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EDUCATION

- 2023 – Present** **Ph.D. in Social Psychology**
University of Florida, Gainesville, FL, United States
Advisor: Dr. Gregory D. Webster
- 2021 – 2023** **M.A. in Cultural, Social, and Personality Psychology**
Korea University, Seoul, South Korea
Advisor: Dr. Sun W. Park
- 2015 – 2019** **B. S. in Intradisciplinary Psychology**
Minor in Criminology, Society, and Law
University of Illinois – Urbana Champaign, IL, United States

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

1. Webster, G. D., Li, Z., **Park, S. Y.**, Mahar, E. A., Wongsomboon, V., & Rodriguez, L. M. (2024). Attractiveness in Opposite-Sex Couples: A Dyadic Secondary Meta-Analysis, *228*, 112730.
2. Moon, H., Lee, D. Y., Kim, S., **Park, S. Y.**, & Park, S. W. (2023). Identity development and college year moderate the relation between upward social comparison and negative self-evaluation among college students. *Korean Journal of Social and Personality Psychology*, *37*(4), 403-426.
3. Bae, K. D., Heo, Y. J., Lee, J. B., **Park, S. Y.**, & Park, S. W. (2023). The effect of narcissism on the perceptions of sexual violence. *The Korean Journal of Woman Psychology*, *28*(2), 209-231.
4. **Park, S. Y.**, Im, Y. J., Lee, J. B., & Park, S. W. (2023). The relation between value congruence and work-related variables: The mediating role of identity fusion. *Korean Journal of Social and Personality Psychology*, *37*(30), 403-426.
5. **Park, S. Y.**, Park, Y., & Park, S. W. (2021). Attachment anxiety and infidelity: The indirect effect of relatedness need fulfillment. *Korean Journal of Social and Personality Psychology*, *35*(4), 1-25.

MANUSCRIPTS IN PREPARATION

1. **Park, S. Y.**, Park, C., & Harris, V. W. (*Manuscript in preparation*). Unraveling the Mystery between Socioeconomic Status and Agreeableness: The Moderating Role of Emotion Identification among Married and Divorced Individuals

2. **Park, S. Y.**, Im, Y. J., Hyun, M., Park, S. W., & Webster, G. D.. (*Manuscript in preparation*). Revisiting Nostalgia in a Close Relationship: Effects of Nostalgia about Current and Ex-partners on Current Romantic Relationship.
3. **Park, S. Y.**, Sun, J. K., & Park, S. W. (*Manuscript in preparation*). Visualizing Mental Representations of Perpetrators and Victims: Gender Paradigm in context of Intimate Partner Violence (IPV).
4. **Park, S. Y.**, & Jones, D. (*Manuscript in preparation*). Dispositional Predictors of Emotional Infidelity: The Unique role of Emophilia
5. Kim, S., **Park, S. Y.**, Yun, G. Y., Lee, J. B., & Park, S. W. (*Manuscript in preparation*). A Life-Changing Book, Movie, TV Drama, and Identity Development: A Sample of Emerging Adults in South Korea.

WORK IN PROGRESS

1. **Park, S. Y.**, Li, Z., & Webster, G. D. (*Working on IRB*). Unraveling the cultural tapestry of nostalgia in close relationships: Examining the distinct appraisal of nostalgic events among East Asians and Americans.
2. Li, Z., **Park, S. Y.**, & Webster, G. D. (*Data analysis*). Sexual fantasy about ex-partner and post-breakup adjustment: A moderating role of attachment anxiety.
3. **Park, S. Y.**, Li, Z., & Webster, G. D. (*Data analysis*). Social-class stereotypes within romantic contexts: Descriptive and prescriptive beliefs toward couples regarding income inequality, income level, and gender.
4. Im, Y. J., Kim, Ji., **Park, S. Y.**, & Hur, T. (*Data analysis*). What is relative deprivation? A qualitative approach with Korean samples.
5. Kim, E. J., Yun, G. Y., Lee, D. Y., Kim S., **Park, S. Y.**, & Choi, E. (*Data analysis*). Development and testing effectiveness of programs for fathers with autistic children: A qualitative approach.
6. Lee, D. Y., **Park, S. Y.**, Kim, J. H. (*Preparing for Study 3*). Employees' lay beliefs of female and male authentic leaders.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

1. Webster, G. D., Li, Z., **Park, S. Y.**, Mahar, E. A., Wongsomboon, V., & Rodriguez, L. M. (2024, July). *Attractiveness in opposite-sex couples: A dyadic secondary meta-analysis*. Talk to be given at the **biennial conference of the International Association for Relationship Research**, Boston, MA.
2. **Park, S. Y.**, Im, Y. J., Hyun, M., & Rodriguez L. M. (2024, February). Revisiting Nostalgia in a Close Relationship: Effects of Nostalgia about Current and Ex-partners on Current Romantic Relationship. Poster Presentation at the **2024 Annual Meetings of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology**, San Diego, CA.

3. Bae, K. D., Heo, Y. J., Lee, J. B., **Park, S. Y.**, & Park, S. W. (2023, May). The Effect of Narcissism on the Perception of Sexual Violence. Oral presentation at the **2023 Spring Conference of the Korean Social and Personality Psychology Association**, South Korea.
4. **Park, S. Y.**, Sun, J. K., Lim, Y., & Park, S. Y. (2023, February). Visualizing mental representations of perpetrator and victims: Gender Paradigm in context of intimate partner violence. Poster presented at the **2023 Annual Meetings of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology**. Atlanta, GA.
5. **Park, S. Y.**, Lim, Y. J., Lee, J. B., & Park, S. W. (2022, December). The effect of value congruence in the organization: The indirect effect of identity fusion. Oral presentation at the **2022 Winter Conference of the Korean Social and Personality Psychology Association**. South Korea.
6. Kim, S., **Park, S. Y.**, Yun, G. Y., Lee, J. B., & Park, S. W. (2022, May). A Life-Changing Book, Movie, TV Drama, and Identity Development: A Sample of Emerging Adults in South Korea. Oral presentation at the **2022 Spring Conference of the Korean Social and Personality Psychology Association**. San Francisco, CA.
7. **Park, S. Y.**, Park, Y., Kim, S., & Park, S. Y. (2022, February). Insecure attachment and marital infidelity: The mediating role of relatedness need fulfillment. Poster presentation at the **2022 Annual Meetings of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology**. San Francisco, CA.
8. **Park, S. Y.**, Kim, S. H., & Dugan, K. (2020, April). A systematic review of the similarity-attraction hypothesis. Virtual poster presentation at the **2020 Undergraduate Research Symposium**. University of Illinois-Urbana Champaign, IL.

SELECTED MEDIA COVERAGE

1. *The Kyunghyang Shinmun* (2023, December). “The fathers of children with developmental disabilities grabbed pens. “I wish my child to be able to stand on his own, without me.””
<https://m.khan.co.kr/national/national-general/article/202312061709001>
 Reference paper:

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

Abnormal Psychology (CLP 3144)
Graduate Teaching Assistant
 Advisor: Dr. Feihong, Wang

University of Florida
 August 2023 – December 2023

Responsibilities: Graded class discussions and essays, recruited undergraduate teaching assistants, created semester wrap-up video, held office hours, and responded to students’ emails.

Korean Language School (KLS)
Main Teacher

University of Illinois – Urbana Champaign
 August 2018 – May 2020

Responsibilities: Taught Korean language classes and basic Taekwondo skills to preschoolers every Saturday. Prepared and reported academic plans for the entire semester and designed entertaining and educational language activities.

Seoul Academy Institutes (SLI)
SAT/TOEFL Teaching Assistant

Seoul, South Korea
 May 2016 – August 2016; May 2017 – August 2017

Responsibilities: Supervised all the exams held in SAT/TOEFL classes, scored all students' vocabulary tests, and arbitrated any conflicts that occurred between students or other supervisors. Worked approximately 40 hours per week.

FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS

- 2022 - 2023 **KU 2022 Project BK21 FOUR Research Idea Contest (₩1,500,000 KRW), Leadership Project** (Collaborator: Dr. Jin Hyung Kim)
- 2021 - 2022 **KU 2022 Project BK21 FOUR Research Idea Contest (₩1,000,000 KRW), The Moderating Role of Identity Clarity Between Upward Social Comparison and Negative Self-Evaluation** (Collaborator: Dr. Sun Woong Park)
- 2021 – 2022 **KU 2021 Research Challenger Program (₩800,000 KRW), Visualizing Mental Representations of Perpetrators and Victims: Gender Paradigm in context of Intimate Partner Violence (IPV).** (Collaborator: Dr. Sun Woong Park)

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2023 **2023 Project BK21 FOUR Research Idea Contest Award (3rd Prize)**
 Project name: *What is Relative Deprivation?*
 Department of Psychology, Korea University
- Change Makers Research Contest Award (2nd Prize)**
 Project name: *Development and testing effectiveness of program for fathers with autistic children: A qualitative approach*
 The Korea University Diversity Council, Korea University
- Psychology Department Travel Award**
 Department of Psychology, University of Florida
- 2022 **2022 Project BK21 FOUR Research Idea Contest Award (3rd Prize)**
 Project name: *Leadership Project*
 Department of Psychology, Korea University
- 2021 **2021 Project BK21 FOUR Research Idea Contest Award (3rd Prize)**
 Project name: *The Moderating Role of Identity Clarity Between Upward Social Comparison and Negative Self-Evaluation*
 Department of Psychology, Korea University
- 2019 **Dean's List**
 College of Liberal Arts & Sciences, University of Illinois–Urbana Champaign
- 2018 **Dean's List**
 College of Liberal Arts & Sciences, University of Illinois–Urbana Champaign

STATISTICS WORKSHOPS/PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

2024 June

Scale Development Workshop

Ehwa Womans University, instructed by Dr. Ah-Young Kim

2022 January

Regression Analysis Workshop

Structural Equation Model Workshop

Ehwa Womans University, instructed by Dr. Su-Young Kim