

## Seul Lee

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### CONTACT INFORMATION

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### RESEARCH INTERESTS

My research interest is mainly in developing generative models for graphs. I especially focus on molecule generation that can bridge the gap between real-world drug discovery and automatic drug discovery. I am currently interested in the following topics:

- Drug discovery
- Generative models, especially score-based diffusion models
- Graph representation learning

### EDUCATION

**KAIST**, Seoul, South Korea

Ph.D. student, Graduate School of AI **Sep. 2022 - present**

- Advisor: Prof. Sung Ju Hwang
- Area of study: Machine learning
- Expected graduation date: Aug. 2026

M.S., Graduate School of AI **Mar. 2021 - Aug. 2022**

- Advisor: Prof. Sung Ju Hwang
- Area of study: Machine learning

B.S., Department of Aerospace Engineering **Mar. 2015 - Aug. 2019**

B.S., Department of Biological Sciences **Mar. 2015 - Aug. 2019**

### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

**AITRICS**, Seoul, South Korea

- Position: Research intern
- Research topic: Docking-optimized molecule generation using reinforcement learning

### CONFERENCE PUBLICATIONS

[C3] **Score-based Generative Modeling of Graphs via the System of Stochastic Differential Equations**

Jaehyeong Jo\*, **Seul Lee\***, and Sung Ju Hwang (\*: equal contribution),  
International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), **2022**.

[C2] **Edge Representation Learning with Hypergraphs**

Jaehyeong Jo\*, Jinheon Baek\*, **Seul Lee\***, Dongki Kim, Minki Kang, and  
Sung Ju Hwang (\*: equal contribution),

Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (**NeurIPS**), **2021**.

[C1] **Hit and Lead Discovery with Explorative RL and Fragment-based Molecule Generation**

Soojung Yang, Doyeong Hwang, **Seul Lee**, Seongok Ryu, and Sung Ju Hwang,  
Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (**NeurIPS**), **2021**.

JOURNAL  
PUBLICATIONS

[J1] **Robotic Scanning Technology for Laser Pulse-Echo Inspection**

**Seul Lee**, Jong-min Hyun, Hasan Ahmed, and Jung-ryul Lee,  
**Electronics Letters**, **2020**.

WORKSHOP  
PUBLICATIONS

[W1] **Exploring Chemical Space with Score-based Out-of-distribution Generation**

**Seul Lee**, Jaehyeong Jo, and Sung Ju Hwang,  
International Conference on Learning Representations Machine Learning for  
Drug Discovery (**ICLR MLDD**) **Workshop (Oral)**, **2022**.

PREPRINTS

[P1] **READRetro: Natural Product Biosynthesis Planning with Retrieval-Augmented Dual-View Retrosynthesis**

**Seul Lee\***, Taein Kim\*, Min-Soo Choi, Yejin Kwak, Jeongbin Park, Sung Ju Hwang, and Sang-Gyu Kim (\*: equal contribution),  
Under review, 2023.

REVIEWER  
SERVICES

- 2022, 2023 International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML)
- 2021 Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS)
- 2023 NeurIPS ML4Materials Workshop

HONORS AND  
AWARDS

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|--|------------------------------|
| • Boeing Undergraduate Scholarship             | <b>Feb. 2018 - Aug. 2019</b> |
| • KAIST Presidential Fellowship (KPF)          | <b>Mar. 2017 - Aug. 2019</b> |
| • National Science and Engineering Scholarship | <b>Mar. 2015 - Feb. 2019</b> |

REFERENCES

- [Prof. Sung Ju Hwang](#), Professor, KAIST  
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