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**Education**

- Ph.D.                      University of Minnesota – Twin Cities, 2026  
Doctor of Philosophy in Social Work
- M.A.                      University of London, King's College, 2011  
Conflict, Security and Development
- B.SC.                      Korea National Open University, Statistics and Data Science, 2020
- B.A.                      Korea University, English and Political Science, 2010

**Research Interests**

Social origins of stigma, HIV/AIDS, health disparities, social determinants of health, program evaluation, mixed methods, computational social science, international social work.

**Teaching Interests**

Comparative social welfare, theory & practice for human development in developing countries, ethnographic field work, special topics in social data analysis.

**Peer-Reviewed Publications**

3. Lee, L. H., Yoon, Y., **Kim, D.**, Noh, H., Jones, S., & Lee, H. Y. (2023). Perceived transportation barriers moderate the association between depressive symptoms and household transportation use. *Journal of Transport & Health*, 33, 101713. (SSCI) <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jth.2023.101713>
2. Lim, J., & **Kim, D.** (2020). Measuring the professional development needs for technical and vocational education and training staff in Nepal: A look at teachers' perspectives. *Journal of Practical Engineering Education*, 12, 163-176. (KCI) <https://doi.org/10.14702/JPEE.2020.163>
1. Lim, J., **Kim, D.**, & Mukama, E. (2019). A Study on the impact of teacher education programme on career preference and job satisfaction: Evidence from Rwanda schoolteachers. *The Journal of Korea Teacher Education*, 36, 151-177. (KCI) <https://doi.org/10.24211/tjkte.2019.36.4.151>

**Manuscripts under Review**

4. **Kim, D.**, Yoon, Y., Cosenzo, L. G., & Lee, H. Y. Rural Alabamian's unmet medical needs: Rethinking the roles of online health information seeking behavior. *Journal of Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities*.
3. Lee, H. Y., Lee, L. H., **Kim, D.**, Yoon, Y., Noh, H., Gong, J., & Jones, S. (Submitted). Does gender moderate the relationship between depressive symptoms and non-household transportation use? Findings from a cross-sectional study in rural Alabama. *Ethnicity & Health*.
2. Lee, H. Y., Kim, J., Yoon, Y., **Kim, D.**, & Chipalo, E. (Submitted). Internet use and

depressive symptoms among older adults in the U.S.: Unraveling the differences by gender. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*.

1. Beltran, R., **Kim, D.**, Sevillano, L., Cordero, L., Hong, C., Garner, A., Howell, S., & Holloway, I. (Submitted). Freedom of movement, social support, and psychological wellbeing: Resilience against COVID-19 related loneliness among sexual minority men living in high versus low LGBT acceptance countries. *International Journal of Mental Health*.

### Manuscripts in Preparation

1. **Kim, D.**, Tuyishime, E., Musuhukye, B., & Haight, W. Life between home and street: Liminality and coping of street children in Rwanda.
2. Jung, W., Kim, S., **Kim, D.**, & Lee, D. Identifying homeless encampment locations and their neighborhood characteristics using machine learning and spatial generalized linear mixed models.
3. Yoon, Y., **Kim, D.**, Shin, S. H., & Lee, H. Y. Covid-19 and anti-Asian hate crimes: Unveiling reporting dynamics in media and crime data.
4. Lee, L., **Kim, D.**, Yoon, Y., & Lee, H. Y. Factors associated with perceived transportation barriers for access to opioid-related services among rural residents.
5. Yoon, Y., **Kim, D.**, Lee, L., & Lee, H. Y. Attitudes toward opioid-related service needs: Do social determinants of health matter?

### Conference Proceedings

1. Yoon, Y., **Kim, D.**\*, Shin, H. H., Chandrasekaran, S., Kamibayashi, M., Beckwith, J., & Lee, H. Y. (submitted). *Factors associated with anti-Asian hate incident reporting during covid-19 pandemic: Comparisons between media and law enforcement data*. Society for Social Work and Research 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Seattle, WA. \*Presenter
2. **Kim, D.**, Yoon, Y., Giorgio, L., & Lee, H. Y. (Submitted). *The paradox of online health information-seeking: Higher usage and the increased likelihood of unmet medical needs*. Society for Social Work and Research 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Seattle, WA.
3. **Kim, D.**, Tuyishime, E., Musuhukye, B., & Haight, W. (Submitted). *Beyond poverty and violence: Ethnographic insights into the lives of street children in urban Rwanda*. Society for Social Work and Research 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Seattle, WA.
4. Shin, S. H., Yoon, Y., **Kim, D.**, Chandrasekaran, S., Kamibayashi, M., Beckwith, J., & Lee, H. Y. (submitted). *Examining discrepancies in Anti-Asian Hate Incident Reporting between media and law enforcement data amidst the COVID-19 era in the United States*. Oral Presentation at the 48th International Association for Research in Economic Psychology/Society for the Advancement of Behavioral Economics Joint Conference, Dundee, Scotland, U.K.
5. Blakey, J., **Kim, D.**\*, Coleman, J., Lowery, C., & Buraik, L. (Submitted). *Training isn't enough: Teaching social service professionals about racism using racial identity processing groups*. Interactive Workshop at the 2024 70<sup>th</sup> Council on Social Work Education Annual Program Meeting, Kansas City, MO. \*Co-Presenter

6. **Kim, D.** (May 2024). *HIV criminalization and health outcomes: An analytical insight from eight U.S. states.* 2024 National Conference of Social Work and HIV/AIDS, Lake Buena Vista, FL.
7. **Kim, D.** (Mar 2024). *Advancing depression screening and monitoring practices in primary care: A case study from a federally qualified health center.* The Minnesota Social Service Association 2024 Conference & Expo, Minneapolis, MN.
8. Yoon, Y., **Kim, D.**, Lee, L.H., & Lee, H.Y. (January 2024). *Attitudes towards opioid-related service needs: Do social determinants of health matter?* Society for Social Work and Research 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
9. Lee, L.H., **Kim, D.**, Yoon, Y., & Lee, H.Y. (January 2024). *Factors associated with perceived transportation barriers for access to opioid prevention, treatment, and recovery services.* Society for Social Work and Research 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Washington D.C.
10. Beltran, R., **Kim, D.\***, Sevillano, L., Cordero, L., & Hong, C., (October 2023). *Mobility matters: Predictors of loneliness during the covid-19 pandemic among gay, bisexual, and other men who have sex with men (GBMSM) in low versus high-stigmatizing countries.* Poster presented at the 2023 Interdisciplinary Association for Population Health Science, Baltimore, MD. \*Presenter
11. Lee, L. H., **Kim, D.**, Yoon, Y., Noh, H., Jones, S., & Lee, H.Y. (October 2023). *Depression-transportation disparities in rural AL: A health equity lens for anti-oppressive education.* Poster presented at the 2023 Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) Annual Program Meeting, Atlanta, GA.
12. Kim, J., Lee, J., Lee, H.Y., Yoon, Y., **Kim, D.**, & Han, G. (June 2023). *Patterns of Internet use, depression, and health among Korean baby boomers.* Poster presented at the 2023 International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics Asia/Oceania Regional Congress, Yokohama, Japan.
13. Kim, J., Lee, H., Yoon, Y., **Kim, D.** (June 2023). *Older adults' Internet use and depressive symptoms by gender.* Poster presented at the 2023 International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics Asia/Oceania Regional Congress, Yokohama, Japan.
14. **Kim, D.** & Piescher, K. (March 2023). *When support matters: Predictors of child protection workforce retention during welfare reform.* Poster presented at the 2023 CEHD Research & Innovation Day, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN.
15. **Kim, D.**, Yoon, Y., & Lee, H.Y. (October 2022). *Digital health technology use and its link to unmet health needs among African Americans living in underserved rural areas.* Paper presented at the 2022 Joint World Conference on Social Work Education and Social Development, Seoul, Korea (Virtual).
16. Lee, L. H., **Kim, D.**, Yoon, Y., Noh, H., Jones, S., & Lee, H.Y. (October 2022). *Perceived transportation barriers moderate the effect of depressive symptoms on the household transportation use: A case study among Alabamians living in rural Black Belt.* Poster presented at the 2022 Joint World Conference on Social Work Education and Social Development, Seoul, Korea (Virtual).

### Invited Book Chapter

**Kim, D.** (2020). (A) broad project management: Working in social development. In S. Kim, S. Do, H. Park, J. Chung & W. Cho, Current: Six essays of project management, Seoul: PY Book. ISBN: 979-11-303-0917-0.

### Grants, Scholarships, and Fellowships

2024	Diversity Fellowship by Institute of Social Research and Data Innovation, University of Minnesota (\$5,330)
2023	University of Minnesota School of Social Work Travel Grant (\$1,000)
2023-2024	Robert Wood Johnson Foundation-Project Title “Creating data visualizations to understand the impact of structural racism on anti-Asian hate crime during COVID-19 and to mitigate its effects (PI: Sruthi Chandrasekaran)”, Role: <i>Consultant</i> (\$250,000)
2022	Graduate Student Research Development Grant by Minnesota Population Center (\$1,070)
2021	Rosene Doctoral Fellowship (\$2,500)
2021	Outstanding Ph.D. Student Scholarship (\$1,000)
2010	Chevening Scholarship ( £ 27,000)

### Awards and Honors

2020	Chancellor’s Award-2019 Data Analytics Competition, Korea Natl Open University, Korea
2009	Foreign Minister’s Award, The 15 <sup>th</sup> Model United Nations Conference. Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Korea

### Teaching Experiences

2024	<b>8807 International &amp; Comparative Social Welfare Policy</b> Social Work, University of Minnesota Twin Cities Guest Instructor
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### Professional Experience

7/2023 - 8/2023	<b>Consultant</b> , Center for Interprofessional Health Program Minneapolis, United States <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Drafted and disseminated analysis reports of survey results from the agency program activities such as CLARION Case Competition (2016-2023) that included Interprofessional Collaborative Competencies Attainment Survey (ICCAS) items.</li><li>• Developed program measurement tools including questionnaires, focus groups guide (question route) in collaboration with program staff.</li><li>• Proposed scales and instruments to measure interprofessional competencies tailored to program objectives and mission of the organization.</li></ul>
2/2014 - 2/2020	<b>Program Coordinator</b> , Child Fund Korea Seoul, Korea <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Provided technical assistance in developing guidelines and manuals for assessment on overseas projects.</li><li>• Revised and updated progress monitoring tools.</li></ul>

<Research experience highlights>

- Review team leader, Morogoro, Tanzania, 12/2019
  - Developed tools for data collection and conducted quantitative data analysis for the mid-term review of the project called ‘Tuwalinde Watoto’ (Let’s protect children).
- Evaluation team leader, Gasabo, Rwanda, 12/2018
  - Designed questionnaires, interview guides. Organized and facilitated enumerator training and data analysis. Wrote impact evaluation report.

1/2016 -  
07/2018

**Country Manager**, ChildFund Rwanda  
Kigali, Rwanda

- Led teams during program planning based on hard evidence from data collected during assessments and baseline surveys.
- Developed evaluation framework and supervised record management from compiling relevant raw data and reports.
- Conducted enumerators training during research activities. Carried out dissemination presentations for government officials and community members.
- Represented the organization by participating in various stakeholders’ meetings and platform sessions.

2/2012 -  
10/2013

**Child Protection Officer**, Nonviolent Peaceforce South Sudan  
Jonglei and Unity States, South Sudan

- Produced situation and incidence reports concerning unaccompanied minors and separate children.
- Provided referral support for social workers in interim care centers in Bor county and child friendly spaces in the Yida refugee camp to facilitate family tracing and reunification (FTR) program.

**Social Work Field Education**

2023 – 2024

Community-University Health Care Center, Minneapolis, MN

- Conduct patient triage assessments and facilitate intake meetings to assess the needs of patients.
- Chart patient records using electronic health record solution such as EPIC.
- Participate in integrated care coordination team meetings that pertain to patients’ multifaceted healthcare needs.

2022 – 2023

Interprofessional Student-Parent Community, Minneapolis, MN

- Facilitated interprofessional, co-curricular activities, and peer-education events for academic health sciences students & health professionals.
- Supported administration of post-secondary childcare grant (PSCCG) for pregnant and parenting students.
- Managed and updated university-wide mental health and wellness information repository.

**Skills**

Data and Document Software: R, SPSS, Open Data Kit (ODK), LaTeX

Certifications: National Social Survey Analyst (Lv.2), Project Management Professional (PMP)

**Training**

- 2023 Summer Institute in Computational Social Science – KAIST, Daejeon, Korea  
Focus Group – Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea
- 2020 Sample Theory and Practice – Statistics Training Institute, Daejeon, Korea
- 2019 Life Course: KOSTAT-UNFPA Summer Seminar on Population – Korea Statistics & UNFPA, Seoul, Korea
- 2015 Psychosocial Support Training of Trainers Program – Human in Love, Seoul, Korea

**Community Services**

- Council Member, Minnesota Council for HIV/AIDS Care and Prevention (Needs Assessment and Evaluation Committee), Mar. 2024 – Feb. 2026 Minneapolis, MN, USA
- Member, HIV Public Policy Coalition, Minneapolis, MN, USA

**Languages**

English, Korean, Spanish, Kinyarwanda

**Professional Affiliations**

Professional Association of Social Workers in HIV & AIDS (PASWHA)

Minnesota Population Center (MPC)

Society for Social Work Research (SSWR)

Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)

Interdisciplinary Association for Population Health Science (IAPHS)

Project Management Institute (PMI)