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# RESEARCH INTEREST

- Machine learning and cooperation in autonomous robotic systems
- Trajectory planning and decision making of multi-agent mobile/flying robots
- Deep reinforcement learning for robotics manipulation

#### **EDUCATION**

#### ETH Zürich, Switzerland

August 2021 - Present

Robotics, Systems and Control 1st Year, Master of Science

# Seoul National University, South Korea

B.S. in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

Minor: Mathematics

Mar. 2016 - Aug. 2021

Cumulative GPA: 4.01 / 4.3 Class Rank: 10/144

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

#### Robotic Systems Laboratory

Zürich, Switzerland

Semester Student Project (Advisor: Prof. Marco Hutter)

Feb 2022 - Present

· Developed deep reinforcement learning algorithms for learning human robot handover skills from human demonstrations

Saige Research Seoul, South Korea

Software Engineer Research Intern (Advisor: Prof. Frank Chongwoo Park)

Feb 2021 - August 2021

· Developed deep learning-based OCR algorithms for detecting characters on various textures and angles

#### Integrated Design of Aerospace System 1, 2

Undergraduate Researcher (Advisor: Prof. Hyoun Jin Kim)

Seoul, South Korea

Mar 2020 - Dec 2020

· Developed monocular visual odometry for pose estimation and trajectory tracking of UAV for autonomous UAV control

#### Machine Intelligence & Pattern Recognition Lab(MIPAL)

Seoul. South Korea  $Jul\ 2020-Aug\ 2020$ 

Undergraduate Researcher (Advisor: Prof. Nojun Kwak)

- · Estimated age from a person's image using various CNN models with IMDb-Wiki dataset
- · Compared algorithms efficiency of various object detection model

#### Undergraduate Independent Study 1

Undergraduate Researcher (Advisor: Prof. Hyoun Jin Kim)

Seoul. South Korea

Mar 2020 - Jun 2020

· Researched vision-based automatic control of an unmanned delivery drone for variable target points

## Student-Directed Education Undergraduate Research Program

Undergraduate Researcher (Advisor: Prof. Hyoun Jin Kim)

Seoul, South Korea Jun 2019 - Nov 2019

· Designed a drone for unmanned delivery service and developed algorithms for automatic control for variable

target points

#### **PUBLICATION**

Ho Jae Lee, Seung Won Yeo, Hoseong Seo.

Design and Flight Control to Variable Target Points of a Drone for Unmanned Delivery Service.

Proceedings of the 2020 Fall Conference of The Korean Society for Aeronautical and Space Sciences

#### RELEVANT COURSES

## 1. Robot Dynamics (Lectured by Prof. Marco Hutter)

Learn - How to kinematically and dynamically model typical robotic systems such as robot arms, legged robots, rotary wing systems, or fixed wing.

## 2. Planning and Decision Making for Autonomous Robots (Lectured by Prof. Emilio Frazzoli)

Learn - Discrete planning, shortest path problems, planning under uncertainty, game-theoretic planning, geometric representations, configuration space, grids, lattices, visibility graphs, sampling-based methods.

## 3. Dynamic Programming and Optimal Control (Lectured by Prof. Raffaello D'Andrea)

Learn - Dynamic Programming Algorithm; Deterministic Systems and Shortest Path Problems; Infinite Horizon Problems, Bellman Equation; Deterministic Continuous-Time Optimal Control.

## 4. Probabilistic Artificial Intelligence (Lectured by Prof. Andreas Krause)

Learn - Probability; Probabilistic inference (variational inference, MCMC); Bayesian learning (Gaussian processes, Bayesian deep learning); Probabilistic planning (MDPs, POMPDPs); Multi-armed bandits and Bayesian optimization; Reinforcement learning

## **5.** Model Predictive Control (Lectured by Prof. Melanie Zeilinger)

Learn - Design and implement Model Predictive Controllers (MPC) for various system classes to provide high performance controllers with desired properties (stability, tracking, robustness,...) for constrained systems.

#### **6. Recursive Estimation** (Lectured by Prof. Raffaello D'Andrea)

Learn - Bayes' theorem; Bayesian tracking; extracting estimates from probability distributions; Kalman filter; extended Kalman filter; particle filter; observer-based control and the separation principle.

# 7. Machine Perception (Lectured by Prof. Otmar Hilliges)

Learn - Timeseries modelling (RNN, GRU, LSTM); Latent variable models (VAEs); Generative adversarial networks (GANs); Autoregressive models (PixelCNN, PixelRNN, TCNs); Invertible Neural Networks / Normalizing Flows; Fully Convolutional architectures for dense per-pixel tasks (i.e., instance segmentation); Neural shape modeling (implicit surfaces, neural radiance fields);

# TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Programming skills:** C, C++, Python, Matlab

Framework: ROS, PX4(MAVROS, MAVSDK), Gazebo, PyTorch, OpenCV

Languages: English(Fluent, TOEFL: 111), Korean(Native)