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RESEARCH FIELDS

Agricultural Economics and Policy, Industrial Organization

EDUCATION

The Ohio State University

Ph.D. student, *Agricultural, Environmental, and Development Economics*

Columbus, OH, USA

2022–Present

Korea University

M.A. *Food and Resource Economics*

Seoul, Korea

2022

B.A. *Food and Resource Economics & Latin American Studies* (dual major)

2020

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

1. **Kang, M.***, and B.I. Ahn. “Market Power and Cost-Efficiency Effects: Broiler Packing Industry in South Korea” *Agribusiness*, 2023, In Press. [[PDF](#)]
2. **Kang, M.***, and B.I. Ahn. “Welfare Analysis of Changing Payment Method in Food Transfers: A Graphical Analysis,” *The Korean Journal of Agricultural Economics*, 2022, 63(3), 1-17.
3. **Kang, M.***, and B.I. Ahn. “Estimation of Welfare Effects of Changing Payment Method in Food Transfers,” *The Korean Journal of Agricultural Management and Policy*, 2022, 49(2), 289-307.
4. **Kang, M.***, K. Nam., and B.I. Ahn. “Heterogeneity in Purchasing Behavior for Eco-friendly Labeled Food Between Households with and without Children,” *The Korean Journal of Agricultural Economics*, 2021, 62(3), 55-77.
5. **Kang, M.***, K. Nam., and B.I. Ahn. “The effect of the Improper Solicitation and Graft Act on the Fruit Demand in Korea,” *Journal of Rural Development*, 2020, 43(4), 45-62.
6. Qiao, Y.*, **M. Kang**, and B.I. Ahn. “Analysis of Factors Affecting Vegetable Price Fluctuation: A Case Study of South Korea”, *Agriculture*, 2023, 13(3), 577. [[PDF](#)]
7. Lim, H.*, Y. Qiao., J.S. Kang., **M. Kang**, and B.I. Ahn. “Forecasting Model for Hanwoo Considering the Change in the Net Number of Breeding Cattle,” *The Korean Journal of Agricultural Management and Policy*, 2022, 49(2), 354-372.
8. Nam, K.*, J.S. Kang., Y. Qiao., **M. Kang**, and B.I. Ahn. “An Analysis of the Effect of Public Subsidies on Income Inequality of Forestry Households using Gini Coefficient Decomposition,” *The Korean Journal of Agricultural Management and Policy*, 2021, 48(3), 441-466.
9. Nam, K.*, H. Lim., **M. Kang**, and B.I. Ahn. “The Domestic Wood Industry’s Contribution to the National Economy and Its Growth Factors,” *Journal of Rural Development*, 2021, 44(3), 53-74.

WORKING PAPER

1. “Measuring the Cost Pass-through of Imported Crop in the Food Industry Through the Lens of Firm Markups” (with Seungki Lee)

OTHER PUBLICATION**TECHNICAL REPORTS**

“A Study to Improve the Vegetable Price Stabilizer System in South Korea” (with B.I. Ahn, S. Lee, J. Ji, and Y. Qiao) *Ministry for Food, Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries of South Korea*, 2022.

“Evaluating the Effects of Agricultural Machinery Rental and Consulting Program,” (with B.I. Ahn, D.H. Suh, and H. Jeong) *Korea Rural Economic Institute Consigned Research: C2021-57-4*, 2021.

“Evaluating the welfare effects of changing payment methods in food assistance programs to improve food behaviors,” (with B.I. Ahn.) *Ministry for Food, Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries of South Korea*, 2021.

“Analysis of the Effects of the Legal Timber Trading System on Timber Industry in South Korea,” (with B.I. Ahn, H. Lim, Y. Qiao, J. Kang, and H. Shim) *Korea Forestry Promotion Institute*, 2021.

“Economic Effect of the Forest Industrial Complex: Using Input-Output Analysis,” (with B.I. Ahn and K. Nam) *National Institute of Forest Science*, 2020.

SELECTED PRESENTATION

2023	2023 KAEA Annual Meeting
2020-2022	2022 KAEA Annual Meeting, 2022 KAAFP Summer Meeting, 2021 KAEA Annual Meeting, 2021 KAEA Winter Meeting, 2020 KAAFP Summer Meeting

FELLOWSHIP, SCHOLARSHIP & GRANT

2022-2023	CFAES Director's Fellowship (<i>inaugural fellowship</i>) The Ohio State University
2022-2024	ENGIE-Axiom Research Incentive Scholarship (<i>inaugural fellowship</i>) The Ohio State University
2021	Graduate Academic Excellence Scholarship Korea University
2020-2021	Graduate Teaching & Research Assistantship Korea University
2015-2019	Eight Times of Undergraduate Merit-Based Scholarships

HONOR & RESEARCH AWARD

2022	Graduate Best Paper Award (<i>1st Place</i>) The 2022 KAEA Annual Meeting
	Best Paper Award - Agricultural Policy The 2022 KAAFP Summer Symposium (co-author)
2021	Graduate Best Paper Award (<i>2nd Place</i>) The 2021 KAEA Annual Meeting
	KREI Research Competition (<i>2nd Place</i>) Korea Rural Economic Institute (co-author)
2020	Graduate Best Poster Award (<i>1st Place</i>) The 2020 KAAFP Summer Symposium

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**The Ohio State University**

Research Assistant under Dr. Seungki Lee

Fall 2023-Present

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

<i>Teaching Assistant</i> , Korea University	2020-2021
2021 Spring	Food Marketing (LESE 210); Survey of Microeconomics (LESE 209)
2020 Autumn	International Food Policy (LESE 309); Globalization and National Economy (LESE 154)
2020 Spring	Survey of Microeconomics (LESE 209)

OTHER INFORMATION

Programming R, STATA, SAS, Microsoft Office, LaTeX

Languages English (Fluent), Spanish (Fluent), Korean (Native)

Citizenship Republic of Korea