Sunwook Hwang Curriculum vitae

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

#### Protocol design for V2X communication and 5G New Radio (NR):

3GPP LTE and NR standard for V2X communication systems, DSRC protocol design

### Protocol design for LTE in unlicensed spectrum and 5G New Radio (NR):

3GPP LTE and NR standard, synchronization, control signaling, link adaptation, wide-band operation

# Coexistence issue between heterogeneous wireless networks in unlicensed spectrum (especially, IEEE 802.11 WLAN and LAA):

Airtime fairness, channelization, clear channel assessment, hidden node problem, listen-before-talk (LBT)

## **Machine learning:**

Supervised learning, clustering, convolutional neural network, reinforcement learning

#### **EDUCATION**

# Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea

Unified Course of M.S. and Ph. D., Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Mar. 2016 to present

- Advisor: Professor Saewoong Bahk
  - (Changed from **Sunghyun Choi** who was a professor until August of 2019 and is currently a Senior Vice President and Head of Advanced Communications Research Center at Samsung Research)
- Ubiquitous Network Laboratory in Seoul National University (NETLAB)
- Area of Research: Network Systems & Wireless Communications

### Pohang University of Science and Technology (POSTECH), Pohang, Korea

B.S., Department of Electrical Engineering, in Feb. 2016

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### Panasonic USA, Mountain View, CA.

Research Intern, May 2019 - Oct. 2019.

## RESEARCH PROJECT

- 5G Unmanned Vehicle Research Center funded by the Institute for Information & Communications Technology Promotion, "Research and Education for Integrated Technology of 5G/Autonomous Vehicles," 2018-2019.
  - Create MATLAB system level simulator for IEEE 802.11p based on Simulator for Urban MObility (SUMO) vehicle traffic
- LG Electronics, "Dual Interface Synchronized Hybrid-V2X Research by Simulation," 2018.
- Institute for Information & communications Technology Promotion grant funded by Ministry of Science, ICT and Future Planning (MSIP) of the Republic of Korea, "Spectrum Sensing and Future Radio Communication Platforms," 2015–2017.
  - Implement the USRP LTE-LAA testbed for coexistence with Wi-Fi in 5 GHz
- Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute (ETRI), "Development of Core Technologies for Small-cell Coexistence," 2015–2017.

**AWARDS** 

- Second Prize from SNU ECE for graduate deeplearning project "SmartSearch: AIBRIL conversation API & facial keypoints detection for beauty items recommendation system", Fall 2017
- First Prize from POSTECH EE for Undergraduate design project, Apr. 2012.

**PAPERS** 

- [1] **Sunwook Hwang**, Seongwon Kim, Hoyoung Yoon, Byungjun Kim, Sunghyun Choi, and Saewoong Bahk, "Beyond Vision: Hidden Car Detector with On-demand Relaying in Vehicular Communications," submitted to *IEEE Trans. Veh. Technol.*, Jan. 2020. (**Under review**)
- [2] Byungjun Kim, Seongwon Kim, Hoyoung Yoon, **Sunwook Hwang**, M. Xavier Punithan, Byeong Rim Jo, and Sunghyun Choi, "Nearest-First: Efficient Relaying Scheme in Heterogeneous V2V Communication Environments," *IEEE Access*, vol. 7, pp. 23615–23627, Feb. 2019.
- [3] **Sunwook Hwang**, Kanjin Yoon, and Sunghyun Choi, "Channel Switching Operation of LTE-LAA in Unlicensed Spectrum," in *Proc. ICTC 2017*, Jeju, South Korea, Oct. 18-20, 2017.
- [4] Kangjin Yoon, Taejun Park, Jihoon Kim, Weiping Sun, Sunwook Hwang, Ingab Kang, and Sunghyun Choi, "COTA: Channel Occupancy Time Adaptation for LTE in Unlicensed Spectrum," in *Proc. IEEE DySPAN 2017*, Baltimore, USA, Mar. 2017.

**PATENTS** 

[1] **Sunwook Hwang**, Seongwon Kim, Hoyoung Yoon, Byungjun Kim, and Sunghyun Choi, "Method and apparatus for communication between vehicles and apparatus for using the same."

**Korean Patent 10-1975759**, Apr. 2019. **US/16/686,519**, Nov. 2019.

[2] Seungil Park, **Sunwook Hwang**, Hoyoung Yoon, Byungjun Kim, and Sunghyun Choi, "Method and apparatus for message relaying,"

**Korean Patent 10-1935230**, Dec. 2018. **PCT/KR2019/008328**, July 2019.

- [3] Kangjin Yoon, Sunwook Hwang, and Sunghyun Choi, "Method, apparatus and computer readable record media for collision-aware link adaptation through clustering," Korean Patents Application 10-2018-0018143, filed Feb. 2018, Patent Pending.
- [4] Kangjin Yoon, **Sunwook Hwang**, Taejun Park, Jihoon Kim, and Sunghyun Choi, "Method, apparatus and computer readable record media for sharing radio resource on unlicensed band,"

Korean Patent 10-1865390, May 2018.

[5] Byounghoon Jung, Jihoon Kim, Sunghyun Choi, Seunghoon Park, Jungsoo Jung, Jaehong Yi, Kangjin Yoon, and **Sunwook Hwang**, "Apparatus and method for operating a plurality of carriers in wireless communication system,"

Korean Patents Application 10-2017-0111389, filed Aug. 2017, Patent Pending.

SOFTWARE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTIES

- [1] Kangjin Yoon, **Sunwook Hwang**, Taejun Park, Jihoon Kim, and Sunghyun Choi, "LAA Channal Occupancy Time Adaptation Algorithm for fair coexistence with WLAN," Korea Copyright Commission C-2017-024231, Oct. 2017.
- [2] Kangjin Yoon, Sunwook Hwang, Taejun Park, Jihoon Kim, and Sunghyun Choi, "WLAN Saturation Detection Algorithm," Korea Copyright Commission C-2017-000564, Jan. 2017.

HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE SKILLS

Simulation Tools:

- Network Simulator 3 (ns-3)
- Matlab

Computer Programming:

• C, C++, Python

Desktop Editing and Productivity Software:

• Vim, Visual Studio Code, TEX (LATEX, BIBTEX), Microsoft Office, Gnuplot

# TEACHING EXPERIENCES

#### Instructor

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Seoul National University

- 400.019A Introduction to Electrical Engineering, Spring 2016.
- 430.469 Networking Protocol Design, Fall 2017.

#### **KICS Invited Instructor**

Korean Institute of Communications and Information Sciences (KICS),

- Basic Course for Network Simulation using ns-3. Feb. 2019.
- Basic Course for Network Simulation using ns-3. Feb. 2018.