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## EDUCATION

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Mar. 2018 ~ Present	<b>Yonsei University</b> School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering <i>Integrated Master and Ph.D. Course</i> Advisor: Prof. Won Woo Ro <i>GPA: 4.25 / 4.5</i>	Seoul, Korea
Mar. 2014 ~ Feb. 2018	<b>Yonsei University</b> School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering <i>B.S. in Electrical and Electronic Engineering</i> Advisor: Prof. Won Woo Ro <i>GPA: 3.61 / 4.5</i>	Seoul, Korea

## RESEARCH INTEREST

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- **Accelerator Architecture for Neural Network**
  - ✓ NPU architecture and scheduling
  - ✓ Generative AI Acceleration (LLM, Diffusion Model, SLM, etc.)
  - ✓ Neural Network Compression (Quantization, Pruning, etc.)
  - ✓ Systems for Machine Learning
  - ✓ On-device AI
- **Graphic Processing Unit**
  - ✓ GPU Memory Systems
  - ✓ Multi-GPU Systems
  - ✓ GPU Driver
- **Application-Specific Architecture**
  - ✓ Data Processing Unit

## PUBLICATIONS

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1. Seokjin Go, **Hyunwuk Lee**, Junsung Kim, Jiwon Lee, Myung Kuk Yoon, and Won Woo Ro, “Early-Adaptor: An Adaptive Framework for Proactive UVM Memory Management”, 2023 IEEE INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS OF SYSTEMS AND SOFTWARE (ISPASS)
2. **Hyunwuk Lee**, Hyungjun Jang, Sungbin Kim, Sungwoo Kim, Wonho Cho, and Won Woo Ro, “Exploiting Inherent Properties of Complex Numbers for Accelerating Complex Valued Neural Networks”, The 56th International Symposium on Microarchitecture (MICRO 2023)

## PATENTS

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1. **Hyunwuk Lee**, Gun Ko, Ipoom Jeong, and Won Woo Ro "Memory device including a plurality of area having different refresh periods, memory controller controlling the same and memory system including the same", **US Patent No. 11276452, Korea Application No. 10-2020-0045023, China Application No. 202010879009.X**
2. Hongju Kal, Cheonjun Park, **Hyunwook Lee**, Ipoom Jeong, Jiwon Lee, and Won Woo Ro "A method for neural network processing including memory-optimization techniques", **Korea Application No. 10-2022-0041848**
3. Seunghyun Jin, Jonghyun Lee, **Hyunwuk Lee**, and Won Woo Ro "Apparatus and method with register sharing", **US Application No. 18/ 315576, Korea Application No. 10-2022-0074653**
4. Jiwon Lee, Ipoom Jeong, Hongju Kal, Gun Ko, **Hyunwuk Lee**, and Won Woo Ro "Memory management unit and method of walking page table", **US Application No. 18/502058, Korea Application No. 10-2022-0175909, China Application No. 202311700848.0**
5. Seokjin Go, Junsung Kim, **Hyunwuk Lee**, Jiwon Lee, and Won Woo Ro "Memory management apparatus and method for UVM", **Korea Application No. 10-2023-0076606**
6. **Hyunwuk Lee**, Hyungjun Jang, Sungbin Kim, Wonho Cho, Sungwoo Kim, and Won Woo Ro "Polar Form Aware Apparatus and Method for Complex Valued Neural Network and Rectangular Form Conversion Apparatus", **Korea Application No. 10-2023-0158538**

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

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**Graduate Researcher**, Embedded Systems and Computer Architecture Lab (eSCaL), at Yonsei University

Feb. 2018 ~ Present

- **Project:** "Performance Analysis of Neural Network Workloads and Development of Energy Efficient Approximate Memory for Neural Networks", SK Hynix, Korea  
July 2018 ~ June 2019
  - ✓ Profiled GPU running neural network workloads
  - ✓ Designed Approximate DRAM architecture for energy efficient neural networks
  - ✓ Modeled DRAM architecture in DRAM simulator
- **Project:** "Development of High Performance Multi-GPU Memory System", National Research Foundation of Korea (NRF), Korea  
March 2021 ~ February 2022
  - ✓ Researched HW/SW memory management of modern multi-GPU system
  - ✓ Modeled the memory management techniques in multi-GPU simulator
- **Project:** "Analysis on High Performance GPU Workloads and Architecture Design", Samsung Advanced Institute of Technology, Korea  
May 2021 ~ April 2022
  - ✓ Led the project team in eSCaL
  - ✓ Profiled GPU running neural network workloads
  - ✓ Designed GPU register architecture sharing data inter warp and intra warp for general matrix multiplications
  - ✓ Modeled the register architecture in GPU simulator
- **Project:** "Architectural Exploration of Parallel Execution Processing Units for Supercomputer CPU", National Research Foundation of Korea (NRF), Korea  
July 2020 ~ January 2024
  - ✓ Led the project team in eSCaL
  - ✓ Designed SIMD architecture for supercomputer CPU
  - ✓ Modeled SIMD architecture for supercomputer based on RISC-V CPU SIMD extension version in CPU simulator

- ✓ Designed register architecture for SIMD unit in supercomputer CPU
- **Project:** “Developing Data Processing Unit for AI Workloads”, Korea Evaluation Institute of Industrial Technology (Keit), Korea  
July 2022 ~ January 2024
  - ✓ Led the project team in eSCaL
  - ✓ Profiled multi-GPU system running neural network workloads
  - ✓ Modeled DPU integrated GPU by CPU-GPU simulator
- **Project:** “Memory-Centric Architecture using the Reconfigurable PIM Devices”, Institute for Information & communication Technology Planning & evaluation (IITP), Korea  
January 2024 ~ Present
  - ✓ Led the project team in eSCaL
  - ✓ Developed virtualized multi-PIM API for DNN applications
  - ✓ Designed data allocation schemes for multi-PIM architecture

## HONOR AND AWARDS

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- SK Hynix, Industry-Academic Research Project Outstanding Invention  
2021

## TEACHING EXPERIENCES

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- Teaching Assistant, *School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Yonsei University*  
✓ *Computer Architecture* Spring, 2018

## SKILLS AND TECHNIQUES

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- **Programming Languages**
  - ✓ C / C++
  - ✓ Python
  - ✓ CUDA
- **DNN Framework**
  - ✓ PyTorch
  - ✓ Tensorflow
- **Computer Architecture Simulator**
  - ✓ Memory simulator: DRAMSim3, Ramulator
  - ✓ CPU simulator: Gem5
  - ✓ GPU simulator: GPGPU-sim, Accel-Sim, MGPUSim
  - ✓ NPU simulator: SCALE-Sim
- **CAD Tools**
  - ✓ Synopsys Design Compiler
- **Languages**
  - ✓ Korean
  - ✓ English

## REFERENCE

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eSCaL, Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Yonsei University, Seoul

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