

# Seongeun Choi

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## RESEARCH INTEREST

**Skills** 

OpenFOAM TensorFlow

AutoCAD

MATLAB

C/C++

Python

Turbulent flow; Deep learning; Stratified flow; Anaerobic digesters; Lagrangian Coherent Structure

# **EDUCATION**

Seoul National University, Civil and Environmental engineering

# **Completion of PhD**

- \* Relevant Coursework
  - ✓ Parallel Scientific Computation
  - ✓ Computational Fluid Mechanics
  - ✓ Advanced Scientific Computation
  - ✓ Numerical Analysis
  - ✓ Sediment Transport

- ✓ Turbulent Flows
- ✓ Fluid Dynamics
- ✓ Coastal Environmental Hydraulics
- ✓ Water Wave Mechanics
- ✓ Advanced Environmental Hydraulics

**Bachelor** 

- \* Relevant Coursework
  - ✓ Elementary Fluid Mechanics and Lab
  - ✓ Coastal and Harbor Engineering
  - ✓ Digital Computer Concept and Practice
- Hvdraulics and Lab
- ✓ Engineering Design and CAD

# RESEARCH & EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

# Research Assistant

Seoul National University - Flow Physics and Informatics Laboratory

Seoul, Korea Sep 2017 – Present

Sep 2017 – Aug 2020

Mar 2012 - Aug 2017

✓ **Deep Learning**: Developed the subgrid-scale model in Large Eddy Simulation (LES) trained by Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) for saving the computational costs and better predicting the flow field

- ✓ **Stratified flow**: Studied the mixing of a stratified fluid by a bubble plume and determined the seasonal mixing efficiency based on the field observation data
- ✓ **Anaerobic digesters**: Simulated the fluid flow inside the anaerobic digester and investigated the change of the dead zone depending on various propeller positions and operating time
- ✓ **Coherent Structure:** Analyzed the hydrodynamic characteristics of a vegetated compound channel by employing the Lagrangian Coherent Structure (LCS) analysis

## **Teaching Assistant**

Seoul National University – Course name: Hydraulics and Lab.

Seoul, Korea

Mar 2018 - Present

- ✓ Measured the vertical distribution of stream-wise velocity in the open channel using Particle Image Velocimetry (PIV) and Acoustic Doppler Velocimetry (ADV)
- ✓ Observed hydraulic jump in open channel and compared the measured downstream flow depth with theoretical results estimated from the continuity and momentum equation
- ✓ Observed the flow characteristics over various kinds of weirs and estimated the discharge coefficient depending on the types of weirs

## **Conference Organizing Staff**

9th International Symposium on Environmental Hydraulics

Seoul, Korea Jul 2021

#### **Field Observations**

Yeong-ju dam, Yeong-ju

Yeong-ju, Korea Apr 2020 – Nov 2020

✓ Obtained high-resolution observed data continuously along the lateral line by utilizing the Yoing Ocean Data Acquisition Profiler (YODA Profiler) and measured the vertical temperature profiles by repeatedly falling and raising the Conductivity-Temperature-Density (CTD) sensor

Hyeong-san River, Pohang

Pohang, Korea Apr 2019 - Present

✓ Conducted field observations to investigate the hydraulic characteristics of the Hyeong-san Estuary and acquired model validation data

# **Research Assistant (Undergraduate Intern)**

Seoul, Korea

Seoul National University - Climate Change Adaptation in Water Resources

June 2015 – Aug 2015

✓ Studied Assumption-Based Planning (ABP) and Dynamic Adaptive Policy Pathways (DAPP), which are adaptive policy decisions that take uncertainties arising in the future

# **PUBLICATIONS**

**Choi, S.E.** and Hwang, J.H.\*,2021, Lagrangian Coherent Structure analysis on vegetated field, Submitted **Choi, S.E.**, Hwang, J.H. \* and N.I. Won, 2021, Numerical Simulation of aeration column in stratified environments, Submitted

#### **CONFERENCES**

#### INTERNATIONAL POSTER AND PRESENTATION

**Choi, S.E.** and Hwang, J.H.\*, 2021. 07, Analysis of Vegetated Compound Channel with Lagrangian Coherent Structure, 9<sup>th</sup> ISEH, Seoul, Korea

Hwang, J.H.\*, Kim, D.H., Park, H.C., **Choi, S.E.**, Kim, D.K., Kim, H.J. and Won, N.I., 2021. 07, Analysis of Vegetated Compound Channel with Lagrangian Coherent Structure, 9<sup>th</sup> ISEH, Seoul, Korea

**Choi, S.E.** and Hwang, J.H.\*, 2020. 11, Three-dimensional flow of vegetated compound channel, 2020 Smart Grid International Conference, Incheon, Korea

**Choi, S.E.** and Hwang, J.H.\*, 2019. 10, The applicability of LCS to predict pollutant trajectories, 2019 Smart Grid International Conference, Incheon, Korea

**Choi, S.E.** and Hwang, J.H.\*, 2019. 09., Analysis with LCS on material transport around vegetation field, 38th IAHR World congress, Panama city, Panama

# DOMESTIC POSTER AND PRESENTATION

**Choi, S.E.** and Hwang, J.H.\*, 2021.06., Mixing effect of aeration in thermally stratified water, Korea Water Resources Association, Gwangju, Korea

**Choi, S.E.** and Hwang, J.H.\*, 2020.08., Analysis with LCS on flow around vegetation field, 11<sup>th</sup> National Congress on Fluids Engineering, Jeju, Korea

**Choi, S.E.** and Hwang, J.H.\*, 2019.05., Analysis of particle dispersion for the various Stokes number. The Korean Society for Marine Environment and Energy, Jeju, Korea.

## **SCHOLARSHIPS**

Presidential Scholarship, Seoul National University	2019 - Present
Brain Korea 21 Plus Scholarship, National Research Foundation of Korea	2018 - Present
Scholarship for Teaching Assistant, Seoul National University	2019

# **AWARDS**