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As an academic, he has focused upon the interplay between the built environment and changing constructions of urban conscious in East Asia. His work and theoretical explorations are organized around a series of dominant urban projects in China, Japan, and Korea. He examines the social and political consequences of these projects through close analysis of the popular contestations and how these struggles contributed to debates about urban rights and new forms of citizenship. Many of his critical frameworks, informed by the emerging field of transnational cultural studies, appeared on the *Journal of Architecture*, jointly published by the Royal Institute of British Architects, *Planning Perspectives* published by the International Planning History Society and *Routledge*, and *Architectural Research Quarterly* published by the Cambridge University Press