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RESEARCH INTERESTS	Security protocol verification using process calculi, Executable relational specifications of polymorphic type systems using logic programming, Language design to support both convenient programming and logically consistent reasoning via the Curry–Howard correspondence, Extending the Hindley–Milner (HM) type inference for languages with Mendler-style recursion schemes and GADTs with true term indices, and Interfacing with solvers (e.g., SAT, SMT) in automated testing/verification frameworks.	
EDUCATION	Portland State University , Portland, OR, USA Ph.D. (Advisor: Tim Sheard), Computer Science, Dec 2014 <i>The Nax language: unifying functional programming and logical reasoning in a language based on Mendler-style recursion schemes and term-indexed types</i> KAIST , Daejeon, Republic of Korea B.S., Computer Science (major) and Mathematics (sub-major), Mar 2002	
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND ACADEMIC VISITS	Research Fellow [1] [u3] Jul 2016 - current School of Computer Science & Engineering, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore PI: Alwen Tiu (Assistant Professor) Gratuitous Visit (Talk info: http://talks.cam.ac.uk/talk/index/60589) Sep 2015 Programming Principles and Tools group, Microsoft Research, Cambridge, UK Host: Claudio Russo (Senior Research Software Development Engineer) Academic Visit (Talk info: http://slides.com/kyagrd/tiperdundee) Aug 2015 Programming Languages, Semantics and Logic group, University of Dundee, UK Host: Ekaterina Komendantskaya (Reader) Visiting Student [2] (Talk info: http://talks.cam.ac.uk/talk/index/33917) Sep–Dec 2011 Computer Laboratory, University of Cambridge, Cambridge, UK Hosts: Andrew M. Pitts (Professor), Marcelo Fiore (Professor) NASA Ames MCT Internship [3, 4] Jun – Sep 2009 Mission Control Technologies at NASA Ames Research Center, CA, USA Supervisor: Ewen Denney (Senior Computer Scientist) Research Assistant (Graduate Student) [5, 6, 7, 8] Sep 2007 – Sep 2013	
AWARDS	Bronze medal in the ACM Student Research Competition (SRC) at ICFP 2012	
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Full-time Lecturer Spring 2016 Electronics and Information Engineering, Korea University, Sejong City, Korea <ul style="list-style-type: none">• EIEN233(02) Data Structures (lecture in Korean)• EIEN363(03) Computer Architecture (lecture in Korean)• EIEN215(02) Engineering Mathematics I (lecture in English)	

Teaching Assistant Spring and Summer 2007
 CS 106: [Computing Fundamentals II](#) (Intro. to programming for non-CS majors)
 Computer Science, Portland State University, Portland, OR, USA
 Supervisor: Cynthia A. Brown (Emerita Professor)

INDUSTRY **Formal Verification Software Engineer (Intern)** Sep 2013 - Mar 2014
EXPERIENCE Refactored parts of the Forte system libraries written in FL (a reflective functional language for HW design and theorem proving) and also implemented specification search by using term rewriting
 Formal Verification Center of Expertise (DTS/FVCoE), Intel, Hillsboro, OR, USA
 Supervisors: John W. O’Leary, Roope Kaivola (Principal Engineers)

Quantitative Summer Institute (QSI) Associate (Intern) Jun - Aug 2008
 Global Modelling and Analytics Group, Credit Suisse, New York, NY, USA
 Supervisor: Howard Mansell (Quantitative Strategist)

Internet Storage Service Server Developer Mar 2002 - May 2005
 PopFolder: revenue over 10 million USD, over a million users in 2002
[Gretech](#), Seoul, Republic of Korea
 Supervisor: Keunho Bae (Director) Skills: C/C++, TCP/IP, UNIX, Berkley DB, PostgreSQL

TRANSLATIONS Korean translation (ISBN 9788972808183) of
Programming in Haskell (ISBN 9780521692694) by Graham Hutton

ACADEMIC Reviewer (Referee)
SERVICES Typed Lambda Calculus and Applications 2015
 Trends in Functional Programming 2013
 Higher-Order and Symbolic Computation (special issue for PEPM 2012)
 NASA Formal Methods Symposium 2011
 Program Committee
 Workshop on Coalgebra, Horn Clause Logic Programming and Types 2016

TALKS [A Prolog Specification of Extensible Records using Row Polymorphism](#) (invited talk)
[Workshop on Coalgebra, Horn Clause Logic Programming and Types \(CoALP-Ty ’16\)](#),
 Edinburgh, UK, 28-29 November 2016

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[2] Ki Yung Ahn, Tim Sheard, Marcelo Fiore, and Andrew M. Pitts. System F_i : a higher-order polymorphic λ -calculus with erasable term indices. In *Proceedings of the 11th international conference on Typed Lambda Calculi and Applications*. TLCA ’13, volume 7941 of *LNCS*. Springer, 2013. doi:[10.1007/978-3-642-38946-7_4](#).

[3] Ki Yung Ahn and Ewen Denney. A framework for testing first-order logic axioms in program verification. *Software Quality Journal*, 21(1):159–200, March 2013. ISSN 0963-9314. doi:[10.1007/s11219-011-9168-1](#).

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- [5] Ki Yung Ahn and Tim Sheard. A hierarchy of mendler style recursion combinators: taming inductive datatypes with negative occurrences. In *Proceedings of the 16th ACM SIGPLAN international conference on Functional programming*, ICFP '11, pages 234–246, New York, NY, USA, 2011. ACM. ISBN 978-1-4503-0865-6. doi:[10.1145/2034773.2034807](https://doi.org/10.1145/2034773.2034807).
- [6] Ki Yung Ahn and Tim Sheard. Shared subtypes: subtyping recursive parametrized algebraic data types. In *Proceedings of the first ACM SIGPLAN symposium on Haskell*, Haskell '08, pages 75–86, New York, NY, USA, 2008. ACM. ISBN 978-1-60558-064-7. doi:[10.1145/1411286.1411297](https://doi.org/10.1145/1411286.1411297).
- [7] Garrin Kimmell, Aaron Stump, Harley D. Eades, III, Peng Fu, Tim Sheard, Stephanie Weirich, Chris Casinghino, Vilhelm Sjöberg, Nathan Collins, and Ki Yung Ahn. Equational reasoning about programs with general recursion and call-by-value semantics. In *Proceedings of the sixth workshop on Programming languages meets program verification*, PLPV '12, pages 15–26, New York, NY, USA, 2012. ACM. ISBN 978-1-4503-1125-0. doi:[10.1145/2103776.2103780](https://doi.org/10.1145/2103776.2103780).
- [8] Vilhelm Sjöberg, Chris Casinghino, Ki Yung Ahn, Nathan Collins, Harley D. Eades III, Peng Fu, Garrin Kimmell, Tim Sheard, Aaron Stump, and Stephanie Weirich. Irrelevance, heterogeneous equality, and call-by-value dependent type systems. In *MSFP*, pages 112–162, 2012. doi:[10.4204/EPTCS.76.9](https://doi.org/10.4204/EPTCS.76.9).
- [9] Ki Yung Ahn. *The Nax Language: Unifying Functional Programming and Logical Reasoning in a Language based on Mendler-style Recursion Schemes and Term-indexed Types*. PhD thesis, Portland State University, 2014. Dissertations and Theses. Paper 2088. http://pdxscholar.library.pdx.edu/open_access_etds/2088.
- [10] Ki Yung Ahn and Andrea Vezzosi. Executable relational specifications of polymorphic type systems using Prolog. In *Proceedings of the 13th International Symposium on Functional and Logic Programming*, volume 9613 of *LNCS*, pages 109–125. Springer, March 2016. Draft available at <https://www.sharelatex.com/project/557756cfd9b75ebd54bf5807>.

UPCOMING PAPERS

- [u1] Mendler-style recursion schemes for mixed-variant datatypes
Ki Yung Ahn, Tim Sheard, and Marcelo Fiore.
(slides in TYPES 2013 talk, draft)
- [u2] An executable specification of typing rules for extensible records based on row polymorphism.
2017. <https://arxiv.org/abs/1707.07872>
- [u3] Generating Witness of Non-Bisimilarity for the pi-Calculus. 2017.
Ki Yung Ahn, Ross Horne and Alwen Tiu. <https://arxiv.org/abs/1705.10908>