**Brief Biography**

Aloha! My name is Wonmi (Sky), and I’m currently a graduate student and assistant at The School of Travel Industry Management at the University of Hawai’i at Mānoa. I graduated with my bachelor’s degree in Travel Industry Management from UH Manoa in May 2018.

During my time as an undergraduate, I was able to gain valuable experience in both the transportation and the hotel industries through my internships with Roberts Hawaii and The Kahala Hotel and Resort. These were great opportunities, in which I had chances to develop myself professionally and academically. Also, these internship projects provided me with great connections and opportunities to explore professional business work, as well as new insights. My passion for travel industry management has led me to study more deeply and broadly. I completed my college degree in South Korea. After gaining professional work experience, I decided to come to Hawaii to study travel industry management because it is a fast-growing industry and offers various opportunities. I’m pursuing my master’s degree because I want to be prepared to take a leadership role in my travel industry career and contribute to the Hawaii tourism industry.