# HAH MIN LEW

# Core Values

Data-centric approaches leading to ML systems can solve valuable real-world problems. I value building efficient systems through agile trials and errors based on a clarified problem. Proactively growing, challenging, and sharing are my core values and attitude toward my life.

# EDUCATION

Mar. 2019 - Aug. 2021 M.S. in Electrical Engineering & Computer Science (EECS) at **DGIST** (GPA: 4.06/4.3) Mar. 2014 - Feb. 2019 Bachelor of Engineering at **DGIST** (Best Project Award)

### EXPERIENCE

#### Klleon, AI Researcher

Aug. 2022 - present

- Building efficient data pipelines and generative models for a virtual human dialogue system.

#### DGIST, Graduate Researcher, Advisor: Prof. Jae Youn Hwang

Mar. 2019 - Aug. 2022

- Multimodal Biomedical Imaging and System Lab (MBIS Lab).
- 6 SCIE publications, 7 international conferences, 9 projects, 6 patents, and 2 awards.
- ML-based anomaly detection and generative model design for biomedical applications under multimodal, class-imbalance, and multi-task problems.
- Development of application-specific systems integrating hardware and software.
- Advanced signal processing and computer vision skills.

#### LANTERN, Co-founder

Nov. 2016 - July 2017

- Founded a data-driven personalized tutor matching service company. Co-working with Class101.

# SELECTED PROJECTS

#### Building a virtual human dialogue system

Aug. 2022 - present

- Built multimodal data pipelines and the state-of-the-art ML model, integrated distributed data parallel for training, devised training & evaluation frameworks, and an efficient inference pipeline.
- Improved inference latency from 10 seconds to 47 milliseconds per frame and generative performances.
- Sped up in-house data preprocessing pipeline from 3 FPS to 36 FPS.
- Used skills: Python, PyTorch, Docker, Git

#### Finetuning a large text-to-image model with a custom-built dataset maker Oct. 2023 - Nov. 2023

- Full open source contributions of fashion product dataset creation with an ML-based captioning module, finetuning demo codes, and inferable text-to-image models.
- Used skills: Python, PyTorch, Git | Repositories: [Github], [Model], [Dataset]

#### Multimodal data analysis for the mobile diagnosis of otitis media

Feb. 2020. - Jan. 2022

- Constructed clinical data into trainable matrices (4.98 billion pixels) from a proposed mobile otoscope.
- Enhanced diagnostic accuracy by a multi-layer perceptron (80%) exceeds that of expert clinicians (73%).
- Used skills: Python, Scikit

#### A biomedical monitoring system with an optimized algorithm

Mar. 2019. - Mar. 2021

- Scored  $\pm 1.77\%$  average error rate compared to the conventional global monitoring products ( $\pm 1 \sim 5\%$ ).
- Developed a cost-effective 1-D time-series signal processing algorithm of time complexity O(NlogN).
- Used skills: MATLAB, LabView, VHDL

# SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Hah Min Lew\*, S. Yoo\*, H. Kang\*, G. Park, "Chroma-HS: High-Fidelity Industrial Head Swapping with Chroma Keying" [Project Page]

- Proposed a new virtual human generation pipeline for industrial applications.
- Designed a novel  $H^2$  augmentation method and Foreground Predictive Attention Transformer (FPAT).

Hah Min Lew\*, J. S. kim\*, et al., "Deep Learning-based Synthetic High-Resolution In-Depth Imaging Using an Attachable Dual-element Endoscopic Ultrasound Probe", Arxiv Preprint 2023. [Paper]

- Data-centric and finetuning approach for high-resolution medical image generation using generative models.

K. Lee, Hah Min Lew, et al., "CSS-Net: Classification and Substitution for Segmentation of Rotator Cuff Tear", In ACCV 2022. [Paper]

- Developed a multi-task network for detection of class-imbalanced regions.
- Proof reliability of generated data through t-SNE clustering.
- M. H. Lee, Hah Min Lew, et al., "Deep learning-based framework for fast and accurate acoustic hologram generation", IEEE TUFFC (IF: 3.267, Frontal Cover Paper), 2022. [Paper]
  - Designed autoencoder architecture for unsupervised learning, loss functions for both accuracy and energy efficiency, and physical constraints layers for acoustic hologram generation in the real world.
- T. C. Cavalcanti, Hah Min Lew, et al, "Intelligent Smartphone-based Multimode Imaging Otoscope for the Mobile Diagnosis of Otitis Media", Biomedical Optics Express (IF: 3.562, Spotlight on Optics), 2021.

  [Paper]
  - Image classification via fundamental ML algorithms (Multi-layer perceptron, Random forest, Logistic regression, Decision trees, Naïve Bayes) for multimodal human data from clinical trials.
  - Quantitative analysis using standard metrics.

Hah Min Lew, et al., "Ultrasonic Blood Flowmeter with a Novel Xero Algorithm for a Mechanical Circulatory Support System", Ultrasonics (IF: 4.062), 2021. [Paper]

- Developed a biomedical monitoring system integrating hardware configurations and a proposed algorithm.
- Experience of FPGA programming to generate bipolar pulses with a clock frequency of 100 MHz and time intervals of 20  $\mu$ s to calculate real-time flow rates.
- J. Kim, Hah Min Lew, et al., "Forward-looking Multimodal Endoscopic System based on Optical Multispectral and High-frequency Ultrasound Imaging Techniques for Tumor Detection", IEEE TMI (IF: 11.037), 2020. [Paper]
  - Classification of tumor from multispectral data through the spectral angle mapper algorithm.
  - Proposed a multimodal tumor characterization system using both depth-wise and surface-wise data.

## Awards

#### **Outstanding Poster Award**

Aug. 2021

- 2021 Student Conference, DGIST

#### **Outstanding Paper Award**

May. 2021

- 2021 Spring Conference, The Korean Society of Medical & Biological Engineering (KOSOMBE)

#### Best Project Award

Mar. 2017

- 2016 Undergraduate Group Research Project (UGRP) Program, DGIST

# SKILLS