

Curriculum Vitae

(Session 3) Knowledge Sharing for Developing Ports(with ADB) From Bottlenecks to Breakthroughs: Financing Solutions for the Global Port and Maritime Sector

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Accomplished public policy and economic affairs professional with over 30 years of experience in international economic and financial cooperation, diplomacy, and national budget planning. Demonstrated leadership across high-level government positions and multilateral institutions, including as Executive Director of the Asian Development Bank. Expertise in macroeconomic strategy, development finance, G20 coordination, and fostering Korea's international partnership.

Career Overview

- Over 3 decades in public service, specializing in bilateral and multilateral economic cooperation, welfare budgeting and economic policy and financial regulations.
- Held senior roles at the Ministry of Economy and Finance, Office of the President, and National Economic Advisory Council for the President.
- Played a key role in Korea's G20 Presidency and ADB engagements.
- Advanced economic diplomacy as Deputy Consul General in LA and Financial Attaché in Washington, DC.
- Led initiatives promoting Korea's presence in global financial institutions and technical assistance programs.

Education

- Master of Laws (LL.M), 2008, Washington College of Law, American University
- Public Policy Course, 1992, Graduate School of Public Administration, Seoul National University
- B.A. in Economics, 1990, Seoul National University

