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1996 Ph.D. in Education, Dongguk University
1988 M.P.A. in Public Administration, Seoul National University
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1975 B.A. in Philosophy, Seoul National University

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE :

2012-2013 President, Uiduk University
2008-2012 Visiting research fellow, Korean Educational Development Institute;
Visiting Professor, Gyeongin National University of Education;
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2007-2008 Vice Minister, Ministry of Education and Human Resources
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2004 Visiting Fellow, East-West Center
2002-2004 Dean of General Administration, Seoul National University
2001-2002 Director General, University Support Division, MEHRD
1999-2001 Vice Superintendent, Gyeonggi Provincial Office of Education
1994-1996 Visiting Fellow, Institute of Education, University of London
1979-1999 After joining the Ministry of Education (MOE), he worked for several
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1979 Passed the Higher Civil Service Examination on Government
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