Jai Hyun Park

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OVERVIEW I am a full-time researcher at CryptoLab in Lyon, France. I obtained my Ph.D. in Mathematical Sciences at Seoul National University, advised by Prof. Jung Hee Cheon. I am interested in a broad range of topics in cryptography, from theory to practice. Currently, my research focus is on fully homomorphic encryption and its applications.

EMPLOYMENT **CryptoLab**, Lyon, France

- Full-time Researcher — Sep 2024 – Present

EDUCATION **Seoul National University**, Seoul, Republic of Korea

- Ph.D. in Mathematical Sciences — Mar 2020 – Aug 2024
  - Advisor: Prof. Jung Hee Cheon
  - Focus: Cryptography (Homomorphic Encryption)
  - Thesis: Matrix Multiplication on Encrypted Data
- B.S. in Mathematical Sciences — Mar 2013 – Feb 2020

PUBLICATIONS In the list below, the symbol = indicates papers with alphabetically-ordered authors. The corresponding author is indicated by a dagger (†) for the journal papers.

CONFERENCES

= [C06] "Ciphertext-Ciphertext Matrix Multiplication: Fast for Large Matrices"
Jai Hyun Park
EUROCRYPT 2025

= [C05] "Plaintext-Ciphertext Matrix Multiplication and FHE Bootstrapping: Fast and Fused"
Youngjin Bae, Jung Hee Cheon, Guillaume Hanrot, Jai Hyun Park, Damien Stehlé
CRYPTO 2024

= [C04] "High-precision RNS-CKKS on fixed but smaller word-size architectures: theory and application"
Rashmi Agrawal, Jung Ho Ahn, Flavio Bergamaschi, Ro Cammarota, Jung Hee Cheon, Fillipe D. M. de Souza, Huijing Gong, Minsik Kang, Duhyeong Kim, Jongmin Kim, Hubert de Lassus, Jai Hyun Park, Michael Steiner, Wen Wang
WAHC 2023

= [C03] "HERMES: Efficient Ring Packing using MLWE Ciphertexts and Application to Transciphering"
Youngjin Bae, Jung Hee Cheon, Jaehyung Kim, Jai Hyun Park, Damien Stehlé
CRYPTO 2023

[C02] "Privacy-Preserving Text Classification on BERT Embeddings with Homomorphic Encryption"
Garam Lee*, Minsoo Kim*, Jai Hyun Park*, Seung-won Hwang, Jung Hee Cheon
NAACL 2022, short

- The authors with the asterisk symbol (*) contributed equally.

= [C01] "Towards a Practical Cluster Analysis over Encrypted Data"
Jung Hee Cheon, Duhyeong Kim, Jai Hyun Park
SAC 2019

JOURNALS

= [J06] "Tree-based Lookup Table on Batched Encrypted Queries using Homomorphic Encryption"
Jung Hee Cheon, Hyeongmin Choe, Jai Hyun Park†, *JKMS*

= [J05] "Efficient Homomorphic Evaluation on Large Intervals"
Jung Hee Cheon, Wootae Kim, Jai Hyun Park†
IEEE TIFS, 2022

[J04] "Efficient verifiable computation over quotient polynomial rings"
Jai Hyun Park, Jung Hee Cheon, Dongwoo Kim†
IJIS, 2022

[J03] "Secure tumor classification by shallow neural network using homomorphic encryption"
Seungwan Hong†, Jai Hyun Park, Wonhee Cho, Hyeongmin Choe, Jung Hee Cheon
BMC Genomics, 2022

[J02] "Noise Removal using Support Vector Regression in Noisy Document Images"
Heehoon Kim†, Seunghyo Kang, Jai Hyun Park, Hyunho Ha, Donghoon Lim
The Korean Journal of Applied Statistics, 2012

[J01] "Robust Image Fusion Using Stationary Wavelet Transform"
Heehoon Kim†, Seunghyo Kang, Jai Hyun Park, Hyunho Ha, Jinsoo Lim, Donghoon Lim
The Korean Journal of Applied Statistics, 2011

MANUSCRIPTS

= [M04] "Towards Lightweight CKKS: On Client Cost Efficiency"
Jung Hee Cheon, Minsik Kang, Jai Hyun Park†
Available at https://eprint.iacr.org/2025/720, 2025

= [M03] "Fast Homomorphic Linear Algebra with BLAS"
Youngjin Bae, Jung Hee Cheon, Guillaume Hanrot, Jai Hyun Park†, Damien Stehlé
Available at https://arxiv.org/abs/2503.16080, 2025

= [M02] "Private Database Query with SIMD-Aware Homomorphic Compression"
Jung Hee Cheon, Keewoo Lee†, Jai Hyun Park, Yongdong Yeo
*Available at https://arxiv.org/abs/2408.17063*2023

= [M01] "Arithmetic PCA for Encrypted Data"
Jung Hee Cheon, Hyeongmin Choe, Saebyul Jung, Duhyeong Kim, Dah Hoon Lee, Jai Hyun Park
Available at https://eprint.iacr.org/2023/1544, 2023

HONORS & AWARDS

- Korea Cryptography Contest
  National Security Research Institute
  - Special Prize for [M04] — Nov 2024
  - Best Award for [C03] — Oct 2023
  - Special Prize for [M02] — Oct 2023
  - Encouragement Prize for [M01] — Oct 2022
  - Excellence Award for [J05] — Oct 2020
- First Place Prize, iDASH Genomic Data Privacy and Security Protection Competition — Dec 2020
  National Institutes of Health
  Track I: Secure multi-label Tumor classification using Homomorphic Encryption
- Award for Excellence in Teaching — Sep 2020
  Seoul National University
  For teaching Differential and Integral Calculus
- Scholarship
  - BK 21+ Scholarship — Mar 2020 – Aug 2023
    Ministry of Education of Korea
    $7,500/year for M.S. and $12,000/year for Ph.D.
  - The Presidential Science Scholarship — Mar 2013 – Feb 2019
    Korea Student Aid Foundation
    Academic Grant: Tuition + $5, 000/year for 4 years
- Samsung Humantech Paper Award for High School
  Samsung Electronics
  - Silver Award for [J01] — Feb 2012
  - Bronze Award for [J02] — Feb 2012
- Silver Medal, Korean Mathematical Olympiad — Sep 2011
  Korean Mathematical Society

TALKS

- Plaintext-Ciphertext Matrix Multiplication and FHE Bootstrapping: Fast and Fused
  CRYPTO 2024, UC Santa Barbara, USA — Aug 2024
  Invited talk at École polytechnique, France — Feb 2025

- HERMES: Efficient Ring Packing using MLWE Ciphertexts and Application to Transciphering
  CRYPTO 2023, UC Santa Barbara, USA — Aug 2023
  Invited talk at Dongguk University, Republic of Korea — Dec 2023
- Tree-based Lookup Table on Batched Encrypted Queries using Homomorphic Encryption
  2022 KMS Spring Meeting, Virtual — Apr 2022
- Efficient Homomorphic Evaluation on Large Intervals
  2020 KMS Fall Meeting, Virtual — Oct 2020
- Towards a Practical Cluster Analysis over Encrypted Data
  SAC 2019, University of Waterloo, Canada — Aug 2019
  2019 KMS Fall Meeting, Hong-ik University, Republic of Korea — Oct 2019

TEACHING

LECTURER

- FHE School
  Organized by Seoul National University and CryptoLab — Jan 2025
  - Delivered 9 invited lectures on fully homomorphic encryption over a 3-week program.
- ENS de Lyon
  - Fully Homomorphic Encryption — Fall 2024 (M2)
    Co-lecturer with Alain Passelègue and Damien Stehlé.
    - Delivered sessions focusing on homomorphic linear algebra.

TEACHING ASSISTANT

- Seoul National University
  - Computational Number Theory — Spring 2023
  - Number Theory — Spring 2021
  - Differential and Integral Calculus — Spring 2020 – Spring 2023

PATENTS

[P01] Jung Hee Cheon, Jai Hyun Park, Wootae Kim, "Apparatus for Processing Non-polynomial Operation on Homomorphic Encrypted Messages and Methods Thereof,"
- KOR 10-2304992, US 11757618, JPN 7449911, *granted*

PROJECTS

- "Data Protection in Virtual Environments (DPRIVE)". Supported by the *DARPA* — Dec 2022 – Sep 2023
- "A Study on Cryptographic Primitives for SNARK". Supported by the *IITP* Grant through the *Korean Government* — Apr 2021 – Aug 2024
- "Development and Library Implementation of Fully Homomorphic Machine Learning Algorithms supporting Neural Network Learning over Encrypted Data". Supported by the *IITP* Grant through the *Korean Government* — Apr 2020 – Dec 2023

EXPERIENCES

RESEARCH INTERN

CryptoLab Inc., Lyon, France — Jan 2024 – Mar 2024
CryptoLab Inc., Seoul, Korea — Jan 2023 – Feb 2023

MILITARY

Republic of Korea Army — Jul 2016 – Apr 2018
Discharged as a Sergeant

SERVICES

REVIEWER / EXTERNAL REVIEWER

- Design, Codes and Cryptography (DCC); Journal of Cryptology (JoC); Information Sciences; IEEE Access
- ANTS 2020; ASIACRYPT 2022, 2021; FHE.org 2022; PQCrypto 2023; EUROCRYPT 2025, 2024, 2023

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