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Curriculum Vitae

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Syntax, Morphology, Diachronic Syntax, Agreement, Functional Domain, Korean, Middle Korean, Altaic languages, Historical linguistics, Typology

EDUCATION

09/2022–*ongoing*

Ph.D. student, University of Chicago

09/2018–08/2022

Ph.D. student, Seoul National University

09/2015–08/2018

M.A. in Linguistics, Seoul National University

Thesis: The study of the vowel change in Jeonbuk Imsil dialect
(*written in Korean*)

Committee: Dr. Seungjae Lee (chair), Dr. Juwon Kim, Dr. Jaeil Kwon

03/2008–08/2015

B.A. in Linguistics, Seoul National University

Thesis: The study of the typology of honorifics applied to impersonal subjects in Korean (*written in Korean*)

Advisor: Dr. Juwon Kim

B.A. in anthropology, Seoul National University

Thesis: The study of the religious life of immigrant muslim workers in Korea (*written in Korean*)

Advisor: Dr. Yoonhee Kang

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Articles

- 2021 **Jaehong Shim.** A study of the influence of mandarin chinese on spoken manchu. *Altai Hakpo*, 31:85–105

Peer-reviewed Conference Proceedings

- 2025 **Jaehong Shim.** The obligatoriness and optionality in korean subject honorification. In *Proceedings of the 18th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics*, 189–198
- 2024 **Jaehong Shim.** DM approach to historical difference in the sequence of korean subject honorific *-si*. In *Proceedings of the 17th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics*, 275–282
- 2023 **Jaehong Shim.** A comparative study of the korean nominalizer *-(u)m* and the participle categories in altaic languages as matrix predicates. In *Proceedings of the 16th Seoul International Altaistic Conference*, 205–233
- 2021 **Jaehong Shim.** On the spoken manchu complementizer *gəṃ*. In *Proceedings of the 15th Seoul International Altaistic Conference*, 425–443

QUALIFYING PAPERS

- 2025 **Jaehong Shim.** Is there string-vacuous verb raising in khalkha mongolian? – an experimental investigation (committee: Dr. Ming Xiang and Dr. Erik Zyman)
- 2024 **Jaehong Shim.** Obligatoriness and optionality in korean subject honorification (committee: Dr. Karlos Arregi and Dr. Jason Merchant)

PRESENTATIONS

Peer-reviewed Conference Talks

- 2026 **Jaehong Shim.** On the diachronic change of the korean TAM marker: *-te*: A case of post-syntax-induced language change. Talk at the 19th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics

- 2025 **Jaehong Shim.** Cwuchey contay senemalemi ‘-(u)si’uy pwunpho pyenhwaey tayhayae: sayngseng mwunpepcek cepkun [on the diachronic change in the distribution of the korean subject honorific suffix -(u)si: from the perspective of generative grammar]. Talk at the Linguistic Society of Korea 2025 Winter Conference
- Jaehong Shim.** On the locality condition for korean subject honorific suppletion. Talk at the 32nd Japanese/Korean Linguistics Conference
- 2024 **Jaehong Shim.** The obligatoriness and optionality in korean subject honorification. Talk at Joint Conference of the 26th Seoul International Conference on Generative Grammar and the 18th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics
- 2023 **Jaehong Shim.** A comparative study of the korean nominalizer -(u)m and the participle categories in altaic languages as matrix predicates. Talk at *the 16th Seoul International Altaistic Conference*
- 2021 **Jaehong Shim.** On the spoken manchu complementizer gəm. Talk at *the 15th Seoul International Altaistic Conference*

Peer-reviewed Conference Posters

- 2023 **Jaehong Shim.** A Distributed Morphological approach to historical difference in the sequence of korean subjective honorific suffix -si. Poster presentation at *the 17th Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics* (WAFL 17)

Invited Presentations (Internal)

- 2026 **Jaehong Shim.** When grammaticalization causes trouble: The case of korean tam marker -te. Talk at *UChicago Morphology and Syntax Workshop*
- 2025 **Jaehong Shim.** Is there string-vacuous verb raising in khalkha mongolian?: An experimental investigation. Talk at *UChicago Morphology and Syntax Workshop*
- 2023 **Jaehong Shim.** On the insubordination of the korean nominalizer -(u)m. Talk at *The Workshop on Language Variation & Change*
- Jaehong Shim.** A Distributed Morphology approach to historical difference in the sequence of korean subjective honorific suffix -si. Talk at *UChicago Morphology and Syntax Workshop*

Other presentations

- 2026 **Jaehong Shim.** When Grammaticalization Makes Trouble: The Case of Korean TAM Marker -te. Poster at *Boston Morphology Workshop*

2021	Jaehong Shim and Sangchul Park. althaihyeng ene calyolul wi-han meythateyithe kwuchwukey tayhan soko – mongkolepha calyolul cwungsimulo [an essay on constructing metadata for materials of altaic languages – focused on mongolic materials]. Talk at <i>2021 Summer Conference of Linguistic Society of Korea, South Korea</i>
2020	Jaehong Shim. kwue mancwueuy sang phyoci -xəuy silhyen yangsang yenkwu: hanelo ilwuecinun cosa sanghwangul cwungsimulo [a study on the realization of the spoken manchu aspect marker -xə in the context of linguistic survey conducted in mandarin chinese]. Talk at <i>2020 Conference of Altaic Society of Korea</i>
2019	Gyeyeong Choe and Jaehong Shim. A brief report of our fieldwork regarding some grammatical features in the uilta language. Talk at <i>the 14th Seoul International Altaistic Conference</i>

TRANSLATING EXPERIENCE

Classical Manchu to Korean

2019	Juwon Kim, Dongho Ko, Gyeyeong Choe, Sangchul Park, Jeongup Do, Hyeongmee Lee, Hui Jin, and Jaehong Shim. <i>Manmunnodang: Taejo 1-2 [Chronicles of early Qing dynasty: Taizu 1-2]</i> . Seoul: Seoul National University Press. ISBN 978-8-952119-78-0
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French to Jeollabuk-do (North Jeolla) Dialect of Korean

2021	Antoine deSaint Éxupery. <i>Eylin Wangja [The Little Prince]</i> . Neckarsteinach: Edition Tintenfass. ISBN 978-3-947994-88-5. (Translated into Jeollabuk-do (North Jeolla) dialect of Korean by Jaehong Shim)
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TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant

2026 Spring	The University of Chicago, Introduction to Psycholinguistics (Undergraduate, LING 27010 1)
2025 Autumn	The University of Chicago, Introduction to Syntax (Undergraduate, LING 20201 1)
2024 Autumn	The University of Chicago, Introduction to Syntax (Undergraduate, LING 20201 1)
2021 Fall	Seoul National University, Experimental Linguistics (Undergraduate, M1246.000900 001)
2020 Fall	Seoul National University, Bilingualism

	(Undergraduate, L0545.001300)
2020 Spring	Seoul National University, Bilingualism (Undergraduate, L0545.001300)
2019 Fall	Seoul National University, Altaic Linguistics (Undergraduate, M1246.000500)
2019 Spring	Seoul National University, World of Languages (Undergraduate, 041.040)
2018 Fall	Seoul National University, Studies in Historical Comparative Linguistics (Graduate, 108.522)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant

07/2021–03/2023	“A Study on Linguistic Transcription and Glossing of Three Endangered Tungusic Languages” (PI: Dr. Sangchul Park), National Research Foundation of Korea Duties: data maintenance, creating linguistic annotation
04/2021–03/2023	“Creating Metadata for the Endangered Altaic Languages Archive” (PI: Dr. Sangchul Park), Seoul National University Duties: data maintenance and analyses
08/2018–04/2019	“Korean phonation type” (PI: Dr. Hansang Park), National Research Foundation of Korea Duties: maintenance of a database, acoustic recordings and analyses, running perception experiments using Praat
04/2018–08/2018	“Development of a method for obtaining optimal data in documentation of endangered languages and analyses of digital data” (PI: Dr. Juwon Kim), Duties: designing for recording method, acoustic recordings and analyses using Praat
10/2015–03/2016	“Development of Hunminjeongeum based multi-language input system and educational material for hyper-connectivity society” (PI: Dr. Hyeonhee Lee), Ministry of Science, ICT and Future Planning Duties: data maintenance and analyses

Fieldwork & Language Documentation

10/2024–06/2025	Javanese (Austronesian)
10/2021–12/2022	Hezhen (Manchu-Tungusic)
03/2020–10/2021	Spoken Manchu (Manchu-Tungusic)

02/2019–12/2022	Uilta (Manchu-Tungusic)
09/2017–08/2018	Korean (North Jeolla dialect)
03/2016–08/2017	ChiTembo (Niger-Congo)

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

2026 Summer	Conference and Workshop Travel Grant The University of Chicago Center for East Asian Studies
2026 Summer	Dissertation Research Grant for Korean Studies The University of Chicago Center for East Asian Studies
2026 Spring	Graduate Research Aid Initiative in Linguistics The University of Chicago
2026 Spring	Conference and Workshop Travel Grant The University of Chicago Center for East Asian Studies
2025 Autumn	Conference and Workshop Travel Grant The University of Chicago Center for East Asian Studies
2025 Summer	Conference and Workshop Travel Grant The University of Chicago
2024 Autumn	Graduate Research Aid Initiative in Linguistics The University of Chicago
2024 Summer	Conference and Workshop Travel Grant The University of Chicago Center for East Asian Studies
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2023 Autumn	Conference and Workshop Travel Grant The University of Chicago Center for East Asian Studies
2023 Summer	Conference and Workshop Travel Grant The University of Chicago Center for East Asian Studies
2023 Summer	Graduate Research Aid Initiative in Linguistics The University of Chicago
2021 Fall	Lecture & Research Scholarship Seoul National University
2021 Spring	Lecture & Research Scholarship Seoul National University
2020 Fall	Next-generation Researchers Scholarship Seoul National University
2020 Spring	Next-generation Researchers Scholarship Seoul National University
2019 Fall	Next-generation Researchers Scholarship

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2019 Spring	Next-generation Researchers Scholarship Seoul National University
2018 Fall	Lecture & Research Scholarship Seoul National University
2018 Spring	Work-Study Scholarship Seoul National University
2017 Fall	Work-Study Scholarship Seoul National University
2017 Spring	Next-generation Researchers Scholarship Seoul National University
2016 Fall	Work-Study Scholarship Seoul National University
2016 Spring	Work-Study Scholarship Seoul National University
2015 Fall	Merit-based Scholarship Seoul National University

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Reviewing

2023	Chicago Linguistic Society CLS 59
2024	Chicago Linguistic Society CLS 60
2025	Chicago Linguistic Society CLS 61
2026	Chicago Linguistic Society CLS 62

Events Organized

06/2023–05/2024	CLS 60 (with X. Chen & S. Karakaş) University of Chicago, Chicago. IL. April, 2024.
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Other Service

06/2023–05/2024	Finance officer Chicago Linguistic Society
06/2023–05/2024	Social officer Department of Linguistics, The University of Chicago

02/2018–08/2022	Administrative assistant Altaic Society of Korea
06/2016	Student volunteer , the 2016 Annual Summer Conference of the Linguistic Society of Korea: Its 60th Anniversary Meeting Linguistic Society of Korea

MEMBERSHIPS

2022–	Student Member, Linguistic Society of America
2020–	Member, Japan Association of Northern Language Studies
2018–	Member, Altaic Society of Korea

SKILLS

Language Skills

L1	Korean (Seoul & North Jeolla)
Fluent	English
Conversational and reading ability	Turkish, Mongolian
Reading ability	Middle Korean, French, Classical Manchu, Classical Mongolian, Japanese
Beginner	Russian
Fieldwork knowledge	Manchu-Tungusic (Uilta, Hezhen, Modern Manchu, Sibe) Niger-Congo (ChiTembo), Austronesian (Javanese)

Technical Skills

Fieldwork Methods	ELAN (intermediate), Praat (advanced), Linguistic Elicitation (advanced), Audio recording (advanced)
Linguistic Tools	L ^A T _E X(intermediate), PCIBex (intermediate)
Programming	R (advanced), Python (advanced)