

## **BIOGRAPHICAL DATA**

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## **EDUCATION**

1978–1984 The University of Chicago, USA (Ph.D. in Sociology)  
1976–1978 Graduate School of Sociology, Seoul National University (MA)  
1972–1976 Department of Sociology, Seoul National University (BA)

## **ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

1996– Associate Professor, Professor, Department of Sociology, Seoul National University

2009–2010 President, Women Faculty Council, Seoul National University

2007–2009 Director, Institute for Social Development and Policy Research, SNU

2004–2006 Director, Institute of Gender Research, SNU  
Chair, Graduate Program for Gender Studies, SNU

2002–2008 Member, Gender Equality Committee, Asia Institute of Technology (Thailand)

2003–2003 Visiting Professor, Institute of Social Science, University of Tokyo

2002–2003 Visiting Scholar, Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University

2000–2002 Chair, Department of Sociology, SNU

2000–2002 Member of Committee for Joint-Degree Project, SNU

2001 Vice-president, Korean National Association for Women's Studies

1999–2002 Director, Graduate Program of Gender Studies, SNU

1999–2001 Member of Committee for Development, College of Social Sciences

1996–1996 Visiting Scholar, Department of Sociology, University of Bristol, England

1997–1999 Director of Graduate Program, Department of Sociology, SNU

1989–1990 Visiting Scholar, Institute of Social Sciences, Tokyo University, Tokyo

1985–1996 Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Duksung Women's University, Seoul

1987–1988 Chair, Department of Sociology, Duksung Women's University

## HUMAN RIGHTS ACTIVITIES

### NGO

- 2005– President, *Korea Center for United Nations Human Rights Policy*
- 2005– Member, *Korean House for International Solidarity*
- 2004 Speaker, *Asian regional conference for immigrant workers in Seoul*
- 2003 Fellow, *Asian Leadership Fellow Program*, International House of Japan
- 2003 Speaker on impunity, *World Social Forum* in Porto Alegre, Brazil
- 2001–2002 Co-representative, *Korean Council for the Women Drafted for Military Sexual Slavery by Japan*
- 2001– Member of Managing Committee, *Korean Institute for Social Movement Research*
- 2000– Advisor, *People's Solidarity for Participatory Democracy*
- 2000– Member of a Board of Trustee, *Korean Institute of Gender Research*
- 1999– Member of a Board of Trustee, *Korean Institute for Women's Social Education*
- 1999– Advisor to Nokeunri victims organization
- 1995–2000 Advisor, Policy Committee of YWCA
- 1993 Member of Korean preparatory committee, Vienna World Conference on Human Rights
- 1989–1990 Activist for foreign illegal workers rights and other minority rights movements in Japan
- 1987–1995 Activist for administrative reform movement at Duksung Women's University
- 1985– Activist for feminist cultural publication NGO, *Alternate Culture*
- 1977–1978 Staff, Public relations department, *Korean National Council of Churches (KNCC)*
- 1972–1978 Teacher for economically challenged children's night schools  
Activist for student movements for social democratization, for farmers and workers' rights, for urban disadvantaged rights, etc.

### UN

- 2008– Member of the Advisory Committee of the UN Human Rights Council
- 2004–2006 Member of the UN Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights
- 2000–2004 Alternate Member of the UN Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights

### Government (Major one)

- 2009– Member of Advisory Committee for Foreign Policy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade
- 2007– Member of Korea-Japan Joint History Research Committee
- 2006–2008 Member of Presidential Committee on Government Innovation and Decentralization
- 2004–2008 Member of Advisory Committee for Reunification Policy, Ministry of Unification
- 2004–2007 Member of Advisory Committee for Forcible Mobilization, Office of the Prime Minister
- 2006–2007 Member of Advisory Committee for Policy, Ministry of Justice
- 2000–2002 Member of Advisory Committee on Recovery and Cooperation of the People Involved in Democratization Movements

- 2000–2002 Member of Advisory Committee for Policies for Women, Ministry of Public Health and Welfare
- 1999–2001 Member of Advisory Committee for Communication and Cooperation between South and North Korea, Ministry of Unification
- 1999–2000 Member of Advisory Committee for Nokeunri Incident (Civilian massacre incident during Korean War), Office of Policy Coordination, Prime Minister’s Office
- 1999–2002 Member of a Committee for Alleviation of Control, Ministry of Education
- 1994–2001 Member of Inquiry Committee for Supporting Former Comfort Women, Ministry of Public Health and Welfare

### SELECTED PUBLICATIONS ON HUMAN RIGHTS

- 2009 “Toward a multi-cultural society” in *Social Trend of Korea* (Seoul National University Press).
- 2009 “Integrating the human rights of women throughout the United Nations system” Draft Guidelines on methods to operationalize gender mainstreaming, including action-oriented mechanisms, Prepared by Ms. Chinsung Chung, Ms. Mona Zulficar, Ms. Purificacion V. Quisumbing, Mr. Ansar Ahmed Burney and Mr. Shigeki Sakamoto (A/HRC/AC/2/CRP.4)
- 2008 “Cosmopolitanization and the possibility of multicultural society.” Presented for Global Academy for Neo-Renaissance, Kyung Hee University. <Beyond Risk Society: Reflections from East Asia>
- 2008 *Japanese Military Sexual Slavery* (Tokyo: Ronsosha)
- 2007 “Ethnic schools of Koreans in Japan” A report submitted to Korea Foundation for Overseas Koreans.
- 2007 “Discourses of the Japanese right wing groups and the Japanese government’s approach to the “Comfort Women” in Barbara Drink & Chung-noh Gross eds., *Forced Prostitution in Times of War and Peace* (Bielefeld: Klein Verlag): 181–200.
- 2007 “National Human Rights Institutions and the UN Advisory Committee,” National Human Rights Commission of Korea, *The Role of NHRIs in the Newly Established UN Human Rights Mechanisms*. 64–84.
- 2007 “Globalization and Gendered Migration,” Paper presented at the International Conference on Marriage Migration organized by Institute of Gender Studies, Seoul National University.
- 2006 “The Challenges of Women’s Participation in Policies and Strategies to Combat Poverty and Extreme Poverty,” Working paper submitted to the United Nations, Human Rights Council, Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, The Social Forum (A/HRC/Sub.1/58/SF/3).
- 2006 “Bilateral and Multilateral Economic Agreements and Their Impact on Human Rights of the Beneficiaries,” Working paper submitted to the United Nations Human Rights Council, Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights (with Florizelle O’Connor).(A/HRC/Sub.1/58/CRP.8)

- 2006 “Discrimination Based on Work and Descent,” Progress report submitted to the United Nations, Human Rights Council, Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights (with Yozo Yokota).(A/HRC/Sub.1/58/CRP.2)
- 2004 ***Japanese Military Sexual Slavery*** (Seoul National University Press).
- 2001 “Victims of Nokeunri Incident” Institute for Kwangju Struggle ***Democracy and Human Rights*** Vol. 1.
- 2001 “Irregular Female Workers in Korea” ***Seounkok Nonchong*** Vol. 32.
- 2001 “Women under the Financial Crisis” ***Korean Demography*** Vol. 24, No. 1.
- 2001 ***Social Movements in Modern Japan*** (Seoul:Nanam).
- 2000 “Universality and Particularity of Human Rights” Korean Human Rights Insitute ed. ***Human Rights in the 21th Century*** (Seoul:Hangilsa).
- 2000 “21th Century Korea Respecting Human Rights” ***Theological Thought*** (Seoul, Korea: Hankuk Shinhak Sasang Yunguso).
- 1998 “Peace Movements in Japan” The Center for International and Area Studies, Seoul National University (Seoul, Korea) ***Kukje Jiyuk Yungu*** Vol. 7, No. 1.
- 1997 “The Origin and Development of the Military Sexual Slavery Problem in Imperial Japan,” in ***Positions*** (Special Issue, the Comfort Women: Colonialism, War and Sex) Vol. 5, No. 1 (Duke University Press).
- 1997 ***Feminism and Postmodernism*** (Seoul, Korea: Hanul), translating and editing.
- 1996 Sociology in Korea and Gender Issues ISA Pre-Congress Volumes, ***Sociology in East Asia and Its Struggle for Creativity*** International Sociological Association.
- 1996 “Gender Bias in Social Policies, and Women’s Studies and Women’s Movements in Korea (韓國における社會政策のゲンダ-バイアスと女性學.女性運動),” in Hara Hiroko et. al., eds. ***Women and Gender in Asia Pacific*** (アジア.太平洋地域の女性政策と女性學) (東京:新曜社).
- 1995 “Conception of [Nation] in the Women’s Studies and Women’s Movements in Korea,” in ***The Journal of Pacific Asia*** Vol. 3. (Tokyo, Japan)
- 1995 “Gender Bias in Social Policies and Women’s Studies of Korea,” in ***Bulletin of Institute for Women’s Studies***, No. 8, Ochanomizu University. (Tokyo, Japan).
- 1992 “Illegal Korean Workers in Japan” a paper presented at the 9th Yokohama 21st Century Forum [Age of Globalization and Foreign Workers] (Yokohama, Japan)