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Education

- 2019 – Current **Ph.D. in Agricultural, Food, and Resource Economics (Expected May 2024)**
Michigan State University
Dissertation Title: The Economic Impacts of Market Changes in the Food and Agricultural Industry
Committee: Zachariah Rutledge (Chair), Vincenzina Caputo, David Ortega, and Ben Belton
Fields: Labor Economics, Consumer Economics, Applied Microeconomics
- 2015 – 2017 **M.Econ. in Food and Resource Economics**
Korea University, South Korea
- 2011 – 2014 **B.Com. in Business and Economics (Double Major in Economics and Finance)**
University of Melbourne, Australia

Work/Research Experience

- Aug 2022 – Current **Research Assistant, Michigan State University**
For Zachariah Rutledge
- May 2022 – Jun 2022 For Krista Isaacs
- Aug 2019 – May 2022 For Vincenzina Caputo
- Aug 2020 – May 2023 **Teaching Assistant, Michigan State University**
Labor and Personnel Management in the Agri-Food System (AFRE315), Zachariah Rutledge
Commodity Marketing I (AFRE232), John Whims
Food Marketing Research and Analytics (AFRE340), Vincenzina Caputo
Farm Management I (AFRE130), John Whims
Food Product Marketing (AFRE240), Jeta Rudi Polloshka
Ecological Economics (EEM255), April Athnos
- Aug 2018 – Jun 2019 **Project Assistant, Korea Food Industry Association**
- Aug 2017 – Feb 2018 **Research Assistant, Korea Rural Economic Institute**
- Jan 2016 – Dec 2016 **Project Assistant, Korea University**
- Jan 2015 – May 2015 **Research Assistant (Intern), Institute for Korea Climate Change Action**

Publications

Peer-Reviewed

- Kim, D., Caputo, V., & Kilders, V. (2023). Consumer Preferences and Demand for Conventional Seafood and Seafood Alternatives: Do Ingredient Information and Processing Stage Matter? *Food Quality and Preference*, 108, 104872. [Link](#)

- Kim, D.** & Ahn, B. I. (2020). Eating Out and Consumers' Health: Evidence on Obesity and Balanced Nutrition Intakes. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 17(2), 586. [Link](#)
- Kim, D.** & Ahn, B. I. (2020). Store Choice Behavior of Processed Food Shoppers: The Effect of Information and Time-Sensitivity. *The Korean Journal of Agricultural Economics*, 61(3), 135-160. [Link](#)
- Kim, D.** & Ahn, B. I. (2017). Household Purchasing Behavior of Eco-Friendly Food and Functional Food: Depending on the Presence or Absence of Disease in Household Members. *Korean Journal of Food Marketing Economics*, 34(2), 19-42. [Link](#)

Reports

- Rutledge, Z., Taylor, E., Whitney, E., & **Kim, D.** (2022). The 2022 Greenhouse and Nursery Labor Employment Survey: Summary of Preliminary Findings. *AmericanHort*. [Link](#)
- Rutledge, Z., Taylor, E., Whitney, E., & **Kim, D.** (2022). NCAE Farm Labor Survey 2022: Summary of Preliminary Findings. [Link](#)
- Lee, K. I., Kim, S. H., Um, J. Y., Kim, B. Y., & **Kim, D.** (2018). Planning a Scheme of Agricultural and Food Voucher Supporting Program. *Korea Rural Economic Institute*. [Link](#)
- Lee, K. I., Choi, J. H., Lee, Y. S., Kim, K. P., Park, K. H., Park, S. J., Choi, J. W., Kim, S. H., Heo, S. Y., Han, J. H., & **Kim, D.** (2017). 2017 Food Industry Information Analysis Report. *Korea Rural Economic Institute*. [Link](#)
- Lee, K. I., Kim, K. P., Park, S. J., Han, J. H., **Kim, D.**, & Yim, S. J. (2017). 2017 Restaurant Industry Management Survey Report. *Korea Rural Economic Institute*. [Link](#)
- Lee, K. I., Kim, K. P., Park, S. J., Han, J. H., **Kim, D.**, & Yim, S. J. (2017). Survey Report on the Food Ingredient Purchasing Behavior of Food Service Providers. *Korea Rural Economic Institute*. [Link](#)

Outreach

- Rutledge, Z., Taylor, E., Whitney, E., & **Kim, D.** (2023). Continued Labor Scarcity Creates Incentives for Growers to Adjust Production Practices, Technology Use. *Greenhouse Management*. [Link](#)
- Rutledge, Z., Taylor, E., Whitney, E., & **Kim, D.** (2023). Infographic of the 2022 Greenhouse & Nursery Labor and Employment Findings. *AmericanHort*. [Link](#)

Selected Presentations

- Kim, D.**, Marcelo, C., & Rutledge, Z. (2023). Domestic Farm Employment and the H-2A Visa Program. *2023 AAEA Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C.*
- Kim, D.** & Rutledge, Z. (2022). Farm Labor Shortages and Technology Adoption: Survey Evidence from the United States. *Michigan Ag Credit Conference 2022 in East Lansing, MI.*
- Kim, D.**, Caputo, V., & Kilders, V. (2022). Consumer Preferences and Demand for Conventional Seafood and Seafood Alternatives: Does the Processing Stage Matter? *2022 AAEA Annual Meeting in Anaheim, CA.*
- Kim, D.** & Ahn, B. I. (2018). The Effect of Food Away From Home (FAFH) on the Balanced Dietary Intakes and Obesity. *2018 AAEA Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C.*
- Kim, D.** & Ahn, B. I. (2017). Store Choice Behavior of Processed Food Shoppers: The Effect of Time Sensitivity and Information. *2017 AAEA Annual Meeting in Chicago, IL.*

Awards

Dec 2017	Excellence Award by the Korea Rural Economic Institute for Research Paper Competition on Consumer Behavior Survey for Food
Jul 2017	Graduate Student Award by the Korean Agricultural Economics Association and Korea Rural Economic Institute for the Research Paper Competition
Jul 2016	Graduate Student Award by the Korean Agricultural Economics Association and Korea Rural Economic Institute for the Research Paper Competition

Fellowships/Scholarships/Grants

2023	Michigan Department of Ag & Rural Development (with Zachariah Rutledge) (\$17,000)
2023	Travel Grant, Michigan State University (\$1,300)
2022	Graduate Office Fellowship, Michigan State University (\$3,100)
2022	A. Allan Schmid Fellowship in Institutional Economics, Michigan State University (\$1,800)
2021	Graduate Office Fellowship, Michigan State University (\$6,600)
2017	BrainKorea21 PLUS, National Research Foundation of Korea

Service/Extracurricular Activities

Jun 2021 – Jun 2022	Office Representative, Graduate Student Organization, Michigan State University
Oct 2016 – Nov 2016	JENESYS Inbound Program by Japan International Cooperation Center
Dec 2012 – Jan 2013	Second Language Acquisition Program from AIESEC (Spanish)
Mar 2011 – Nov 2011	Mentor for International Students at Brighton Secondary College, Australia

Languages/Skills

Languages	English (Fluent), Korean (Native), Japanese (Intermediate), and Spanish (Beginner)
Technical Skills	STATA, Python, LaTeX, and Microsoft Office

References

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