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Dr. Kang joined California Polytechnic State University as an Associate Professor in 2016 after serving as an Associate Professor at Michigan State University. Previously, he worked at Kraft/Oscar Mayer Foods as an Associate Principal Scientist. Dr. Kang's research focuses on meat processing that adds value to fresh and processed meat products of red meat, poultry and fish. Current research topics include developing hot boning process, improving protein functionality, and ensuring microbial safety. Recently, he conducted hydrophobicity and sulfhydryl group analyses at Dr. Park's Seafood Lab.

## Then:

Post-doc  
North Carolina State University  
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After receiving a PhD from Texas A&M University, Ike joined the laboratory of Dr. Lanier as a post doctor where Dr. Park received his PhD degree. During the time at NC State University and Oscar Mayer Foods, he published two book chapters with Drs. Park and Lanier.