

Dr. Hyun Sil Kim

- In 2010, Hyun Sil Kim was a Visiting Scholar with Nazilla Khanlou at the Office of the Ontario Women's Health Council (OWHC) Chair in Women's Mental Health Research, in the Faculty of Health at York University. She is presently focusing on social integration and health policy issues for international marriage migrant women in South Korea.
- Hyun Sil Kim was born in Seoul, South Korea. She graduated from Hanyang University and received her Doctoral degree from Ewha Women's University in Seoul. She was also a post-doctoral fellow with Nazilla Khanlou in the Faculty of Nursing at the University of Toronto from 2002 to 2003. She is currently a professor in the Department of Nursing at the Daegu Haany University in Daegu, South Korea, and joined York University as a Visiting Scholar in 2010. Her research interests include juvenile delinquency, substance abuse, family dynamic environment, and the impact of cultural differences on health. Dr. Kim has over 100 peer-reviewed publications and book chapters related to juvenile delinquency and youth crime in South Korea. She developed the Family Dynamic Environment Scale, which is being used in South Korea as a culturally sensitive instrument. Currently her research interests mainly focus on trans-nationalism and its impact on mental wellbeing. She is also involved in a number of NGO activities for social integration of female migrants entering Korea through international marriages. She has been featured in Marquis's Who's Who in the World of the Year 2007, 2008, and received the Health Professional Award from the International Biographical Center in England. She was also featured in the Great Minds of the 21st Century of the Year 2008 by the American Biographical Institute.



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