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*Curriculum Vitae*

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## APPOINTMENTS

2024– Assistant Professor of Political Science  
Department of Political Science, Mount St. Mary's University

## EDUCATION

*Ph.D.* Political Science, Truman School of Government and Public Affairs, University of Missouri, 2024

## PUBLICATIONS

\* corresponding author

**JOURNAL ARTICLES** Choi, J., and **Jung, Y. J.**\* (2026). "Does Immigration Fuel Populism? The Effect of Immigration on the Rise of Populist Rhetoric." *Political Science Quarterly*.

Park, B. B., and **Jung, Y. J.**\* (2026). "Populism, Ideology, and the Endorsement of Martial Law: A Conditional Relationship." *Government and Opposition*.

Cho, Y., **Jung, Y. J.**, and Kim, H. J. (2026). "Reassessing the Cultural Foundation of Democracy after the Third Wave of Democratization: Toward an Integrative Approach." *Japanese Journal of Political Science*.

Tamaki, E. R., and **Jung, Y. J.**\* (2025). "The Non-Linearity Between Populist Attitudes and Ideological Extremism." *Political Science Research & Methods*, 1–20. [Featured in *Good Authority*, 2025]

**Jung, Y. J.** (2025). "Navigating Populism in America: Unveiling the Socio-Economic and Ideological Roots of Populist Attitudes." *Social Science Quarterly* 106(2), 1–13.

**Jung, Y. J.** (2025). "The Sectarian Divide: The Dynamics of Populism in South Korea." *Journal of East Asian Studies*, 25(2), 163–186.

Mao, H., Antony, M., and **Jung, Y. J.** (2024). "Lighthouse in the Mist: State Governors' Crisis Communication on Twitter during the Early Stage of the COVID-19 Pandemic." *International Journal of Public Administration in the Digital Age* 11(1), 1–34.

**Jung, Y. J.** (2024). "Cyber Shadows over Nuclear Peace: Understanding and Mitigating Digital Threats to Global Security." *Journal of Asian Security and International Affairs* 11(2), 233–253.

**REVISE & RESUBMIT** **Jung, Y. J.**\*, Tamaki, E. R., Chatterley, J., Mitchell, G., Dzebo, S., Sandoval, C., Littvay, L., and Hawkins, K. A. (2026). "Synthetic Holistic Grading: Porting Expert Annotation Protocols into Large Language Models to Measure Latent Political Constructs." Invited to revise and resubmit, *Political Science Research & Methods*.

Ahn, S., and **Jung, Y. J.**\* (2026). "American Belonging: Norms of Citizenship in Democratic Emergencies." Invited to revise and resubmit, *Political Psychology*.

- UNDER REVIEW** Cho, Y., and **Jung, Y. J.**\* “The Hollow Support: How Sincere Democrats Defend a Self-Coup” *Under Review*.
- Jung, Y. J.**\*, Tamaki, E. R., and Littvay, L. (2026). “Chrono-Sampling: Generative AI as a Time Machine for Public Opinion Data.” *Under Review*.
- Jung, Y. J.** (2026). “Governing the Ungoverned: Structural Misalignment Between AI-Enabled Harm and International Regulatory Architecture.” *Under Review*.
- BOOK CHAPTERS** **Jung, Y. J.** (2025). “Candidates, Media Effects, and Gender.” In *The Sage International Encyclopedia of Politics and Gender* 126–32. Thousand Oaks: SAGE Publications, Inc.

## WORK IN PROGRESS

### *Manuscripts in Preparation*

- “The Politics of What Matters: Parties, Priorities, and Political Judgment ” (with D. Schafer, M. Yildirim, and B. B. Park)
- “Taxed Twice: Universalizable Frames and the Weakness of the Redistributive Cleavage over Inheritance Taxation.” (with S. H. Kang)
- “Battlegrounds, Not Echo Chambers: Platform Architecture and the Structure of Cross-Partisan Conflict Online” (with S. H. Kang)

### *Data Collection in Progress*

- “Populism in East Asia.” (Book Project)
- “Extreme Right Wing Attitudes and Populist Attitudes.” (with B. B. Park)
- “Populism and Support for Democracy: Divergent Beliefs of Populist Supporters.” (with J. Choi and M. Choi)
- “LLM Automating Survey Experimental Social Science Research Discovery with Large Language Models.” (with L. Littvay and E. R. Tamaki)
- “Using Mixed Subjects Design to Replicate Underpowered Political Science Studies.” (with D. Kim)
- “The Generative Counterfactual Framework: Harnessing AI to Explore Alternative Realities in Public Opinion Research.” (with L. Littvay and E. R. Tamaki)
- “Extreme Right and Extreme Left YouTube Communication.” (with K. S. Yang)
- “Are Military Leaders More Populist?” (with W. Christiansen)
- “What Happens When Asian American Candidates Use Race Appeals?” (with T. Kang)
- “Democratic Norm Violation in New Democracies: Political Punitivism in South Korea.” (with Y. Cho)

## TEACHING

### *Mount St. Mary’s University (Fall 2024 – present)*

- Senior Seminar PSCI 498 · Fall 2026
- A.I., Media, and Politics PSCI 121 · Fall 2025
- Political Analysis PSCI 360 · Fall 2024 & 2025
- Everyday Democracy PSCI 122 · Spring 2026
- The Rise of Populist Politics PSCI 131 · Fall 2024

Comparative Politics    PSCI 206 · Spring 2025 & 2026  
Politics in Asia    PSGE 315 · Spring 2025, Fall 2026 · Online Summer 2026

*University of Missouri (2022 – 2024)*

The Science of Politics    POLSC 2500 · Spring 2024  
International Relations    POLSC 1400 · Fall 2023  
Mixed-method Research    Graduate Workshop · Spring 2023  
Chinese Politics and Foreign Policy    POLSC 4680 · Spring 2023  
Comparative Political System    POLSC 2700 · Fall 2022  
Text Analysis in R    Graduate Workshop · Spring 2022  
United States Constitutional Rights    POLSC 4210 · Fall 2021 · TA  
American Government    POLSC 1100 · Spring 2021 · TA  
How Government Affects You    POLSC 2004 · Fall 2020 · TA  
American Foreign Policy    POLSC 4540 · Spring 2020 · TA

## GRANTS AND AWARDS

*Awards and Honors*

- 2026    APSA Michael Brintnall Teaching and Learning Award. American Political Science Association.  
    ◦ Recipient profile featured in *Political Science Now*. [View feature](#)
- 2024    Missouri Excellence in Political Science Teaching Award. Truman School of Government and Public Affairs, University of Missouri.
- 2024    GPC Excellence in Teaching Award. University of Missouri.  
    ◦ Featured in “2024 Campus Teaching Awards,” *Political Science Today*, 4(4), 45–46.
- 2023    APSA First Generation Scholars Travel and Accessibility Grant. APSA Committee on the Status of First-Generation Scholars.
- 2023    Midwest Women’s Caucus Graduate Travel Award. Midwest Women’s Caucus for Political Science.
- 2022–21    Edith Taylor Therrien Awards. Truman School of Government and Public Affairs, University of Missouri.
- 2020    Robin Remington Award. Department of Political Science, University of Missouri.

*Grants and Fellowships*

- 2026    Center for Instructional Design and Delivery (CIDD) Fellowship Program (\$2,000). Mount St. Mary’s University.
- 2026    Summer Faculty Development Research Grant (\$2,000). Mount St. Mary’s University. PI.
- 2025    Summer Faculty Development Research Grant (\$2,600). Mount St. Mary’s University. PI.
- 2025    Asynchronous Course Design: Fundamentals program (\$1,500). Mount St. Mary’s University. PI.
- 2022    Robert N. Epsten International Studies Scholarship (\$10,000). Truman Good Neighbor Award Foundation. Recipient.
- 2018    NEREC Research Fellowship Grant (\$2,000). Nuclear Nonproliferation Education and Research Center. Recipient.

## SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

### *Invited Presentations*

- 2027 “Political Ideology and Populism” Department of Political Science, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT. Feb 25.
- 2027 “The Dynamics of Populism” Department of Political Science, Brigham Young University, Provo, UT. Feb 26.
- 2026 “Ideology, Extremism, and Populism.” *Frontiers in Empirical Research on East Asia (FEREA)* 2026. New York University, New York, NY. Jan 12-13.

### *Selected Conference Papers Presented*

- 2026 Y. J. Jung, D. Schafer, M. Yildirim, and B. B. Park. “The Politics of What Matters: Parties, Priorities, and Political Judgment.” *APSA Political Psych Pre-Conference*, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts. Sep 2.
- 2026 Y. J. Jung. “Fragmented International Norms and the Comparative Regulation of AI-Enabled Cybercrime.” *Workshop on the Political and Governance Dimensions of AI-Enabled Cybercrime*. American University & EADA Business School. Barcelona, Spain. April 10.
- 2025 Y. J. Jung, E. R. Tamaki, J. Chatterley, G. Mitchell, S. Dzebo, C. Sandoval, L. Littvay, and K. A. Hawkins. “Populism Meets AI: Advancing Populism Research with LLMs.” *DMV Workshop in Empirical Political Science (DMV-WEPS)*. George Washington University, Washington, DC. Nov 14.
- 2025 Y. J. Jung, E. R. Tamaki, J. Chatterley, G. Mitchell, S. Dzebo, C. Sandoval, L. Littvay, and K. A. Hawkins. “Populism in Large Language Model Approach.” *Political Networks and Computational Social Science Conference (PolNet-PaCSS)*. Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts. Aug 13-14.
- 2025 Y. J. Jung. “Teaching Populism in Polarized Days: A Dynamic Classroom Approach.” *APSA Teaching and Learning Conference*. Alexandria, Virginia. Feb 7-9.
- 2024 Y. J. Jung. “Populism in Comparative Perspective: Sectarian Populism.” *120th American Political Science Association Annual Meeting*. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Sep 5-8.
- 2024 Y. J. Jung and Y. Cho. “Political Punitivism and Democratic Norm Violations.” *Norms and Behavioral Change Conference (NoBeC)*. University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Oct 17-19.
- 2023 Y. J. Jung. “Populism in Comparative Perspective.” *TADA 2023: Text-as-Data Meeting*. University of Massachusetts Amherst, Amherst, Massachusetts. Nov 9-10.
- 2023 J. Choi. and Y. J. Jung. “The Effect of Anti-immigration Sentiment and Populist Attitudes.” *119th American Political Science Association Annual Meeting*. Los Angeles, California. Sep 1-3.
- 2023 Y. J. Jung and Y. Cho. “Political Revenge in South Korea.” *70th Anniversary World Congress of the Korean Political Science Association*. Seoul, South Korea. Jun 29-30.
- 2023 Y. J. Jung. “Asian Populism.” *10th International Conference of NextGen Korean Studies Scholars (NEKST)*. University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan. May 12-13.
- 2022 Y. J. Jung. “The Rise of Populism and Populist Rhetoric in Politics.” *Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference*. Chicago, Illinois. Apr 23-26.
- 2017 Y. J. Jung. “A Research on the North-East Asia Community: Women’s Security and the Role of the Republic of Korea.” *Conference on the Future of the North-East Asia Community*, Chung-Ang University Graduate School. Seoul, South Korea. Feb 25.

### *Invited Policy and Professional Presentations*

- 2019 Y. J. Jung. "What Korea's Youth Are Thinking: Analyzing Public Opinion on Denuclearization Policy." *CTBTO Youth Forum* (Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization). Seoul, South Korea. May 31.
- 2017 Y. J. Jung. "A Feminist Approach to the United Nations' Humanitarian Assistance to North Korea: A Gender-Sensitive Perspective." Annual Meeting of the Academic Council on the United Nations System. Seoul, South Korea. Jun 15.

### *Sessions Chaired/Moderated*

- 2026 "Political Communication: Online Political Communication in Global Crises." Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference. Chicago, Illinois. April 25.
- 2025 "Comparative Politics: Campaign Messaging." Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference. Chicago, Illinois. April 3-6.
- 2024 "Poster Session: Undergraduate Gender Politics." Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference. Chicago, Illinois. April 4-7.
- 2023 "Poster Session: Undergraduate Behavior and Methods." Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference. Chicago, Illinois. April 23-26.
- 2022 "Poster Session: Undergraduate Comparative Politics." Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference. Chicago, Illinois. April 7-10.
- 2021 "Parties, Media, and Political Communication." Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference. Virtual. April 14-18.
- 2018 "China's One Belt, One Road (OBOR) Initiatives." Korean Society of Contemporary European Studies. Seoul, South Korea. Dec 7-9.

## SERVICE

### *Academic Journal Peer Review*

*American Political Science Review* · *Political Behavior* · *Frontiers in Artificial Intelligence* · *Political Psychology* · *Humanities and Social Sciences Communications* · *Research & Politics* · *Government & Opposition* · *International Journal of Public Opinion Research* · *Quality & Quantity* · *Frontiers in Political Science* · *Pacific Focus* · *Social Sciences & Humanities Open* · *Korean Party Studies Review* · *Risk Analysis* · *Representation*.

### *Service to the University*

- 2026– Technology Advisory Committee, Mount St. Mary's University
- 2025– Faculty Advisor, Student Club on International Culture, Mount St. Mary's University
- 2023–22 Debate Judge, Missouri Debate Student Union, University of Missouri
- 2020–21 Department Representative, Graduate Student Council, Graduate Association of Political Scientists, University of Missouri

### *Service to the Field*

- 2025–26 Mentor, Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference
- 2024–25 Steering Committee, Young Scholars Initiative on Populism, Team Populism
- 2017 Volunteer and Translator, PSCORE NGO, United Nations, Geneva

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2018      Research Fellow, Nuclear Nonproliferation Education and Research Center, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology
- 2016-2017   Researcher, Institute for Euro-African Studies, Hanyang University
- 2013-14    Intern, Embassy of the Republic of Korea in the United States & Voice of America in Washington, DC

## METHODOLOGICAL TRAINING

### *Certification in Methodology*

- 2022      Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research (IQMR) Summer Program, Center for Qualitative and Multi-Method Inquiry, Syracuse University (July, 2022).
- 2021      ICPSR Summer Program (Text Analysis and Structural Equation Modeling), Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research, University of Michigan (July, 2021).
- 2020      Summer Institute in Computational Social Science (SICSS), Rutgers University (June 15-26, 2020).

## MEMBERSHIPS

- ◇ American Political Science Association
- ◇ International Political Science Association
- ◇ Midwest Political Science Association
- ◇ National Capital Area Political Science Association

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