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RESEARCH INTERESTS

My research goal is engineering for a fluid interface, exploring a seamless integration of a computer and human that makes new and pleasant experiences. My prior research lies in (a) sensing and interaction techniques for a mobile device and (b) novel sensing technologies supporting sophisticated hand inputs. I published full papers at ACM CHI and UIST.

Sensing Techniques for Fluid Interfaces	=	novel sensing technologies supporting sophisticated hand inputs <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AtaTouch (Cond. Accepted CHI'21) +• MagTouch (CHI'20)	+	sensing and interaction techniques for a mobile device <ul style="list-style-type: none">• OddEyeCam (UIST'20)• OmniSense (Ongoing)
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EDUCATION

KAIST, School of Computing Mar 2019 – Feb 2021 (Expected)

- M.S. student at Human-Computer Interaction Lab
 - Thesis: “OddEyeCam: Sensing Technique for Body-Centric Peephole Interaction Using WFoV RGB and NFoV Depth Cameras” (To be)
 - Adviser: Prof. Geehyuk Lee
 - Focus: Sensing Techniques

UNIST, Electrical and Computer Engineering Mar 2015 – Feb 2019

- B.S. in Computer Science and Engineering (Major)
B.S. in Electrical Engineering (Minor)
 - Thesis: “VRone: 3D Force Feedback System in VR Using a Commercial Drone”
 - Entered with top honors.
- Summer session program, ual: (University of the Arts London), London, UK Jul 2018

PUBLICATIONS

CONFERENCES

- [1] [Daehwa Kim](#), Keunwoo Park, and Geehyuk Lee, “AtaTouch: Robust Finger Pinch Detection for a VR Controller Using RF Return-Loss” in *Proceedings of the 2021 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems*, Yokohama, Japan. (full paper, Conditionally Accepted)
- [2] [Daehwa Kim](#), Keunwoo Park, and Geehyuk Lee, “OddEyeCam: A Sensing Technique for Body-Centric Peephole Interaction Using WFoV RGB and NFoV Depth Cameras” in *Proceedings of the 33rd Annual ACM Symposium on User Interface Software and Technology*, Virtual Event, USA, Oct 2020. (full paper)
- [3] Keunwoo Park, [Daehwa Kim](#), Seongkook Heo, and Geehyuk Lee, “MagTouch: Robust Finger Identification for a Smartwatch Using a Magnet Ring and a Built-in Magnetometer” in *Proceedings of the 2020 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems*, Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, Apr 2020. (full paper)

SUBMITTED

- [1] Hui-Shyong Yeo, Erwin Wu, [Daehwa Kim](#), Juyoung Lee, Hyung-il Kim, Luna Takagi, Woontack Woo, Hideki Koike, and Aaron J Quigley, “OmniSense: Exploring Novel Input Sensing and Interaction Techniques on Mobile Device with OmniDirectional Camera” in *Proceedings of the 2021 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems*, Yokohama, Japan. (full paper)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

HCI Lab, KAIST

- Undergraduate Research Student, School of Computing Mar 2018 – Jun 2018
 - Project: PCB design for a hand gesture sensing wristband.
 - Supervisors: Prof. Geehyuk Lee
 - Focus: PCB design

Hyper-connected Communication Research Laboratory, ETRI

- Research Intern, IoT Research Division Jan 2018 – Mar 2018
 - Project: Smart Home project - Building IoT lighting system controlled by user's voice
 - Supervisors: Dr Jungsik Sung and Daeho Kim

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Focus: IoT network system, Natural language processing 	
	iHCI Lab (Intelligent Human Computer Interaction Lab), UNIST	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Undergraduate Research Student, Electrical and Computer Engineering • Project: Finger Joystick Interaction • Supervisors: Prof. Sungahn Ko • Focus: human-computer interaction, visualization 	Feb 2017 – Nov 2017
AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS	4th Prize, NAVER x UNIST Undergraduate Poster Award	Dec 2017
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Topic: “VibCat: Vibration Categorization for Input and Interaction”. ▪ Awarded by NAVER CEO. ▪ Received an award of 1,000,000 KRW. 	
	Excellence Award, World Friends ICT volunteers return report 2016	Dec 2016
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Dispatched to Uzbekistan to provide Android development lectures to university students. ▪ Awarded by the Director of National Information Society Agency. ▪ Received an award of Samsung Galaxy Tab 4 10.1. 	
	Academic Achievement Award, UNIST	
	2017 Fall Academic Achievement Award: GPA 4.05/4.3	Jan 2018
	2017 Spring Academic Achievement Award: GPA 3.98/4.3	Jul 2017
	2016 Fall Academic Achievement Award: GPA 3.90/4.3	Feb 2016
	2016 Spring Academic Achievement Award: GPA 4.06/4.3	Aug 2016
	2015 Spring Academic Achievement Award: GPA 4.00/4.3	Jul 2015
	Uni-Star Scholarship, UNIST	Mar 2015 – Feb 2019
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Entered with top honors. ▪ Tuition + academic support fee of 1,000,000 KRW were paid each semester. 	
	Overseas Training Scholarship, UNIST	Jun 2018
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Financial aid for the summer session program at University of the Arts London 	
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Teaching Assistant, AI Lab - Learning Commons II, UNIST	Sep 2018 – Dec 2018
	Head of Android Development Team, HeXA, UNIST	Feb 2017 – Dec 2017
	Instructor, Tashkent University of Information Technologies (TUIT)	Jul 2016 – Sep 2016
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Excellence Award, World Friends ICT volunteers return report 2016 	
CAMPUS ACTIVITIES	D2 factory, NAVER	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Campus Partner • Hosted the 2nd Hackathon at UNIST, sponsored by NAVER and UNIST ECE 	Feb 2016 – Feb 2017
	HeXA (Hacker’s eXciting Academy), UNIST	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ A computer security & development research group ▪ Vice-President ▪ Head of Android development team • Provided regular android-development lectures for club members 	Feb 2016 – Feb 2017 Feb 2017 – Dec 2017
	UNIST Media Center, UNIST	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Video Editor ▪ Representative work • My Age 22 - Travel to Europe with a drone • Web drama: The town where engineers live 	Mar 2015 – Feb 2017
PROJECTS	Audio Hero	Sep 2019 – Dec 2019
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Sound-based danger detection system using VGGish deep learning model ▪ Skills: Deep learning, Signal processing 	
	VRone	Sep 2018 – Dec 2018
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 3-dimensional force feedback in VR using a personal and commercial drone ▪ Skills: Unity C# programming, Android programming 	
	System Light 2.0 @ ETRI	Jan 2018 – Mar 2018
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Smart Home project - Building IoT system for lights ▪ Skills: Computer network, Natural language processing 	
	VibCat	Oct 2017 – Dec 2017

- Vibration Categorization for Input & Interaction
- Skills: Machine learning, Android programming

Finger joystick interaction

Feb 2017 – Nov 2017

- Interaction technique to support finger's directional input using capacitive image of a smartwatch's touchscreen
- Skills: Machine learning, Android programming

Poem a moment

Mar 2017 – Jun 2017

- An android application that shows Yoon Dongju's poems on the wallpaper
- Available on Google Play store (download 1000+)
- Skills: Android programming

TUIT Android Lecture

Jun 2016 – Sep 2016

- Android development lecture provided to TUIT university students
- Skills: Android programming, Object-oriented programming

Mr.Bill

Jun 2016 – Jul 2016

- Algorithm and system to provide optimal Dutch pay way
- Available on Google Play store (download 500+)
- Skills: Android programming, Graph theory

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