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*I am a learning scientist, data-science/software engineer, and internationally certified accessibility professional.*

## Education

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### The Pennsylvania State University

University Park, PA

PH.D. IN LEARNING, DESIGN, AND TECHNOLOGY

2021

- Dissertation Title: “Discovering Informal Learning Cultures of Blind Individuals Pursuing STEM Disciplines: A Computational Ethnography Using Public Listserv Archives.”
- Committee members: Drs. Gabriela T. Richard (adviser; dissertation chair), Roy B. Clariana, ChanMin Kim, and Mary Beth Rosson.

### The Pennsylvania State University

University Park, PA

M.ED. IN LEARNING, DESIGN, AND TECHNOLOGY

2016

### Sungkyunkwan University

Seoul, South Korea

DOUBLE B.A. IN EDUCATION, ENGLISH LITERATURE

2014

## Professional Appointment

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### School of Information Sciences

University of Illinois at  
Urbana-Champaign

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

Sep. 2021 - Present

### National Center for Supercomputing Applications

University of Illinois at  
Urbana-Champaign

FACULTY AFFILIATE

Dec. 2021 - Present

### Illinois Informatics Institute

University of Illinois at  
Urbana-Champaign

FACULTY AFFILIATE

Sep. 2021 - Present

### IDEA (Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Access) Institute

University of Illinois at  
Urbana-Champaign

FACULTY AFFILIATE

Jan. 2022 - Present

### RStudio

Boston, MA

SOFTWARE ENGINEER INTERN

May. 2020 - Aug. 2020

## Certificates

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### RStudio PBC

DOUBLE-CERTIFIED DATA SCIENCE INSTRUCTOR FOR TIDYVERSE AND SHINY

Jun. 2020 - Present

### NV Access

CERTIFIED EXPERT WITH NVDA (NON-VISUAL DESKTOP ACCESS) SCREEN READER

Dec. 2019 - Present

### International Association of Accessibility Professional

CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL IN ACCESSIBILITY CORE COMPETENCIES

Apr. 2017 - Present

### Korean Ministry of Education

LICENSED ENGLISH TEACHER (SECONDARY EDUCATION)

Feb. 2014 - Present

### Korean Ministry of Education

LICENSED GENERAL EDUCATION TEACHER (SECONDARY EDUCATION)

Feb. 2014 - Present

## Publications

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### REFEREED JOURNAL PAPERS

**Seo, J.,** Moon, J., Choi, G. W., & Do, J. (2022). A Scoping Review of Three Computational Approaches to Ethnographic Research in Digital Learning Environments. *TechTrends*, 66(1), 102–111. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11528-021-00689-0>

Choi, S., & **Seo, J.** (2021). Trends in healthcare research on visual impairment and blindness: Use of bibliometrics and hierarchical cluster analysis. *Ophthalmic Epidemiology*, 28(4), 277–284. <https://doi.org/10.1080/09286586.2020.1863993>. PMID: 33380253.

**Seo, J.,** & Richard, G. T. (2021). SCAFFOLDing All Abilities into Makerspaces: A Design Framework for Universal, Accessible and Intersectionally Inclusive Making and Learning. *Information and Learning Sciences*, 122(11/12), 795–815. <https://doi.org/10.1108/ILS-10-2020-0230>

**Seo, J.** (2019). Is the maker movement inclusive of ANYONE?: Three accessibility considerations to invite blind makers to the making world. *TechTrends*, 63(5), 514–520. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11528-019-00377-3>

**Seo, J.,** & McCurry, S. (2019). LaTeX is NOT easy: Creating accessible scientific documents with r markdown. *Journal on Technology and Persons with Disabilities*, 7, 157–171.

**Seo, J.,** & Choi, S. (in press). Are blind people considered a part of scientific knowledge producers?: Accessibility report on top-10 SCIE journal systems using a tripartite evaluation approach. *Journal on Technology and Persons with Disabilities*.

#### PAPERS IN REFEREED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

Lee, C. Y. P., Zhang, Z., Herskovitz, J., **Seo, J.,** & Guo, A. (2021). CollabAlly: Accessible collaboration awareness in document editing. *The 23rd international ACM SIGACCESS conference on computers and accessibility*, 1–4. <https://doi.org/10.1145/3441852.3476562>

**Seo, J.,** & Richard, G. T. (2020). Coding through touch: Exploring and re-designing tactile making activities with learners with visual dis/abilities. In M. Gresalfi & I. Horn (Eds.), *Interdisciplinarity in the learning sciences, 14th international conference of the learning sciences (ICLS) 2020* (Vol. 3, pp. 1373–1380). Nashville, TN: International Society of the Learning Sciences (ISLS).

**Seo, J.** (2019). Discovering informal learning cultures of blind individuals pursuing STEM disciplines: A quantitative ethnography using listserv archives. *The first international conference on quantitative ethnography: Doctoral consortium*, S66–S67. Madison, WI. *Awarded the best Doctoral Consortium Proposal Cengage fellowship.*

**Seo, J.** (2018). Accessibility and inclusivity in making: Engaging learners with all abilities in making activities. In *Proceedings of the 3rd learning sciences graduate student conference* (pp. 141–142). Nashville, TN: LSGSC Planning Team.

**Seo, J.,** & Richard, G. T. (2018). Accessibility, making and tactile robotics: Facilitating collaborative learning and computational thinking for learners with visual impairments. In J. Kay & R. Luckin (Eds.), *Rethinking learning in the digital age: Making the learning sciences count, 13th international conference of the learning sciences (ICLS) 2018* (Vol. 3, pp. 1755–1757). London, UK: International Society of the Learning Sciences (ISLS).

Konecki, M., Lovrenčić, S., **Seo, J.,** & LaPierre, C. (2017). The role of ICT in aiding visually impaired students and professionals. *Proceedings of the 11th Multidisciplinary Academic Conference*, 148.

**Seo, J.,** AlQahtani, M., Ouyang, X., & Borge, M. (2017). Embracing learners with visual impairments in CSCL. In B. K. Smith, M. Borge, E. Mercier, & K. Y. Lim (Eds.), *Making a difference: Prioritizing equity and access in CSCL, 12th international conference on computer supported collaborative learning (CSCL) 2017* (Vol. 2, pp. 573–576). Philadelphia, PA: International Society of the Learning Sciences (ISLS).

Lee, C. Y. P., Zhang, Z., Herskovitz, J., **Seo, J.,** & Guo, A. (accepted). CollabAlly: Accessible collaboration awareness in document editing. *CHI 2022*.

#### PUBLICATIONS IN HEALTHCARE

Choi, S., & **Seo, J.** (2020). An exploratory study of the research on caregiver depression: Using bibliometrics and LDA topic modeling. *Issues in Mental Health Nursing*, 1–10. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01612840.2019.1705944>

Choi, S., & **Seo, J.** (2019). Analysis of caregiver burden in palliative care: An integrated review. *Nursing Forum*, 54(2), 280–290. <https://doi.org/10.1111/nuf.12328>

Choi, S., & **Seo, J.** (2019). Heart failure research using text mining: A systematic review. *NURSING RESEARCH*, 68(2), E119–E120.

Choi, S., & **Seo, J.** (2019). Trends in self-management among adults with heart failure from 2011 to 2016 using the national health and nutrition examination surveys. *Journal of Cardiac Failure*, 25(8), S4. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cardfail.2019.07.540>

Choi, S., **Seo, J.**, & Kitko, L. (2019). Exploring the lived experience of a family member with advanced heart failure: Using a text mining approach. *The first international conference on quantitative ethnography: Poster session*, S8–S9. Madison, WI.

Choi, S., & **Seo, J.** (2018). Effects of nonpharmacological interventions for fatigue in patients with heart failure: A systematic review and meta-analysis. *Journal of Cardiac Failure*, 24(8), S73–S74.

## Presentations

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### PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

**Seo, J.** (2021, October). *Non-Visual Strategies for Making Statistical-Computing Accessible*. Lightning talk at the National Center for Supercomputing Applications, Champaign, IL.

**Seo, J.** (2021, September). *Accessibility of Science Beyond Content Accessibility*. Talk presented at the Argonne National Laboratory (Maths and Computer Science Division): <https://www.anl.gov/event/accessibility-of-science->

Invited panel (2021, August). DO-IT Neuroscience for Neurodiverse Learners Faculty panel at the University of Washington, virtual.

**Seo, J.** (2021, June). *How to Learn to Code*. Invited Talk presented at the Nature, Webcast: <https://doi.org/10.1038/d41586-021-01638-z>.

**Seo, J.**, & Richard, G. T. (2021, February). *Uncovering latent topics of blind people in computer science: structural topic modeling for an email corpus*. Poster presented at the 2nd International Conference on Quantitative Ethnography (ICQE), Malibu, CA.

Donegan, S. R., Porter, C., Fogel, A., **Seo, J.**, Choi, S., & Eagan, B. (2021, February). *U.S. media coverage during COVID-19: an epistemic network analysis of bias, topic, and trajectory*. Poster presented at the 2nd International Conference on Quantitative Ethnography (ICQE), Malibu, CA.

**Seo, J.** (2021, January). *Accessible data science beyond visual models*. Talk presented at the rstudio::global(2021), Virtual: <https://global.rstudio.com/student/page/40617>.

**Seo, J.** (2020, September). *Discovering knowledge sharing patterns of blind people pursuing STEM disciplines: data science and computational linguistics on large-scale email corpora*. Poster presented at the Doctoral Consortium of the annual meeting of the ACM Richard Tapia Celebration of Diversity in Computing, virtual. *Awarded the Qualcomm scholarship*.

**Seo, J.**, & Richard, G. T. (2020, April). *Maker inclusivity = maker accessibility: further interrogations for diverse participation*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association (AERA), Virtual.

**Seo, J.**, & Richard, G. T. (2018, April). *Furthering inclusivity in making: a framework for accessible design of makerspaces for learners with disabilities*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Educational Research Association (AERA), New York City, NY.

Bunag, T., Aniela, L., Nielsen, M. C., & **Seo, J.** (2017, November). *The rapidly changing world of accessible online learning*. Presented at the Panel Discussion: DDL - Accessible Online Learning In Concurrent Presentation of the Association for Educational Communications and Technology (AECT), Jacksonville, FL.

**Seo, J.** (2017, September). *Tactile access to visualized statistical data using R*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the ACM Richard Tapia Celebration of Diversity in Computing, Atlanta, GA.

Liao, J., Patcyk, M., **Seo, J.**, & Hooper, S. (2016, October). *Using hierarchical linear modeling to measure growth rate in a gamified CBM environment*. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Northeastern Educational Research Association (NERA), Trumbull, CT.

**Seo, J.** (2016, March). *Engaging blind learners in statistics study using R*. Presented at the annual meeting of the Teaching and Learning with Technology (TLT) Symposium, University Park, PA.

Kim, K., **Seo, J.**, & Clariana, R. B. (2016, March). *Automatic knowledge structure measure in online courses*. Presented at the annual meeting of the Teaching and Learning with Technology (TLT) Symposium, University Park, PA.

**Seo, J.** (2015, November). *Assistive technologies for equal access in general education*. Presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Educational Communications and Technology (AECT), Indianapolis, IN.

**Seo, J.**, & Park, E. (2015, October). *The more accessible, the more potential: simple tips for online accessibility*. Presented at the Technology and Learning Conference, Blue Bell, PA.

## INVITED GUEST LECTURES

### **EIT Accessibility Group, The Pennsylvania State University**

University Park, PA

BLOCKERS FOR USERS ON A SCREEN READER

Oct. 2019

- Invited guest talk to a webinar to train Penn State instructional designers for key WCAG 2.1 guidelines to make content more accessible including: image alt text, clear link text and heading structure, proper table structure, form and button labels, the need for keyboard functionality and how to convey information regardless of visual formatting.

### **Chonnam National University**

Gwangju, South Korea

A SMALL STEP TO TAKE YOUR DATA ANALYSIS TO ANOTHER LEVEL

Jul. 2019

- Invited guest talk to CNU to teach nursing faculty and students for basic concept of machine learning, computer-assisted text mining, and topic modelling to improve their qualitative data reliability.

### **Sungkyunkwan University**

Seoul, South Korea

BEING A REASONABLE REALIST: WISE NEGOTIATION BETWEEN GIVE AND TAKE

Jun. 2019

- Invited guest talk to SKKU "Student Success Center" as one of the successful role models to inspire undergraduate students for future planning.

### **The MathML Meeting, The Pennsylvania State University**

University Park, PA

ACCESSIBILITY OF MATH, STATISTICS, AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

May. 2019

- Invited guest talk to Penn State MathML group to present assistive technology and accessibility for STEM content.

### **BBVS Summer Academy STEM Extension**

University Park, PA

KEY-NOTE SPEECH FOR STEM EXTENSION

Jul. 2018

- Invited key-note speaker to the STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) week of "The Summer Academy for Students who are Blind or Visually Impaired."
- Hosted by the Pennsylvania Department of Labor and Industry, Office of Vocational Rehabilitation's Bureau of Blindness and Visual Services, in partnership with the Pennsylvania Department of Education, Bureau Of Special Education's Pennsylvania Training and Technical Assistance Network and Pennsylvania State University's College of Education and College of Health and Human Development.

### **LDT 100 - "World Technologies and Learning", The Pennsylvania State University**

University Park, PA

ADAPTIVE TECHNOLOGY LESSON

Apr. 2018

- Two times invited guest talk to Dr. Joshua Kirby's class for the week of "The Cost of 21st Century Education."

### **LDT First Friday Speaking Series, The Pennsylvania State University**

University Park, PA

UNIVERSAL DESIGN 101: THREE FUNDAMENTAL FRAMEWORKS FOR AN EQUITABLE WORLD

Apr. 2017

- Invited guest talk to the Learning, Design, and Technology (LDT) program of Penn State to introduce theoretical and practical background of Universal Design for Learning.

### **Northwestern University**

Evanston, IL

INCLUSIVE MAKING

Oct. 2017

- Invited guest talk to Dr. Marcelo Worsley's "Inclusive Making" class for Learning Sciences Program.

### **The Accessibility Users Group, The Pennsylvania State University**

University Park, PA

ACCESSIBILITY TESTING USING NVDA

Jul. 2017

- Invited guest talk to the Penn State online learning Accessibility User Group to train web accessibility testing with open-source screen reader NVDA.

### **Canvas Day 17**

University Park, PA

NON-VISUAL ACCESS TO CANVAS WITH ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY

Mar. 2017

- Invited guest to a showcase of Canvas, a learning management tool, to demonstrate how to interact with the online system using assistive technology for students with disabilities.

### **Ed-ICT International Network: Disabled students, ICT, post-compulsory education & employment**

Seattle, WA

STUDENT PANEL DISCUSSION: STUDENT ISSUES

Mar. 2017

- Invited student panel to the first Ed-ICT International Network symposium.

### **Korea Employment Promotion Agency for the Disabled**

Gyeonggi, South Korea

ACCESSIBILITY: THE FIRST STEP TOWARDS ABILITY

Jul. 2016

- Invited guest talk to KEAD to train the employees in concept of accessibility and universal design.

## Work Experience

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### Rstudio PBC

Boston, MA

SOFTWARE ENGINEER INTERN

May. 2020 - Aug. 2020

- Worked on accessibility improvement projects for Rstudio Server and Desktop IDE, Shiny and Rmarkdown.
- Patched Shiny's bootstrap dependencies to improve navigation of Shiny apps for screen-reader and keyboard users (alert, tooltip, popover, modal dialog, dropdown, tab Panel, collapse, and carousel elements). (Shiny PR #2911)
- Made selectInput widget accessible by patching selectize-a11y-plugin JS library. (Shiny PR #2993)
- Developed a way to pass dynamic alt attribute for reactive plot objects in Shiny UI. (Shiny PR #3006)
- Made fontawesome and glyphicon readable to assistive technologies in Shiny UI. (Shiny PR #2917)
- Developed JS code to resolve accessibility issue in highlighted code blocks of HTML output produced by Pandoc for screen reader users. (Rmarkdown PR #1833)
- Authored technical documents on how to run RStudio Server via Windows Subsystem for Linux and RStudio Screen Reader Support.

### ICE Soft

Seoul, South Korea

CO-FOUNDER AND PROJECT MANAGER

Jul. 2010 - Jun. 2011

- Co-founded and managed a start-up company to develop Android-based navigation App and assistive technology for blind people.
- Applied for and received a \$30,000 fund from the city of Seoul.

## Software Developments and Publications

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### DATA SCIENCE PACKAGES IN COMPREHENSIVE R ARCHIVE NETWORK (CRAN)

**Seo, J., & Choi, S. (2020).** *Youtubecaption: Downloading YouTube subtitle transcription in a tidy tibble data frame.* Retrieved from <https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=youtubecaption>. Over 9543 download.

**Seo, J., & Choi, S. (2019).** *Ezpickr: Easy data import using GUI file picker and seamless communication between an excel and r.* Retrieved from <https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=ezpickr>. Over 19K download.

**Seo, J., & Choi, S. (2019).** *Mboxr: Reading, extracting, and converting an mbox file into a tibble.* Retrieved from <https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=mboxr>. Over 15K download.

## OPEN-SOURCE PROJECT ON GITHUB

**Seo, J.** (2020). *Edmdown: Writing a reproducible article for journal of educational DataMining in r markdown*. Retrieved from <https://github.com/jooyoungseo/edmdown>. R package version 0.0.0.9000.

**Seo, J., Chan, T., Michaelis, J. E., & Rosenberg, J. M.** (2020). *Islsdown: Writing a reproducible conference paper for the international society of the learning sciences annual meeting in r markdown*. Retrieved from <https://github.com/jooyoungseo/islsdown>. R package version 0.0.0.9000.

**Seo, J., & Rosenberg, J. M.** (2020). *Jlardown: Writing a reproducible article for journal of learning analytics in r markdown*. Retrieved from <https://github.com/jooyoungseo/jlardown>. R package version 0.0.0.9000.

**Seo, J.** (2019). *Ezviewr: View tidy data in preferable spreadsheet*. Retrieved from <https://github.com/jooyoungseo/ezviewr>. R package version 0.1.0.

**Seo, J.** (2019). *tactileR: Converting r graphics into a braille ready-to-print PDF*. Retrieved from <https://github.com/jooyoungseo/tactileR>. R package version 0.1.0.

**Seo, J., & McCurry, S.** (2019). *AROW: Accessible RMarkdown online writer*. Retrieved from <http://www.arowtool.com>

## OFFICIALLY CODE\_CONTRIBUTING R PACKAGES

- My GitHub pull requests have been peer-reviewed and merged for active data science R packages:

### **Chang, W., Cheng, J., Allaire, J., Xie, Y., & McPherson, J.**

SHINY: WEB APPLICATION FRAMEWORK FOR R

- Contributed to improving keyboard and TTS accessibility for input widgets.

<https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/shiny/>  
2020

### **O'Hara-Wild, M., & Hyndman, R.**

VITAE: CURRICULUM VITAE FOR R MARKDOWN

- Contributed to enabling LaTeX engine customization.
- Contributed to displaying multiple bibliographies based on lua filter.

<https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/vitae/>  
2020

### **Allaire, J., Xie, Y., et al.**

RMARKDOWN: DYNAMIC DOCUMENTS FOR R

- Contributed to improving ioslides\_presentation accessibility for screen reading software.

<https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/rmarkdown/>  
2019

### **Xie, Y.**

BOOKDOWN: AUTHORIZING BOOKS AND TECHNICAL DOCUMENTS WITH R MARKDOWN

- Developed context\_document2, github\_document2, beamer\_presentation2, html\_fragment2, html\_notebook2, html\_vignette2, ioslides\_presentation2, slidy\_presentation2 and rtf\_document2 functions to enable R markdown users to utilize cross-references for figures and tables through bookdown package.

<https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/bookdown/>  
2019

### **Allaire, J., Iannone, R., & Xie, Y.**

DISTILL: 'R MARKDOWN' FORMAT FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL WRITING

- Contributed to displaying more metadata for journal article bib\_entries.
- Improved screen reader accessibility for navigation bar.
- Added missing Google Scholar meta tags for conference, technical report, and dissertation types.

<https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/distill/>  
2019

### **Marwick, B.**

WORDCOUNTADDIN: WORD COUNTS AND READABILITY STATISTICS IN R MARKDOWN DOCUMENTS

- Contributed to text\_stats() function for R markdown users to Get a word count and some other stats for selected text (excluding code chunks and inline code).

<https://git.io/JkJca>  
2019

### **Godfrey, A. J. R., Warren, D., Murrell, P., Bilton, T., & Sorge, V.**

BRAILLER: IMPROVED ACCESS FOR BLIND USERS

- Contributed to BRLThis() function to enable blind R users to convert a graph into a pdf ready for embossing in Braille.

<https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/BrailleR/>  
2019

## Research Experience

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### Learning Math with Jupyter Notebooks

University Park, PA

PROJECT MANAGER

Sep. 2020 - Jul. 2021

- Assisting Dr. Jan Reimann (Associate Professor of Mathematics) in developing accessible Jupyter Notebook systems for Math 110 (Techniques of Calculus).

### Online Interactions of the Blind Research Project

University Park, PA

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

May. 2019 - Jul. 2021

- Conducting quantitative ethnography research on how blind learners pursue STEM disciplines as captured through a large-scale mailing list-servs.
- Using data science, computational linguistics (i.e., unsupervised machine learning for text mining; natural language processing) approaches coupled with conventional ethnographic methods.

### Accessible RMarkdown Online Writer (AROW) Project, Teaching and Learning with Technology (TLT)

University Park, PA

PROJECT MANAGER

May. 2018 - Jul. 2021

- Developed an accessible web application for people with dis/abilities to easily compose a high-quality scientific document based on LAMP, AJAX, R Markdown, and MathML.

### Accessibility of Maker Toolkits Research Project

University Park, PA

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR

Jun. 2017 - Jul. 2021

- Conducting usability and design research on how to make current electronics and maker toolkits more accessible for learners with visual impairments.

### Playful Learning and Inclusive Design Research Group

University Park, PA

GRADUATE RESEARCHER

Aug. 2016 - Jul. 2021

- Conducting interaction analysis and microethnographic studies for Dr. Gabriela Richard's inclusive gaming for learning and accessible makerspaces for youth with diverse background.

### IT Accessibility Team, Teaching and Learning with Technology (TLT)

University Park, PA

GRADUATE ASSISTANT

Aug. 2016 - Jul. 2021

- Developing and consulting accessible HTML5/CSS3/JS webpages for Penn State University sites and learning management tools.
- Evaluating suitability of digital badges according to web content accessibility guidelines (WCAG) 2.0.

### Avenue PM Research Group

University Park, PA

GRADUATE RESEARCHER

Sep. 2014 - May. 2016

- Participated in Dr. Simon Hooper's grant project sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education Stepping Stones Phase II program.
- Improved web accessibility for deaf-blind learners by removing blockers on website platform.

## Grants

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### RStudio PBC

Boston, MA

CORPORATE PARTNER R&D FUNDING

May. 2022 - Apr. 2023

- Improving Accessible Reproducibility for Data Science Publishing System

### Emerging Scholars Program

International Society of the Learning  
Sciences

WALLACE FOUNDATION GRANT

Jan. 2022 - Dec. 2022

- Data Accessibilization: Making Data Science Education Accessible for Blind Learners
- Awarded funding amount: \$10,000.

### College of Education, The Pennsylvania State University

University Park, PA

DISSERTATION RESEARCH INITIATION GRANT

Feb. 2020 - Dec. 2020

- Selected as one of the 10 outstanding dissertation research proposals in 2019-2020 academic year.
- Funding amount: \$600 USD.

### ChungInwook Scholarship Foundation

Seoul, South Korea

DOCTORAL RESEARCH

2016 - 2018

- Funding amount: \$30,000 USD.

## Center for Online Innovation in Learning, The Pennsylvania State University

University Park, PA

INNOVATIVE RESEARCH FUNDING

Mar. 2016 - Aug. 2017

- Providing Touchable Knowledge Structure Graphic Feedback for Blind Online Learners: Tablet-Based Haptic Feedback and Paper-Based Tactile Feedback
- Developed a prototype website and mobile app for accessible knowledge structure.
- Co-led (Co-PI) a development project funded by Penn State to provide blind online learners with accessible network graphs that measure students' knowledge structure.
- Funding amount: \$33,060 USD.

## National Institute for International Education, Korean Government

Seoul, South Korea

FUTURE INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDY

2014 - 2016

- Fully sponsored by Korean Government for the Master's research.
- Funding amount: \$70,000 USD.

## Seed Funding for Start-Up Company for the Youth, City of Seoul

Seoul, South Korea

ICE SOFT: I SEE THROUGH ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY

Jul. 2010 - Jun. 2011

- Co-Founded and Project-Managed ICE Soft.
- Worked with a team and developed an gps app for the blind.
- Funding amount: \$30,000 USD.

## Awards and Honors

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### ACM Richard Tapia Celebration of Diversity in Computing Conference

Virtual

QUALCOMM SCHOLARSHIP

Sep. 2020

- Selected as one of the outstanding doctoral consortium proposals.

### Disability:IN

Alexandria, VA

2020 NEXTGEN LEADERS

Feb. 2020 - Jul. 2020

- Selected as one of the leaders in the U.S. for diversity.

### AccessComputing, University of Washington

Seattle, WA

ACCESSSTEM RESUME CONTEST WINNERS AWARD

Dec. 2019

- Sponsored by The National Science Foundation (NSF).

### The First International Conference on Quantitative Ethnography

Madison, WI

BEST DOCTORAL PROPOSAL FELLOWSHIP

Oct. 2019

- Sponsored by Cengage.

### The PDK Educational Foundation

University Park, PA

ANDREW V. KOZAK MEMORIAL FELLOWSHIP

2019

- Awarded \$1,500 for research contribution to public education.

### The Spencer Foundation

Toronto, ON, Canada

AERA PRE-CONFERENCE TRAVEL AWARD

Apr. 2019

### The Pennsylvania State University

University Park, PA

DELTA GAMMA GOLDEN ANCHOR AWARD

2015, 2017

### The National Science Foundation (NSF)

Atlanta, GA

ACM RICHARD TAPIA CELEBRATION OF DIVERSITY IN COMPUTING CONFERENCE SCHOLARSHIP

Sep. 2017

- Included free conference registration, shared hotel accommodations and a \$500 travel stipend.

### Microsoft Research

Atlanta, GA

ACM STUDENT RESEARCH COMPETITION TRAVEL AWARD

Sep. 2017

- \$500 travel stipend was awarded for ACM TAPIA 2017 Student Research Competition (SRC).

### AccessComputing, University of Washington

Seattle, WA

CSUN CONFERENCE TRAVEL AWARD

Mar. 2017

- Sponsored by The National Science Foundation (NSF).

### College of Education

University Park, PA

SUMMER TUITION ASSISTANCE FUNDING

2017

### College of Education

University Park, PA

GRADUATE STUDENT TRAVEL GRANT

Aug. 2016 - Present

### Teaching and Learning with Technology

University Park, PA

GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIP

Aug. 2016 - Present



## Hyomyoung Scholarship

OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC AWARD

Seoul, South Korea

2014 - 2019

## ANC Scholarship Foundation

ALL NATIONS CHURCH GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

Lake View Terrace, CA

2016

## Teaching Experience

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### School of Information Sciences, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Champaign, IL

CO-INSTRUCTOR

Fall 2021

- IS 226: Introduction to Human-Computer Interaction

### IT Accessibility Team, Teaching and Learning with Technology (TLT)

University Park, PA

ACCESSIBILITY INSTRUCTOR

Mar. 2015 - Aug. 2021

- Teaching over 100 staff members of the Penn State Accessibility team HTML5/CSS3/JavaScript coding and accessibility evaluation practice.

### Gunpo High School

Gyeonggi, South Korea

ASSISTANT ENGLISH TEACHER

Mar. 2013 - May. 2013

- Taught English to 10-grade high school students.

## Service

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### School of Information Sciences at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Champaign, IL

DIVERSITY COMMITTEE

Sep. 2021 - Apr. 2022

### 15th International Conference on Educational Data Mining

Durham

ACCESSIBILITY CHAIR

Oct. 2021 - Jul. 2022

### Special issue on ethnography and learning design

TechTrends

JOURNAL REVIEWER

Sep. 2021

### The Network of Academic Programs in the Learning Sciences (NAPLeS)

International Society of the Learning  
Sciences

REVIEWER

2020

- Reviewed abstracts on equity and disability.

### The Pennsylvania State University

University Park, PA

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

Aug. 2019 - May. 2020

- Worked as a student committee member to support understanding of educational technology for College of Education.

### The Pennsylvania State University

University Park, PA

LIBRARIES' ACCESSIBILITY STUDENT ADVISORY GROUP

Aug. 2019 - May. 2020

### The 14th International Conference of the Learning Sciences (ICLS)

Nashville, TN

REVIEWER

2019

### The ACM CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI 2020, 2021)

Honolulu, HI, Yokohama, Japan

REVIEWER

2019, 2020

### The 1st International Conference on Quantitative Ethnography (ICQE)

Madison, WI

REVIEWER

2019

### The 3rd Learning Sciences Graduate Student Conference (LSGSC)

Nashville, TN

REVIEWER

2018

### The 2nd Learning Sciences Graduate Student Conference (LSGSC)

Bloomington, IN

REVIEWER

2017

### Center for Online Innovation in Learning (COIL), The Pennsylvania State University

University Park, PA

FUNDING REVIEWER

2016

## Current Memberships

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- International Society of the Learning Sciences (ISLS)
- Society for Learning Analytics Research (SoLAR)
- International Society for Quantitative Ethnography (ISQE)

- Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)
- American Educational Research Association (AERA)
- Association for Educational Communications and Technology (AECT)
- International Association of Accessibility Professionals (IAAP)

## Notes

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- This CV is reproducible; all the source code behind this CV is available on this GitHub repo.

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