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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Fall 2022 **Cornell University**
Postdoctoral Associate, Jeb E. Brooks School of Public Policy

EDUCATION

2022 **Harvard University**
Ph.D., Sociology
Dissertation: The Normative Foundations of Postindustrial Fertility Variation
Committee: Mary C. Brinton (chair), Alexandra A. Killewald, Joscha Legewie

2019 A.M., Sociology

2013 **Korea University, Seoul, Korea**
M.A., Sociology

2011 B.A., Sociology & Journalism and Mass Communication

RESEARERCH INTERESTS

- (1) Fertility and family change in low-fertility contexts
- (2) Gender norms, ideologies, and attitudes in postindustrial societies
- (3) Educational assortative mating
- (4) Applied quantitative methods, cross-national comparative research

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

2022 **Han, Sinn Won.** “Is It Only a Numbers Game? A Macro-Level Study of Educational Hypogamy.” *Demography* 59(4): 1571–1593.

2022 **Han, Sinn Won,** and Mary C. Brinton. “Theories of Postindustrial Fertility Decline: An Empirical Examination.” *Population and Development Review* 48(2): 303–330.

Under review **Han, Sinn Won.** “Are Feminists Anti-Family? Postindustrial Configurations of Gender-Role Attitudes and Family Values.”

Under review **Han, Sinn Won.** “When Kids Are a Burden: Understanding the Normative Sources of Negative Perceptions of Parenthood.”

Under review **Han, Sinn Won**, Ohjae Gowen, and Mary C. Brinton. “When Mothers Do It All: Gender-Role Norms and Women’s Fertility Intentions in Postindustrial Societies.”

PAPERS IN PROGRESS

Kim, Minjae, and **Sinn Won Han**. “(When) Does Social Capital Exacerbate Inequality of Well-Being?”

- Status: Manuscript available; in preparation for journal submission

FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, & AWARDS

2021 RC28 Travel Award
 International Sociological Association, RC28 Spring meeting

2020 IQSS Graduate Research Funding
 Institute for Quantitative Social Science, Harvard University

2020 Reischauer Institute Research Grant
 Reischauer Institute of Japanese Studies, Harvard University

2020 Certificate of Distinction in Teaching
 Derek Bok Center for Teaching & Learning, Harvard University

2018 WIGI Graduate Research Award
 Weatherhead Center for International Affairs, Harvard University

2015–17 Fulbright Graduate Study Award
 The Fulbright Program, Institute of International Education

CONFERENCE & SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS

2022 “Why Are People in Some Countries More Likely to Perceive Children as a Burden? A Novel Explanation Based on Societal Gender-Role Norms.”
 The 2022 Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Atlanta, GA. USA.

2021 “Fact-Checking on Ultra-Low Fertility in South Korea.”
 TODAM Talks (a Boston-based public lecture outlet)

2021 “Fertility Intentions in Postindustrial Countries: A Gender-Essentialist Theory of Fertility.”
 The 2021 Virtual Annual Meeting of American Sociological Association

- 2021 “Can It Be (Truly) Equal? Attitudes Towards Shared Earnings and Parenting in Postindustrial Europe.”
The 2021 Virtual Spring Meeting of RC28, International Sociological Association
- 2020 “Is It Only a Numbers Game? Changing Labor Market Opportunities for Women and Men and Their Implications for Educational Sorting.”
The 2020 Virtual Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Washington DC. USA.
- 2019 “Changes in Postindustrial Family Formation: An Empirical Examination of Competing Theories.”
The 2019 Annual Meeting of the Population Association of America, Austin, TX. USA.
- 2018 “Empowered, but Not Happy? An Explanation for the Declining Female Happiness in Postindustrial Societies.”
Weatherhead Initiative on Gender Inequality Seminar, Harvard University
- 2018 “Is It Only a Numbers Game? The Macro-Social Determinants of Educational Hypogamy.”
The 2018 Annual Meeting of American Sociological Association, Philadelphia, PA. USA.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Fall 2019 SOC2211: Analysis of Longitudinal Data (Graduate course)
Teaching Fellow for Prof. Alexandra Killewald
Harvard Department of Sociology
- Spring 2019 SOC1112: Men, Women and Work (Undergraduate course)
Teaching Fellow for Prof. Mary C. Brinton
Harvard Department of Sociology
- Fall 2017 SOC1115: Media and Popular Culture (Undergraduate course)
Teaching Fellow for Prof. Matthew Kaliner
Harvard Department of Sociology

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Occasional Reviewer:
Demographic Research
Population Research and Policy Review
American Journal of Sociology

Graduate Student Affiliate:

Harvard Center for Population and Development Studies (HCPDS)
Institute for Quantitative Social Sciences (IQSS)
Weatherhead Initiative on Gender Inequality (WIGI)

Professional Membership:

American Sociological Association
Population Association of America
Work, Family, Researchers Network

SKILLS

Statistical Program: R, STATA, Latent GOLD