Campaign Messages:  
Survey Experimental Evidence from Nairobi, Kenya." *Electoral Studies*. 70,  
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- Kim, Eunkyong and **Kim, Hye-Sung.** 2021. "The Winning Party Platform:  
Voter Perceptions of Party Positions and Voting in Urban Africa." *Africa Spec-  
trum*.
- Kim, Hye-Sung** and K. MKutu. 2021. "Oil extraction and public attitudes: A  
conjoint experiment in Turkana, Kenya." *The Extractive Industries and Society*.  
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- Kim, Hye-Sung.** 2020. "Co-Ethnic and Neighborhood Ties and Financial Social  
Capital Formation among the Urban Poor in Kenya." *Social Science Quarterly*.  
101(2): 744-758.
- Kim, Hye-Sung.** 2020. "Failed Policy? The Effects of Kenya's Education  
Reform: Use of Natural Experiment and Regression Discontinuity Design." *Social  
Science Quarterly*. 101(1): 406-419.

	<p><b>Kim, Hye-Sung</b> and Lee, Youngchae. 2020. “The Effects of Environmental Costs on Public Support of Foreign Direct Investment: Differences Between the United States and India.” In <i>International Trade, Investment, and the Sustainable Development Goals: World Trade Forum</i> eds. Beverelli, C, Kurtz, J and Raess, D. Cambridge University Press.</p> <p><b>Kim, Hye-Sung</b>, Yong Yoon, and Mary Mutinda. 2019. “Secure Land Tenure for Urban Slum-dwellers: A Conjoint Experiment in Kenya.” <i>Habitat International</i> 93:102048.</p> <p><b>Kim, Hye-Sung</b> and Almas Heshmati, 2011. “The R&amp;D and Productivity Relationship of Korean Listed Firms.” <i>Journal of Productivity Analysis</i> 36(2): 125-142.</p> <p>Heshmati, Almas, Kim, Y.K and <b>Kim, Hye-Sung</b>. 2007. The Effects of Innovation on Performance of Korean Firms. In <i>Economics of Technological Change</i>, eds. Thomas Beane, T.L. NY: Nova Science Publisher.</p> <p><b>Kim, Hye-Sung</b>, Almas Heshmati and Dany Aoun. “Dynamics of Capital Structure: the Case of Korean Listed Manufacturing Companies.” 2006. <i>Asian Economic Journal</i> 20(3).</p>
<b>Under Contract</b>	<p><b>Kim, Hye-Sung</b>. <i>Political Power and Co-Ethnic Marginalization in Africa: Persistent Loyalty and Strategic Negligence</i>. Routledge</p>
<b>Revised and Resubmit</b>	<p>“Oil Extraction, Scarce Resource Competition and Pastoral Conflicts: A Conjoint Experiment in Turkana, Kenya.” <i>Journal of Modern African Studies</i></p>
<b>Under Review</b>	<p>“Predicting FDI Inflows: Exploring A Non-linear Relationship Between Peace Years, Natural Resources, and the Rule of Law.” (with Jeheung Ryu) <i>Global Economic Review</i></p>
<b>Working Papers</b>	<p>“Sacrificing Environmental Degradation for Economic Development: Public Attitudes to LAPSSET in Turkana County, Kenya.” Presented at the 2021 African Studies Association Annual Meeting.” (with Kennedy MKutu)</p> <p>“Oil Extraction, Provisional Peace and Political Marginalization: the Case of Turkana County in Kenya.” (with Kennedy MKutu and Tessa MKutu)</p> <p>“Mobile Technology and State Repression during the COVID-19 Pandemic: The Case of Nigeria.”</p> <p>“COVID-19, Regime Types and Government Repression in Africa.”</p>
<b>Selected Conference Presentation</b>	<p>“Is the Dictator Game a Reliable Measure of Inter-group Affect in Multiethnic Societies? Evidence from Kenya” Presented at the 2022 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting. With Jeremy Horowitz.</p> <p>“COVID-19, Regime Types and Government Repression in Africa.” Presented at the 2022 SCPSA/NCPSA Joint Conference. With Bautista Vivanco and Vincent Wasner.</p> <p>“Public Attitudes to Environmental Degradation for Economic Development: Case of LAPSSET in Turkana County, Kenya.” Presented at the 2022 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting.</p> <p>“Sacrificing Environmental Degradation for Economic Development: Public Attitudes to LAPSSET in Turkana County, Kenya.” Presented at the 2021 African Studies Association Annual Meeting and the 2022 Fall SERSAS/SEAN Meeting.</p>

“Does Mobile Technology Reduce Police Brutality during the COVID-19? The Case of Nigeria.” Presented at the 2021 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting and co-presented with Hannah Switzer at the 2022 Conflict Studies Conference co-Hosted by U of SC and UNC Charlotte.

“Oil extraction and public attitudes: A conjoint experiment in Turkana, Kenya.” Presented at the 2020 African Studies Association Annual Meeting. With Kennedy MKutu.

“Ethnic Ties, Information Updating, and Political Accountability: A Survey Experiment from Kenya.” Presented at the 2020 African Studies Association Annual Meeting. With Jeremy Horowitz.

“Devolution and Government-Citizen Relationship in Kenya’s Rural Periphery: Case Study of Turkana.” Presented at the 2020 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting (iPoster). With Kennedy MKutu.

“Rainfall, Soil Quality and Conflict Types in Africa.” Presented at the 2020 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting. With Scott Wertz and Brian McFadden.

“Political Power and Co-Ethnic Marginalization: How Leaders Use a Logic of Electoral Authoritarianism in Africa.” Presented at the 2019 Fall SERSAS/SEAN Meeting.

“Failed Policy? Impact of Education Policy Reform in Kenya.” Presented at the Strathmore University Brown Bag Seminar. May 2019.

“Rejecting Ethnic Politics in Urban Africa: Evidence from Nairobi, Kenya.” Presented at the Kings College London Workshop on Authoritarian Backsliding. May 2019.

“Climate Change and Conflict in Africa.” Presented at the 2019 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meeting. With Emma Harris and Ferrell Holland.

“FDI and Public Opinion Survey in 11 US States.” Presented at the 2018-2019 Midwest Political Science Association Annual Meetings. With Scott Huffmon and Youngchae Lee.

“Drought, Famine and Conflict: The Case of Turkana County in Kenya.” Presented at the 2019 Winthrop Food Conference.

“When Local Opposition Is Outweighed by Popular Opinion: the Public Influence of Foreign Direct Investment in Kenya.” Presented at the 2019 Spring SERSAS/SEAN Spring Conference and 2018 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

“Informal Network and Savings Network: Survey Experiment in Kenya’s Informal Settlements.” Presented at the 2019 Southern Political Science Association Annual Meeting.

“Can Foreign Direct Investment Increase Ethnic Competition? A Survey Experiment in Kenya.” Presented at the 2018 African Studies Association Annual Meeting.

“The Winning Party Platform: Voter Perceptions of Party Positions and Voting in Urban Africa.” Presented at the 2018 African Studies Association and American Political Science Association Annual Meeting. With Eunkyong Kim.

“Acceptable Tradeoffs between Economic Growth and Environmental Protection.” Presented at the 2018 World Trade Forum. With Youngchae Lee.

“Information and Public Attitude toward U.S. Foreign Direct Investment: A Survey Experiment in Eleven States in the U.S..” Presented at the 2018 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting. With Scott Huffmon and Youngchae Lee.

“The Effect of Education Policy on Ethnic Inclusion in Kenya: Use of Natural Experiment and Regression Discontinuity Design.” Presented at the 2018 Political Methodology Annual Meeting (PolMeth).

“Urbanisation and Rejecting Ethnicity.” Presented at the Strathmore Brown Bag Seminar. May 2018.

“Does Cross-Ethnic Marriage Encourage Good Financial Behaviors? Survey Research Evidence from Kenya’s Urban Poor. African Studies Association Annual Meeting..” Presented at the 2017 African Studies Association Annual Meeting. With Mary Mutinda.

“Predicting FDI Inflows: Exploring a Non-linear Relationship Between Peace Years, Natural Resources, and Rule of Law.” Presented at the 2017 American Political Science Association, Midwest Political Science Association and International Studies Association-Midwest Annual Meetings. With Jeheung Ryu.

“Ethnic Bias in Predicting Politicians Preference: Survey Evidence from Kenya.” Presented at the 2017 American Political Science Association Annual Meeting

## Courses Taught

### WINTHROP UNIVERSITY

#### Courses in Comparative Politics

*African Politics*, Fall 2017, Fall 2021

*Comparative Politics*, Fall 2017, Spring 2018. Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Spring 2022

*Comparative Politics (Online)*, Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Spring 2022

*Field Research Method and Experiential Learning in Kenya*, Spring 2019

#### Courses in International Relations

*International Politics (Online)*, Spring 2022

*International Political Economy*, Fall 2017, Spring 2019

*Identity, Ethnicity and Nationalism (Online)*, Spring 2021

#### Courses in Political Methodology

*Scope and Methods*, Fall 2017, Spring 2018. Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2021, Spring 2022

*Scope and Methods (Online)*, Fall 2020, Spring 2021

*Social Science Data Analysis*, Fall 2018

*Measurement and Survey Research Methods*, Spring 2020

**Courses in Capstone Seminar**

*Political Science Capstone Seminar*, Spring 2018, Fall 2019

**NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY**

*Intermediate Analysis of Political Data* (MA and PhD Course),  
Spring 2017

**DOMINICAN UNIVERSITY**

*Politics in Africa*, Fall 2016

**UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER**

*Political Economy of Developing Countries*, Fall 2015, Summer 2013

**STRATHMORE UNIVERSITY**

*Introductory Econometrics*, Summer 2016

*Data Analysis Short Course* (PhD Short Course), Summer 2015

**UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA**

*Linear Models* (PhD Course), Spring 2015

*Policy Analysis II* (MA/PhD Course), Spring 2015

*Data Analysis and Statistics* (PhD Course), Fall 2014

*Foundations of Policy Analysis* (MA Course), Fall 2014, Spring 2015

*Policy Analysis I* (MA/PhD Course), Fall 2014

**Grants**

The Gerda Henkel Foundation Special Programme Grant for Security, Society,  
and the State (\$22,118), 2019-2020

The British Institute In Eastern Africa (BIEA) Thematic Grant (\$1,000),  
2018-2019

Winthrop University Research Council Grant 2018 (\$4,000), 2019 (\$5,000),  
2021 (\$4,820; Unfunded due to the end of employment),  
2022 (\$5,000; Unfunded due to the end of employment)

Hayek Fund for Scholars, The Institute for Humane Studies, 2014, 2018 (\$750)

Polmeth XXXV SPM-NSF Travel Grant, 2018 (\$1,350)

Polmeth XXXIV SPM-NSF Travel Grant, 2017 (\$1,375)

IDRC Research Grant (Grant Number 108242), Strathmore University, 2016-2018

Researcher Travel Mobility Grant, University of Rochester, 2014 (\$5,000)

**Awards and  
Fellowships**

*Field Research Fellowship*, Korea Foundation, 2022

*Outstanding Junior Professor Award*, Winthrop University, 2021

*Undergraduate Research Mentoring Award*, College of Arts and Sciences,  
Winthrop University, 2020

*Artinian Award*, Southern Political Science Association, 2019.

*Frederick Douglass Institute Research Award*, University of Rochester, 2012&2014

*Second Year Paper Fellowship*, University of Rochester, 2009  
*Graduate Fellowship*, University of Rochester, 2009-2014  
*National Chengchi University Scholarship*, The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, 2007-2009  
*Asia Pacific Leadership Program Fellowship*, East-West Center, 2005-2006  
*Brain Korea Research Fellowship*, Seoul National University, 2004-2005

**Field Work**

Survey on a sample of 1,200 Korean citizens over 18, South Korea, 2022  
Survey of 801 randomly selected households, Turkana, Kenya, 2020  
Survey of 1,300 randomly selected households, Nairobi, Kenya, 2018  
Survey of 4,600 randomly selected households, Nairobi and Kiambu, Kenya, 2016  
Survey of 1,800 randomly selected households, Nairobi and Kitui, Kenya, 2016  
Survey of 840 randomly selected households, Nairobi, Kenya, 2015  
Survey of 920 randomly selected households, Nairobi, Kenya, 2014  
Survey of 720 randomly selected households, Eastern Uganda, 2012  
Preliminary data collection and interviews, Uganda, 2009, 2010

**Professional Experience**

Consultant and Technical Adviser, IDRC Project “Unlocking the Poverty Penalty And Up-scaling the Respect for Rights in Kenya’s Informal Settlements,” 2016 - 2018  
Research Assistant to Bonnie Meguid and Guy Grossman, 2013  
Research Assistant to Curt Signorino and Avi Acharya, 2012  
Research Intern at United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), Uganda, Spring 2010  
Research Assistant to Paul Collier and Anke Hoeffler, 2008  
Researcher at Korea Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP), 2006-2007  
Research Intern at United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP), Thailand, Summer 2006

**Professional Service**

Co-Section Head for the Comparative Political Behavior Section, 2022 *MPSA Annual Meeting Conference*  
Reviewer, *American Political Science Review*, *American Journal of Political Science*; *Conflict Management and Peace Science*; *Journal of Productivity*; *Journal of Comparative Politics*; *Land Use Policy*; *Development Policy Review*

**University Service**

**WINTHROP UNIVERSITY**

Academic Council, Elected Member from Faculty Conference, Fall 2021-Spring 2022  
Winthrop University 3rd Interdisciplinary Conference Program Committee (Spring 2021-Spring 2022)  
College of Arts & Science Student Research Council Committee, Chair (Fall 2020-Spring 2022); Member (Fall 2017-Spring 2022)

College of Arts & Science Social Studies Education Placement Committee,  
Spring 2020-Spring 2022

Department of Political Science American Politics Search Committee, Fall 2018

Diversity & Inclusion Curriculum Development Subcommittee,  
Spring 2019-Spring 2022

Winthrop University Calendar Committee, Summer 2019 -

College of Arts & Science Faculty Assembly Parliamentarian,  
Fall 2019 - Spring 2020

Winthrop University Graduate School Faculty Parliamentarian,  
Fall 2019-Spring 2022

## Skills

R, STATA, GAUSS, SAS, SPSS, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

## References

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