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RESEARCH INTEREST

Language and Multi-Modal Models in Robotics, Deep Reinforcement Learning, Visual Navigation

EDUCATION

Mar. 2016 - Aug. 2022

Bachelor's Degree in Mechanical Design Engineering, Jeonbuk National University (JBNU), South Korea

■ GPA: 3.77/4.0 **Jun. 2018 - Feb. 2020**

■ Leave of Absence: Mandatory Military Service for Republic of Korea Army

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

Nov. 2022 - Present

- Intelligent Robotics Research Center, Korea Electronics Technology Institute, KETI
- ✓ Developing autonomous navigation intelligence for mobile robots, leveraging 5G, Wi-Fi 6E, and Multi-Access Edge Computing (MEC) for enhanced connectivity and distributed processing of navigation algorithms
- ✓ Developing algorithms for autonomous transportation workflows, wherein mobile robots employ LiDAR-based perception to identify and align with target carts, execute precise docking and lifting operations, transport carts to designated locations, and perform safe unloading procedures
- ✓ Responsible for the comprehensive navigation process, including Simultaneous Localization and Mapping(SLAM)
 and management of middleware ROS

Mar. 2021 - Aug. 2022

- Undergraduate Researcher, JBNU, Supervised by Deok-Jin Lee
- ✓ Participated in projects related to autonomous driving motion control using Imitation learning

PUBLICATIONS

- The 23rd International Conference on Control, Automation and Systems (Oct 2023)
- ✓ "Development and Validation of Reconfigurable Autonomous Mobile Manipulator for Flexible Manufacturing Process," Accepted at the 23rd International Conference on Control, Automation and Systems, Oct. 2023

HONORS & AWARDS

- Autonomous Car Contest 2021, JBNU Mechanical Design Engineering Department
- ✓ Designed wall following Autonomous car with LABVIEW, 3rd award
- Minister's Award in Drone Navigation Challenge, Ministry of Science and ICT, Korea 2021
- ✓ Achieved 1st place in the Ministry of Science and ICT's competition for autonomous drone navigation tasks.

- Presidential Award for Outstanding Graduates (Aug 2022)
- ✓ Presidential Award for Outstanding Graduates
- Autonomous Car Contest, Kookmin University Software Department (Aug 2022)
- ✓ Used multiple sensors, including cameras, lidar, and imu to perform lane recognition, parallel parking, vertical parking, obstacle avoidance, and stop line recognition tasks
- ✓ Achieved 6th place out of 74 teams

SKILLS

- Robot Programming
- ✓ Programming Languages: C++, Python
- ✓ Frameworks: ROS, ROS2, Behavior Tree, PyTorch
- ✓ Tools: Isaac Sim, Gazebo, Docker, Linux, Git

EXTRACURRICULAR PROGRAMS

- Global Leadership Program, Boston, United States (MIT, Harvard University) (Aug. 2022)
- ✓ Purpose : Global Training for Human Resources Development in Engineering
- Member, Robotics Club, AUTURBO (Jan. 2024 Present)
- ✓ Developing digital twin environment using Nvidia Isaac Lab for Reinforcement Learning(RL) and deployment of quadruped robots
- ✓ Contributed to and maintained open-source projects, StrideSim, a quadruped robot simulation

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Participated as an undergraduate mentor, JBNU (Mar. 2022 Jul. 2022)
- ✓ Selected as an Excellent Mentor of Mentoring Program
- ✓ Presented "Artificial Intelligence" seminar for undergraduate students

SCHOLARSHIP

- Superior Academic Performance Scholarship, JBNU (Mar 2016)
- ✓ Admitted as the top student of Mechanical Design Engineering department (full tuition)
- Work-Study, Tuition Aid Scholarship (Jan 2021)
- Academic Scholarship, JBNU (Jan 2021)
- 3rd Prize Award in Autonomous Navigation Contest, JBNU Department (Jan 2022)
- Next Generation Science Talent Scholarship, Jeollabuk Province Lifelong Education Scholarship Foundation (May 2022)
- ✓ Selected as a science talent and awarded a scholarship under the Next Generation Science Talent Development Program