

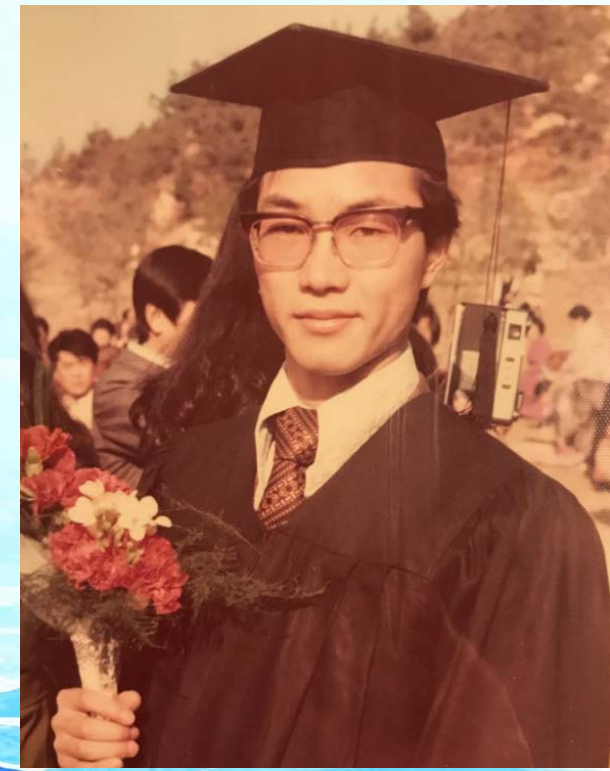
Wooster Award (2017)



Dr. Suam Kim

Pukyong National University
(Busan, Republic of Korea)

Dr. Suam Kim in his Early Days



Dr. Kim grew his love for nature from a young age.

He dreamt of climbing Mt. Everest someday in his future.





Young Dr. Kim loved
mountains and friends,



Well nowadays,

it seems like
he has found
his new interest!

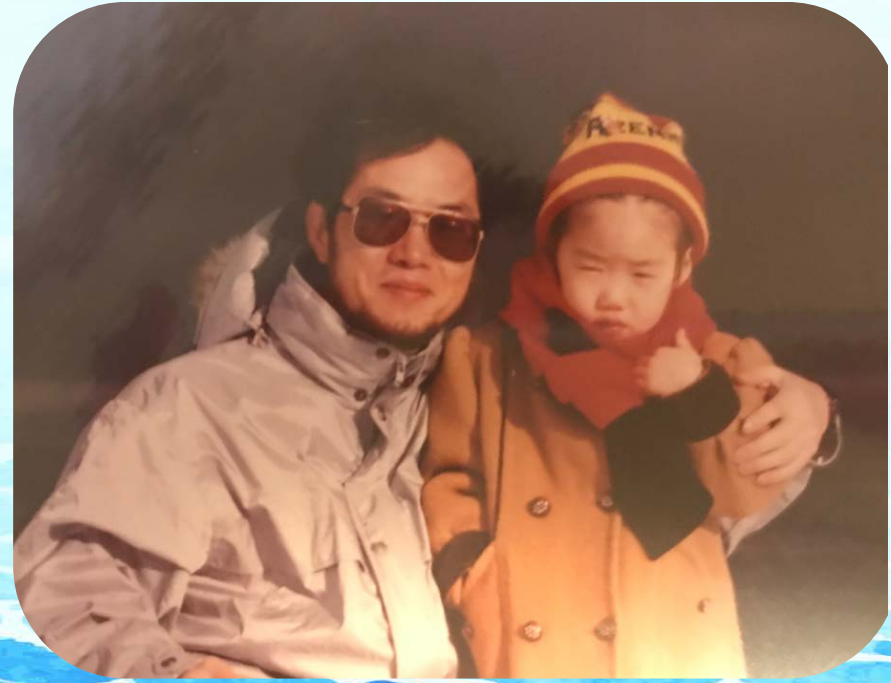


Soon,

he met the love of his life
whom he decided to spend
the rest of his life with



and later, two became three



Education Journey

➤ **1972 - 1976**

B.A. Oceanography

Seoul National University (Seoul, South Korea)

➤ **1976 - 1979**

M.S. Marine Biology

Seoul National University (Seoul, South Korea)

➤ **1982 - 1987**

Ph.D in Fisheries Oceanography

University of Washington (Seattle, WA, USA)

Graduation photo at the UW fountain with his wife.



As a novice scientist/researcher...



Korean Antarctic Research Program; The Antarctic King Sejong Station

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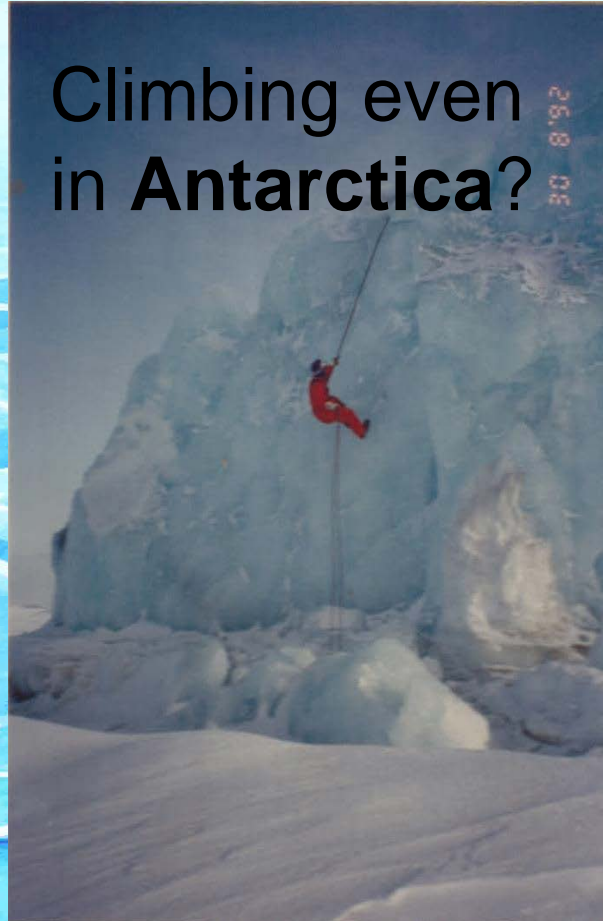


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Korean Antarctic
Research Program

Dr. Suam Kim has given
the position as the 5th
captain for the King
Sejong Station

Climbing even
in Antarctica?



After returning to Korea, he was assigned to go to **Antarctic** as a captain.

Some Important Pubs

Rapp. P.-v. Réun. Cons. int. Explor. Mer, 191: 127–136. 1989

Distribution and transport of larval walleye pollock (*Theragra chalcogramma*) in Shelikof Strait, Gulf of Alaska, in relation to water movement

Suam Kim and Arthur W. Kendall, Jr.

Kim, Suam, and Kendall, Arthur W., Jr. 1989. Distribution and transport of larval walleye pollock (*Theragra chalcogramma*) in Shelikof Strait, Gulf of Alaska, in relation to water movement. – Rapp. P.-v. Réun. Cons. int. Explor. Mer, 191: 127–136.

Based on the distribution of walleye pollock spring (April/May) 1981 and 1983, larval transport and nursery areas are proposed. Following a two-stagnant bottom waters, the hatching larvae in the southwest current regime. If they rise close to the surface, they are rapidly flushed out in the main trough of the current in the Alaska Coastal Current in the southwestern strait in 1981, and reached the shallow area west of the strait. Once they reached the shallow area west of the strait, they were advected at a reduced rate (ca. 1.5 km d⁻¹).

FISHERIES OCEANOGRAPHY

The effect of seasonal anomalies of seawater temperature and salinity on the fluctuation in yields of small yellow croaker, *Pseudosciaena polyactis*, in the Yellow Sea

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ABSTRACT

To include the effects of environmental factors on the production of small yellow croaker, *Pseudosciaena polyactis* Bleeker, in the Yellow Sea, we applied time

FISHERIES OCEANOGRAPHY

Fish. Oceanogr. 9:3, 239–247, 2000

Ecological variations and El Niño effects off the southern coast of the Korean Peninsula during the last three decades

2000

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ABSTRACT

To explore ecosystem response to environmental changes, we investigated interannual and decadal changes in the marine ecosystem using data collected from the southern coast of the Korean Peninsula during the 1960s–1990s. Water properties such as surface temperature (SST) and salinity in April did not show large variation during the 1970s, but

correlated with chl *a* and zooplankton during their early life periods, as well as with SST in December.

Key words: decadal change, El Niño effect, marine ecosystem, SOI, South Sea of Korea

INTRODUCTION

Biological communities are influenced strongly by variation of the physical environment in their habitats. In the marine ecosystem, oceanic and atmo-

Fish. Oceanogr. 6:1, 1–9, 1997

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may cause the increase in the following year's yield of this fish species. When used to predict catches in 1989 and 1990, the AR(1) model explained 40% of the variances of the observed landings.

Key words: autoregressive regression, cross-correlation coefficient, small yellow croaker, time series analysis, Yellow Sea

INTRODUCTION

Subtle changes in environment may cause profound changes in population abundances (Kareiva, 1995). Environmental fluctuation has been suggested to be a controlling factor of the variation in fish year-class strength over time (Hjort, 1914). However both bio-

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2012

Comparison of fisheries yield and oceanographic features at the southern boundaries of the western and eastern Subarctic Pacific Ocean

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Kim, S., Kang, S., Zhang, C.-I., Seo, H., Kang, M., and Kim, J. J. 2012. Comparison of fisheries yield and oceanographic features at the southern boundaries of the western and eastern Subarctic Pacific Ocean. – ICES Journal of Marine Science, 69: 1141–1147.

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The ecological characteristics of fish communities were compared at the southern boundaries of the eastern and western Subarctic Pacific, based on oceanography, fishery information, and ecological features. Sea surface temperature (SST) was higher in the western North Pacific (NP) than in the eastern NP, and changes in SST showed regional and temporal alternating patterns. Cool and warm SST regimes were observed in the western NP during the early 1980s and the early 2000s, respectively, compared with warm and cool regimes in the eastern NP. Increasing SSTs were more conspicuous in the western than in the eastern NP. Catches from commercial fisheries were higher in the western NP than in the eastern NP. Small pelagic fish were dominant in the western NP, whereas demersal behaviour was common for fish populations in the eastern NP. Changes in species composition also showed contrasting characteristics between the two regions. In the western NP during the early 1980s, landings were dominated (35.8%) by sardine. After two decades, however, landings consisted of a more diverse species group. In the eastern NP, five species appeared in similar percentages (~10% each) during the early 1980s, but hake alone made up 36.3% of the landings in the early 2000s.

Keywords: environmental changes, fisheries catch composition, marine ecosystem, North Pacific, sea surface temperature.



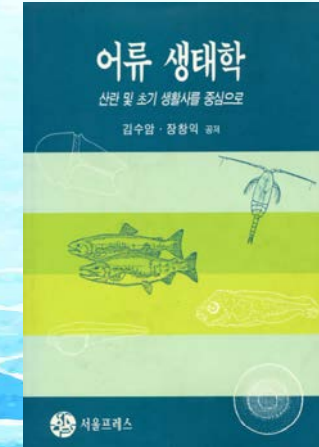
Major Korean Publications



Evaluation on
Marine Life
Resources based on
Marine Investigation
(1991)



Antarctic Science Story
(1994)



Fish Ecology (1994)



Polar Regions
(2009)



Fisheries
Oceanography
(2011)



Marine Life Resources
and Climate Changes
(2014)



해양생물자원과 기후변화
(2014)

Professional History

- **Co-Chairman of PICES/GLOBEC Climate Change and Carrying Capacity (CCCC), 1998~2000, 2003~2006**
- **Co-Chairman of Joint PICES/ICES Working Group on Forecasting Climate Change Impacts on Fish and Shellfish (WGFCCIFS), 2019~2011**
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- **Co-Chairman of ICES/PICES Strategic Initiative on Climate Change Impacts on Marine Ecosystems (SICCME), 2011~2014**
- **Vice-President of North Pacific Anadromous Fish Commission (NPAFC), 2017-Present**
- **Vice-Chairman of Scientific Committee of CCAMLR, 1995-1997**



PICES Annual Meetings





2003 - Seoul, Korea

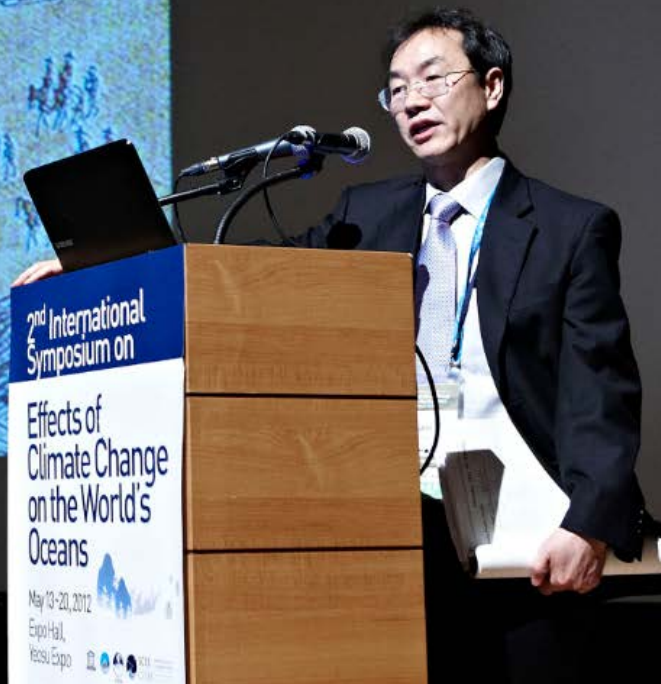


2016 - San Diego, USA



2012 - Hiroshima, Japan
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2nd International Symposium on Effects of Climate Change on the World's Oceans



2nd International Symposium on Effects of Climate Change on the World's Oceans Yeosu, Republic of Korea (2012)



Planting the Next Generation...

2002 - Qingdao, China



2005 - Vladivostok, Russia



And **Their** Harvest (Best Presentation Award)

2002 - Qingdao, China



2005 – Vladivostok, Russia



Eun Jung Kim

2007 – Victoria, Canada



Dongwha Sohn

2006 – Yokohama, Japan



Min Ho Kang

2012 – Hiroshima, Japan



Kyoung-Su Kim



Dr. Kim's students





Not only did he share his knowledge with his pupils but also his love for mountains.



PICES 26th Annual Meeting

Vladivostok, Russia (2017)



Dr. Suam Kim

