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EDUCATION

Columbia University

Ph.D., Political Science 2022–2027 (expected)

Fields: International Relations, Quantitative Methods

Committee: Allison Carnegie (chair), Jeffry Frieden, Calvin Thrall

Korea University

M.A., Political Science 2020–2022

B.A., Political Science and Communication (*with Great Honor*) 2017–2020

PUBLICATIONS

Chung, Seowoo. [Strategic Censorship? Public Opinion, Authoritarian Politics, and the International Trade Regime](#). (Forthcoming at *International Studies Quarterly*)

WORKING PAPERS

Chung, Seowoo. The Decline of Multilateralism and Foreign Lobbying: Evidence from the WTO Appellate Body Crisis (*Job Market Paper*).

Carnegie, Allison, Seowoo Chung, and Richard Clark. Global Governance Unbound? Expansion Dynamics in the IMF. (Revise and Resubmit at *Review of International Organizations*)

Carnegie, Allison, Seowoo Chung, and Lisa Fan. AI in Global Governance: The Attention–Legitimacy Tradeoff for International Organizations. (*Under Review*)

Carnegie, Allison, Seowoo Chung, and Lisa Fan. Informational Autonomy: AI and the Changing Role of International Organizations.

WORKS IN PROGRESS

Carnegie, Allison, Seowoo Chung, and Lisa Fan. Detection without Enforcement: Artificial Intelligence and the Limits of Global Governance.

Chung, Seowoo. Political Barriers to the Energy Transition: Climate Risk, Investment Protection, and Firm Behavior.

Chung, Seowoo, David Lindsey, Matt Malis, and Calvin Thrall. Revolving Door Diplomats.

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

APSA Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant (\$11,000)

2026

Dissertation Development Grant (\$3,000), Columbia University	2026
GSAS Conference Matching Travel Award (\$400), Columbia University	2025
Conference Travel Grant (\$800), Columbia University	2025
Conference Travel Grant (\$550), Columbia University	2025
Center for Political Economy Graduate Student Grant, Columbia University (\$10,000)	2024
Overseas Graduate Scholarship, SBS Foundation	2022
Research Grant, Korea University (\$2,000)	2021

PRESENTATIONS

International Political Economy Society (IPES) Annual Conference	2026 (scheduled)
American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Conference	2026
<i>Business and Government in a Fracturing World</i> Pre-APSA Conference	2026
Graduate International Political Economy Symposium	2026
International Political Economy Society (IPES) Annual Conference	2025
American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Conference	2025
Political Economy of International Organizations (PEIO) Annual Conference	2025
Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) Annual Conference	2022

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant, Columbia University

Graduate

<i>Mathematics and Statistics for Political Science</i> (Dr. Benjamin Goodrich)	Fall 2023
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Undergraduate

<i>Business and Politics in the Globalized World</i> (Prof. Calvin Thrall)	Spring 2025, Spring 2026
<i>International Political Economy</i> (Dr. Davit Sahakyan)	Fall 2025
<i>Research Design: Data Analysis</i> (Dr. Vincent Dorie)	Fall 2024
<i>Autocracy and Democracy</i> (Prof. Timothy Frye)	Spring 2024

Guest Lecturer, Korea University

<i>Text Analysis for Political Science</i> , Summer Methodology Workshop	2026
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ACADEMIC SERVICE

Reviewer, <i>Review of International Organizations</i>	2025
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SKILLS

Language: Korean (native), Mandarin (advanced), Japanese (basic)

Software: R, Python, Stata, L^AT_EX