

EUNJIN PARK

Korean Language Program Coordinator & Lecturer

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Korean language educator and program coordinator with expertise in multilingualism, sociolinguistics, heritage language education, and AI-assisted language pedagogy. Experienced in curriculum design, student mentoring, cultural programming, and interdisciplinary collaboration in higher education. Committed to teaching innovation, academic leadership, and community engagement.

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Multilingual & Multicultural Studies

New York University

M.A., Linguistics (Second Language Acquisition)

Northeastern Illinois University

M.A., American Literature

Seoul Women's University

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Binghamton University, Binghamton, NY

Lecturer & Korean Language Program Coordinator

2022 – present

- Teach Korean language courses from beginner to advanced levels, ensuring curriculum coherence across proficiency levels.
- Coordinate Korean Language Program operations, including placement testing, TA/tutor training, and program assessment.
- Teach AAAS 311 / ANTH 380K / LING 335: Language, Culture, and Society in Korea — an interdisciplinary course bridging linguistics, anthropology, and cultural studies.
- Developed and teach AAAS 355 / LING 381A: Aspects of Multilingualism — covering multilingual identity, language policy and ideologies, and language education.
- Teach AAAS 591 Independent Study: Introduction to Korean Language and Culture (graduate-level).
- Mentor undergraduate students academically and professionally; organize campus cultural programming and student engagement initiatives.

Visiting Assistant Professor

2017 – 2018

- Taught elementary and intermediate Korean language courses; contributed to curriculum planning.

Ithaca College, Ithaca, NY

Lecturer, Department of Education

2015 – 2016

- Taught Second Language Acquisition and Language Other Than English (LOTE) pedagogy to pre-service and in-service teachers.

University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX

Visiting Assistant Professor & Adjunct Faculty

2007 – 2010

- Taught courses in TESOL methods, sociolinguistics, language policy, literacy, and linguistic analysis.

Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ

Faculty Associate

2004 – 2007

- Taught Introduction to Asian Pacific American Studies within an interdisciplinary humanities program.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Korean as a foreign language pedagogy • Heritage language education and identities • Sociolinguistics • AI-assisted language learning • Multilingualism and language ideologies

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- Kim, H. K., & Park, E. (under revision for R&R). Critical engagement with AI in L2 writing: A case study of Korean language learning in a U.S. university. *Foreign Language Annals*.
- Park, E. (2008). Intergenerational transmission of morality in Korean American families. *Heritage Language Journal*, 6(2).
- Park, E. (2006). Grandparents, grandchildren, and heritage language use. In K. Kondo-Brown (Ed.), *Heritage Language Development: Focus on East Asian Immigrants* (pp. 57–86).

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- TESOL International Convention & Expo (2025)
- Australian Association of Teachers of Korean (AUATK) — contributed paper (2024)
- American Association of Applied Linguistics (AAAL) — annual conference
- AILA World Congress of Applied Linguistics — international congress

LEADERSHIP & SERVICE

- Korean Language Program Coordinator — Binghamton University
- Evaluator, Critical Language Scholarship Program (U.S. Department of State)
- Faculty Search Committee Member — Binghamton University
- Academic Integrity Consultant — Binghamton University
- Lead Organizer, Korea Day 2024 — campus-wide cultural event

GRANTS & AWARDS

- Career Champion Award — Binghamton University 2026
 - Campus Individual Development Award — Binghamton University 2023, 2025
 - Academy of Korean Studies Grant — Korea Day 2024 (\$12,000) 2024
 - G. Richard Tucker Fellowship — Center for Applied Linguistics
 - Recognized Professor of the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi — University of Texas at Arlington
 - Honors Disciplinary Faculty, Barrett Honors College — Arizona State University
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