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# **APPOINTMENTS**

Assistant Professor	2020.09.01-present
College of Media, Arts, and Science, Sogang University	
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School of Communications, Dankook University	
Research Professor	2017.10.01-2020.02.29
Social Integration Research Center, Kangwon National University	
EDUCATION	
Ph.D. in Media and Information Studies	2011.08.16-2017.08.17
Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI	
M.S. in Culture Technology	2007.02.23-2009.01.30
KAIST, Daejeon, South Korea	
B.S. in Industrial Engineering and in Statistics (dual degree)	1999.03.01-2006.02.24
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#### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Human-Computer Interaction; Online Social Influence; Psychological Effects of Information Technologies; Quantitative Research Methods

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- Kadylak, T., Makki, T., Francis, J., Cotten, S., Rikard, R.V., & **Sah, Y. J.** (2017, May). *An analysis of older adults' views on the impact of mobile phone use during FtF interactions*. Paper presented at the annual conference of the International Communication Association, San Diego, CA.
- Sah, Y. J., Makki, J. W., Cotten, S. R., & Rikard, R. V., (2017, May) *Distributing computing devices in classrooms: Hedonic and utilitarian benefits toward technology attitudes*. Paper presented at the annual conference of Partnership for Progress on the Digital Divide, San Diego, CA.
- **Sah, Y. J.,** & Peng, W. (2016, August). *Social influence on the Net: Majority effect on posters and minority effect on lurkers*. Paper presented at the 98th annual conference of the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication, Minneapolis, MN.
- Joo, E., **Sah, Y. J.,** & Peng, W. (2016, June). *Does what my neighbors do still matter to me when shopping online? Examining the impacts of location-based social identity on the consumer decision making process.* Paper presented at the 66th annual conference of the International Communication Association, Fukuoka, Japan
- Ratan, R., Sah, Y. J., Rikard, R. V., & Wanek, C. (2016, June). Avatarifying communication in education: Using avatars to enhance student self-efficacy and performance. Paper presented at the 66th annual conference of the International Communication Association, Fukuoka, Japan
- Ratan, R., Verberne, F., **Sah, Y. J.,** Miller, D., Semmens, R., & Renius, W., (2016, June). *KITT, please stop distracting me: Examining the effects of communication in cars and social presence on safe driving.* Paper presented at the 66th annual conference of the International Communication Association, Fukuoka, Japan
- **Sah, Y. J.,** & Peng, W. (2015, Nov). *How does interactivity render people susceptible? A mediating role of action identity in immersive media.* Paper presented at the 101st annual conference of the National Communication Association, Las Vegas, NV.
- **Sah, Y. J.,** Ratan, R., Tsai, H. S., Peng, W., & Sarinopoulos, I. (2015, Nov). *You are what you avatar:* Examining food choice effects of avatar-manifested self-concept. Paper presented at the 101st annual conference of the National Communication Association, Las Vegas, NV.
- Ratan., R., Sah, Y. J., Renius, W., Miller, D., Semmens, R., Rosseter, D., Kroske, M., Powell, P., & Mong, T. (2015). Slow Down and Please Vote for Pedro: Virtual instructor identity effects on driver performance and persuasion. Presented at the AutomotiveUI annual conference, Workshop on User Experience of Autonomous Driving, Nottingham, UK.
- Ratan, R., Sah, Y. J., Wanek, C., Johnson, L., McKinley, M., & Rikard, R. V. (2015, Jul). Avatars in Education FTW: An examination of how avatar use influences student communication, understanding, and performance motivation. Paper presented at the Games and Learning Society 11 Conference, Madison, WI.

- **Sah, Y. J.,** Ratan, R., Chirackal, J., Doan, L., Johnson, C., Kunzelman, G., & Srivastava, S. (2014, Oct). *What does make players want to play more? A moderating role of construal level of game.* Paper presented at Meaningful Play 2014, East Lansing, MI.
- Sah, Y. J., & Tasi, H. Y. S., Ratan, R., Peng, W., & Sarinopoulos, I. (2014, Oct). Avatar projecting actual, ideal, or ought self: Which one do we feel close to? Paper presented at Meaningful Play 2014, East Lansing, MI.
- Sah, Y. J., & You, S. (2014, May). *Talking to an agent in smart TV: Effects of modality matching in Human-TV interaction on viewing experience*. Paper presented at the 64th annual conference of the International Communication Association, Seattle, WA [TOP 3 STUDENT PAPER in Communication & Technology Division].
- **Sah, Y. J.,** Peng, W., & Huh, J. (2014, April). *How do we benefit from online social comparison?*Paper presented at the 2014 CHI Workshop on Personalizing Behavior Change Technologies. Toronto, Canada.
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- Ratan, R. & Sah, Y. J. (2013, June). Leveling up on Stereotype Threat: Examining (de)motivation effects of avatar identity. Paper presented at the 63rd Annual Conference of the International Communication Association, London, UK.
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- **Sah, Y. J.,** & Lee, K., M. (2011, May). *Cultural difference in video game experiences: Cognitive and subjective response to avatar and game environment.* Paper presented at the 61st annual conference of the International Communication Association, Boston, MA.
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