Jiwoo Hong

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Education

Yonsei University

B.S. in Computer Science, Mathematics

Cumulative GPA: 4.02/4.30

University of California, Berkeley

Exchange Student, Mathematics

GPA: 3.93/4.00

Sejong Academy of Science and Arts

Mar 2017 - Feb 2020

Highschool for Gifted Students in Math and Science

Research Experience

Yonsei University

Mar 2024 - Present

Undergraduate Intern (Advisor: Jinkyu Jeong)

• Researching about to store key-value pairs in RocksDB

Honors

Merit-based scholarship	$2020\hbox{-}2,\ 2021\hbox{-}2,\ 2022\hbox{-}1,\ 2023\hbox{-}1,\ 2024\hbox{-}1$
Outstanding Scholarship for Academic-Industrial Cooperation	2024-1
High Honors	2020-1
Honors	2021-2, 2022-2, 2024-1

Skills

Technical skills

Python, Pytorch, C/C++, Java, Linux, R

Language skills

Native Korean, Fluent English (OPIc IH)

Projects

Exploring Recommendation Systems: A Multi-Modal Approach to GNN-Based Models Sep 2023 – Dec 2023 Software Capstone Design course

- Revealing that the **order of concatenation** significantly affects the performance of a multimodal recommendation system
- Achieving 66.7% increase in precision and 61.4% increase in NDCG over the baseline by sequentially connecting visual, acoustic, and text modalities

Korean AI competition Finalist

Aug 2023 - Nov 2023

speech recognition: Closer through sound: Specialized speech recognition for the elderly and children

- Improving recognition quality from cer 0.424 to cer 0.339
- 10 teams are selected as finalist among 110 teams

Privacy-Preserving Diffusion Models: Integrating Differential Privacy for Secure Image Generation

Mar 2024 - June 2024

Software Capstone Design course

• Identifying the potential to balance data privacy and model performance using DP-SGD

Conact Sep 2022 – Dec 2022

Software Engineering course

- Developing a mobile app for clothing recommendations
- implementing an AI model that extracts and combines image and text features using CLIP
- Receiving the **best reviews**

Sleep stage classification based on machine learning, Yonsei University

Jan 2022 - Feb 2022

ABC Lab, Yonsei University

• Conducting Data Preprocessing and research based on Machine learning using neural data

Extracurricular

Global Science Museum Exploration Program

 $\mathrm{Jan}\ 2019$

Teaching Japanese student about Science

Tutor

Engineering Mathematics(2)

Sep 2024 - Present

Sep 2023 - June 2024

Teaching peer students about Mathematics

Student Club learning about artificial intelligence

Learning about computer vision, reinforcement learning

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