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## Research Interest

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*I'm interested in all the phenomena that happen in videos. I like to explore and use them to create valuable technologies.*

- Machine Learning & Computer Vision
- Video Understanding & Representation Learning
- Video Processing & Enhancement
- Video Frame Interpolation
- Video Compression
- 3D Vision

## Education

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Mar.2018 – Aug.2023 **INTEGRATED M.S./PH.D. Course in Electrical and Electronic Engineering**  
Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea

- Image and Video Pattern Recognition LAB
- Supervised by Prof. Sangyoun Lee
- GPA: 4.24/4.3

Mar.2014 – Feb.2018 **B.S. in Electrical and Electronic Engineering**  
Yonsei University, Seoul, Korea

- Graduated **Cum Laude**
- GPA: 3.96/4.3

## Work Experience

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July.2023 - Present **Twelve Labs**, Seoul, Korea  
ML Research Scientist

- Working on the Foundation Models for Video Understanding

May.2021 - Nov.2021 **Adobe Research**, San Jose, CA (Remote)  
Research Intern

- Working with Dr. Simon Niklaus and Dr. Oliver Wang
- Research on Video Stabilization

## Publications

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- 2025 [1] **Hyeongmin Lee** and Kyungjune Baek, “Temporal Smoothness-Aware Rate-Distortion Optimized 4D Gaussian Splatting,” *Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS)*, 2025.
- 2024 [2] Raehyuk Jung\*, Hyojun Go\*, Jaehyuk Yi\*, Jiho Jang\*, Daniel Kim\*, and Jay Suh\* et al., “Pegasus-v1 Technical Report,” *Twelve Labs Technical Report*, 2024.
- [3] **Hyeongmin Lee\***, Jin-Young Kim\*, Kyungjune Baek\*, and Jihwan Kim\* et al., “TWLV-I: Analysis and Insights from Holistic Evaluation on Video Foundation Models,” *Twelve Labs Technical Report*, 2024.
- 2023 [4] **Hyeongmin Lee**, Taeoh Kim, Hanbin Son, Sangwook Baek, Minsu Cheon, and Sangyoun Lee, “A Nonlinear, Regularized, and Data-Independent Modulation for Continuously Interactive Image Processing Network,” *International Journal of Computer Vision (IJCV)*, 2023.
- [5] Sangjin Lee\*, **Hyeongmin Lee\***, Chajin Shin, and Sangyoun Lee, “Exploring Discontinuity for Video Frame Interpolation,” *IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR) (Highlight; Top 10% of Accepted Papers)*, 2023.
- 2022 [6] Chajin Shin, **Hyeongmin Lee**, Hanbin Son, Sangjin Lee, Dogyoon Lee, and Sangyoun Lee, “Expanded Adaptive Scaling Normalization for End to End Image Compression,” *European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV)*, 2022.
- [7] Hanbin Son, Taeoh Kim, **Hyeongmin Lee**, and Sangyoun Lee, “Enhanced Standard Compatible Image Compression Framework based on Auxiliary Codec Networks,” *IEEE Transactions on Image Processing (TIP)*, 2022.
- 2021 [8] Dogyoon Lee, Jaeha Lee, Junhyeop Lee, **Hyeongmin Lee**, Minhyeok Lee, Sungmin Woo, and Sangyoun Lee, “Regularization Strategy for Point Cloud via Rigidly Mixed Sample,” *IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)*, 2021.
- 2020 [9] Taeoh Kim\*, **Hyeongmin Lee\***, MyeongAh Cho\*, Hoseong Lee, Dong heon Cho, and Sangyoun Lee, “Learning Temporally Invariant and Localizable Features via Data Augmentation for Video Recognition,” *European Conference on Computer Vision Workshops (ECCVW) (Oral)*, 2020.
- [10] **Hyeongmin Lee**, Taeoh Kim, Tae-young Chung, Daehyun Pak, Yuseok Ban, and Sangyoun Lee, “AdaCoF: Adaptive Collaboration of Flows for Video Frame Interpolation,” *IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)*, 2020.
- [11] Sangjin Lee, **Hyeongmin Lee**, Taeoh Kim, and Sangyoun Lee, “Extrapolative-Interpolative Cycle-Consistency Learning for Video Frame Extrapolation,” *IEEE International Conference on Image Processing (ICIP)*, 2020.
- 2019 [12] MyeongAh Cho, Tae-young Chung, **Hyeongmin Lee**, and Sangyoun Lee, “N-RPN : Hard Example Learning for Region Proposal Networks,” *IEEE International Conference on Image Processing (ICIP)*, 2019.
- [13] Taeoh Kim, **Hyeongmin Lee**, Hanbin Son, and Sangyoun Lee, “SF-CNN : A Fast Compression Artifacts Removal via Spatial-to-Frequency Convolutional Neural Networks,” *IEEE International Conference on Image Processing (ICIP)*, 2019.
- 2018 [14] **Hyeongmin Lee**, Taeoh Kim, Eungyeol Song, and Sangyoun Lee, “CollaboNet: Collaboration of Generative Models by Unsupervised Classification,” *IEEE International Conference on Image Processing (ICIP)*, 2018.
- [15] Eungyeol Song, **Hyeongmin Lee**, Jaesung Choi, and Sangyoun Lee, “AHD: Thermal Image-based Adaptive Hand Detection for Enhanced Tracking System,” *IEEE Access*, 2018.

\* indicates equal contribution. Click the titles to move to the paper links

## Patents

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- 2023 **Apparatus and Method for Selecting Skip Frames**  
*Korea Patent no.10-2620281, Dec. 2023*
- 2021 **Apparatus for compressing image, learning apparatus and method thereof**  
*Korea Patent no.10-2245682, Apr. 2021*
- 2021 **Image processing apparatus and operating method for the same**  
*Korea Patent no.10-2236582, Mar. 2021*
- 2021 **Apparatus and method for interpolating frames based on multiple flows**  
*Korea Patent no.10-2201297, Jan. 2021*

## Projects

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- May.2024 – Present **Video Moment Retrieval**  
*Twelve Labs*
- Aug.2024 – Jan.2025 **Video Embedding Vector Quantization**  
*Twelve Labs*
- Jul.2023 – Aug.2024 **TWLV-I: Analysis and Insights from Holistic Evaluation on Video Foundation Models**  
*Twelve Labs*
- Jul.2022 – Jun.2023 **Development of Enhanced Deep Video Compression Framework**  
*Samsung Research*
- Jun.2021 – May.2022 **Development of Deep Learning-based Video Frame Interpolation Algorithm for Game and AR Videos**  
*Samsung Electronics Mobile Division*
- Jun.2021 – May.2022 **Deep Learning-based E2E Video Codec Research**  
*Samsung Research*
- May.2021 – Nov.2021 **Fast Video Stabilization**  
*Adobe Research*
- Apr.2020 – Dec.2020 **Development of Data Augmentation-based AI Algorithm for Image Enhancement**  
*Samsung Research*
- May.2019 – Dec.2019 **Locally Controllable Deep Neural Network Algorithm Development**  
*Samsung Research*
- Apr.2018 – Dec.2018 **Development of Compact Deep Networks for Image Processing**  
*Samsung Research*
- Apr.2017 – Dec.2017 **Broadcasting Device Controlling & Editing Technology using Personal Voice/Gesture Recognition**  
*Institute for Information & Communications Technology Promotion (IITP), Ministry of Science*

## Honors & Awards

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- 2021 **5th Next Generation Engineering Leader Award of NAEK**  
*National Academy of Engineering of Korea (NAEK)*
- 2020 **Visual Inductive Priors for Data-Efficient Action Recognition Challenge**  
*1st Visual Inductive Priors for Data-Efficient Deep Learning Workshop*
  - European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV) Workshop
  - **4th Place**
- 2018 **Honor Graduation Award**  
*Electrical & Electronic Engineering, Yonsei University*
  - Cum Laude
- 2014 - 2017 **Honor Student Award**  
*Electrical & Electronic Engineering, Yonsei University*
  - The Highest Honor Student Award (2014-1)
  - Honor Student Award (2014-2, 2015-1, 2015-2, 2017-1, 2017-2)

## Invited Talks

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- **AdaCoF: Adaptive Collaboration of Flows for Video Frame Interpolation**
  - GPU Technology Conference (GTC), *NVIDIA*, Oct.2020
- **Introduction to Image Translation**
  - Junior Seminar, *Electrical & Electronic Engineering, Yonsei University*, Nov.2020
- **Complex and discontinuous motion compensation for video frame interpolation**
  - Multimodal Weekly Webinar, *Twelve Labs*, Feb.2024
- **Video Foundation Models**
  - THE AI KOREA 2024, *KIISE Artificial Intelligence Society*, Aug.2024

## Peer Reviews

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- IEEE Open Journal of Signal Processing (2021)
- IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR) (2022, 2023, 2024, 2025)
- European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV) (2022, 2024)
- AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI) (2025)
- Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) (2025)
- The IEEE/CVF Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV) (2026)
- ACM Transactions on Multimedia Computing, Communications, and Applications (TOMM) (2025)

## Activities

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- Oct.2019 - Present **Member of PR12**  
*Deep Learning paper reading group in Tensorflow KR (In Korean)*
  - Season 3 (Oct.2019-Jan.2021)
  - Season 4 (Mar.2021-Aug.2022)
  - Season 5 (Sep.2022-Sep.2024)
  - Season 6 (Mar.2025-Present)

Mar.2019 - Nov.2021 **SNU AI Study**

*Offline AI Study Group at Seoul National University*

- Season 6 (Mar.2019-Jul.2019)
- Season 7 (Feb.2020-May.2020)
- Season 8 (Organizer) (Sep.2020-Dec.2020)
- Season 9 (Organizer) (Jan.2021-Apr.2021)
- Season 10 (Organizer) (Aug.2021-Nov.2021)

Mar.2018 – Dec.2018 **Teaching Assistant**

*Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Yonsei University*

- (2018-1) Digital Signal Processing
- (2018-2) Signal and System

Nov.2016 – Present **Young Engineers' Honor Society (YEHS)**

*Organization under The National Academy of Engineering of Korea (NAEK)*

- Deputy Department Head of Academic Exchange Dpt. (Dec.2017 – Dec.2018)
- Department Head of Academic Exchange Dpt. (Dec.2018 – Dec.2019)
- President (Dec.2019 – Dec.2020)
- Standing Commissioner (Dec.2020 - Present)

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