

# Jaehyun Nam

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

My research primarily focuses on developing effective tabular learning frameworks for handling tabular prediction tasks such as classification and regression. In particular, I have focused on leveraging useful prior knowledge extracted from unlabeled tables to generate effective tasks for various algorithms such as meta-learning. More recently, I have been integrating large language models into the tabular learning framework using LLM's capabilities such as in-context learning and LLM as an optimization tool. I am also interested in AI for Science, such as molecular property prediction and molecule generation.

**Keywords:** Deep Tabular Learning, Large Language Model, AI for Science

## EDUCATION

**Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (KAIST)**, Daejeon, Republic of Korea

- Ph.D. in Artificial Intelligence Sep 2023 – Present
  - Advisor: Prof. Jinwoo Shin
- M.S. in Artificial Intelligence Mar 2022 – Aug 2023
  - Advisor: Prof. Jinwoo Shin

**Seoul National University (SNU)**, Seoul, Republic of Korea

- B.S. in Industrial Engineering and Mathematical Sciences (minor) Mar 2016 – Feb 2022
  - Advisor: Prof. Jaewook Lee

## PUBLICATIONS

(\*: Equal contribution)

### PREPRINTS

- [1] **Generating Novel Column Features for Tabular Learning via Decision Tree Reasoning of LLMs**  
**Jaehyun Nam**, Seunghyuk Oh, Jihoon Tack, Jaehyung Kim, Jinwoo Shin  
Under review, 2024
  - Utilize an LLM as black-box optimizer to iteratively improve the rule that generates new column feature
  - Propose the decision tree reasoning which can be interpreted to natural language, providing a learned effective knowledge of the entire dataset to the LLM

### CONFERENCES

- [3] **Data-Efficient Molecular Generation with Hierarchical Textual Inversion**  
Seojin Kim, **Jaehyun Nam**, Sihyun Yu, Younghoon Shin, Jinwoo Shin  
International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), 2024  
NeurIPS Workshop on New Frontiers of AI for Drug Discovery and Development (NeurIPS-W-AI4D3), 2023
- [2] **SuRe: Improving Open-domain Question Answering of LLMs via Summarized Retrieval**  
Jaehyung Kim, **Jaehyun Nam**, Sangwoo Mo, Jongjin Park, Sang-Woo Lee, Minjoon Seo, Jung-Woo Ha, Jinwoo Shin  
International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2024
- [1] **STUNT: Few-shot Tabular Learning with Self-generated Tasks from Unlabeled Tables**  
**Jaehyun Nam**, Jihoon Tack, Kyungmin Lee, Hankook Lee, Jinwoo Shin  
International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2023, **Spotlight presentation (280/4956=5.6%)**  
NeurIPS Workshop on Table Representation Learning (NeurIPS-W-TRL), 2022  
Bronze Prize, Samsung Humantech Paper Awards, 2023  
Recipient, Google Conference Scholarships (APAC), 2023  
Travel Award, International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2023  
Grand Prize, KAIST-Samsung Electronics Industry-Academia Cooperation Paper Award, 2023

### JOURNALS

- [1] **Holistic Molecular Representation Learning via Multi-view Fragmentation**  
Seojin Kim\*, **Jaehyun Nam\***, Junsu Kim, Hankook Lee, Sungsoo Ahn, Jinwoo Shin  
Transactions on Machine Learning Research (TMLR), 2024  
ICLR Workshop on Machine Learning for Materials (ICLRW-ML4Materials), 2023

## WORKSHOPS

### [1] **Semi-supervised Tabular Classification via In-context Learning of Large Language Models**

**Jaehyun Nam**, Woomin Song, Seong Hyeon Park, Jihoon Tack, Sukmin Yun, Jaehyung Kim, Jinwoo Shin  
ICML Workshop on Efficient Systems for Foundation Models (ICMLW-ES-FoMo), 2023

## INVITED TALKS

- **Semi-supervised Tabular Classification via In-context Learning of Large Language Models**  
Samsung Advanced Institute of Technology (Suwon, Korea) Jun 2023
- **STUNT: Few-shot Tabular Learning with Self-generated Tasks from Unlabeled Tables**  
AI Expo Korea (Seoul, Korea) May 2023  
International Conference on Learning Representations (Kigali, Rwanda) May 2023  
Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. (Virtual) Mar 2023  
MOGAM Institute for Biomedical Research (Virtual) Mar 2023
- **Privacy-preserving Median Selection and Secure Aggregation in Federated Learning**  
2021 Korean Mathematical Society Fall Meeting (Virtual) Oct 2021  
Special Prize, National Cryptography Contest, 2021

## WORK EXPERIENCES

- **SK Hynix** Dec 2020 – Feb 2021  
Undergraduate Intern, Collaborate with Dr. Songho Baek's AI Solution team
- **Industrial & Mathematical Data Analytics Research Center (IMDARC)** Sep 2020 – Dec 2020  
Undergraduate Intern, Collaborate with Prof. Woong Kook and Simplatform.Co.,Ltd

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

- **CryptoLab**, Department of Mathematical Sciences, SNU Mar 2021 – Feb 2022  
Undergraduate Research Intern, Advised by Prof. Junghee Cheon
- **DSAIL**, Department of Industrial and Systems Engineering, KAIST Dec 2020 – Jun 2021  
Undergraduate Research Intern, Advised by Prof. Chanyoung Park
- **SNUDM**, Department of Industrial Engineering, SNU Jan 2020 – Feb 2020  
Undergraduate Research Intern, Advised by Prof. Sungzoon Cho

## HONORS & AWARDS

- **Grand Prize (\$5,000)**, KAIST-Samsung Electronics Industry-Academia Cooperation Paper Award Aug 2023
- **Travel Award (\$1,000)**, International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR) May 2023
- **Recipient (\$3,000)**, Google Conference Scholarships (APAC) May 2023
- **Bronze Prize (\$5,000)**, Samsung Humantech Paper Awards Feb 2023
- **Special Prize (\$1,000)**, National Cryptography Context Oct 2021
- **Recipient (\$6,000)**, Hanseong Scholarship for Gifted Students 2014–2016

## ACADEMIC SERVICES TEACHING

- **Workshop Reviewer** TRL@NeurIPS'23
- Peer Tutor, College Writing 2: Writing in Science & Technology, SNU Fall 2020 – Fall 2021
- Peer Tutor, Calculus 1, SNU Spring 2020

## LANGUAGES

- Korean: Native language.
- English: Fluent

## SKILLS

- Python, PyTorch,  $\text{\LaTeX}$ : Proficient
- R, Mosel, TensorFlow: Working Knowledge

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