

## BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

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NAME	POSITION TITLE	INSTITUTION
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### EDUCATION/TRAINING

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<u>INSTITUTION AND LOCATION</u>	<u>DEGREE</u>	<u>YEAR</u>	<u>FIELD OF STUDY</u>
University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA	Ph.D.	In-Progress	Social Work
University of Washington, Seattle, WA	M.S.W.	2024	Social Work
Yonsei University, Seoul, South Korea	B.A.	2020	Social Welfare   Psychology

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**Professional and Research Interests:** Reducing disparities in aging among underrepresented populations by leveraging technological approaches and promoting empowerment strategies; digital literacy among older adults; improving access to care; social isolation and loneliness; active aging; purpose in life in older adults.

### Professional Experience:

2023 – 2024	Graduate Student Research Assistant, Aging with Pride: National Health, Aging, and Sexuality/Gender Study (NIH/NIA R01AG026526), Goldsen Institute, Seattle, WA.
2022 – 2023	Graduate Student Intern, Adult Behavioral Health Department, Asian Counseling and Referral Service, Seattle, WA.
2021 – 2021	Mental Health Social Worker, Padoson, Seoul, South Korea.
2021 – 2021	Research Project Assistant, School of Social Welfare Chung-Ang University, Seoul, South Korea.
2020 – 2021	Social Worker, Taiwha Fountainhouse, Seoul, South Korea.

### Honors and Other Activities:

08/24 – present	Ph.D. Student Fellowship, University of Southern California, School of Social Work
2023	Hooyman Intergenerational Fellowship, University of Washington School of Social Work

### Publications:

**Lee, C.** (2024). *Remote Social Contact and Loneliness Among the Young-Old, Middle-Old, and Oldest-Old Adults During the COVID-19 Pandemic*. ProQuest Dissertations & Theses. ISBN: 9798383223765

Hur, H. and **Lee, C.** (2023). Current status and future tasks of the highly educated elderly. *KU Research Institute of Health and Ageing Issue Paper, 4*, 1-18. [in Korean].

### Conference Presentations:

Jones-Cobb, B., **Lee, C.** (November 2024). Older adults without care partners: A scoping review of current evidence. In Mauldin, R. (Chair), *Social Isolation, Loneliness, and the Living Arrangements and Contexts of Older Adults*. [Accepted Symposium]. Gerontological Society of American Annual Convention, Seattle, WA.

Kim, H.-J., Fredriksen-Goldsen, K.I., Jung, H.H., & **Lee, C.** (July 2024). Determinants of loneliness and depressive symptomatology among LGBTQ older adults living with cognitive impairment. Presented at the Alzheimer's Association International Conference, Philadelphia, PA.

### Licenses and Certifications:

Licensed 2nd Grade Mental Health Social Worker, Ministry of Health and Welfare, South Korea  
Licensed 1st Grade Social Worker, Ministry of Health and Welfare, South Korea  
Survey Analyst, Junior, Statistics Korea, South Korea  
1st Grade Korean History Proficiency, National Institute of Korean History, South Korea

### Professional Memberships:

Alzheimer's Association International Society to Advance Alzheimer's Research and Treatment (ISTAART)  
Gerontological Society of America (GSA)