

Curriculum Vitae
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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Sociology, University of California, Los Angeles, June 2003
M.A., Sociology, University of California, Los Angeles, June 1998
B.A., Sociology, University of California, Los Angeles, June 1996

Ph.D. Dissertation

Emergent Ethnicity: Second-Generation Korean American Campus Evangelicals' Religious Participation and Ethnic Group Formation

Masters Thesis

Ethnic Differences in Academic Achievement Between Vietnamese and Cambodian Children

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

2015 Professor, Department of Sociology, Pepperdine University
2011 Frank R. Seaver Professorship, Department of Sociology, Pepperdine University
2009 Associate Professor, Department of Sociology, Pepperdine University
2003 Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Pepperdine University

MAJOR AREAS OF TEACHING AND RESEARCH

Courses Taught, Pepperdine University, Department of Sociology

Introduction to Sociology (SOC 200); Race and Ethnic Relations (SOC 450); Social Theory (SOC 391); Social Stratification (SOC 431); Research Methods (SOC 310); Freshman Seminar (GSSO 199)

Courses Taught as a Teaching Assistant, UCLA, Department of Sociology

Sociology of Religion (SOC 195); Research Methods (SOC 104); Culture and Personality (SOC 134)

Research Areas

Immigration (international migration; Korean Diaspora; Southeast Asian refugee flows); **Immigrant Adaptation** (immigrant/emigrant/transnational communities; ethnic organizations; ethnic religious organizations); **The New Second Generation** (the education of immigrant and refugee children; intergenerational relations; Asian Americans' religious participation; Korean American Christians); **Sociology of Religion** (immigrant churches, immigrants and their children's religiosity; ethnic and multiethnic churches; campus evangelicalism, missionaries); **Race and Ethnic Relations** (interethnic relations; inter and intra group differences with an emphasis on Asian Americans); **Missions**

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2015. *The Spirit Moves West: Korean Missionaries in America*. New York: Oxford University Press.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2006. *God's New Whiz Kids? Second-generation Korean American Evangelicals on Campus*. New York: New York University Press.

Peer-reviewed articles and book chapters

- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2014. "Migration and Conversion: the Korean American Christian Experience," in Lewis R. Rambo and Charles E. Farhadian, eds., *Oxford Handbook of Religious Conversion*. New York: Oxford University Press.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2014. "American Evangelicals Talking with God in their Minds." *Pastoral Psychology* 63 (2): 207-214.
- Zhou, Min, Margaret May Chin, and Rebecca Y. Kim. 2013. "The Transformation of Chinese America: New York v. Los Angeles." Pp. 358-384 in David Halle and Andrew A. Beveridge, eds., *New York and Los Angeles: The Uncertain Future*. New York: Oxford University Press.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2013. "Korean Missionaries: Preaching the Gospel to 'All Nations,' including the United States." Pp. 179-202 in Afe Adogame and Shobana Snankar, eds., *Religion on the Move! New Dynamics of Religious Expansion in a Globalizing World*. Lieden: Brill Publishers.
- Kim, Sharon and Rebecca Y. Kim 2012. "Second-generation Korean American Christians' Communities: Congregational Hybridity." Pp. 176-196 in Carolyn Chen and Russell Jeung, eds., *Sustaining Faith Traditions: Race, Ethnicity and Religion among the Latino and Asian American Second Generation*. New York: New York University Press.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. and Sharon Kim. 2012. "Revival and Renewal: Korean American Evangelicals beyond Immigrant Enclaves." *Studies in World Christianity* 18(3): 291-232.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2011. "Religion and Ethnicity: Theoretical Connections." *Religions* 2: 312-329.
<http://www.mdpi.com/2077-1444/2/3/312/pdf>
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2009. "Deliverance and Submission: Evangelical Women and the Negotiation of Patriarchy in South Korea." *Pastoral Psychology* 60 (4): 593-600.
- Zhou, Min, Yen-fen Tseng, and Rebecca Y. Kim. 2009. "Suburbanization and New Trends in Community Development: The Case of Chinese Ethnoburbs in the San Gabriel Valley, California." Pp. 77-96 in Min Zhou, ed., *Contemporary Chinese America: Immigration, Ethnicity and Community Transformation*. Philadelphia: Temple University Press.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2008. "Teaching Race at Anti-Berkeley and Beyond." Pp. 71-82 in Lisa Guerrero, ed., *The Problem of the Colorblind: College Teachers Talk about the Fears, Risk, and Rewards of Teaching Race in 21st Century America*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan Press.
- Zhou, Min, Yen-Fen Tseng, and Rebecca Y. 2008. "Rethinking Residential Assimilation through the Case of the Chinese Ethnoburb in San Gabriel Valley, California." *Amerasia Journal* 34 (3): 55-83.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2008. "Ethnic Identity Formation: The Case of Second-Generation Chinese and Vietnamese in the United States." Pp. 97-121 in Nicholas Tarling and Terence Gomez, eds., *Ethnicity, Equity and the Nation: The State, Development and Identity in Multi-Ethnic Societies*. New York: Routledge Press.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2008. "Second-generation Korean American Campus Evangelicals on the College Campus: Constructing Ethnic Boundaries." Pp. 172-192 in David Yoo and Ruth Chung, eds., *Spiritual Practices: Mapping Korean American Religions*. Champaign, IL: University of Illinois Press.

- Zhou, Min and Rebecca Y. Kim. 2006. "Paradox of Ethnicisation and Assimilation: The Development of Ethnic Organisations in the Chinese Immigrant Community in the United States." Pp. 231-252 in Khun Eng Kuah-Pearce and Evelyn Hu-Dehart, eds., *Voluntary Associations in the Chinese Diaspora*. Hong Kong: Hong Kong University Press.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2004. "Negotiating Ethnic and Religious Boundaries by Asian American Campus Evangelicals." Pp. 141-159 in Tony Carnes and Fenggang Yang, eds., *Asian American Religion: The Making and Remaking of Borders and Boundaries*. New York: New York University Press.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2004. "Made in the U.S.A.: Second-Generation Korean American Campus Evangelicals." Pp. 235-250 in Jennifer Lee and Min Zhou, eds., *Asian American Youth Culture: Culture, Ethnicity, and Identity*. New York: Routledge.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2004. "Second-Generation Korean American Evangelicals: Ethnic, Multiethnic, or White Campus Ministries?" *Sociology of Religion* 65 (1): 19-34.
---Reprint: 2009. "Second-Generation Korean American Evangelicals: Ethnic, Multiethnic, or White Campus Ministries?" Pp. 217-228 in Viji Nakka-Cammauf and Timothy Tseng, eds., *Asian American Christianity Reader*. Published by the Institute for the Study of Asian American Christianity.
- Zhou, Min and Rebecca Y. Kim. 2003. "A Tale of Two Metropolises: New Immigrant Chinese Communities in New York and Los Angeles." Pp. 124-149 in David Halle, ed. *Los Angeles and New York in the New Millennium*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.
- Light, Ivan, Rebecca Y. Kim, and Connie Hum. 2002. "Globalization Effects on Employment in Southern California, 1970-1990." Pp. 151-167 in Malcolm Cross and Robert Moore. *Globalization and the New City*. New York: Palgrave Press.
- Zhou, Min, Carl L. Bankston, and Rebecca Y. Kim. 2002. "Rebuilding Spiritual Lives in the New Land: Religious Practices among Southeast Asian Refugees in the United States." Pp. 37-70 in Jung Ha Kim and Pyong Gap Min, eds., *Religions in Asian America: Building Faith Communities*. Walnut Creek: AltaMira Press.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2002. "Ethnic Differences in Academic Achievement Between Vietnamese and Cambodian Children." *Sociological Quarterly* 43: 213-235.
---Reprint. 2005. "Ethnic Differences in Academic Achievement Between Vietnamese and Cambodian Children," in Nolan Zane and Bryan Kim, eds., *Readings in Asian American Psychology*. Dubuque, IA: Kendall/Hunt Publishing.
---Reprint in revised essay format. 2010. "Academic Achievement Differences between Cambodian and Vietnamese Children: Cultural and Structural Explanations." Pp. 145-161 in Jonathan H. Lee, ed., *The Cambodian American Experience: Histories, Communities, Cultures and Identities*. Dubuque, IA: Kendall/Hunt Publishing.
- Light, Ivan, Min Zhou, and Rebecca Y. Kim. 2002. "Transnationalism and American Exports in an English-Speaking World." *International Migration Review* 36: 702-725.
- Zhou, Min and Rebecca Y. Kim. 2001. "Formation, Consolidation, and Diversification of the Ethnic Elite: The Case of the Chinese Immigrant Community in the United States." *Journal of International Migration and Integration* 2: 227-247.
- Zhou, Min and Rebecca Y. Kim. 2001. "New Chinese Immigrant Organizations in the United States: Beyond Chinatowns and National Boundaries." *World Economic Review* (in Chinese).
- Light, Ivan, Rebecca Y. Kim, and Connie Hum. 2000. "Globalization, Vacancy Chains or Migration Networks? Immigrant Employment and Income in Greater Los Angeles, 1970-1990." Pp. 217-238 in Don Kalb, Marco van der Land, Richard Staring, Bart van Steenbergen, and Nico Wilterdink, eds., *The Ends of Globalization: Bringing Society Back In*. Lanham: Rowman and Littlefield.
- Light, Ivan, Richard Bernard, and Rebecca Y. Kim. 1999. "Immigrant Incorporation in the Garment Industry of Los Angeles." *International Migration Review* 33: 5-25.

Research Reports

Kim, Rebecca Y. 2008. *The State of Korean American Marriages*. Korean Churches for Community Development.
<http://www.kccd3300.org/KCCD/cms/assets/images/data/Thestateofkoreanamericanmarriages.pdf>

Research Essays

Kim, Rebecca Y. 2011. "Acts of sacrifice" *Faith and Leadership, Duke Divinity*, Reflection Essay on Missions, June 21. <http://www.faithandleadership.com/content/rebecca-y-kim-acts-sacrifice>
Kim, Rebecca Y. 2007. "Asian Americans for Jesus: Changing the Face of Campus Evangelicalism," in the *Social Science Research Council's Online Forums and Essays*. <http://religion.ssrc.org/reforum/Kim/>

Research Blog

Kim, Rebecca Y. 2015. "Why are missionaries in America?" Oxford University Press Blogs:
<http://blog.oup.com/2015/02/missionaries-america/>

Book Reviews

Younger-Generation Korean Experiences in the United States: Personal Narratives on Ethnic and Racial Identities, edited by Pyong Gap Min and Thomas Chung in *Contemporary Sociology: A Journal of Reviews*. Forthcoming 2015.
Global Diasporas and Mission, edited by Chandler H. Im and Amos Yong in *International Bulletin of Missionary Research* 39 (2): 2015.
Christians at the Border: Immigration, the Church, and the Bible, by M. Daniel Carroll Jr. in the *International Bulletin of Missionary Research* 38 (4): 2014.
Preserving Ethnicity through Religion in America, by Pyong Gap Min in the *Amerasia Journal* 39 (3): 131-134, 2013.
A Faith of Our Own: Second-Generation Spirituality in Korean American Churches, by Sharon Kim in the *Sociology of Religion* 72 (2): 239-240, 2011.
Immigration and Religion in America: Comparative and Historical Perspective, by Richard Alba, Albert J. Raboteau, and Josh DeWind in the *Journal of American Ethnic History* 30 (1): 123-124, 2010.
This Side of Heaven: Race, Ethnicity, and Christian Faith, by Robert J. Priest and Alvaro L. Nieves in the *Sociology of Religion* 71 (1): 126-127, 2010.
Sacred Assemblies and Civic Engagement: How Religion Matters for America's Newest Immigrants, by Fred Kniss and Paul D. Numrich in the *Journal of American Ethnic History* 29 (1): 81, 2009.
Deliverance and Submission: Evangelical Women and the Negotiation of Patriarchy in South Korea, by Kelly H. Chong in the *Journal of the Society of Asian North American Christian Studies*, 2009.
Getting Saved in America: Taiwanese Immigration and Religious Experience, by Carolyn Chen in the *Journal for the Scientific Study of Religion* 48 (1): 199-200, 2009.
Crossing the Ethnic Divide: The Multiethnic Church on a Mission, by Kathleen Garces-Foley in *Contemporary Sociology* 37 (2): 126-128, 2008.
Korean American Evangelicals: New Models for Civic Life, by Elaine Howard Ecklund. *American Journal of Sociology* 113 (3): 910-912, 2007.
Does God Belong in Public Schools? by Kent Greenawalt. *Journal of the American Academy of Religion* 74 (4): 1008-1011, 2006.
God in Chinatown: Religion and Survival in New York's Evolving Immigrant Community, by Kenneth J. Guest. *Journal of the American Academy of Religion* 73 (3): 929-931, 2005.
Chinese Christians in America: Conversion, Assimilation, and Adhesive Identities, by Fenggang Yang. *American Journal of Sociology* 105 (5): 1516-1517 (with Min Zhou), 2000.

Encyclopedia Publications

- Kim, Rebecca Y. Forthcoming. "Han" in *Encyclopedia of Christianity in the United States*. Rowman & Littlefield Publishers.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. Forthcoming. "Liminality" in *Encyclopedia of Christianity in the United States*. Rowman & Littlefield Publishers.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. Forthcoming. "Silent Exodus" in *Encyclopedia of Christianity in the United States*. Rowman & Littlefield Publishers.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2013. "Asian American Evangelicals on the College Campus" in *Asian Americans: An Encyclopedia of Social, Cultural, and Political History*. ABC-CLIO Greenwood.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2013. "Evangelicals and Korean American Community Formation" in *Asian Americans: An Encyclopedia of Social, Cultural, and Political History*. ABC-CLIO Greenwood.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2009. "Korean Americans and Religion" in *Asian American History and Culture: An Encyclopedia*. New York: M.E. Sharpe Publishing Group.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2009. "Assimilation and Acculturation" in *Asian American History and Culture: An Encyclopedia*. New York: M.E. Sharpe Publishing Group.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2006. "Korean American Folk Culture." in *American Folk Culture: An Encyclopedia*. New York: M.E. Sharpe Publishing Group.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. 2003. "Immigration: United States," in *Encyclopedia of Religious Freedom*. Massachusetts: Berkshire Publishing Group.

SELECTED RESEARCH GRANTS, FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS, AND HONORS

- 2014-2016 Research Project Team Member, *The Religious Leadership and Diversity Project*, funded by the Lilly Endowment, Inc.
- 2011-2016 Frank R. Seaver Professorship
- 2014-2016 Faculty/Student Mentorship Program Fellowship, Seaver College
- 2012, 2014 Release Time Award, Pepperdine University
- 2010-2012 Research Grant, John Templeton Foundation, USC Center for Religion and Civic Culture (\$10,000)
- 2009-2010 Seaver Research Council Grant (\$4,500)
- 2009-2010 Religious Institutions Grant Award, The Louisville Institute (\$39,877)
- 2009-2010 Research grant, the Institute for the Study of American Evangelicals, Wheaton College (\$1,000)
- 2010 Selected participant, *Power of Race in America* seminar, Calvin College (\$1,500)
- 2008-2009 Fellow of *Engaged Scholars Studying Congregations*, Lilly Endowment, Inc. (\$20,000)
- 2008-2009 Seaver Research Council, Research Grant, Pepperdine University
- 2008-2009 Release Time Award, Pepperdine University
- 2008 Selected participant, *Congregations and Religious Diversity in Contemporary America* seminars, Calvin College (\$2,000)
- 2007 Research director of the *Asian American Healthy Marriage Initiative Project with Korean Churches for Community Development*, funded by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Administration for Children and Families Office of Community Services (\$4,000).
- 2006-2009 Dean's Research Grant, Pepperdine University
- 2005-2006 Included in the ninth edition of *Who's Who Among America's Teachers*
- 2005-2006 Joseph H. Fichter Research Award, *Association for the Sociology of Religion*

- 2005-2006 “Changing Face of American Evangelicals,” Research Grant, Institute for the Study of American Evangelicals, Wheaton College (\$5,000)
- 2004-2006 Seaver Fellow, Social Science Division, Pepperdine University
- 2004-2006 Seaver Research Council, Research Grant, Pepperdine University
- 2004-2006 Release Time Award, Pepperdine University
- 2002-2003 Dissertation Fellowship Award, University of California Los Angeles
- 2001-2002 The Society for the Scientific Study of Religion Research Award, Division of Social Sciences, Alfred University
- 2001 Louisville Institute Dissertation Fellowship Award, The Louisville Institute, Kentucky
- 2001 Best Student Paper Award, “Assimilation, Ethnicity, and Religion: Korean American Campus Evangelicals’ Ethnic Religious Participation,” the International Migration Section of the American Sociological Association
- 2000 LeRoy Neiman Center Graduate Fellowship Award, LeRoy Neiman Center for the Study of American Society and Culture, University of California, Los Angeles
- 2000 Graduate Fellowship, Institute of American Cultures and the Asian American Studies, University of California, Los Angeles
- 1996-1999 Graduate Fellowship Award, Project 88, University of California, Los Angeles

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND ACTIVITIES

Membership

- American Sociological Association
- Asian and Pacific Americans and Religion Research Initiative
- Association for Asian American Studies
- Association for Sociology of Religion
- Society for the Scientific Study of Religion

Professional Service

- 2014-2016 Book Review Editor of *Sociology of Religion*
- 2010-present Editorial Board of *Religions*
- 2010-present Doctoral Committee Member, San Francisco Theological Seminary
- 2008-present Director of the Ethnic Studies Program, Seaver College, Pepperdine University
- 2012-2015 Council Member, *Association of the Sociology of Religion*
- 2012-2015 Publication Committee Member, *Association of the Sociology of Religion*
- 2014-2015 Publication Committee Chair, *Association of the Sociology of Religion*
- 2014-2015 Nomination Committee Member, *Society for the Scientific Study of Religion*
- 2011-2013 Steering Committee Member, *Theological Engagement with California’s Culture*
- 2011-2013 Advisor to the Asian Americans survey project, Pew Research Center
- 2010-2011 Nomination Committee Member, *Association for the Sociology of Religion*
- 2008-2010 Steering Committee Member, *Society of Asian North American Christian Studies*
- 2007-2010 Council Member, Asia and Asian American Section of the *American Sociological Association*
- 2007-2010 Chair of the Nomination Committee, Asia and Asian American Section of the *American Sociological Association*
- 2001-2002 Student Representative, International Migration Section of the *American Sociological Association*

Reviewed manuscripts for:

International Migration Review, Journal of the Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, Review of Religious Research, Journal for the Sociology of Religion, American Sociological Review, American Journal of Sociology, Journal of the American Academy of Religion, Social Forces, Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology, Temple University Press, Andrews University Press, Aging and Human Development, Studies in Ethnicity and Nationalism, Sociological Perspectives, Qualitative Sociology, Contemporary Sociology, Journal of American Ethnic History, Pastoral Psychology, Sociological Quarterly, Religions, International Bulletin of Missionary Research, New York University Press, Rutgers University Press, Journal of Asian American Studies, Social Problems, Journal of Presbyterian History, Palgrave Macmillan

Conference and Invited Paper Presentations

- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Spirit Moves West: Korean Missionaries in America," Authors Meets Critics Session at the annual meeting of the *Association for the Sociology of Religion*. Chicago, IL. August 20-22, 2015.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Next Generation: World Christianity, Immigration, and the Transmission of Faith," Research Seminar, Calvin College, MI, July 20-25, 2014.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Models of Church and Ministry for the Next Generation," invited paper presentation for The Next Generation in Ministry Conference of the *Korean American Presbyterian Church*, at the Presbyterian Theological Seminary in America. Santa Fe, CA, April 7, 2014.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Religion on the Move! New Dynamics of Religious Expansion in a Globalizing World," organizer and convener for Author Meets Critics at the annual meeting of the *Association for the Sociology of Religion*. New York, NY. August 11-12, 2013.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Korean Missionaries in the Neo-Colonial U.S. Empire," session paper at the annual meeting of the *Association for Asian American Studies*. Seattle, WA. April 18-20, 2013.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Spirit Moves West: Korean Missionaries in America," session paper at the annual meeting of the *Society for the Scientific Study of Religion*. Phoenix, AZ. November 9-11, 2012.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Worship across the Racial Divide," Author Meets Critics panelist at the annual meeting of the *Association for the Sociology of Religion*. Denver, CO. August 17-18, 2012.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Spirit Moves West," session paper at the annual meeting of *Yale-Edinburgh Missions Studies*. Edinburgh, Scotland. June 28-30, 2012.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Saving the Whites: Korean Missionaries in America," invited research presentation at the "*Religion on the Move*" Seminars, University of Southern California. March 21, 2012.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Global Pentecostalism? Korean Missionaries Saving WASPs in America," session paper at the annual meeting of the *Society for the Scientific Study of Religion*. Milwaukee, WI. October 28-30, 2011.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Preserving Ethnicity through Religion in America: Korean Protestants and Indian Hindus Across Generations," Author Meets Critics panelist at the annual meeting of the *Association for the Sociology of Religion*. Las Vegas, NV. August 18-20, 2011.
- Zhou, Min, Margaret Chin, and Rebecca Y. Kim. "The Transformation of Chinese America: New York and Los Angeles," session paper at the annual meeting of the *American Sociological Association*. Las Vegas, NV. August 20, 2011.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. Research consultation with the Board of the Louisville Institute on Religious Pluralism, Louisville, KY. September 2, 2010.

- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Korean Missionaries in America," invited research presentation at the Institute for the Study of American Evangelicals Regional Conference, New York Theological Seminary. September 17, 2010.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "God's New Ambassadors," session paper at the annual meeting of the *Association for the Sociology of Religion*. Atlanta, GA. August 13-15, 2010.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Managing Social and Religious Life." Presider/discussant, Asia and Asian American Studies, at the annual meeting of the *American Sociological Association*. Atlanta, GA. August 14-17, 2010.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Korean Missionaries in America," research presentation at the *Power of Race in American Religion Seminar*. Calvin College, MI. June 21-July 9, 2010.
- Zhou, Min, Rebecca Y. Kim, and Margaret Chin. "The Transformation of Chinese America: New York and Los Angeles," session paper, Mini-Conference AIA, 536 LaGuardia Place. June 29, 2010.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. Confluence: Asian American Churches and Ministry, invited Keynote Speaker at the Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, PA. June 9-12, 2010.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Korean Missionaries," session paper at the meeting of the British Sociological Association's *Sociology of Religion Study Group*, University of Edinburgh, Scotland. April 6-8, 2010.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. Invited panelist for the "Spiritual but not Religious: Chasing the Divine" 2010 Earl Lectures. *Pacific School of Religion*, Berkeley, CA, January 27, 2010.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. Invited panelist for the "Congregational Studies Project Team," *The Louisville Institute*, Louisville, KY. November 16-18, 2009.
- Zhou, Min, Margaret Chin, and Rebecca Y. Kim. "The Transformation of Chinese America: New York and Los Angeles," session paper. *Social Science History Association*. Long Beach, CA. November 12 2009.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Korean Missionaries in America?," session paper at the Annual Meeting of the *Society for The Scientific Study of Religion*. Denver, CO. October 23-25, 2009.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Asian Americans and Youth Studies," presider/discussant, Asia and Asian American Studies, annual meeting of the *American Sociological Association*. San Francisco, CA. August 9-11, 2009.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. Invited panelist for "Globalization and Faith: Scholarly Reflections," *Asian Pacific American Religion Research Initiative*. Claremont McKenna College, Claremont, August 8, 2009.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "God's New Ambassadors: Korean Missionaries," research presentation, *Engaged Scholars Studying Congregations: A Program of Mentoring, Networking, and Research*, Craigville Conference Center, Cape Cod, MA. June 22-25, 2009.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "God's New Whiz Kids and God's New Ambassadors?" Invited research presentation, Korean Lectureship, Calvin College, March 2-3, 2009.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Assimilation, Ethnicity, and Religion: Korean American Campus Evangelicals," Invited research presentation, *Religion, Politics, and Globalization Program Lecture Series*, University of California at Berkeley, CA. September 10, 2008.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Looking Beyond the Model Minority Stereotype: Korean American Marriages," Sociology of the Family Roundtable Session, Annual Meeting of the *American Sociological Association*. Boston, MA. August 3, 2008.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Reverse Missionaries in America," Research presentation, *Engaged Scholars Studying Congregations: A Program of Mentoring, Networking, and Research*. Cape Cod, MA. July 27-31, 2008.

- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Reverse Missionaries in America," Research presentation, *Congregations and Religious Diversity in Contemporary America Seminar*. Calvin College, MI. June 23-July 18, 2008.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "God's New Whiz Kids: Korean American Campus Evangelicals" Invited book presentation for *The Henry Luce Foundation Colloquium Series on Korean Christianity*. University of California at Los Angeles, Center for Korean Studies. April 29, 2008.
- Zhou, Min and Rebecca Y. Kim. "Rethinking Residential Assimilation through the Case of the Chinese Ethn suburb in San Gabriel Valley, California," session paper at the annual meeting of the *Association for Asian American Studies*. Atlanta, GA. April 3-6, 2008.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "God's New Whiz Kids: Korean American Campus Evangelicals," Book presentation at the Pepperdine University Payson Library, Malibu. November 20, 2007.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. Report of Current Research at the Seaver Social Science Faculty Meeting. Pepperdine, Malibu. October 10, 2007.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Asians and Asian Americans," session paper discussant at the annual meeting of the *American Sociological Association*. New York: NY. August 13, 2007.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "God's New Whiz Kids: Korean American Campus Evangelicals," Author Meets Critics panelist at the annual meeting of the *Association for Asian American Studies*. New York: NY. April 6, 2007.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Ethnicity and Religion: Theoretical Connections," Working paper presentation at the *Person and Society Seminar*. Pepperdine University: March 28, 2007.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Asia and Asian America: Identity Formation and Incorporation," session paper discussant at the annual meeting of the *American Sociological Association*, Palais des congrès de Montréal. August 11-14, 2006.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "The Intersections of Race, Class, and Gender," at the *Women's Leadership Forum*, sponsored by the Intercultural Office, Seaver College, Pepperdine University. February 15, 2006.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Changing Face of American Evangelicalism: Asian American Campus Evangelicals," research presentation, the *Institute for the Study of American Evangelicals*. Wheaton College, IL. October 13-14, 2005.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Changing Face of Evangelicalism: Asian American College Campus Evangelicals," research presentation, the *Institute for the Study of American Evangelicals*, Grand Rapids, MI: June 23, 2005.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. Panelist, "First Year Reflections about Faith, Learning, and Diversity." Faculty Conference, Pepperdine University, CA: October, 2004.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. Panelist, "Immigrant Children." *Global Migration Forum: Transatlantic Dialogue*. Georgetown University, Washington D.C.: May, 2004.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. Panelist, "Immigrants, Religious Congregations, and the Civil Society," *Faith and Public Policy Conference*. Pepperdine, CA: March, 2004.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Diversity and Youth Ministry," research presentation. *Princeton University Forum on Youth Ministry*. Mt. Hermon, CA. January, 2003.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Negotiating Ethnic and Religious Boundaries: Second-Generation Korean American College Evangelicals," session paper at the annual meeting of *Asian Pacific American Religion Research Initiative*. Berkeley, CA. August 2003.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Asian American Campus Evangelicals: Ethnic and Religious Boundary Maintenance," session paper at annual meeting of the *American Sociological Association*. Chicago, IL. August 2002.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Asian American Campus Evangelicals," research presentation at the *Annual Winter Seminar: The Louisville Institute*. Louisville, KY. January 2002.

- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Second Generation Korean American Campus Evangelicals: Constructing Cohesive and Shifting Boundaries," session paper at the annual meeting of the *Society for the Scientific Study of Religion* conference. Columbus, OH. October 2001.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Religion and the New Immigrants," Author Meets Critics panelist at the annual meeting of the *Association for Sociology of Religion*. Anaheim, CA. August 2001.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Campus Evangelical Organizations: Ethnicity, Religion, and Assimilation of Asian Americans," session paper at the annual meeting of the *Association for Asian American Studies*. Canada, Toronto. March 2001.
- Zhou, Min and Rebecca Y. Kim. "New Chinese Immigrant Organizations in the United States: Beyond Chinatowns and National Boundaries," research presentation, "*Responses of Chinese Community Organizations to Globalisation Pressures and Opportunities: Comparative International Perspectives*." Singapore. March 2001.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Korean American Campus Evangelical Organizations," research presentation at the meeting of *Korean American Religion*. Princeton Theological Seminary. Princeton, NJ. September 2000.
- Zhou, Min and Rebecca Y. Kim. "The Paradox of Ethnicization and Assimilation: The Development and Diversification of Voluntary Associations in Chinese Immigrant Community in the United States," research presentation at the meeting of the *International Conference for Asian Scholars*. Germany, Berlin. August 2000.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Asian American Campus Evangelicals," research presentation at the annual meeting of *Asian Pacific American Religions Initiative*. Santa Barbara, CA. June 2000.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Ethnic Differences in Academic Achievement between Vietnamese and Cambodian 1.5 and Second Generation Children," session paper at the annual meeting of the *Population Association of America*. Los Angeles, CA. March 2000.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Academic Achievement of Vietnamese and Cambodian Children," session paper at the annual meeting of the *American Sociological Association*. Chicago, IL. August 1999.
- Kim, Rebecca Y. "Academic Achievement of Second and 1.5 Generation Vietnamese and Cambodian Children," presented at the conference on "Immigrant Children" at the *UCLA Lewis Center for Regional and Policy Studies*. Los Angeles, CA. May 1998.