Joonho Oh

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Education

May 2025 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

(expected) Ph.D. Candidate in Public Policy

2019 Seoul National University

Master in Public Policy

2012 **Seoul National University**

B.S. in Mechanical Engineering

Research interests

Entrepreneurial Support Organization, Accelerator, Entrepreneurial Ecosystem

Publication

2022 **Oh, J.**, Clayton, P., & Feldman, M. "Accelerator Niches in an Emerging Entrepreneurial Ecosystem: New York City." *Local Economy*. 37(4), 233-258.

Book Chapter

Feldman, M. & **Oh, J.** "Policies Creating Entrepreneurial Ecosystems." In R. Huggins, F. Kitagawa, D. Prokop, C. Theodoraki, & P. Thompson, editors *Entrepreneurial Ecosystems in Cities and Regions: Emergence, Evolution, and Future.* Oxford University Press.

Under Review

"Makerspaces, Venture Social Focus, and Resource Acquisition" with Jiayi Bao & Bowen Lou. [Under review at Strategic Management Journal].

"Anatomy of Accelerator Heterogeneity: A Review and Research Agenda" with Maryann Feldman. [Under review at Entrepreneurship Theory and Practice].

Working Papers

"Peer Network Effects in Accelerators." with Maryann Feldman. Preparing for submission.

"Cross-Regional Challenges: How Geography Shapes the Growth and Spatial Dynamics of Startups in Accelerators." Drafting manuscript.

"Educational Assistance and Entrepreneurial Career Choice" with Jiayi Bao. Analyzing data.

Presentations and Invited Talks

Conference Presentations and Panels

2024 Peer Network Effects in Accelerators
Strategic Management Society Annual Meeting 2024 (Scheduled)
Industry Studies Association 2024 Annual Conference (Scheduled)

2023	A Systematic Review of Accelerator Research: Toward Accelerator Research 2.0 APPAM 2023 Fall Research Conference
2023	Makerspaces, Venture Social Focus, and Resource Acquisition with J. Bao & B. Lou
	Academy of Management Annual Meeting 2023 (Presented by J. Bao) Strategic Management Society Annual Meeting 2023 (Presented by J. Bao)
2023	Accelerating Learning: An Exploration of Peer Dynamics Industry Studies Association 2023 Annual Conference
2022	Exploring Conditions When Pre-entry Experiences Facilitate Investor Search Carnegie School of Organizational Learning Academy 2022
2021	How Disparity in Industry-Academia Collaboration Exacerbated after LINC STEPI 2021 Korea Innovation Survey Research Conference
2021	Support Organization Evolution in an Emerging Entrepreneurial Ecosystem APPAM 2021 Student Research Online Seminar Series
	Invited Talks
2024	Peer Network Effects in Accelerators Duke Strategy PhD Conference (Scheduled)
2023	A Systematic Review of Accelerator Research: Toward Accelerator Research 2.0 Policy Research Group, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
2023; 2022	Accelerating Learning: An Exploration of Peer Dynamics School of Public Affairs, Arizona State University Policy Research Group, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
	Scholarships and Awards
2023	Hammer Fund Research Fellowship (UNC Public Policy)
2023	Graduate Student Transportation Award (UNC College of Arts and Sciences)
2022	APPAM Entrepreneurship Policy Fellowship (Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation)
2021	Best Student Paper Award (Science and Technology Policy Institute of Korea)
2021	Best Reviewer Award (TIM Division of the Academy of Management)
2019 – 2021	Korean Government Long-Term Fellowship for Overseas Studies (South Korea)
2016	Industrial Development Prize (Minister of Employment and Labor, South Korea)
2015	GSPA Academic Scholarship (Seoul National University)
	Research experiences
May 2022 – July 2023	Research Assistant Project: Impacts of Social Safety Net Policies on STEM Entrepreneurship and Innovation in Underrepresented Populations and Underserved Regions (PI: Jiayi Bao)
May 2024 – August 2024	Research Assistant Project: Ethnic Profiling Under the Auspices of Community Safety funded by Russel Sage Foundation (PI: Joaquin Rubalcaba)
	Teaching experiences

Fall 2024	Lecturer, Quantitative Analysis for Public Policy Department of Public Policy, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Fall 2023; Spring 2022; Fall 2021	
Spring 2023; Spring 2022	Guest Lecturer, Quantitative Analysis for Public Policy Department of Public Policy, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Spring 2023	Guest Lecturer, Innovation, Science, and Public Policy Department of Public Policy, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Spring 2024	Teaching Assistant, Microeconomic Foundations of Public Policy Department of Public Policy, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Fall 2023	Research Consultant, Capstone in Public Policy Department of Public Policy, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
	Work experiences
2012 – 2019	Deputy Director, Ministry of Science and ICT – South Korea Secretary to the Minister of Science and ICT Supervised 17 Centers for Creative Economy and Innovation (CCEIs) Launched Startup-customized Job Matching Program and K-Startup Grand Challenge Designed Korea's the first High-performance Computer R&D Project Passed the 53rd Senior Executive Examination for Administrative Services (2009)
	Services
	Adhoc reviewer
	Academy of Management Annual Meeting (2021–2024), Research Policy, Strategic Management Society Annual Conference (2024).
	Advising
2024	Undergraduate Thesis Committee Member for Neil Sharma Department of Public Policy, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
	Professional memberships
	Academy of Management (AOM), American Economic Association (AEA), Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management (APPAM), Industry Studies Association (ISA), Strategic Management Society (SMS)
	Professional Development Workshops
2024	ENT Doctoral Consortium, Academy of Management Annual Conference (Scheduled)
2023	NBER Entrepreneurship Research Boot Camp (Cambridge, MA)
2023	ISA Professional Development Workshop (Columbus)
2022 - 2023	STR Doctoral Consortium, Academy of Management Annual Conference (Online)
2022	APPAM Entrepreneurship Policy Student Seminar (Washington D.C.)
2022	Carnegie School of Organizational Learning Academy (Online)

2022 Virtual Summer Seminar in Entrepreneurship Research (Online)

Skills and Personal

Programs

Stata, R, Python (NLP), SAS, LATEX

Languages

English (fluent), Korean (native)

Military Service

Sergeant, The Republic of Korea Army

References

Professor Maryann Feldman (Advisor)

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Professor Sekou Bermiss (Committee)

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Professor Susan Cohen (Committee)

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Professor Jiayi Bao (Committee)

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