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EDUCATION

- 2018 Ph.D. Cornell University, Development Sociology
2015 M.Sc. Cornell University, Development Sociology
2010 M.Phil. *with distinction*, University of Cambridge, Development Studies
2009 B.A. *summa cum laude*, Korea University, International Studies, Journalism & Communication

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2020- Assistant Professor, ERG and ESPM, University of California, Berkeley
2018-20 Assistant Professor of Geography, Graduate School of Geography, Clark University
Affiliate Faculty: Women's and Gender Studies Program; Dept. of International Development, Community, and Environment

GRANTS, AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS (SELECT)

- 2020 Research Incentive Award, Clark University
2019 Hodgkins Junior Faculty Fellowship for Excellence in Research and Teaching, Clark University
2018 Philip Taietz Prize for the Most Outstanding Conference Paper, Department of Development Sociology, Cornell University
2016 Center for the Study of Inequality Seed Grant, Cornell University
2015 International Dissertation Research Fellowship, Social Science Research Council (SSRC)
2015 Graduate School Research Travel Grant, Cornell University
2014 Dissertation Proposal Development Fellowship, SSRC
2014 Advancing Women in Agriculture through Research and Education (AWARE) Initiative Research Travel Grant, International Programs–College of Agriculture and Life Sciences (IP-CALS), Cornell University
2014 Mario Einaudi Center for International Studies Research Travel Grant, Cornell University
2013 Contested Global Landscapes Theme Project Graduate Research Fellowship, ISS, Cornell University
2013 Institute for African Development Research Travel Grant, Cornell University
2013 Documentary Singles Finalist, The New York Photo Festival
2012 CALS Excellence Fellowship, Cornell University
2010 Jesus College Foundation Scholarship for M.Phil. Distinction, University of Cambridge
2009 United Kingdom Foreign and Commonwealth Office Chevening Scholarship, University of Cambridge

PUBLICATIONS

Referred Journal Articles

- Forthcoming **Chung, Y. B.** The Case of Three Male Elders: Land Grabbing, Lawfare, and Intersectional Politics of Exclusion in Tanzania. *African Studies Review*
- 2020 **Chung, Y. B.** Governing a Liminal Land Deal: The Biopolitics and Necropolitics of Gender. *Antipode* 52(3): 722-741. <https://doi.org/10.1111/anti.12612>
- 2019 **Chung, Y. B.**, S. L. Young, and R. Bezner Kerr. Rethinking the Value of Unpaid Care Work: Lessons from Participatory Visual Research in Central Tanzania. *Gender, Place, and Culture* 26(11): 1544-1569. <https://doi.org/10.1080/0966369X.2018.1556611>
- 2019 **Chung, Y. B.** The Grass Beneath: Conservation, Agro-Industrialization, and Land-Water Enclosures in Postcolonial Tanzania. *Annals of the American Association of Geographers* 109(1): 1-17. <https://doi.org/10.1080/24694452.2018.1484685>

- 2017 **Chung, Y. B.** Engendering the New Enclosures: Development, Involuntary Resettlement and the Struggles for Social Reproduction in Coastal Tanzania, *Development and Change* 48(1): 98-120. <https://doi.org/10.1111/dech.12288>

Book Chapters

- 2020 **Chung, Y. B.** Gender and Land Grabbing. In the *Routledge Handbook of Gender and Agriculture*, edited by C. Sachs, K. Sexsmith, and L. Jenson, 114-125. <https://doi.org/10.4324/9780429199752>

Books and Edited Volumes in Preparation

Chung, Y. B. *Sweet Deal, Bitter Landscape: Gender Politics of Liminality in Tanzania's New Enclosures*. Book manuscript to be submitted to Cornell University Press Series on Land: New Perspectives in Territory, Development, and Environment, June 2021.

Chung, Y. B. and M. Gagné. Understanding Land Deals in Limbo: Actors, Processes, and Relationships. A special issue in *African Studies Review*, publication expected September 2021.

Other Publications

- 2019 **Chung, Y. B.** Gender and Rural Poverty. *Policy in Focus: A Publication of the International Policy Centre for Inclusive Growth* 16(1): 52-53. http://www.ipc-undp.org/pub/eng/PIF44_Rural_poverty_reduction_in_the_21st_century.pdf
- 2018 **Chung, Y. B.** Putting Agriculture First without Farmers and Land? Reflections on Tanzania's Road to Green Revolution. AGRA Watch Blog Post. Seattle: Community Alliance for Global Justice. * <https://cagj.org/2018/06/putting-agriculture-first-without-farmers-and-land-reflections-on-tanzanias-road-to-green-revolution/> *Republished by Food First.
- 2016 **Chung, Y. B.** Gendered Impacts of Large-Scale Land Acquisitions, with a Focus on Women's Land and Forest Rights: A Literature Review. Washington, D.C.: Rights and Resources Initiative.
- 2012 **Chung, Y. B.** and C. Billingsley. Climate Resilient Sustainable Agriculture: A Real Alternative to False Solutions. London and Johannesburg: ActionAid International. <http://www.actionaid.org/publications/climate-resilient-sustainable-agriculture-real-alternative-false-solutions>
- 2012 Tripathi, R., **Chung, Y. B.** et al. What Works for Women: Proven Approaches for Empowering Women Smallholders and Achieving Food Security. London: ActionAid International, CARE, Christian Aid, Concern Worldwide, Find Your Feet, Oxfam, Practical Action, Save the Children, and Self Help Africa. <http://www.actionaid.org/publications/what-works-women-proven-approaches-empowering-women-smallholders-and-achieving-food-sec>
- 2012 **Chung, Y. B.** Climate Resilient Sustainable Agriculture: Experiences from ActionAid and its Partners. London and Johannesburg: ActionAid International. <http://www.actionaid.org/publications/climate-resilient-sustainable-agriculture-experiences-actionaid-and-its-partners>

PRESENTATIONS

Conferences, Workshops, and Panels Organized

- 2017 Co-Chair with Marie Gagné, Understanding Land Deals in Limbo: Actors, Institutions, and Governance in Senegal and Tanzania (Discussant: Dr. Wendy Wolford), African Studies Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, November 15-19.
- 2015 Co-Organizer with Ritwick Ghosh, Lay of the Land: Property, Territory, and Governance Dissertation Proposal Workshop (Discussant and Keynote Speaker: Dr. James McCarthy), Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, May 7.
- 2014 Co-Organizer with Ryan Nehring and Prabhat Gautam, Contested Global Landscapes Graduate Student Research Paper Workshop (Discussant and Keynote Speaker: Dr. Michael Watts), Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, 9 May.

Invited Talks and Panels

- 2021 Governing Liminality: Gendered Politics of Life and Death in Tanzania's New Enclosures. Berkeley Geography Colloquium, Berkeley, CA, April 21.
- 2021 Plantations and Control: Mechanisms and Meanings. A Virtual Conversation on the Plantationocene, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, April 15.
- 2020 History, Gender, and the Politics of New Enclosures in Coastal Tanzania. Energy and Resources Group and the Department of Environmental Science, Policy, and Management Colloquium, University of California, Berkeley, CA, March 2.

- 2019 Feminist Political Ecology of Land-Water Enclosures in Coastal Tanzania. George Perkins March Institute Seminar, Clark University, Worcester, MA, September 12.
- 2019 Environmental and Reproductive Justice: Thinking with Postcolonial and Posthumanist Intersectionality. Nature/Society Workshop, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY, October 11-12.
- 2019 Teaching Radical Geographies: Critical Pedagogy and the Ideal Course. Antipode Institute for the Geographies of Justice, Mexico City, Mexico, June 17-21.
- 2019 The Question of Race and Ethnicity in Postcolonial, Postsocialist Tanzania. Invited panelist for the session on Current Topics in Eastern Africa, American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., April 4-8.
- 2017 Visualizing Nature/Society Geographies Using Photovoice. Nature/Society Workshop, Clark University, Worcester, MA, September 15-16.
- 2017 Historicizing, Engendering, and Politicizing Large-Scale Land Deals in Tanzania: Lessons from Bagamoyo. Landesa and Land Portal Discussion on Responsible Investments in Land: Perspectives from Tanzania and Globally, June 5-16.
- 2017 Social Dimensions of Biofuel Investments. Panelist for a session on the Geographies of Negative Emissions, American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, April 5-9.
- 2017 The Grass Beneath Two Jostling Elephants: Conservation, Development, and Agrarian Change in Coastal Tanzania. Department of Development Sociology Brown Bag Seminar, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, February 17.
- 2014 Unsettling Land Grab-Induced Displacement in Coastal Tanzania. IP-CALS & AWARE Seminar, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, December 8.

Conference Papers

- 2019 Go Back to Where You Came From! Land Question and the Politics of Belonging in Postsocialist Tanzania. African Studies Association Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, November 21-24.
- 2019 The Curious Case of Three Elders: Perverse Legal Resistance to Land Grabbing in Coastal Tanzania. American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Washington, D.C., April 4-8.
- 2017 Managing a Liminal Land Deal: Biopolitics and the Reproduction of Gender in Coastal Tanzania. African Studies Association Annual Meeting, Chicago, IL, November 15-19.
- 2017 From Title Deeds to Mango Trees: Contesting Hegemonic Land Claims through Photovoice in Bagamoyo District, Tanzania. American Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Boston, MA, April 5-9.
- 2017 The Grass Beneath Two Jostling Elephants: Conservation, Development, and Agrarian Change in Coastal Tanzania. Dimensions of Political Ecology Conference, Lexington, KY, February 23-25.
- 2015 Engendering the Land Grab: Development, Involuntary Resettlement, and the Struggles for Social Reproduction in Coastal Tanzania. Sociology of Development Conference, Brown University, Providence, RI, March 13-15.
- 2014 Engendering the Land Grab: Unsettling Involuntary Resettlement in Coastal Tanzania. African Studies Association Annual Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, November 20-23.
- 2014 Grabbing Life: Gender, Land Grab, and Struggles for Social Reproduction in Coastal Tanzania. Eastern Sociological Society Annual Meeting, Baltimore, MD, February 20-23.

Guest Lectures

- 2021 A Feminist Perspective on Historical Political Economy. ESPM 168: Political Ecology (Dr. Nancy Peluso/Jesse Williamson), Department of Environmental Science, Policy, and Management, University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, March 11.
- 2017 Gender, Land, and Agrarian Change. DSOC/FGSS 3230: Gender and Global Change (Dr. Lori Leonard), Department of Development Sociology/Feminist Gender and Sexuality Studies, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, November 8.
- 2017 The Global Land Grab. DSOC 2050: International Development (Dr. Phil McMichael, and Dr. Rachel Bezner Kerr), Department of Development Sociology, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, March 8.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

African Studies Association
 American Association of Geographers
 International Visual Sociology Association

RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

- 2015 Research Consultant, Rights and Resources Initiative, Washington, D.C., USA
2013 Research Consultant, International Food Security Network, Dhaka, Bangladesh
2010-12 Research and Communication Officer, ActionAid International, London, UK
2010 Program and Projects Assistant, PhotoVoice, London, UK
2009 Community Development Volunteer, Korea Volunteer Organization and UVIKIUTA, Zanzibar, Tanzania

SERVICE (SELECT)

University and Departmental Service

UC Berkeley

- 2020-present Member, Diversity Committee, ERG
2020-present Member, S. V. Ciriacy-Wantrup Postdoctoral Fellowship Committee
2020-present Faculty Representative/Voting Committee Member, The Green Fund Initiative Fund

Clark University

- 2020 Member, Department Administrator Search Committee, Graduate School of Geography
2019-20 Member, Colloquium Committee, Graduate School of Geography
2018-20 Member, Graduate Studies Committee, Graduate School of Geography

Cornell University

- 2014-15 Member, Department of Development Sociology Seminar Committee
2013-15 Member, Food Studies Collective
2013-15 Member, Humanities and Social Sciences Africanist Group
2013-15 Vice President, Development Sociology Graduate Student Collective

Manuscript Reviews

Agriculture and Human Values; Annals of the American Association of Geographers; Land Use Policy; Gender, Place & Culture; Global Environmental Change; World Development

TEACHING AND ADVISING

Courses Taught **undergrad* †*grad* °*planned*

UC Berkeley

- Gender and Environment*
Agrarian Questions: Land, Labor, and Livelihoods†°
Animals, Nature, Culture**
Qualitative Research Methods: Theory and Practice†°

Clark University

- Gender and Environment*
Agrarian Questions: Land, Labor, and Livelihoods**†
Taste, Culture, Power: Historical Geographies of Food**†
Qualitative Research Methods: Theory and Practice†

Cornell University

- Sugar, Caffeine, and the Global Economy (Instructor of Record)*
Gender and Global Change (Teaching Assistant for Prof. Lori Leonard)*
International Development (Teaching Assistant for Prof. Philip McMichael & Prof. Rachel Bezner Kerr)*

Students Advised

Jessica Craigg (Committee Chair, Ph.D. ERG, expected 2025)

Andrés Salcedo (Committee Co-Chair, Ph.D. ESPM, expected 2026)

James LaChance (Committee member, Ph.D. ESPM, expected 2021)

Crossley Pinkstaff (Committee member, Ph.D., ESPM, expected 2023)

Alejo Garcia (Quals committee member, Ph.D. ESPM, expected 2025)

Mwangi Chege (External committee member, Ph.D., Geography, Clark University, expected 2024)

LANGUAGES

Korean (Fluent)

Swahili (Advanced; over three years of instruction at SOAS, Cornell, and the State University of Zanzibar)

French (Intermediate, *Diplôme d'Études en Langue Française, Niveau B1*)