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EDUCATION:

Certificate	Effective Instruction	Association of College and University Educators	2021
PH.D.	Student Affairs	University of Maryland	2012 - 2016
M.A.	Counseling Psychology	New York University	2009
M.A.	Counseling	Michigan State University	2005
B.A.	Psychology	Duksung Women's University, Korea	2003

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

2021 - Present	Assistant Professor Department of Counseling Human Development Services, University of Georgia
2019 - Present	Global Faculty Fellow (Winter Session Only) International Winter Campus, Korea University, Korea
2017 - 2021	Assistant Professor Department of Higher Education, Texas A&M University-Commerce
2017 - 2019	Visiting Instructor (Summer Session Only) Department of Counseling Psychology, Handong Global University, Korea
2016 - 2017	Assistant Professor Department of Educational Psychology, Northern Arizona University
2014 - 2016	Academic Counselor and Instructor The University of Maryland Counseling Center
2012 - 2014	Doctoral Research Fellow Department of Counseling Higher Education and Special Education, University of Maryland
2012 - 2014	Teaching Assistant Department of Counseling Higher Education and Special Education, University of Maryland
2010 - 2012	Research Fellow Department of Health Systems and Outcomes, Johns Hopkins University
2007 - 2009	Instructor Department of Applied Psychology, New York University

- 2007 - 2009 **Extern Therapist**
Ault Outpatient Psychiatric Unit, Bellevue Hospital Center, New York
- 2006 - 2009 **Academic Advisor and Counseling Lab Coordinator**
Department of Applied Psychology, New York University
- 2006 - 2007 **Extern Therapist**
University Counseling Center, Pratt Institute
- 2006 - 2007 **International Student Advisor**
Office of International Students and Scholars, New York University
- 2006 **Intern Advisor**
United Nations (UN) New York Head Quarter
- 2004 - 2005 **Intern Counselor**
Student Counseling Center, Lansing Community College
- 2004 - 2005 **Community Counselor**
Department of Residence Life, Michigan State University

AWARDS AND HONORS:

- 2021 **Fearless Investigation Research Award (Nominated)**
Faculty Senate, Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2020-2022 **Emerging Scholar Award**
American College Personnel Association
- 2020 **Chuck Arize Junior Faculty Award for Dedication and Excellence**
Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2020 **First Place Presentation Award**
Division 52 International Psychology
American Psychological Association (APA) Annual Virtual Convention
- 2020 **Emerald/HETL Outstanding Research Award (Nominated)**
Emerald Publishing Group
- 2020 **Fearless Investigation Research Award (Nominated)**
Faculty Senate, Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2019 **Faculty Senate Excellent Research Award (Nominated)**
Faculty Senate, Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2019 **Young Researcher Best Paper Award**
Korean American Educational Research Association

- 2018 **APA Outstanding Research Poster Award** (Nominated)
Division 15 Educational Psychology, American Psychological Association
- 2018 **Young Researcher Best Paper Award**
Korean American Educational Research Association
- 2018 **Outstanding Dissertation Award** (Nominated)
Research on the Education of Asian and Pacific Americans, American Educational Research Association
- 2017 **Best Presentation Award** Second Place
American Psychological Association Division 52 International Psychology
- 2016 **Distinguished Service Award**
The University Awards Program, University of Maryland
- 2016 **Graduate Professional Development Award**
The Graduate School, University of Maryland
- 2016 **Michael B. Salwen Scholars Award**
Korean American Educational Research Association
- 2015 **Best Presentation Award**
University of Maryland KGSA Symposium
- 2011 **Early Career Research Award**
Division 50 Addiction Psychology, American Psychological Association
- 2009 **Student Research Award**
Society for Counseling Psychology, Section for Ethnic Racial Diversity,
American Psychological Association
- 2009 **Student Research Award**
Asian American Psychological Association
- 2009 **Distinguished Teaching Award** (Nominated)
Department of Applied Psychology, New York University
- 2005-2009 **21st Century Leadership Scholarship**
Steinhardt School of Education, New York University
- 2003 **1st Prize International Essay Award**
Office of International Students and Scholars, Michigan State University

GRANTS:

- 2021 - 2023 **AERA-NSF Research Grant**
(PI, \$35,000 Under Review)
Title: Living in two different worlds: A longitudinal study on STEM international

students' professional and personal experiences in the U.S. higher education

- 2021 **AERA Division E Counseling and Human Development Seed Grant**
(PI, \$4,000 Not Funded)
Title: Distressed in a foreign country: Racism, discrimination, and mental health among international students in COVID-19 era.
- 2021-2022 **NASPA Transition and Retention Knowledge Community Research Grant**
(Co-PI, \$1,000 Awarded)
Title: Factors affecting the success of two college student groups: Regular admission vs. special admission
- 2021 **Korean American Educational Research Association Research Grant**
(PI, \$3,000 Not Funded)
Title: Korean international students' mental health and well-being during and post COVID-19 pandemic
- 2021 **Paul Fidler Research Grant** (PI, \$5,000 Not Funded)
Title: From normal to new normal: International students' mental health and well-being during and after COVID-19
- 2020-2022 **ACPA Emerging Scholar Research Grant** (PI, \$3,000 Awarded)
Title: What makes them distressed? A longitudinal analysis on campus climate and mental health among international students
- 2020-2022 **Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences Grant** (PI, \$8,400 Awarded)
Division of Research Development, Texas A&M University-Commerce
Title: Diverse college students' experiences on their mental health and multiple collegiate experiences during and after the COVID-19 pandemic:
A longitudinal and mix-method study
- 2020-2021 **NASPA Region VI Research & Assessment Grant** (PI, \$1,000 Awarded)
Title: A Comparative Study on Campus Climate and Mental Health among International Students and Domestic Students
- 2020 **Faculty Research Grant** (Co-PI, \$750 Not Funded)
American College Personnel Association Commission for Professional Preparation
Title: Experiences of international graduate students in student affairs preparation programs at U.S. Higher Education Institutions
- 2020 **NSF ADVANCE Adaptation** (Collaborator, \$50,000 Not Funded)
Title: Natural language processing and countering online misinformation among undergraduate STEM students
- 2018 **Faculty Research Grant** (PI, \$5,000 Awarded)
Texas A&M University-Commerce
Title: Living in Two Different Worlds: International Graduate Students' Professional and Personal Experiences

- 2018 **The Commission for Admissions Orientation and the First Year Experience**
American College Personnel Association (PI, \$750: not funded)
Title: “This is a new world and I feel homesick”: Adjustment and depression among
the first year international students on campus
- 2017 **Global Research Network Grant** (Co-PI, \$8,000)
Department of Education, Korean Government
Title: The journey for recovering holistic humanity in college students: focusing on stress,
positive emotion, basic psychological needs, and subjective well-being among
Korean college students compared to American students
- 2017 **Faculty Professional Development Grant** (PI, \$2,000 Awarded)
College of Education, Northern Arizona University
- 2017 **Dean’s Research Grant** (PI, \$2,500 Awarded)
College of Education, Northern Arizona University
- 2016 **Access Group/ Association for Institutional Research Grant** (PI, \$8,000 not funded)
Title: A longitudinal study on doctoral students’ retention and degree attainment: A
racial comparison
- 2016 **2016 NASPA Region VI Research and Assessment Grant** (PI, \$5,000 not funded)
Title: “Isolated professionals” Story of international scholars’ personal and
Professional experiences
- 2016 **The Jacobs Foundation Research Grant** (PI, \$10,000 not funded)
Title: A long journey to college among Asian Immigrant Youth
- 2015 **McEwen Dissertation Grant (\$1,260)**
College of Education, University of Maryland
- 2015 **Global Graduate Research Grant (\$1,000)**
College of Education, University of Maryland
- 2014 **Goldhaber Research Grant (\$1,500)**
The Graduate School, University of Maryland
- 2012-2014 **Graduate Student Research Fellowship (\$22,000/year + Tuition Remission)**
Department of Counseling, Higher Education, and Special Education,
University of Maryland

PUBLICATIONS:

[Graduate student co-authors underlined]

A. ARTICLES IN REFEREED JOURNALS

Koo, K. (In Press). What makes them healthy? A longitudinal analysis of health-related behaviors and mental health across racial groups on campus. *Journal of American College Health*

- Koo, K.,** Yao, C., & **Gong, H.** (In Press). It is not my fault: Exploring experience and perceptions of racism among international students during COVID-19. *Journal of Diversity in Higher Education*.
- Koo, K.,** **Tan, G.,** & Lee, J. (In Press). Supporting international student mental health during and after the COVID-19 pandemic. *About Campus*.
- Koo, K.,** **Kim, Y.,** & **Lee, J.,** & Nyunt, G. (2021). It's my fault? A qualitative study on Korean international graduate students' psychological well-being and experiences. *Journal of International Students*, 11(4). <https://doi.org/10.32674/jis.v11i4>
- Koo, K.** (2021). Am I welcome here?: Campus climate and psychological well-being among racially minoritized students. *Journal of Student Affairs Research and Practice*, 58 (2), 196-213. <https://doi.org/10.1080/19496591.2020.1853557>
- Lee, J. & **Koo, K.** (2021). "I was scared at first, but not anymore": Interpersonal contact and attitude change toward people with intellectual and developmental disabilities among Korean American adolescents and young adults. *International Journal of Developmental Disabilities*. <http://doi.org/10.1080/20473869.2021.1874602>
- Koo, K.,** Nyunt, G., & Wang, B. (2021). Who spends too much time online?: Associated factors of Internet addiction among international college students in the United States. *Journal of International Students*, 11(1), 122-143. <https://doi.org/10.32674/jis.v11i1.2063>
- Koo, K.,** Baker, I., & Yoon, J. (2021). The first year acculturation: A longitudinal study on acculturative stress and adjustment among the first year international college students. *Journal of International Students*, 11(2). <https://doi.org/10.32674/jis.v11i2.1726>
- Jiang, M. & **Koo, K.** (2020). Emotional presence in building an online learning community among non-traditional higher education students. *Online Learning Journal*, 24(4), 93-111. <http://doi.org/10.24059/olj.v24i4.2307>
- Koo, K.,** & Nyunt, G. (2020). Culturally sensitive assessment of mental health for international students. *New Directions for Student Services*, 2020(169), 43-52. <https://doi.org/10.1002/ss.20343>
- Yoon, J., Kim, K., **Koo, K.** (2020). Enrichment program for the ethnic minority gifted and talented students in science and engineering program. *International Journal of Science Education*, 10(1), 36-50. <https://doi.org/10.1080/21548455.2020.1714092>
- Yoon, J. & **Koo, K.** (2019) Implication of cyberbullying on underrepresented students in post-secondary education. *International Journal of Cyber Behavior Psychology and Learning*, 9(1): 1-15. <https://doi.org/10.4018/IJCBPL.2019010101>
- Yoon, J. & **Koo, K.** (2018). Effectiveness of culturally-responsive science teaching (CRest) at home: A workshop for parents of culturally and linguistically diverse children. *The Journal of Education*, 1(1), 105-123. <https://doi.org/10.25020/JoE.2018.1.1.105>

Park, J.J., Buckley, J., & **Koo, K.** (2017). "How do I quantify this?" Students reflect on survey items related to diversity and cross-racial Interaction. *Journal of College Student Development*, 58(5), 733-751. <https://doi.org/10.1353/csd.2017.0057>

Kim, Y. K., Park, J. J., & **Koo, K.** (2015). Testing self-segregation: Multiple-group structural modeling of college students' interracial friendship by face. *Research in Higher Education*, 56, 57-77. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11162-014-9337-8>

Kwon, K. (2004). "In my shoes..." Highlights Challenges of Internationalization. *Michigan State University International*, 5: 43-45.

B. BOOKS

Nyunt, G., **Koo, K.**, Witkowsky, P., & Andino, M. (Eds.). (Forthcoming). *Beyond the single story: How multiple intersecting identities shape international students' mental well-being?* Routledge

Shin, S., **Kwon, K.** & Lee, E. (2011). *Translated Version of Comprehensive Guide to Interpersonal Psychotherapy*. Sigma Press

C. CHAPTERS IN BOOKS

Koo, K. & **Tan, G.** (2021). Lost in transitions: International student mental health and stress in the U.S. higher education. In Zangeneh, M. (Ed), *Mental Health of University/College Students*. Concurrent Disorders Society Publishing.

Koo, K. & **Tan, G.** (2021). Mental wellness and stressors among international students in the United States during the COVID-19 pandemic. In Ghim, H. & Choi, S. (Eds.), *Transnational Education Post COVID-19: Rethinking the Future of Transnational Higher Education*. Dague University Press.

Koo, K. (2021). Distressed in a foreign country: Mental health and well-being among international students in the United States during COVID-19. In Bista, K. & Chan, R. (Eds.), *Routledge Studies in Global Student Mobility Series- Impact of COVID-19 on Global Student Mobility and Higher Education*. Routledge

Yoon, J. & **Koo, K.** (2020). Implication of cyberbullying on underrepresented students in post-secondary education. In Information Resources Management Association (Eds.), *Developing Safer Online Environments for Children: Tools and Policies for Combatting Cyber Aggression*. (pp. 185-205). Hershey, PA: IGI Global. <https://doi.org/10.4018/978-1-7998-1684-3.ch008>

Koo, K. (2019). Is it real or not? Experiences of synchronous learning and training for counseling graduate students. In P. Semingson & J. Yoon (Eds.), *Educational Technology and Resources for Synchronous Learning in Higher Education* (pp. 129-150). Hershey, PA: IGI Global. <https://doi.org/10.4018/978-1-5225-7567-2.ch007>

Park, J.J., & **Koo, K.** (2014). Race and affirmative action in higher education. In *Oxford Bibliographies in Education*. Eds. Luanna Meyer. New York: Oxford University Press. <https://doi.org/10.1093/OBO/9780199756810-0101>

Kwon, K. (2007). *Korean American youth*. Encyclopedia of Cross-Cultural School Psychology (ECCSP). New York, New York :Springer. The International Publishing House.

PUBLICATIONS UNDER REVIEW:

[Graduate student co-authors underlined]

Koo, K. & Nyunt, G. (Under Review). Mom, Asian international student, doctoral student, and in-between: Asian international doctoral student mothers' mental well-being.

Koo, K. & Nyunt, G. (Under Review). Pandemic in a foreign country: Barriers to international students' well-being during COVID-19

Koo, K. & Jiang, M. (Under Review). Working vs. not working: Experiences of asynchronous and synchronous learning in online counseling graduate programs.

Koo, K., Kim, Y., Lee, J., & Rodriguez, S. (Under Review). What does it mean to be an Asian in a pandemic?: Exploring experiences of racism and discrimination among Asian international students in the United States during COVID-19.

Koo, K., Choi, S., & Gong, H. (Under Review). Buffer or brake?: Effect of parenting style on Korean adolescents' pornography exposure mediated by aggression

Yoon, J. & **Koo, K.** (Under Review). Science concert: Ethnic minority high school students' online interactions with cultural role-models of scientists and engineers during the COVID-19 pandemic. *International Journal of Science Education*.

Koo, K. & Kim, S. (Under Review). What makes their quality of life? Collegiate experiences and quality of life among the first year college students.

Joo, E.S. & **Koo, K.** (Under Review). The experience of middle aged married female novice counselors in Korea.

INVITED TALK:

Koo, K. (2021, August). *Racial justice advocacy for Asian international students in the United States in COVID-19*. American Psychological Association Annual Convention Society of Counseling Psychology Symposium.

Koo, K. (2021, July). *We are neither invisible nor inaudible: Asian international psychologists' resistance*. American Psychological Association Annual Convention Division of Ethnic Minority Psychology Symposium.

Koo, K. (2021, April). *How to talk about anti-Asian racism with international students*. University of Kentucky Office of China Initiatives.

Koo, K. (2021, April). *Racism and racialized identities: Stories of Asian international students in the United States during COVID-19*. ACPA College Educators International 2021 International Colloquium.

- Koo, K.** (2021, April). *Mental health support for international students in the United States during COVID-19*. ACPA College Educators International 2021 International Colloquium.
- Koo, K.** (2021, January). *International students mental health 101: Perspectives from faculty and clinician*. Commission for Global Dimension of Student Development. ACPA: College Educator International.
- Koo, K.** (2020, November). *Beyond the single story: How multiple intersecting identities shape international students' mental well-being?* NASPA International Education Knowledge Community Live Briefings.
- Koo, K.** (2020, October). *Sense of Community and Maintaining Personal Well-being*. International Scholars Workshop by the Council of International Higher Education. Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE).
- Koo, K.** (2020, September). *Winning the Job amid the COVID-19 Pandemic: Mentoring Support Webinar Part One*. Korean American Educational Research Association (KAERA).
- Koo, K.** (2020, September). *Racism & Racialized Identities: The Experience of International Staff of Color in the United States, Part 1: The Experience of Asian International Staff during COVID-19*. Commission for Global Dimension of Student Development. ACPA: College Educator International
- Koo, K.** (2020, July). *Racism and racial identities: Experiences of Asian international students during COVID-19*. Commission for Global Dimension of Student Development. ACPA: College Educator International
- Koo, K.** (2020, January). *Abnormal Behaviors and Human Development*. Korea University International Winter Campus. Seoul, Korea
- Koo, K.** (2019, November). *Mental Health and Self-Care for Korean American Families*. Greater Dallas Korean American Association. Carrollton, TX.
- Koo, K.** (2019, September). *American Higher Education and Student Affairs Administration*. Frisco Independent School District, Frisco, TX.
- Koo, K.** (2019, May). *Depression and self-care strategies for Korean American immigrant women*. Greater Dallas Korean American Association. Carrollton, TX.
- Koo, K.** (2019, March). *Mental health challenges and diverse experiences among international students: Research and practice*. 2019 International Colloquium by ACPA Commission of Global Dimension of Student Development. Boston, MA.
- Koo, K.** (2019, January). *I am (NOT) OK: Mental health issues among faculty*. Greater Dallas Asian Faculty Association. Carrollton, TX.
- Koo, K.** (2018, November). *Mental Fitness among Korean American family*. Binnari Church. Richardson, TX.

- Koo, K.** (2018, September). *Am I welcomed here?: How campus climate impacts ethnic minority students' psychological well-being on campus*. Research and Development. The University of Maryland Counseling Center. College Park, MD.
- Koo, K.** (2018, May). *Mental health and well-being among Korean American women*. Semihan Church. Carrollton, TX.
- Koo, K.** (2017, September). *What is your cultural and social identity as a Korean American adolescent?* Greater Dallas Forth Worth Korean American Association. Carrollton, TX.
- Koo, K.** (2017, July). *The core of research in the field of psychology and education*. Graduate School of Psychology. Handong Global University.
- Koo, K.** (2016, October). *Doc Talk: Students affairs and higher education doctoral education*. College of Education, Northern Arizona University.
- Koo, K.** (2016, April). *Collegiate experiences and feelings of depression among Asian American college students*. Office of Diversity and Inclusion Diversity Dialogue Lecture Series, University of Maryland.
- Koo, K.** (2016, February). *Academic support for international graduate students: Research, teaching, and professional development*. Learning Assistance Service, the University Counseling Center, University of Maryland.
- Koo, K.** (2015, September). *Successful first year in college*. Learning Assistance Service, the University Counseling Center, University of Maryland.
- Koo, K.** (2015, July). *Academic skills and success for the first year college engineering students*. School of Engineering, University of Maryland.
- Koo, K.** (2014, November). *Exam taking strategies and test anxiety management*. University 101, University of Maryland.
- Koo, K.** (2014, November). *Practical counseling skills for peer mentors*. Learning Assistant Service, Counseling Center, University of Maryland
- Kwon, K.** (2010, January). *Past, presence, and future of counseling*. Graduate School of Counseling. Handong Global University. Pohang, Korea.
- Kwon, K.** (2007, June). *How to apply the Myers-Briggs Type Indicator to young adult small groups*. One United Presbyterian Church. Englewood, NJ.

REFERRED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:

[Graduate student co-authors underlined]

- Koo, K.** & Nyunt, G. (2021, November). *Pandemic in a foreign country: Experiences, challenges, and well-being among international students in the United States during COVID-19*. Research paper will be presented at ASHE Annual Convention.

- Koo, K.** & **Gopal, K.** (2021, November). Collegiate experiences and quality of life among international students during the COVID-19 pandemic. Research paper will be presented at ASHE Annual Convention.
- Lee, J., **Koo, K.**, Hwang, B. (2021, August). *Racial justice advocacy and mentoring for Asian international students in a racial pandemic*. Symposium will be presented at American Psychological Association (APA) Annual Virtual Convention.
- Koo, K.**, Kim, K., & Yoon, J. (2021, April). *Being social means being happy? The relationship between social life and mental health among Asian American college students*. Research paper presented at American Educational Research Association (AERA) Annual Virtual Convention.
- Rodriguez, S., **Espino, M.**, **Le, B.**, & **Koo, K.** (2021, April). *Understanding engineering identity experiences for Asian American women in higher education*. Research paper presented at American Educational Research Association (AERA) Annual Virtual Convention.
- Koo, K.**, **Kim, Y.**, **Lee, J.**, & Rodriguez, S. (2021, April). *What does it mean to be an Asian in a pandemic?: Exploring experiences of racism and discrimination among Asian international students in the United States during COVID-19*. Research paper presented at American Educational Research Association (AERA) Annual Virtual Convention.
- Jiang, M., **Koo, K.**, & Belinger, J. (2021, April). *Am I supported? An exploration of social support received by female non-traditional online graduate students*. Research paper presented at American Educational Research Association (AERA) Annual Virtual Convention.
- Koo, K.**, Yao, C., & Gong, H. (2021, March). *It is not my fault: Exploring experience and perceptions of racism among international students during COVID-19*. Research paper presented at American College Personnel Association Annual Convention.
- Koo, K.** & Nyunt, G. (2020, November). *Culturally sensitive assessment for international students' mental health: Voices from the margins*. Research paper presented at Association for the Study of Higher Education Annual Virtual Convention.
- Koo, K.** & **Song, J.** (2020, August). *What makes them depressed?: A longitudinal comparative analysis on Korean first year college students' depression and their pre-college experiences*. Research poster presented at American Psychological Association Annual Convention.
- Koo, K.**, **Kim, Y.**, **Lee, J.**, & Nyunt, G. (2020, April). *It's my fault: Korean international graduate students' personal and professional experiences, and psychological well-being*. Research paper was accepted for American Educational Research Association Annual Convention (Convention cancelled due to COVID-19).
- Jiang, M. & **Koo, K.** (2020, April). *Emotional presence in building an online learning community among non-traditional higher education students*. Research paper was accepted for American Educational Research Association Annual Convention (Convention cancelled due to COVID-19).

- Koo, K.** & Nyunt, G. (2020, March). *Culturally sensitive assessment of mental health for international Students*. Research paper presented at American College Personnel Association Annual Convention.
- Koo, K., Weaver, G., & Yoon, J.** (2019, November). *Being smart means being happy? Academic experiences and psychological well-being among international college students*. Research paper presented at Association for the Study of Higher Education Annual Convention. Portland, OR.
- Koo, K. & Baker, I.** (2019, November). *Acculturation and adjustment difficulties among the first year international college students*. Research paper presented at Association for the Study of Higher Education Annual Convention. Portland, OR.
- Koo, K. & Jang, N.Y.** (2019, November). *What are we really searching for?: Spirituality and meaning making process among Asian international students*. Research paper presented at Association for the Study of Higher Education Annual Convention. Portland, OR.
- Koo, K. & Song, J.** (2019, August). *What makes them delayed?: Procrastination and college experiences among senior college students*. Research poster presented at American Psychological Association Annual Convention. Chicago, IL.
- Koo, K.** (2019, April). *The more I study, the happier I am?: International college students' academic experiences and emotional health*. Research paper presented at American Educational Research Association Annual Convention. Toronto, CA.
- Koo, K., Kim, Y., & Lee, J.** (2019, March). *What makes us happy?: Professional experiences and emotional health among Asian international graduate students*. Research paper presented at American College Personnel Association Annual Convention. Boston, MA.
- Koo, K. & Yoon, J.** (2018, November). *I (don't) need help: Factors associated with mental health and help seeking behaviors among Asian American college students*. Research paper will be presented at Association for the Study of Higher Education Annual Convention. Tampa, FL.
- Koo, K., Choi, D.H., & Song, Y.S.** (2018, August). *Racial discrimination, Campus climate, and mental health issues among international college students*. Research poster presented at American Psychological Association Annual Convention. San Francisco, CA.
- Koo, K. & Song, Y.S.** (2018, April). *First generation ethnic minority students' social support and faculty engagement as predictors of psychological well-being*. Research paper presented at American Educational Research Association Annual Convention. New York, NY.
- Koo, K.** (2018, April). *Am I welcomed here?: Campus climate and psychological well-being among ethnic minority students on campus*. Research paper presented at American Educational Research Association Annual Convention.
- Koo, K., Peterson, A., Davila, K., & Tran, L.** (2018, March). *Does drinking more indicate that I am more depressed?: Substance use and depression among Asian American college students*. Research paper will be presented at American College Personnel Association Annual Convention. Houston, TX.

- Koo, K.**, Tran, L., Peterson, A., & Davila, K. (March, 2018). *I am social, so am I happy?: Social life and psychological well-being among international college students*. Research paper will be presented at American College Personnel Association Annual Convention. Houston, TX.
- Koo, K.** & Davila, K. (2017, November) *The more I study, the more I am stressed: Asian American college students' academic experiences and depression*. Research paper presented at Association for the Study of Higher Education Annual Convention. Houston, TX.
- Koo, K.** & Davila, K. (2017, November). *What makes them happy?: College experiences and psychological well-being among international students*. Research paper presented at Association for the Study of Higher Education Annual Convention. Houston, TX.
- Koo, K.**, Blake, E., Oneal, N., & Park, R. (2017, August). *Campus climate as a predictor of psychological well-being among different racial groups on campus*. Research poster presented at American Psychological Association Annual Convention in Washington, DC.
- Ryu, S.J., Keum, M.J., **Koo, K.** (2017, August). *The impact of covert narcissism on Internet addiction among Korean college students: mediating effect of internalized shame and avoidant-distractive emotion regulation patterns*. Research poster presented at American Psychological Association Annual Convention, Washington, DC.
- Koo, K.** (2017, April). *International college students' Addictive Behaviors and associated factors*. Paper presented at the American Educational Research Association Annual Convention, San Antonio, TX.
- Koo, K.** (2017, April). *Predictors of psychological well-being and college experiences among International college students*. Paper presented at the American Educational Research Association Annual Convention, San Antonio, TX.
- Koo, K.**, Wang, B., & Oneal, N. (2017, March). *Associated factors of Internet addiction and social life among international college students*. Research paper presented at the American College Personnel Association Annual Convention, Columbus, OH.
- Koo, K.**, Wang, B., Oneal, N., & Andreotta, K. (2017, March). *Asian American college students' academic experiences and depression*. Research paper presented at the American College Personnel Association Annual Convention, Columbus, OH.
- Koo, K.** (2016, April). *Collegiate experiences and depression among Asian American college students*. Paper presented at the American Educational Research Association Annual Convention, Washington, DC.
- Koo, K.** & Kim, J. (2016, April). *Factors associated with mental health conditions and help seeking behaviors among Asian American adolescents*. Paper presented at the American Educational Research Association Annual Convention, Washington, DC.

- Koo, K.** (2016, March). *Factors associated with psychological well-being and depression among international undergraduate students*. Paper presented at the American College Personnel Association Annual Convention. Montreal, Canada.
- Koo, K.,** Mlachila, D., Naughton, L. (2015, August). *Predictors of psychological well-being among Asian American college students*. Presented at the American Psychological Association Annual Convention, Toronto, CA.
- Koo, K.** (2015, April). *Effectiveness of Motivational Interviewing on college students' Internet addiction*. American Educational Research Association Annual Convention, Chicago, IL.
- Koo, K.** (2015, April). *A longitudinal study on international students' adjustment and acculturation in the U.S. higher education*. American Educational Research Association Annual Convention, Chicago, IL.
- Kim, J., Choi, Y., & **Koo, K.** (2015, April). *Understanding Asian American adolescents' mental health conditions and help seeking behaviors using California Health Interview Survey*. Korean American Educational Research Association Annual Convention. Chicago, IL.
- Koo, K., & Rue, S.J.** (2014, November). *Predicting factors on Internet addiction among Korean college students*. Association for the Study of Higher Education Annual Convention. Washing, DC.
- Koo, K.** (2014, August). *Korean International faculty life in American universities*. American Psychological Association Annual Convention, Washington, DC.
- Koo, K.** (2014, May). *Effectiveness of motivational interviewing on Internet addiction among Korean college students*. Association for Psychological Science Annual Convention. San Francisco, CA.
- Koo, K.** (2014, April). *Factors related to Internet addiction among Korean teenagers*. American Educational Research Association Annual Convention. Philadelphia, PA.
- Koo, K.** (2014, April). *A qualitative study on international faculty's experiences and challenges in the U.S. higher education*. Korean American Educational Research Association Annual Convention . Philadelphia, PA.
- Park, J., Buckley, J., & **Koo, K.** (2013, November). *What do you really mean? Student reflections on survey items related to diversity*. Association for the Study of Higher Education Annual Convention. St. Louis, MO.
- Koo, K.** (2013, March). *Contributing factors on acculturative stress and adjustment among international students compared to their American peers*. American College Personnel Association Annual Convention. Las Vegas, NV.
- Kwon, K.** (2012, August). *How Motivational Interviewing Works on Adolescents' addictive Behaviors?* American Psychological Association Annual Convention. Orlando, FL.

- Rude, S., Mazzetti, F., Lantrip, C., Gill, S., & **Kwon, K.** (2010, August). *A Preliminary exploration of emotion regulation in minority groups on campus*. American Psychological Association Annual Convention, San Diego, CA.
- Rude, S., Mazzetti, F., Lantrip, C., Gill, S., & **Kwon, K.** (2010, August). *Language use in two writing conditions and its relationship to subsequent depression symptoms*. American Psychological Association Annual Convention, San Diego, CA.
- Kwon, K.** & Shin, S. (2010, May). *Preliminary study on alcohol and nicotine addiction among Korean teenagers*. Association for Psychological Sciences Annual Convention. Boston, MA.
- Kwon, K.** (2009, August). *Impact of trust on international students' experiences in the U.S.* American Psychological Association Annual Convention, Toronto, Canada.
- Shin, S., **Kwon, K.**, Kim, J., Kim, H., & Koo, C.S. (2009, August). *Preliminary study on substance abuse among Korean adolescents*. American Psychological Association Annual Convention, Toronto, Canada.
- Kwon, K.** & Ryoo, S. J. (2009, August). *Longitudinal study on acculturative stress and adjustment difficulties among Asian international students*. Asian American Psychological Association Annual Convention, Toronto, Canada.
- Kwon, K.**, & Shin, S. (2009, July). *Quantitative study on addictive behaviors of Korean teenagers*. European Congress of Psychology. Oslo, Norway.
- Kwon, K.** & Doh, M. (2008, August). *Survival in the U.S as Korean international students: A qualitative study*. American Psychological Association. Boston, MA.

TEACHING:

Texas A&M University-Commerce:

HIED615 Intro to Higher Education	Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2019
HIED650 Doctoral Research Practicum	Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Spring 2020
HIED658 Student Affairs Administration	Fall 2019, Fall 2020, Summer 2021
HIED695 Doctoral Research Methodology	Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Fall 2018, Spring 2019
OLT595 Research Methodology	Spring 2020, Fall 2020

Northern Arizona University

EPS690 Multicultural Counseling	Fall 2016
EPS684 Student Affairs Internship	Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Summer 2017
EPS601 Theories of Counseling	Fall 2016
EPS602 College Student Development Theory	Spring 2017
EPS682 Student Affairs Practicum	Spring 2017

Korea University

IWC236 Abnormal Psychology	Winter 2019-2020
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Handong Global University

Statistical Methods for Psychological Research	Summer 2018, Summer 2019
Multicultural Counseling	Summer 2017
Academic Writing	Summer 2017
Theories and Practice of Counseling	Winter 2010
Interpersonal Psychotherapy	Summer 2009
Cognitive Behavior Therapy	Summer 2009
Research Methods in Social Science	Winter 2008
Abnormal Psychology	Winter 2008
Advanced Research Methods and Statistics	Summer 2008
Advanced Personality Psychology	Summer 2008
Statistical Methods in Psychology	Winter 2007
Counseling for Children and Adolescents	Winter 2007

University of Maryland

EDCP108B College and Career Advancement: Concepts and Skills; Academic Success Strategies	Summer 2015 Fall 2015 Spring 2016
EDCP318E Student Leadership Development	Fall 2014, Spring 2015
EDCP489 Field Experiences in Counseling and Personnel Services	Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Spring 2016
EDCP618 Counseling Skills (Lab Instructor)	Fall 2014

New York University

E63.2658 Individual Counseling Practice 1	Fall 2007, Fall 2008
E63.2659 Individual Counseling Practice 2	Spring 2008, Spring 2009

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES:

A. Editorial Boards and Reviewing Activities

2021 - Present	<i>Journal of College Student Development</i> Editorial Board
2021 - Present	<i>Journal of Student Affairs Research and Practice</i> Editorial Board
2021 - Present	<i>Journal of the First-Year Experience & Students in Transition</i> Editorial Board
2020 - Present	<i>Frontiers in Education-Higher Education</i> Editorial Board
2020 - Present	<i>Journal of Comparative and International Higher Education</i> Editorial Board
2020 – Present	<i>Journal of Education and Learning Management</i> Editorial Board
2019 - Present	<i>Journal of International Students</i> Editorial Board

- 2021 - Present *Journal of Diversity in Higher Education*
Journal Reviewer
- 2020 - Present *Journal of College Student Retention: Research, Theory & Practice*
Journal Reviewer
- 2019 - Present *Journal of Applied Research in Higher Education*
Journal Reviewer
- 2013 - Present American College Personnel Association
Reviewer
- 2013 - Present American Educational Research Association
Reviewer
- 2013 - Present Association for the Study of Higher Education
Reviewer
- 2012 - Present Korean American Educational Research Association
Reviewer
- 2010 - Present American Psychological Association
Reviewer

B. Professional Associations

- 2021 - Present **Faculty Leader**
Summer Writers Retreat
ACPA-College Student Educators International
- 2021 - Present **International Students and Scholars Workshop Coordinator**
ASHE Council for International Higher Education
- 2020 - Present **Faculty-in-Residence**
Commission for Global Dimension of Student Development
ACPA-College Student Educators International
- 2020 - Present **Marylou McEwen Dissertation of the Year Award Committee**
ACPA-College Student Educators International
- 2020 - Present **ASHE 2021 Conference Co-Chair of International Higher Education**
Association for the Study of Higher Education
- 2020 - Present **ASHE CIHE Invited Speaker**
ASHE Council for International Higher Education Pre-Convention Workshop
- 2020 - Present **NASPA Dissertation of the Year Committee**
NASPA Student Affairs Administrators in Higher Education

- 2020 - Present **Chair of Mentoring Committee**
Korean American Educational Research Association
- 2019 - Present **Directorate Board Member**
Commission for Global Dimension of Student Development
ACPA-College Student Educators International
- 2018 - Present **Program Reviewers for Council for International Higher Education**
Association for the Study of Higher Education
- 2018 - 2020 **Executive Board Member**
Grater Dallas Korean School
- 2016 - 2020 **Mentoring Committee**
Korean American Educational Research Association
- C. Campus**
Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2021 **Steering Committee of Annual Symposium**
“Education: Vision for Healing Society”
College of Education and Health Service
Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2021 **Department Head Search Committee**
Department of Higher Education and Learning Technologies
Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2021 **Career Coach Search Committee**
College of Education and Health Service
Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2020 - Present **International Student Advisory Committee**
Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2020 - Present **Foundation Scholarship Task Force Team**
Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2018 - Present **McNair Program Research Mentor**
Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2018 - Present **Doctoral Program Steering Committee**
Department of Higher Education, Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2018 - Present **Faculty Senate Award Committee**
Faculty Senate, Texas A&M University-Commerce
- 2018 - Present **Faculty Judge**
TAMUC Annual Research Symposium, Texas A&M University-Commerce

2018 - Present **Faculty Judge**
 Annual Federation Graduate Research Symposium
 Texas A&M University-Commerce/ University of North Texas/ Texas Women's
 University

Northern Arizona University

2016 - 2017 **Counseling Program Committee**
 Department of Educational Psychology, Northern Arizona University

2016 - 2017 **Counseling Student Affairs Committee**
 Department of Educational Psychology, Northern Arizona University

2016 - 2017 **Preliminary Examinations Committee**
 Department of Educational Psychology, Northern Arizona University

2016 - 2017 **Program Committee**
 Fostering International Students' Learning and Development
 Faculty Professional Development, Northern Arizona University

2016 - 2017 **Faculty Advisor**
 Chi Sigma Alpha International Society for Student Affairs Professionals
 Department of Educational Psychology, Northern Arizona University

2016 - 2017 **Council for Ethnic Minority Committee**
 Northern Arizona University

University of Maryland

2015 - 2016 **Magoon and Thomas Award Committee**
 Department of Counseling, Higher Education, and Special Education,
 University of Maryland

2014 - 2015 **Math Learning Specialist Search Committee**
 Learning Assistance Service, The University Counseling Center,
 University of Maryland

2014 - 2015 **Assistant Director Search Committee**
 Learning Assistance Service, The University Counseling Center,
 University of Maryland

2012 - 2015 **Student Affairs Graduate Program Admission Committee**
 Department of Counseling Higher Education and Special Education,
 University of Maryland

DOCTORAL DISSERTATION COMMITTEE:

Texas A&M University-Commerce

Chair Alyssa Dani Martin Walker
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Cassy Rice
 Jessie Pelts
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 Tina Bausinger
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External Dissertation Committee

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PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

2014 - Present	National Association of Student Personnel Administrators
2012 - Present	Association for the Study of Higher Education
2012 - Present	American Educational Research Association
2012 - Present	American College Personnel Association
2007 - Present	American Psychological Association