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## Biography

Professor Peggy Levitt is Professor of Sociology in the Department of Sociology at the Wellesley College. She is an Associate at the Weatherhead Center for International Affairs at Harvard University where she co-directs The Politics and Social Change Workshop. She is co-founder of the Global (De) Centre (with Maurice Crul) and a Robert Schuman Fellow at European University Institute (2017-2019). Professor Levitt received honorary doctoral degrees from the University of Maastricht in 2014 and from the University of Helsinki in 2017.

Professor Levitt's research interests include global arts and culture, museums, international migration, transnational relations and processes, development, and religion.



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## Biography

Professor Kangsan Lee is Assistant Professor of Social Research and Public Policy in the Division of Social Science at the New York University Abu Dhabi.

Professor Lee is a sociologist whose research and teaching interests include economic sociology, organizations, sociology of culture and art, entrepreneurship, social networks, and creative industries. His current research examines transnational status dynamics and organizational cognition between local and global markets, concentrating on fields that experience a rapid environmental shift. His works have been published in *Poetics* (Journal of Empirical Research on Culture, the Media, and the Arts) and as book chapters. His research has been supported through Buffett Institute for International Studies and recognized and invited to several conferences and colloquiums, including ASA, AOM, EGOS, ACEI, University of Alberta, University of Amsterdam, University of Edinburgh, and HEC Paris.



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## Biography

Ms Chantal Alejandra Valdivia is Research Assistant at the Wellesley College. She is a rising senior double majoring in Sociology & Psychology. She assembles biographical data/global rankings of Lebanese, South Korean, and Argentine artists and runs initial analyses of immigration patterns across the three artist groups.

Ms Valdivia is interested in pursuing doctoral studies to study patterns of play, parenting, and discipline within the Chicane/Latine community.