Woojin Bae

Research Interests

Design and Fabrication of Nanomaterials through Advanced Techniques

- Nanomaterials: Perovskite, Zeolite, Metal Oxide, Nanoparticle.
- · Advanced Techniques: Transmission Electron Microscopy, Autonomous Laboratories, AI-Driven synthesis

Education

Bachelor's degree in Chemical and Biological Engineering | Seoul National University 2020 - Present

Exchange student in Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering | North Carolina State University

Spring 2025

Major in Chemistry | Daejeon Science High School for the Gifted

2017 - 2020

Research Experience

Self-Driving Fluidic Lab, NCSU (Advisor: Prof. Milad Abolhasani)

Jan. 2025 - May. 2025

• Synthesized Mn-doped perovskite quantum dots leveraging a self-driving approach.

Raleigh, NC

Presented a poster at Spring Undergraduate Research & Creativity Symposium.

Multi-dimensional Materials Chemistry Lab, SNU (Advisor: Prof. Jungwon Park)

Mar. 2024 - Present

• Synthesized Ag cluster-based AIGS (silver indium gallium sulfide)-core.

- Seoul, Korea
- Developed a protocol for quantitative analysis of SEI; SEI Structures Dependent Li-Morphology Characterized by cryo-TEM.
- Collaborated across SNU, NCSU, and ASU to optimize AI-driven synthesis of Mn-doped CsPb(Cl/Br)₃ nanocrystals, combining autonomous laboratories, cryo-TEM analysis, and DFT simulations.

Center for Cell-Encapsulation Research, KAIST (Advisor: Prof. Insung Choi)

Mar. 2018 - May. 2019

• Created a porous titanium oxide shell to facilitate the in-vitro culturing of astrocytes.

Daejeon, Korea

• Confirmed the function of encapsulated astrocytes by analyzing the length of co-cultured neurons.

Publications

Jinge Xu.; <u>Bae, W.</u>; Milad Abolhasani. *, Autonomous Mn-doped Perovskite Nanocrystals Synthesis by a Self-Driving Lab. *Manuscript in preparation*

Conference Presentations

Jinge Xu.; <u>Bae, W.</u>; Milad Abolhasani. *, Autonomous Mn-doped Perovskite Nanocrystals Synthesis by a Self-Driving Lab. *Spring Undergraduate Research & Creativity Symposium*, Raleigh, NC, April 22-23, 2025. (Poster Presentation)

<u>Bae, W.</u>; Jung, S.; Ji, S.; Jeon, Y.; Park, J.*, SEI Structures Dependent Li-Morphology Characterized by Cryo-TEM. *The 2024 Annual Fall Conference of Korean Society of Microscopy*, Gyeongiu, Korea, Nov 25-26, 2024. (Poster Presentation)

<u>Bae, W.</u>; Lee, K.; Lee, C.; Kim, T.; Choi, I.*, Regulation of astrocyte growth using porous titanium oxide shells. Korean Chemical Society Future Chemist Research Presentation, Daegu, Korea, Oct 19, 2018. (Poster Presentation)

<u>Bae, W.</u>; Lee, K.; Lee, C.*, Wettability Change of Self-Assembled Monolayers (SAMs) of Thiol on Gold. *The 51st Joint School Science Exhibition*, Hong Kong, Hong Kong, Aug 22-27, 2018. (Poster Presentation)

Selected Honors & Awards

Summer Research Initiative Fellowship | Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ May. 2025 – Jul. 2025

· Awarded a competitive full-time research fellowship under the mentorship of Prof. Sandhya Susarla

Excellence Undergraduate Research Award | 2024 Student-Directed Education Program Symposium

Jan. 2025

• Recognized for outstanding research on SEI structures dependent Li-morphology characterized by Cryo-TEM.

Korea-U.S. Student STEM Exchange Scholarship | Ministry of Trade, Industry and Energy

Nov. 2024

Awarded national \$9000 scholarship as a STEM-specialized exchange student.

Jan. 2024

Excellence Award | Undergraduate Research Program for Advanced Equipment
Awarded for excellence in undergraduate research on hollow ZSM-5 synthesis.

The Education and Research Foundation Scholarship | College of Engineering, SNU

Spring 2021

2020 Future Chemistry Talent Award | The Korean Union of Chemical Science and Technology Societies

Feb. 2020

• Selected as one of the top 6 science high school students nationwide.

Excellence Poster Award | 2019 Gifted School R&E Joint Presentation Conference

Jan. 2019

• Awarded for outstanding poster presentation on astrocyte growth regulation using porous titanium oxide shells.

Leadership

Tokyo Forum Youth Session | The University of Tokyo & Chey Institute for Advanced Studies, Japan

Aug. 2024 - Nov. 2024

• Representative of Korea, participated in the wrap-up session hosted by the President of the University of Tokyo.

HKUST Entrepreneurship Bootcamp 2024 | Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, Hong Kong

Jul. 2024

• Participated in a mock-up competition as a **team leader** and won the **third prize** for a worldwide healthcare platform.

Marketing team & manager | SNUfestival, Student council-affiliated organization, SNU

Jun. 2021 - May. 2022

- Promoted the festival through the **online website** and video during the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Secured sponsorship from a shared scooter company during the first in-person festival after the COVID-19 pandemic.

Vice president | Chemical and Biological Engineering Interim Leadership, SNU

Dec. 2020 - Mar. 2021

• Conducted freshman orientation, via Zoom during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Membership & Activities

Undergraduate Membership | Korean-American Scientists and Engineers Association

Jan. 2025 – Present

- A non-profit organization that fosters collaboration and networking among Korean-American scientists and engineers.
- Delivered a research presentation at Katalyst 2025, a nationwide Korean-American undergraduate conference.

Young Engineers Honor Society | National Academy of Engineering of Korea

Nov. 2024 - Present

· Korean engineering honor society under National Academy of Engineering of Korea.

2023 Winter Vacation Data Science Bootcamp: Computing | Graduate School of Data Science, SNU

Feb. 2024

Republic of Korea Air Force | Daegu, Korea

• F-15K Slam Eagle Squadron. Selected as an exemplary soldier.

Aug.2022 - May.2024

SNU in EU program | Brussels School of Governance, Belgium

Jul. 2022

• Understanding European Unions, M2170.004600, delivered a presentation titled "The European External Action Service".

Kansas Academy of Mathematics and Science Research Program | Fort Hays State University, Hays, KS

Jul. 2018

Synthesized ZnSe quantum dots and applying them on Dye-sensitized solar cell. (Advisor: Prof. Arvin J. Cruz)

Teaching & Mentoring Experiences

Korean Language Peer Mentor | Language Education Institute, SNU

Fall 2024

Learning Assistant | Faculty of Liberal Education, SNU

Fall 2024

• Basic Computing: First Adventures in Computing, L0444.000400.

Lecturer, TEM Seminar | Multi-dimensional Materials Chemistry Lab, SNU

May. 2024

Amplitude and Phase Contrast.

Student Mentor, SNU Mentoring | Seoul National University Social Responsibility

Apr. 2023 - Present

Provided career guidance to the middle school student from underserved communities, selected as a superb mentor.

Technical Skills & Languages

- Instruments: TEM, SEM, UV-Vis, OM, PL
- Programming Languages: Python, C, HTML
- Software: Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe illustrator, Fusion 360, Gatan DigitalMicrograph, Git
- Languages: Korean (Native), English (C1, TOEFL 95)