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Leveraging America to Serve Korea:

Selling 'cosmopolitanism' in Seoul as a Korean American
Culinary Entrepreneur

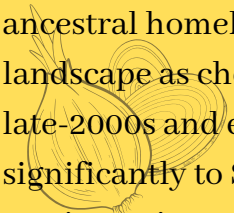
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This study examines the culinary entrepreneurship of Korean Americans living in Seoul. It focuses on the endeavors of Korean American ethnic return migrants (or “returnees”), or descendants of Korean emigres who have migrated to and settled in their ancestral homeland, who are self-employed in Seoul’s culinary landscape as chefs, cooks, artisans, and/or restaurateurs. Since the late-2000s and early 2010s, Korean Americans have contributed significantly to Seoul’s burgeoning “foreign” food scene, often by serving as its most-lauded purveyors.



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