

Hayoung Jeong

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Activist scholar specializing in housing and urban development policy with expertise in participatory action research to support organizing campaigns

## **Education**

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Doctor of Philosophy, Environmental Psychology | Dissertation Defense April 2026

The City University of New York (CUNY), Graduate Center

Dissertation: *People over Profit: The Politics of Public Land and the Community Land Trust Movement in New York City*

Bachelor of Fine Arts | School of the Art Institute of Chicago | 2017

## **Publications**

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Jeong, H., Schneider, J. K., & Saegert, S. (2025). Stressed out in the housing market: the potential for community land trusts to promote care. *Housing Studies*, 1-23.

Majer, J. M., Jason, L. A., Norris, J., Hickey, P., **Jeong, H.**, & Bobak, T. J. (2020). Medications for opioid use disorder utilization among Oxford House residents. *Community Mental Health Journal*, 56, 925-932.

Majer, J. M., Jason, L. A., Hickey, P., Joshua, N., **Jeong, H.**, & Bobak, T. J. (2020). Social Support among Oxford House Residents Utilizing Medication-Assisted Treatments. *Alcoholism Treatment Quarterly*, 38(2), 199–214.

## **Research Projects**

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Principal Investigator | 2021-2023 | NYC Community Land Initiative

*Public Land for Public Goods: Affordable Housing Developments on City-Owned Land 2014-2023*

Analyzed affordability and location of housing built on city-owned properties to support a coalition of community land trusts' legislative campaign on public land for public goods.

Co-Investigator | 2021-2023 | The Gittell Collective at the CUNY, Graduate Center

*Public Land for People, Not Policing: Developing Policy Pathways for Reparative Justice through Community-Based Research*

Analyzed the geographic distributions of police parking lots on public land in NYC. Conducted archival research to trace how NYPD occupied public land and precedents of converting parking lots into affordable housing.

Research Assistant | 2019-present | Housing Environments Research Group, the CUNY

*Interrupting Place-based Inequality: Building Sustainable Communities through Shared-Equity Homeownership*

Performed quantitative and qualitative analysis of survey data comparing quality of life of CLT homeowners, market-based homeowners, and renters.

## **Research Grants**

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Sociological Initiative Foundation Research Grant | 2022-2024

*Public Land in Public Hand, NYPD Parking Lots, Community Land Trust, Reparation, Land Justice*

Provost's Doctoral Student Research Grant | 2022

*The Role of the Nonprofits in Democratizing Urban Planning Processes: A Case of Community Land Trusts in New York City*

Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues Local and State Policy | 2022

*Public Land for People Not Policing: Developing Policy Pathways for Reparative Justice through Community-Based Research*

Provost's Pre-Dissertation Summer Research Grant | 2021

*Strategies and Challenges of Community Land Trusts' Partnerships with New York City*

## **Awards & Fellowships**

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Stone Center Junior Scholars | 2026

Lehman College Writing Across Curriculum Fellowship | 2025

Gittell Dissertation Fellowship | 2024

Connect New York Fellowship | 2024

PublicsLab Summer Research Fellowship | 2023

New York University Cities Collaborative-Mellon Summer Institute on Urbanism | 2022

## **Teaching Experience**

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Adjunct Lecturer | City College of New York, NY | 2025

Community-Based Research

Adjunct Lecturer | Queens College, NY | 2024

Urban Poverty and Affluence

## **Conference Presentations**

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Jeong, H. (2024). Public Land for Public Goods? Racial Stratification in Subsidized Housing in New York City. *Urban Affairs Association*

Jeong, H. (2023). Building an Infrastructure of Care through Community Land Trusts. *Urban Affairs Association*

Jeong, H., Schneider, J. (2022). Public Land for People not Policing: Case Study of Reparative Planning in New York City. *Urban Affairs Association*

Jeong, H. (2022). Public Land as Freedom Space: Community Land Trust as a Tool for Abolition Democracy. *American Association of Geographers*

Jeong, H., Schneider, J. (2021). Understanding and undermining racialized practices of planning: decommodification, collective ownership, and reparative retreat. *American Association of Geographers*