**Lami Kim, Ph.D.**

122 Forbes Avenue, Carlisle Barracks PA, 17013

lami.kim@armywarcollege.edu

**ACADEMIC/RESEARCH APPOINTMENTS**

**U.S. Army War College** Carlisle, PA

Assistant Professor of Asian Studies*,* 2020-present.

Director of the East Asia Regional Studies Program, 2020-present.

Director of the Cyber Command Strategy Fundamentals Program, 2021-present.

**Center for Strategic and International Studies**  Washington DC

Project on Nuclear Issues Mid-Career Cadre, 2021-2024.

Strategy and Statecraft Fellow, 2022-2023.

US-Korea NextGen Scholar, 2020-2022.

Project on Nuclear Issues Nuclear Scholar, 2017.

**Mansfield Foundation** Washington DC

Mansfield-Luce Asia Scholar, 2022-2023.

**Charles Koch Foundation** Arlington VA

US Foreign Policy Summer Fellow, 2022.

**Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars** Washington DC

Wilson China Fellow, 2020-2021.

**University of Hong Kong** Hong Kong, China

Lecturer at the Department of Politics and Public Administration*,* 2018-2020.

Fellow at the Social Science Research Centre, 2020-2021.

**Seoul National University** Seoul, South Korea

Visiting Fellow at the Asia Center, Spring 2020.

**Pacific Forum** Honolulu, HI

Research Fellow, 2018.

**Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs, Harvard Kennedy School** Cambridge, MA

Associate at the Project on Managing the Atom, 2017-2018.

Research Fellowat the International Studies Program/Managing the Atom, 2016-2017.

**Fundação Getulio Vargas** Sao Paulo, Brazil

Stanton Nuclear Security Fellow at the School of International Relations,Fall 2017.

**The Stimson Center** Washington, DC

Research Fellow at the Nuclear Safeguards Program, Fall 2017.

**Boston College** Chestnut Hill, MA

Visiting Lecturer at the International Studies Program, 2016-2017.

**Harvard University** Cambridge, MA

Instructor at the East Asian Languages and Civilizations, 2007-2008.

**EDUCATION**

**The Fletcher School, Tufts University** Medford, MA

Ph.D. in International Security Studies & International Organizations, 2018.

M.A. in Law and Diplomacy, 2013.

**Harvard University** Cambridge, MA

M.A. in Middle Eastern Studies, 2008.

**Hankuk University of Foreign Studies** Seoul, South Korea

B.A. in Arab Studies, 2005.

**PUBLICATIONS**

Journal Articles

“Exchanging Atoms for Influence: Competition in the Southeast Asian Nuclear Market,” *Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists* 78 no. 2 (2022): 84-90.

“Dynamics of Normative Change for International Nuclear Export Controls” Global Governance 27 no. 4 (2021): 517-539.

“South Korea’s Nuclear Hedging?” *The Washington Quarterly* 41 no. 1 (2018): 115-133.

Edited Volumes

“Nuclear Belt and Road: China's Ambition for Nuclear Exports and Its Implications for the World,” in *Essays on the Rise of China* *and Its Implications* (Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars,2021).

“DPRK’s Proliferation Activities and the Denuclearisation Talks: Security in the Indo-Pacific and Beyond” in Jagannath Panda, ed. *The Korean Peninsula and Indo-Pacific Power Politics: Status Security at Stake* (Routledge2020).

Policy Papers

“Thinking Nuclear: South Korean Attitudes on Nuclear Weapons,” *The Chicago Council on Global Affairs*, February 21, 2022, with Toby Dalton and [Karl Friedhof](https://www.thechicagocouncil.org/about/staff/karl-friedhoff)f.

“A Race for Nuclear-powered Submarines on the Korean Peninsula?” *The National Bureau of Asian Research*, March 31, 2021.

Selected Op-eds

“Aligning the U.S.’ Free and Open Indo-Pacific Strategy and South Korea’s New Southern Policy,” *Research Institute for National Security Affairs* 77, Korean National Defense University, December 31, 2021.

“A Hawkish Dove? President Moon Jae-in and South Korea’s Military Buildup,” *War on the Rocks,* September 15, 2021.

“The Case for a US-South Korea Digital Alliance in Southeast Asia,”*The Diplomat*, May 21, 2021.

“Insights from the Black Box: Why DPRK May Denuclearize,” *PacNet* 57, Center for Strategic and International Studies, August 14, 2018.

“Malaysia’s VX Incident: Six Months Later,” *Stimson Center*, August 3, 2017.

“Has South Korea Renounced “Nuclear Hedging?” *Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists,* June 27, 2017.

“THAAD Illuminates Problems in South Korea’s Civil-Military Relations,” *The Diplomat,* June 16, 2017.

“South Koreans Checked the Retreat of Democracy. Now It's Time for the Americans,” *Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs*, Harvard Kennedy School, March 17, 2017.

“Will South Korea Really Go Nuclear?” *The Diplomat,* December 30, 2016.

Book Review

“Jung, Dietrich, ed. Democratization and Development: New Political Strategies for the Middle East,” *Journal: Middle East Policy* Vol. 17, No. 2, Summer 2008.

Work in Progress

“China’s Integration into the Nonproliferation Regimes: Socialization or Transaction?” (under review).

“Does It Take Nukes for South Korea to Deter Nukes?”

“Digital Blowback: Unintended Consequences of Economic Sanctions.”

“South Korea’s Nationalism and Its Military Build-up.”

“Where Does ‘Attraction’ Come From?: An Empirical Analysis on Attributes of Soft Power”(with Lingbo Zhao and Matthew Zenkins).

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

U.S. Army War College (2020-present)

* War, Politics and National Security (graduate)
* East Asia Regional Studies Program (graduate)
* China as a World Actor (graduate)

The University of Hong Kong (2018-2020)

* China and the World Order (undergraduate)
* Politics and Security in the Korean Peninsula (undergraduate)
* International Security (graduate)
* Capstone Project (graduate)

Boston College (2016-17)

* Politics: Conflicts and Cooperation (undergraduate)

Harvard University (2007-08)

* Reading in Korean Culture (undergraduate)

Teaching Assistant at the Fletcher School (2014-16)

* Data Analysis & Statistical Methods
* International Politics
* International Treaty Behavior
* Crisis Management and Complex Emergencies
* Analytic Framework for Public Policy

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Dūcō** Washington, DC

Political-risk Consultant2017–2020

* Provided consulting services regarding political, security and economic issues in the Korean Peninsula and WMD proliferation and export controls to public and private organizations.

**South Korean Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade** Seoul, South Korea

*Foreign Service Officer/Middle East & Africa Bureau; Policy Planning Bureau*2008-2010

* Published policy memos analyzing political and security issues in the Middle East and wrote speeches for high-level officials and press releases regarding issues in the Middle East.
* Coordinated Korea-Egypt bilateral relations; drafted and reviewed bilateral treaties between Korea and Egypt, and directed various diplomatic functions, including bilateral consultation meetings.
* Accompanied the Prime Minister on tour of the Middle East, including a meeting with the King of Kuwaiti Al-Sabah and the UN Doha Review Conference.
* Provided economic and political consultancy to Korean companies and other government agencies regarding political, economic and security issues in the Middle East.

*Research Intern/Security Policy Division*2004-2005

* Produced research papers on international terrorism, counter-terrorism legal measures, and international counter-terrorism cooperation.
* Monitored Islamic terrorist websites and briefed Ambassador-at-Large for Counter-terrorism on trends in international terrorism on a weekly basis.

**PROFESSIONAL TRAININGS**

People’s Liberation Army Executive Education Course November 2021

* A three-day executive education course exploring the history, strategic culture, and impact of China's People's Liberation Army at the National Bureau of Asian Research.

Wilson Center’s Asia-Pacific Nuclear History Institute March 2018

* A week-long workshop in Seoul, South Korea focused on the history of nuclear weapons in the Asia-Pacific region hosted by the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars and Kyungnam University.

Public Policy and Nuclear Threat (PPNT) July 2016

* A two-week long workshop hosted by the University of California’s Institute on Global Conflict and Cooperation.

Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research (IQMR) July 2015

* A two-week long Political Science methodology workshop hosted by the Center for Qualitative and Multimethod Inquiry, Syracuse University.

**SELECTED PRESENTATIONS & INVITED TALKS**

* International Studies Association (ISA) Annual Convention 2017-19, 21-22
* Carnegie Endowment for International Peace 2022
* Norwegian Institute of International Affairs 2022
* University of Colorado Boulder 2022
* Belfer Center for Science and International Affair Seminar at Harvard Kennedy School 2017, 21
* Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars 2018, 21, 22
* Daniel K. Inouye Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies 2021
* The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University 2021
* American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting 2017, 20-21
* Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) Annual Convention 2021
* US Army War College Great Decision Lecture Series 2021
* Social Science Research Center Soft Power Conference, University of Hong Kong 2021
* International Studies Association Northeast Annual Conference 2020
* Seoul National University Asia Center 2020
* University of the Philippines Korea Research Center 2020
* Keough School of Global Affairs, University of Notre Dame 2019
* ISA Asia-Pacific Annual Meeting 2019
* ISA-APSA International Security Annual Conference 2017, 18
* Harvard-Brown Club of Hong Kong 2019
* New York University at Shanghai 2018
* Pacific Forum CSIS 2018
* Government and Law Committee, University of Hong Kong 2018
* Center for International Relations Seminar, Fundação Getulio Vargas 2017
* Project on Nuclear Issues, Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) 2016, 17
* Middle East & Central Asia Politics, Economics, and Society Conference 2007

**FELLOWSHIPS & GRANTS**

* Charles Koch Foundation Summer Research Fellowship 2022
* Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars China Fellowship 2020-2021
* Center for Strategic and International StudiesUS-Korea NextGen Scholar 2020-2021
* National Nuclear Security Administration (NNSA) Graduate Fellowship (declined) 2020-2021
* East-West Center Washington Asia Studies Visiting Fellowship (postponed) 2020
* Korea Foundation Policy-oriented Research Grants 2020
* Seoul National University Asia Center Visiting Fellowship 2020
* University of Hong Kong Research Grant 2018-2020
* James A. Kelly Korea Fellowship, Pacific Forum 2018
* Nuclear Safeguards Fellowship, Stimson Center 2017
* Stanton Nuclear Security Fellowship (for field research at Fundação Getulio Vargas, Brazil) 2017
* Hitachi Center for Technology and International Affairs Research Fund 2017
* Pre-doctoral Fellowship, Belfer Center, Harvard Kennedy School 2016-2017
* Fletcher Summer Research Grant 2012, 2015-2017
* Gregory Henderson Scholarship 2015-2017
* Sarah Scaife Frank Rockwell Barnett Memorial Grant in International Security 2015-2016
* Bradley Fellowship (for PhD coursework at Fletcher) 2014-2015
* Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research (IQMR) Attendance Grants 2015
* National Chengchi University Scholarship (partial tuition waiver at Fletcher) 2011-2013
* Egyptian Ministry of Higher Education Scholarship for Arabic Training 2003-2004

**SKILLS & SERVICES**

* Korean (native), English (near-native), Arabic (advanced), and Chinese (basic reading knowledge)
* Proficient in STATA.
* Reviewer for the journal *International Security,* *Security Studies*, *International Affairs,* *Chinese Journal of International Politics*, *International Relations of the Asia-Pacific,* and *Journal of Global Security Studies*.

**REFERENCES**

* Prof. Robert Pfaltzgraff – Prof. of Int’l Security – The Fletcher School – Robert.Pfaltzgraff@tufts.edu
* Prof. Ian Johnstone – Prof. of International Law – The Fletcher School – Ian.Johnstone@tufts.edu
* Prof. Anne Sartori– Research Scientist – MIT Sloan School of Management – asartori@mit.edu