

# Chloe Dokyung Kwon

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## Research interests

phonetics, phonology, perception, sound representations, computational modeling

## Education

- 2019 – Present    **Cornell University** – Ithaca, NY  
PhD in Linguistics
- 2017 – 2019    **Hankuk University of Foreign Studies** – Seoul, Korea  
MA in English Linguistics  
Thesis: A Temporal Feature of Stressed Syllables in Native English and Korean EFL Speech
- 2012 – 2017    **Hankuk University of Foreign Studies** – Seoul, Korea  
BA in English Linguistics

## Publications and Presentations

- 2024    **Phonetic evidence for compound tensification in Korean as a function of morphological context**  
**Kwon, C. D.** & Tilsen, S.  
*Poster to be presented at LabPhon 19, Seoul, South Korea.*
- Phonetic evidence for compound tensification in Korean**  
**Kwon, C. D.**  
*Talk presented at Phonetics/Phonology in Upstate NY.*
- 2023    **Morpho-phonological effects on the phonetic characteristics of tense consonants in Korean compounds**  
**Kwon, C. D.**, Tilsen, S., & Whitman, J.  
*Proceedings of the 20th International Congress of Phonetic Sciences, Czech Republic, Prague 2023.*

- 2022 **Transfer of boundary effects in English tag questions produced by Korean L2 speakers**  
**Kwon, C. D.**  
*Poster presented at LabPhon18, Virtual.*
- 2019 **A temporal feature of stressed syllables in native English and Korean EFL speech.**  
**Kwon, D. & Jang, T.-Y.**  
*Proceedings of the 19th International Congress of Phonetic Sciences, Melbourne, Australia 2019 (pp.2277-2280).*
- 2018 **The duration ratio of stressed vowels in the read speech of native English speakers and Korean EFL learners.**  
**Kwon, D. & Jang, T.-Y.**  
*Talk presented at the Conference of the Korean Society of Speech Sciences..*
- Identifying opinion holders and opinion objects utilizing linguistic cues.**  
 Jang, J.-W., **Kwon, D.**, & Kim, J.-E.  
*Journal of British and American Studies 42 (pp.147-172).*

## Research experience

- Fall 2020 **Research Assistant**  
 Professor John Whitman (Cornell University)  
 Assisted Professor Whitman in his research on East Asian Linguistics funded by *Academy of Korean Studies*.
- 2017 – 2018 **Research Assistant**  
 Language Technology Research Institute (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies)  
 Research granted by Electronics and Telecommunication Research Institute of the Korean Government.  
 Evaluated the English proficiency of EFL learners with various language backgrounds.

## Industry experience

- Summer 2022 **Ontologist Intern (Amazon)** – Santa Barbara, CA  
 Built data pipelines, configured the representation of knowledge structure, and designed voice response for Alexa users

## Teaching experience

- Sprint 2024 **Instructor, First-Year Writing Seminar**  
Cornell University
- Spring 2023 **Teaching assistant, Introduction to Phonetics and Phonology**  
Cornell University
- Fall 2021 **Teaching assistant, Language and Society**  
Cornell University
- Spring 2021, 2022 **Teaching assistant, Elementary Korean II**  
Cornell University
- 2017 – 2018 **Tutor at Language Technology Research Institute**  
Hankuk University of Foreign Studies  
Helped undergraduate linguistics students understand statistical analysis and use Python and R

## Honors and scholarships

- Fall 2023 SAGE Fellowship (Cornell University)
- Fall 2022 EAP RJ Smith Fellowship (Cornell University)
- 2019 SAGE Fellowship (Cornell University)
- 2017 – 2018 HUFSAN Scholarship (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies)

## Technical skills

### Programming languages

Proficient in: Python, MATLAB, R

### Software

Praat, LaTeX, Kettle, MySQL

### Languages

Korean (Native), English (Fluent), Spanish (Basic)

## Service

- 2021 Abstract reviewer for Korean Linguistics in Crosslinguistic Context (KLCC)  
President of Cornell Phonetics Lab  
Senior editor of Semantics and Linguistic Theory (SALT)

2020 Junior editor of SALT

2019 Junior officer of Cornell Linguistics Circle Social Committee