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Dr. Eun-hyung Lee is a Professor of the College of Business Administration, Kookmin University, teaching mainly Strategic Management, Organizational Behavior, and Leadership.

Dr. Lee has served as the Vice Dean of the School of Business Administration since 2016. She also has served as the President of the Korean Women Economists Association since February 2017. She led “the Korean Women Economic Policy Forum” for two years (2009-2010). She spent one year as a visiting scholar at the George Fox University, Oregon in 2014.

Besides academic activities, she has been an Outside Director and the Chairman of the Risk Committee of Standard Chartered Bank Korea since October 2016. She is participating as an advisory member of several committees including the Presidential Committee on Job Creation. She served on the Board of the Seoul Guarantee Insurance as an Outside Director for 2 years. She was also a member of the Performance Evaluation Board of Pension, Fund and Public Enterprises of the Ministry of Strategy and Finance in 2007 and 2010. She wrote columns for the Asia Economic Daily Newspaper for 8 years from 2009 to 2017. She is currently writing columns for two newspapers, the Seoul Daily Newspaper and the Kookmin Daily Newspaper.

Dr. Lee developed her career in a unique manner. For two and a half years (December 1998 ~ April 2001), Dr. Lee served as the Foreign Press Spokesperson at the Ministry of Trade, Industry, and Energy(MOTIE). She played her role properly as “the first foreign press spokesperson” of the Ministry during the Asian Financial Crisis, from which Korea suffered much like other Asian countries. Prior to joining the MOTIE, she had worked as a reporter at the Kyunghyang Daily Newspaper for 7 years, mainly covering economic and industrial news.

She earned her Bachelor of Liberal Arts from the Seoul National University and Ph. D. in Management and MBA from the KDI School of Public Policy and Management in Korea. Her dissertation is about the CEO's effect on Korean firms entitled "How much do the CEOs matter in Korea".

Dr. Lee's current research is about 'CEO change', and 'Women and Leadership'. She has written several books in Korean such as "Effective CEO Succession Plan" "Antecedents and Effects of CEO Change" and "Creative Management". She has published several articles that analyze the source of differences between male and female managers' performances. She also published articles about "creativity" including "How does the individual's creativity have an impact on team performance?" Besides she has been interested in "Balance in work and life" "Communication and Leadership."