# Seokhyun Hwang

**■** Human Computer Interaction

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# **EDUCATION**

**■** Haptic interface

■ Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology, Korea

September 2021 – August 2023

Master of Science (M.S.) (Advisor: SeungJun Kim)

• Intelligent Robotics, School of Integrated Technology

**■** Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology, Korea

March 2017 – August 2021

Bachelor of Science (B.S.)

• Department of Mechanical Engineering

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

■ Human-Centered Intelligence Systems Lab, Korea (GIST)

September 2023 – Present

Research Associates

■ Human-Centered Intelligence Systems Lab, Korea (GIST)

September 2021 – August 2023

M.S. (Advisor: SeungJun Kim)

■ Human-Centered Intelligence Systems Lab, Korea (GIST)

January 2021 – September 2021

Research Intern (Advisor: SeungJun Kim)

■ Intelligent Medical Robotics Lab, Korea (GIST)

June 2020 – December 2020

Research Intern (Advisor: Jungwon Yoon)

■ BA Energy Lab, Korea

December 2019 - February 2020

Industrial-Academic Intern

# **CONFERENCES & PUBLICATIONS**

[j.2] "Evaluation of Visual, Auditory, and Olfactory Stimulus-Based Attractors for Intermittent Reorientation in Virtual Reality Locomotion."

Lee, J., Hwang, S., Ataya, A., and Kim, S.

Virtual Reality (Under Revision)



[c.5] "ErgoPulse: Electrifying Your Lower Body With Biomechanical Simulation-based Electrical Muscle Stimulation Haptic System in Virtual Reality."

Hwang, S., Oh, J., Kang, S., Seong, M., Elsharkawy, A., and Kim, S.

Proceedings of the 2024 CHI conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems (Accepted)

[c.4] "SYNC-VR: Synchronizing Your Senses to Conquer Motion Sickness for Enriching In-Vehicle Virtual Reality."

Elsharkawy, A., Ataya, A., Yeo, D., An, E., Hwang, S., and Kim, S.

Proceedings of the 2024 CHI conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems (Accepted)

[j.1] "Effect of Optical Flow and User VR Familiarity on Curvature Gain Thresholds for Redirected Walking."

Lee, J., <u>Hwang, S.</u>, Ataya, A., and Kim, S.

Virtual Reality (Accepted)

[c.3] "Enhancing Seamless Walking in Virtual Reality: Application of Bone-Conduction Vibration in Redirected Walking."

Hwang, S., Kim, Y., Seo, Y, and Kim, S.

2023 IEEE International Symposium on Mixed and Augmented Reality (ISMAR)

[c.2] "Designing Virtual Agent Human–Machine Interfaces Depending on the Communication and Anthropomorphism Levels in Augmented Reality."

Kang, Y., Choi, S., An, E., Hwang, S., and Kim, S.

Proceedings of the 2023 International Conference on Automotive UI

[c.1] "Electrical, Vibrational, and Cooling Stimuli-Based Redirected Walking: Comparison of Various Vestibular Stimulation-Based Redirected Walking Systems."

Hwang, S., Lee, J., Kim, Y., Seo, Y, and Kim, S.

Proceedings of the 2023 CHI conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems

[p.2] "REVES: Redirection Enhancement Using Four-Pole Vestibular Electrode Stimulation."

Hwang, S., Lee, J., Kim, Y., and Kim, S.

Extended Abstracts of the 2022 CHI conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems

[p.1] "Auditory and Olfactory Stimuli-Based Attractors to Induce Reorientation in Virtual Reality Forward Redirected Walking."

Lee, J., Hwang, S., Kim, K., and Kim, S.

Extended Abstracts of the 2022 CHI conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

#### ■ XR Project Class Teaching Assistant, Korea (GIST)

2022 Fall Semester – 2023 Spring Semester

#### Teaching Assistant

- Served as a teaching assistant in a project-based class
- Responsible for teaching, exam preparation, and evaluation of the Unity-based XR project

## ■ 2019 GIST Global Science Camp, National University of Laos (NUOL), Laos

July 2019

#### Experiment Instructor

- Educational volunteer for college students of the NUOL and Khon, Kaen University of Thailand
- Teaching & Experimental Assist in the production of Dye-Sensitized Solar Cells using Anthocyanin

## ■ 2019 GIST Science Camp, Korea (GIST)

January 2019

#### Experiment Team Leader, Design Team Leader

· Providing experimental education to elementary and middle school students in the community

## **AWARDS & HONORS**

#### **■** Honorable Mentions, IEEE ISMAR

October 2023

• Honorable mention for being in the top 1% of conference papers

#### ■ Honorable Mentions, International ACM Conference on Automotive UI

September 2023

 $\bullet$  Honorable mention for being in the top 5% of conference papers

#### ■ Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology President Award, Korea.

August 2020

• 1st prize in table tennis robot at the 4th GIST Creative Convergence Competition in 2020

#### ■ Scholarship for Academic Excellence, Korea

September 2020 – December 2020

• GIST Scholarship for Academic Excellence

## **■** Industry-Academic Cooperation Scholarship, Korea

December 2019 - February 2020

• Industry-Academic Cooperation Scholarship in BA Energy Lab

## ■ Scholarship for Overseas Summer Semester Exchange Students, USA

June 2018 – August 2018

• Boston University Summer Semester Exchange Student Scholarship

#### ■ GIST Scholarship (Government supported), Korea

March 2017 - August 2021

• GIST Bachelor's Degree Government Scholarship

# **INVITED TALKS**

## ■ HCI Korea'24, ACM SIGCHI (Korea Local Chapter)

January 2024

• Invited Presentation in Top-Conference Sessions on Vestibular Stimuli-Based Redirected Walking.

# **TECHNICAL STRENGTHS**

## **■** Modeling & Designing

Autodesk Inventor

SolidWorks

• Blender

• KiCad

#### **■** Software & Tools

• COMSOL Multiphysics • LABVIEW

• MATLAB

• Unity

• Three.js

• Cubase

• Adobe Premiere Pro

• Final Cut Pro

#### **■** Programming Languages

• C, C#, Python, JAVA, MATLAB

## STUDY ABROAD EXPERIENCE

## **■** Boston University Summer Sessions, USA

June 2018 - August 2018

#### Exchange Student

• Courses taken: JAVA programming language, Statistics

## **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

#### **■** GIST Society of Automotive Engineers, Korea (GIST)

October 2020 - March 2022

#### **Founder**

- GIST College Student Self-Created Automobile Club Establishment
- Responsible for designing and manufacturing steering systems

## **■** GIST Student Creative Activity Support Initiative, Korea (GIST)

March 2020 - November 2020

#### Team Leader

- Support for student clubs in the COVID-19 Era
- Producing and distributing performance/activity videos
- Funded by GIST over 4,500\$

## **■** GIST Broadcasting Station, Korea (GIST)

March 2019 - November 2020

## <u>Founder</u>

# Filming / Editing manager

- Establish a video production station of GIST
- Producing promotional videos for schools, videos of student activities, etc.
- Funded by GIST over 30,000\$.

# **■** GIST Human Rights Center, Korea (GIST).

December 2018 - March 2019

Research Intern (Advisor: Kim, Gunoo)

- Intern of the Human Rights Center on campus
- A study involving law, ethics, morality, and philosophy of law