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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Semantics · Lexical semantics · Syntax · Pragmatics · Korean linguistics

My recent work includes causative constructions and generic sentences in Korean. I am also interested in discourse particles, focus/topic marking and their implications.

EDUCATION

• **The University of Texas at Austin**   *2018 - present*
Ph.D., Linguistics (in progress)   *Austin, TX*
◦ Minor in Philosophy

◦ *Qualifying Paper:* The new typology of causativization in Korean: the case of covert generic causatives
(Reader: John Beavers, Ashwini Deo)

• **Sungkyunkwan University**   *2018*
M.A., English Language and Literature (Major: Linguistics)   *Seoul, South Korea*
◦ Advisor: Jungmee Lee

• **Sungkyunkwan University**   *2016*
B.A., English Language and Literature & Economics   *Seoul, South Korea*
◦ Honors Student

• **Other Traning:**   *Summer 2023*
LSA Linguistic Institute   *Amherst, MA*

PUBLICATIONS

MANUSCRIPTS AND WORKING PAPERS

Park, Seyeon. The new typology of causativization in Korean: the case of covert generic causatives. *Ms.* The University of Texas at Austin.

Park, Seyeon. Two pragmatic functions of honorifics in Korean. *Ms.* The University of Texas at Austin.

Park, Seyeon. Inadequacy: Implications of *-(n)un* in Korean. *Ms.* The University of Texas at Austin.

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

Park, Seyeon. 2018. Scrambling in Korean Parasitic Gap Constructions and its Cross-linguistic Implications. *Korean Journal of Linguistics* 43-1: 43-72.

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

Park, Seyeon. 2025. Covert generic causatives in Korean: A dispositional ascription analysis. *Proceedings of the Sinn und Bedeutung 29.*

Park, Seyeon. 2017. Non-Constituent Coordination: Against a Move-and-Delete Account. *Proceedings of the 2017 CORE Conference of English Language and Literature, Sungkyunkwan University.* Vol. 2:39-43.

PRESENTATIONS

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

Nam, Seungho, Seoyeong Lee and **Seyeon Park**. 2026. QUD sensitivity as a parameter of presupposition triggers: Evidence from Korean. Oral presentation at the 100th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, New Orleans, LA, January 8-11.

Park, Seyeon. 2025. When maximality derives kinds and contrastiveness: the case of Korean *-(n)un*. Oral presentation at the 5th meeting of the Ontology As Structured by the Interfaces with Semantics, Edinburgh, UK, December 3-5.

Park, Seyeon. 2025. Two pragmatic functions of honorifics in Korean. Oral presentation at the 99th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Philadelphia, PA, January 9–12.

Park, Seyeon. 2024. Covert generic causatives in Korean as dispositional ascriptions. Poster presentation at Sinn und Bedeutung 29, Noto, Italy, September 16–20.

Park, Seyeon. 2024. Causative generics in Korean: non-agentivity and new typology of causativization. Poster presentation at the 98th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, NYC, NY, January 4–7.

Park, Seyeon. 2023. Inadequacy: Two different types of implications of *-(n)un* in Korean. Poster presentation at the 97th Annual Meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, Denver, CO, January 5–8.

Park, Seyeon. 2017. Non-Constituent Coordination: Against a Move-and-Delete Account. Oral presentation at the 2017 CORE Conference of English Language and Literature, Sungkyunkwan University, Seoul, South Korea, December 8.

Academic Honors & Scholarship

The University of Texas at Austin

2025	**Graduate Recognition Fellowship, Graduate School**, $ 1,000
2024	**Nominated by the Department of Linguistics for a University Graduating Continuing Fellowship**
2024	**Graduate School Summer Fellowship**, $6,900
2023	**King Fellowship, Department of Linguistics**, $6,000
2023	**Spring Fellowship, Department of Linguistics**, $5,000
2022	**Summer Fellowship, Department of Linguistics**, $5,000
2019	**Graduate School Fellowship**, $5,000

Sungkyunkwan University

2016-2017	**Masters and Doctors Connected Track Scholarship, Graduates Connected Scholarship**, 14,400,000KRW ($\approx$ $10,500)
2016-2017	**CORE (initiative for COllege of humanities' Research and Education, government-funded)** *Toegye* **studies support Scholarship**, 6,000,000 KRW ($\approx$ $4,500)
2017	**Summer Lecture Scholarship**
2016	*Shimsan* **Scholarship**, 569,142 KRW ($\approx$ $410)
2011-2014	*Samsung* **Scholarship**, Full Tuition Fee

Teaching Experience

The University of Texas at Austin

Spring 2026	**Introduction to the Study of Language**, Instructor on record
Fall 2025	**Introduction to the Study of Language**, Instructor on record
Summer 2025	**Introduction to the Study of Language**, Instructor on record
Spring 2025	**Introduction to the Study of Language**, Instructor on record
Fall 2024	**Syntax and Semantics: The Structure and Meaning of Utterances**, Instructor on record
Spring 2024	**Introduction to the Study of Language**, Instructor on record
Fall 2023	**Introduction to the Study of Language**, Instructor on record
Spring 2023	**Introduction to the Study of Language**, Instructor on record
Fall 2022	**Introduction to the Study of Language**, Instructor on record
Spring 2022	**Introduction to the Study of Language**, Teaching Assistant (Instructor: Paige-Erin Wheeler)
Fall 2020	**Syntax and Semantics: The Structure and Meaning of Utterances**, Teaching Assistant (Instructor:Steve Wechsler)
Fall 2019	**Introduction to the Study of Language**, Teaching Assistant (Instructor: Anthony C. Woodbury)
Spring 2019	**Syntax and Semantics: The Structure and Meaning of Utterances**, Teaching Assistant (Instructor:John Beavers)
Fall 2018	**Language Change and Language Variation**, Teaching Assistant (Instructor: Michael Everdell)

Sungkyunkwan University

Fall 2017	**English Grammar**, Teaching Assistant (Instructor: Jungmee Lee)
Fall 2017	**English Use in Real World**, Teaching Assistant (Instructor: Haemoon Lee)
Spring 2017	**English Syntax**, Teaching Assistant (Instructor: Jungmee Lee)
Spring 2017	**English Grammar**, Teaching Assistant (Instructor: Haemoon Lee)

Academic Services

2019-2023	**Colloquium Committee**, Department of Linguistics, The University of Texas at Austin
2020-2021	**Reviewer**, 19th/20th Annual Meeting of the Texas Linguistics Society
2021	**Editorial Assistant**, Language (Co-editor: John Beavers)
2020	**Organizing Committee**, 19th Annual Meeting of the Texas Linguistics Society
2019	**Reviewer**, Language & Information Society 37

MEMBERSHIPS

Linguistics Society of America (LSA)

LANGUAGES

Korean (Native), English (Fluent), French (Intermediate)