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Interests	Housing Policy, Residential Mobility and Neighborhood Change, Urban Economic Development, Migration
Education	<p>University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, United States Ph.D. in City and Regional Planning 08/2021—Present Designated Emphasis in Global Metropolitan Studies</p> <p>Yonsei University, Seoul, South Korea M.S. in Urban Planning and Engineering 09/2017—08/2019 Graduate Certificate in Smart Cities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Thesis: Three Essays on the Impact of Community Contextual Characteristics on Resident Perceptions• Committee: Up Lim, Hongkyu Kim, Jeasun Lee <p>B.A. in Economics (Underwood International College) 03/2012—08/2017</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Graduated with the Highest Honors (Valedictorian)• Military Service: English Translator (Sergeant) at Korea Defence Intelligence Command (04/2013—01/2015)
Peer-reviewed Publications	<p>[4] "How are Happy and Unhappy People Differently Affected by Their Local Environments? The Heterogeneous Relationship Between Happiness and Local Environments in Seoul, Korea." (Sohyeon Lee, Taesoo Song & Up Lim), (2022), <i>Cities</i> 127: 103768</p> <p>[3] "Wage Premium of Korean-Chinese Immigrant Workers in the Seoul Metropolitan Labor Market." (Sohyeon Lee, Taesoo Song & Up Lim), (2021), <i>GRI Review</i> 23(3), 191-214 (in Korean)</p> <p>[2] "The Effects of Mobility Expectation on Community Attachment: A Multilevel Model Approach." (Taesoo Song & Up Lim), (2021), <i>Sustainability</i> 13(6), 3441</p> <p>[1] "The Multilevel Effects of Regional Deprivation on Perceived Upward Social Mobility of Residents." (Taesoo Song & Up Lim), (2020), <i>Journal of the Korean Regional Science Association</i> 36(3), 1-14 (in Korean)</p>
Manuscripts	<p>[2] "Subjective Happiness of Korean-Chinese Migrant Workers in Seoul, Korea: Absolute Income, Relative Status, and Occupation." (Taesoo Song, Sohyeon Lee & Up Lim), Submitted</p> <p>[1] "Is There More to Migrant Happiness? Assessing General and Migrant-specific Determinants of Happiness in Seoul, Korea." (Taesoo Song, Sohyeon Lee & Up Lim), Submitted</p>
Works in Progress	<p>[4] "Linking Housing, Immigration, and Neighborhood Change: Examining the Sociospatial Implications of Non-Resident Speculation Tax in Toronto, Canada." (Taesoo Song) — Funded by Edward E. Hildebrand Research Fellowship</p>

- [3] "Bellwethers or Victims of Neighborhood Change? Commercial Gentrification and Jongno Gay District, Seoul." (**Taesoo Song**) — Funded by Global Metropolitan Studies Summer Research Funding
- [2] "Does Gentrification Promote Income and Racial Diversity? Evidence from New York City and San Francisco Bay Area (2013—2019)." (**Taesoo Song** & Karen Chapple)
- [1] "Linking Housing Policy and Mobility Outcomes in San Francisco Bay Area." (Karen Chapple & **Taesoo Song**)
- Book Chapter**
- [1] "Queering Seoul through the Lens of Urban Planning" (**Taesoo Song**), In Seoul Queer Collective (Ed.), *Jongno 3-ga Taja, Taja Jongno 3-ga [Others, Jongno 3-ga]*. 2020, (pp. 53-81). Seoul: Seoul Queer Collective Press (in Korean)
- Reports**
- [2] "[Current Changes and Challenges of Seoul Webtoon Industry and Policy Agendas.](#)" (Eunjoo Oh, Sujin Kim & **Taesoo Song**), 2021, The Seoul Institute (in Korean)
- [1] "A Research Report on the Development Strategies for Seoul Historic Downtown Specialized Industries." (Eunjoo Oh, Minyoung Kim, Bong Choi, **Taesoo Song**, Jongjin Yoon, Hynchul Jung & Minyoung Hwang), 2020, Seoul Metropolitan Government (in Korean)
- Selected Conference Presentations**
- [4] "Does Contact Breed Tolerance? Community Socioeconomic Status and Established Residents' Opposition to Local Public Housing Provision." (**Taesoo Song** & Up Lim), *The 15th International Congress of Asian Planning Schools Association*, 2019
- [3] "Do Locational Stability and Housing Tenure Affect Residents' Community Attachment?." (**Taesoo Song** & Up Lim), *Korea Planning Association 2018 Fall Conference*, 2018 (in Korean)
- [2] "Deprived Districts, Deprived Aspirations for the Future? The Impact of Regional Deprivation on Perceived Prospects of Upward Mobility." (**Taesoo Song**, Jaewon Kim & Up Lim), *Korea Planning Association 2018 Spring Conference*, 2018 (in Korean)
- [1] "What Makes Neighbors Trust Each Other? A Comparative Analysis Based on Housing Types." (**Taesoo Song** & Up Lim), *48th Urban Affairs Associations Conference*, 2018
- Projects**
- [7] "Anti-Displacement Analysis for Los Angeles." Funded by Los Angeles City Planning Department (2022—Present)
- [6] "Race and Social Equity Framework Document." Funded by San Francisco Planning Department (2022—Present)
- [5] "A Study on the Development Strategies for the Specialized Industries of Seoul Historic Downtown." Funded by the Seoul Metropolitan Government (2019—2020)
- [4] "Comprehensive Basic Planning of Regional Specialization Strategies for the Korea Train Express Gangneung Line Station Areas." Funded by Gangneung Province (2019—2020)

- [3] "A Study on the Urban Maintenance Plan for Ui-ryeong Village." Funded by the Seoul Metropolitan Government (2019)
- [2] "A Policy Study on the Energy Self-reliance Measures for Public Wastewater Treatment Facilities." Funded by the Korean Ministry of Environment (2018—2018)
- [1] "Development Plan for Woojung High-tech Industrial Complex Project Donor Area." Funded by Hyundai Development Company (2017—2018)

Research Experience

- Urban Displacement Project**, Berkeley, CA, United States
Graduate Student Researcher 12/2021—Present
- Seoul Institute**, Seoul, South Korea
Researcher 09/2019—02/2021
Research Assistant 03/2019—03/2019
- Korea Environment Institute**, Sejong, South Korea
Research Assistant 09/2018—11/2018
- Urban Economics and Data Analysis Lab**, Seoul, South Korea
Lab Member 09/2017—08/2019

Grants and Fellowships

- [6] **Edward E. Hildebrand Research Fellowship**, Berkeley Canadian Studies Program, UC Berkeley: \$3,900 (2022)
- [5] **Summer Research Funding**, Global Metropolitan Studies, UC Berkeley: \$4,300 (2022)
- [4] **Doctoral Study Abroad Fellowship**, Korea Foundation for Advanced Studies: Full Tuition and Stipends (2021-2026)
- [3] **Fulbright Graduate Student Program Candidate** (Declined), Fulbright Korea (2020)
- [2] Yonsei Outstanding Graduate Student Scholarship, Yonsei University: Approx. \$11,000 (2017—2018)
- [1] Merit-based Scholarship, Yonsei University: Approx. \$7,000 (2012 Fall, 2015 Spring, 2018 Spring)

Honors and Awards

- [4] Graduated with the Highest Honors, Yonsei University (2017 Spring)
- [3] High Honors, Yonsei University (2015 Spring & Fall, 2016 Fall, 2017 Spring)
- [2] Best Paper in History, Underwood International College, Yonsei University (2017)
- [1] Distinguished Delegate & Best Position Paper, **National Model United Nations, NY** (2013)

Teaching Experience

- Yonsei University** (Teaching Assistant)
- UIC1551 World History: Group II (2019 Spring)
 - UIC1501 World History: Group I (2018 Fall, 2019 Spring)
 - CRP3610 Urban and Regional Economics (2018 Spring)
 - CRP2350 National and Regional Planning (2017 Fall)

Trainings**Methods**

- [Summer Institute in Computational Social Sciences \(SICSS\)](#) Korea (2022/06)
- CGE Models for Regional Analysis, Seoul National University (2019/07)
- Qualitative Research Methods Workshop, Korean Association For Communication And Information Studies (2018/02)

Technical Skills**Statistical Software** Stata, SPSS, R, Python, HLM, and AMOS**Geographic Analysis** ArcGIS, QGIS, GeoDa, and R**General Tools** MS Office, LaTeX, and Adobe Products