

Fukuoka Prize 2025

Academic Prize

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Biography

- 1953 Born in Incheon, Republic of Korea
- 1981 B.A., Asian History Department, College of Humanities, Seoul National University (Asian History)
- 1984 M.A., Dankook University(Literature)
- 1986-94 Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, Department of History, Hallym University
- 1990-92 Visiting researcher, Harvard-Yenching Institute, U.S.A.
- 1993 Ph.D., Graduate School, Seoul National University (Literature)
- 1994-18 Associate Professor, Professor, Department of History, Yonsei University
- 2001 Guest researcher, Center for Chinese Studies, Taiwan/ Institute of Modern History, Academia Sinica, Taiwan.
- 2001-02 Guest Professor, Center for the Studies of Higher Education, Nagoya University
- 2005 President, Korean Association for Contemporary Chinese Studies
- 2005- Member of the editorial board, *Taiwan: A Radical Quarterly in Social Studies*
- 2005-08 Council member, Presidential Council for the Northeast Asian Cooperation Initiative
- 2006-07 President, Korean Association for Studies of Modern Chinese History
- 2006-09 Chairperson, Advisory Council of Northeast Asian History Foundation.
- 2006-16 Chief Editor, *Quarterly Creation and Criticism*
- 2007-14 Director, Institute for Korean Studies, Yonsei University
- 2008 Visiting Researcher, Center for Chinese Studies, Taiwan
- 2009-10 Visiting researcher, Research Center for Korean Studies, Kyushu University
- 2016-18 Dean, The College of Liberal Arts, Yonsei University
- 2016-23 Director, Chairperson, Inter-Asia School
- 2016 – Chairperson, Segyo Institute
- 2018- Professor Emeritus, Department of History, Yonsei University
- 2019- Visiting Professor, Hunan Normal University, China

Major Award

- 2017 Yonsei Academic Award (Awarded by Yonsei University)
- 2023 Award for Distinguished Contribution to China Studies (Awarded by the Shanghai Municipal Government and World Forum on China Studies, Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences)
- 2025 Yongjae Academic Award (Awarded by the Yongjae Award Steering Committee)

Major Publication

- *Students and Revolution in China in the 1920s: from Identity Crisis to Social Transformation*, Seoul: Ichogak, 1994.
- *Returning to East Asia: Questioning the Modernity of China*. Seoul: Changjak-kwa Bipyong-sa, 2000
- *Post-East Asia* (Co-author) ,Tokyo: Sakuhinsha, 2006.
- *East Asia as Intellectual Thought: History and Practice from the Perspective of the Korean Peninsular* ,Taipei: Taishe, 2009.
- *East Asia as Intellectual Thought: History and Practice from the Perspective of the Korean Peninsular*,Beijing: Sanlianshudaian, 2011.
- *Rethinking East Asia at Core Locations: Practical Challenges for a Coexistent Society* ,Seoul: Changbi, 2013.
- *The Way to Social Humanities* ,Seoul: Changbi, 2014.
- *East Asia from the Horizontal Viewpoint: Rethinking East Asia at Core Locations* ,Taipei: Linking, 2016.
- *The Path to Coexistence and Core Locations: East Asia as a Practical Project* ,Tokyo: Hosei University Press, 2016.
- *The Road to East Asian Reconciliation: From Historical Issues to Regional Security* (Shared writing), Tokyo: Iwanami Shoten, 2016.
- *Making Modern Chinese History: 1919, 1949, 1989* , Seoul: Changbai, 2021.
- *One Hundred Years of Change: From 3/1 to the Candlelight* [Japanese] , (editor) Tokyo: Hosei University Press, 2021.
- *The Genealogy and Prospect of East Asia Discourse: The Path to an Alternative System*, Seoul: Nanam, 2022.