

Curriculum Vitae
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POSITION

2023 – present Assistant Professor of Sociology & Anthropology, DePauw University (USA)

EDUCATION

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| Degrees | 2023 | Ph.D. Sociology, University of Virginia (USA) |
| | 2019 | M.A. Sociology, University of Virginia (USA) |
| | 2017 | M.A. Political Science, National Taiwan University (Taiwan) |
| | 2014 | B.A. Dual Degree in Political Science, Waseda University (Japan) & National Taiwan University (Taiwan) |
| Visiting Programs | 2022 | Visiting Associate, Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica (Taiwan) |
| | 2017 | Visiting Graduate Student, School of Social Sciences, Waseda University (Japan) |

RESEARCH AREAS

Global and Transnational sociology, Comparative-Historical sociology, Sociology of Art, Empires, Race, Intersectionality

PUBLICATIONS

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| Book Chapter | 2016 | Lin, Yen-Yu. “Japanese Contemporary Nationalism: The Debate of ‘ <i>Article Nine</i> .’” In <i>Japan Studies in Contemporary Taiwan: Theory and Practice in Social Sciences</i> , eds. Wen-Cheng Lin et al. Taipei: Hanlu Press, pp. 62-80. (In Mandarin) <i>*Best Research Paper Award Winner in 2015*</i> |
| | 2014 | Lin, Yen-Yu. “Chiang Kai-Shek and Transitional Justice in Taiwan.” In <i>Keywords: Analyzing Taiwanese Society for Our Generation and Time</i> . Taipei: Rive Gauche Press, pp. 227-253. (In Mandarin) |
| Review Article | 2015 | Lin, Yen-Yu. “Understanding Korea and Okinawa from Taiwan.” <i>Waseda Asia Review</i> 17: 107-110. (In Japanese) |
| Book Translation | 2018 | Ando, Takemasa. 2018. <i>New Left Movements and Civil Society in Japan: Political Thought in the 1960s and Its Afterlives</i> . Trans. Lin, Yen-Yu . Taipei: Rive Gauche Press. (An academic publication translated from Japanese to Mandarin) |
| Manuscript In Progress | - | “Contouring Systems: How to Theorize Race in Colonial Taiwan” (Journal Article) |
| | - | “Colors of Empire: Visual Representations of Race in Colonial Taiwan (1895-1945)” (Book) |

FELLOWSHIPS AND GRANTS

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| External | 2021 – 23 | Jefferson Fellowship , Jefferson Scholars Foundation |
| | 2017 – 21 | Overseas Ph.D. Program Fellowship , Ministry of Education, Taiwan |
| | 2016 | Exchange Graduate Student Grant , Ministry of Education, Taiwan |
| Internal | 2024 – 25 | Fisher Course Reassignment Award , DePauw University |
| | 2021 – 23 | Society of Fellows , University of Virginia |
| | 2021 & 22 | Global Graduate Research Grant , Center for Global Inquiry & Innovation, UVa |
| | 2021 | Graduate Student Fellow for “Comparative/World/Global” Workshops, Asian Cosmopolitanisms Lab, Institute of the Humanities & Global Culture, UVa |
| | 2015 | Nitori Japan Studies Grant , Center for Japan Studies, National Taiwan University |

HONORS AND AWARDS

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| Teaching | 2021 | Graduate Student Teaching Award Department of Sociology, University of Virginia |
| Research | 2015 | Best Research Paper Award Youth Forum of Japan Studies, Taiwanese Society for Contemporary Japan Studies |

PRESENTATIONS AT ACADEMIC CONFERENCES

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| Americas (In English) | 2024 | “Intertextual Memories: A Methodological Model for Race and Colonialism through the Lens of Japanese Empire.” Paper to be presented at the <i>Memory Studies Association</i> in Lima, Peru |
| | 2024 | Invited panelist, “War Narratives – Traumas and the Possibility of Hope,” a panel organized by Dr. Ming-Cheng Lo, the co-editor of <i>Cultural Sociology</i> , at the <i>British Sociological Association</i> (virtual) |
| | 2023 | “The Construction of Race and War in Non-Western Imperial Societies: An Image-Based Approach.” Paper presented at the <i>Eastern Sociological Society</i> in Baltimore, MD |
| | 2022 | “The Color-Coded Beauty: The (De-)Racialized Imagery of ‘Modern Girl’ in Colonial Taiwan.” Paper presented at the <i>Social Science History Association</i> in Chicago, IL |
| | 2022 | “Colors of the Empire: Visual Representations of Race in Taiwan under Japanese Imperial Rule.” Paper presented at “Understanding Racial Orders from Global-Historical Perspectives,” a section session co-organized by the Comparative-Historical and Global-Transnational Sociology Sections, at the <i>American Sociological Association</i> in Los Angeles, CA |
| | 2018 | “Nationalism and Racism to Be (Un)toppled? – Memory Activism of the Chiang Kai-Shek Statue in Taiwan and the Robert E. Lee Statue in the U.S.” Paper presented at the <i>North American Taiwan Studies Association</i> in Austin, TX |
| Europe (In English) | 2019 | “Pacifist Nationalism: Commemorations of August 15 in Post-WWII Japan (1945-1972).” Paper presented at the <i>Memory Studies Association</i> in Madrid, Spain |
| Taiwan (In Mandarin) | 2016 | “Constitutional Patriotism and Pacifist Thought in Japan.” Paper presented at the Youth Forum for Japan Studies, hosted by the <i>Taiwanese Society for Contemporary Japan Studies</i> in Taipei, Taiwan |
| | 2015 | “Japanese Contemporary Nationalism: The Debate of <i>Article Nine</i> .” Paper presented to the Youth Forum for Japan Studies, held by the <i>Taiwanese Society for Contemporary Japan Studies</i> in Kaohsiung, Taiwan * <i>Best Research Paper Award Winner</i> * |
| Japan (In Japanese) | 2014 | “Student Activism in Taiwan: Anti-Media-Monopoly Movement.” Workshop presenter in the “Wandering Democratic Institutions” Symposium, held by the <i>Organization for Asian Studies, Waseda University</i> in Okinawa, Japan |

TEACHING

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| Teaching Experiences | 2023 – present | Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology & Anthropology, DePauw University * SOC100: Contemporary Society Fall 2023, Spring 2024 * SOC201: Global and Transnational Sociology Fall 2023 * SOC301: Sociology of Art Spring 2024 |
| | 2018 – 2020 | Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Sociology, University of Virginia * SOC1010: Introduction to Sociology - 60 students, each semester Spring 2019, Spring 2020 * SOC2230: Criminology - 60 students, each semester Fall 2018, Fall 2019 |
| | 2014 – 16 | Graduate Teaching Assistant, Department of Political Science, National Taiwan University * Introduction to Political Science - 40 students, each semester Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016 |
| | 2012 | Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, Dep. of Foreign Language, National Taiwan University * First-Year English - 60 students, each semester Fall 2012 |
| Professional Development | 2020 – 2022 | Trainee, Center for Teaching Excellence, University of Virginia * Tomorrow’s Professor Today |
| | 2020 & 22 | Invited Speaker, Department of Sociology, University of Virginia * Workshop for First-Time Graduate Teaching Assistants |

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

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| USA | 2020 – 21 | Co-President , <i>UVa Sociology Graduate Student Council</i> |
| | 2019 | Mentor , <i>Heyer Voices</i> |
| East Asia | 2014 – 17 | Co-founder , <i>Ngasan Maku Study Society in Tokyo</i> |
| | 2010 – 12 | Staff member , <i>Cross-Strait Exploration Project</i> (Organized in Shenzhen & Hong Kong) |

SERVICE TO PROFESSION

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| 2023 | Event Subcommittee Chair | American Sociological Association, Section of Comparative Historical Sociology |
| 2023 | Panel Organizer | “Layers of Corporality in Imperial Politics,” the 93 rd annual meeting of the <i>Eastern Sociological Society</i> , Feb. 2023, Baltimore MD |
| 2022 | Program Director | “Taiwan Studies in Application,” the 27 th annual meeting of the <i>North American Taiwan Studies Association</i> , Jul. 8-10, 2022, Washington, D.C. |
| 2021 | Program Commissioner | “Keywording Taiwan,” the 26 th annual meeting of the <i>North American Taiwan Studies Association</i> , May 2021, Virtual |
| 2019 | Panel Organizer | “Sites and Sighs of Memory: Historicism and Presentism in Memory Studies in 20th Century East Asia,” the 3 rd annual meeting of the <i>Memory Studies Association</i> , Jun. 2019, Madrid, Spain |
| 2019 | Program Commissioner | “Destabilizing Empires from the Margin: Taiwan Studies in Reflection,” the 25 th annual meeting of the <i>North American Taiwan Studies Association</i> , May 2019, Seattle WA |

DOCTORAL, MASTER’S, & BACHELOR’S THESES

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| USA | 2023 | “Colors of Empire: Visualizing Race in Taiwan under Japanese Colonial Rule.” <i>Ph.D. Dissertation</i> , University of Virginia * Advisor: Fiona R. Greenland * Committee members: Allison Pugh, Krishan Kumar, Sylvia Chong |
| | 2019 | “Monuments on the Move: The Robert E. Lee Statue and Memory Activism in Charlottesville.” <i>Master’s thesis</i> , University of Virginia * Advisor: Jeffrey K. Olick |
| Taiwan | 2017 | “Pacifist Nationalism: Commemorations of August 15 and Postwar Japanese Nationalism, 1945-1972.” <i>Master’s thesis</i> , National Taiwan University (In Mandarin) * Advisors: Horng-Luen Wang (汪宏倫) & Chang-Ling Huang (黃長玲) |
| Japan | 2014 | “History and Development of Transitional Justice in Taiwan: The Role of NGOs.” <i>Bachelor’s Thesis</i> , Waseda University (In Japanese) * Advisor: Masahiro Wakabayashi (若林正丈) |

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

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| 2015 – 16 | Research Assistant | * Project: “ <i>In Search for the Opportunities of Reconciliation and Symbiosis in East Asia.</i> ” * PI: Horng-Luen Wang, Research Fellow, Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica, Taiwan |
| 2015 – 16 | Research Assistant | * Project: “ <i>Equality and Utility: Discourses and Practices of Board Gender Quotas.</i> ” * PI: Chang-Ling Huang, Professor, Dep. of Political Science, National Taiwan University |
| 2014 – 15 | Research Assistant | * Project: “ <i>Panel Data Survey of Public Governance Research Center in Taiwan, 2013.</i> ” * PI: Chi-Ting Tsai, Assistant Professor, Dep. of Political Science, National Taiwan University |

PUBLIC SOCIOLOGY

- 2017 **Lin, Yen-Yu.** “Commemorated Communities: August 15 and Pacifist Nationalism in Postwar Japan.” In *Who Governs Taiwan*: Aug. 24. (In Mandarin)
- 2016 **Lin, Yen-Yu and Yi-Ting Chung.** “The Third Imagination of Japan: Why should Taiwanese People Care about Japan’s Upper House Election and ‘Debate of Article 9?’” In *Who Governs Taiwan*: Jul. 23. (In Mandarin)
- 2016 **Lin, Yen-Yu.** “Visiting Fukushima: the 5th Anniversary of 311 Earthquake.” In *Ejinsight, Hong Kong*: Mar. 12. (In Mandarin)
- 2015 **Lin, Yen-Yu.** “How Do Japanese People Remember WWII: History of Antiwar Movies in Post-War Japan.” In *Gushi, Taiwan*: Dec. 31. (In Mandarin)
- 2015 Austin Wang et al. “Taiwan and Mainland China in Talks? Here are the 5 Things You Need to Know about What Taiwanese People are Thinking.” Trans. **Lin, Yen-Yu and Shohei YAO.** In *Huffington Post, Japan*: Nov. 8. The Original English version is published on *Washington Post*, Nov. 6, 2015. (Translating English into Japanese)
- 2015 Wakabayashi, Masahiro. “The Year of 2015: Double Meaning of ‘The 70th Anniversary’ in Taiwan.” Trans. **Lin, Yen-Yu.** In *Thinking-Taiwan*: Aug. 14. Original Japanese version is on *Diplomacy* Vol. 32: pp. 50-55. (Translating Japanese into Mandarin)
- 2014 Wakabayashi, Masahiro. “The Spectre Haunting Taiwanese Politics: Lessons from Sunflower Movement.” Trans. **Lin, Yen-Yu.** In *Thinking-Taiwan*: Apr. 22. (Translating Japanese into Mandarin)

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

Mandarin Chinese (native)

Taiwanese (native)

English (fluent)

Japanese (fluent)

Korean (intermediate)

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Sociological Association (ASA)

(Sections: Asian and Asian American, Comparative and Historical Sociology, Culture, Global and Transnational Sociology, Political Sociology, Section on Racial and Ethnic Minorities)

Association for Asian Studies (AAS)

Eastern Sociological Society (ESS)

North American Taiwan Studies Association (NATSA)

Social Science History Association (SSHA)

REFERENCES

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| USA | Fiona R. Greenland | Associate Professor Sociology, University of Virginia (<i>Dissertation Advisor</i>) |
| | Krishan Kumar | Professor Sociology, University of Virginia (<i>Dissertation Committee</i>) |
| | Rose Buckelew | Assistant Professor Sociology, University of Virginia |
| Japan | Naoyuki Umemori | Professor School of Political Science and Economy, Waseda University Director Waseda Research Institute of Taiwan |
| | Takemasa Ando | Professor Sociology, Musashi University |
| Taiwan | Hornng-Luen Wang | Research Fellow (Full Professor) Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica Deputy Director Institute of Sociology, Academia Sinica |
| | Chang-Ling Huang | Professor Political Science, National Taiwan University |