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EDUCATION

KAIST

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Dajeon, South Korea

Ph.D. in Culture Technology (Advisor: Juhan Nam)

Mar 2015 - Feb 2020

o Dissertation: Transcription and Modeling of Expressive Piano Performance Using Machine Learning

M.E. in Culture Technology (Advisor: Younghae Noh)

Dajeon, South Korea

Mar 2013 - Feb 2015

o Thesis: Music Visualization Using Flow Graph and its Effect on Listening to Classical Music

KAIST Dajeon, South Korea

B.E. in Mechanical Engineering

Feb 2008 - Feb 2013

o Graduation Project: An Automatic Pitch Correction Helper for a Trumpet

EXPERIENCE

SK Telecom

Seoul, South Korea

Research Scientist for Music AI in T-Brain X, T3K

March 2020 - Current

o Project: Query-by-Humming, Automatic Music Transcription, Singing Voice Synthesis

KAIST - Music and Audio Computing Lab

with Prof. Juhan Nam

Daejeon, South Korea Sep. 2014 - Feb. 2020

- o **Project**: Modeling Expressive Piano Performance with Deep Learning
 - * A DNN-based system for modeling piano performance. Proposed an LSTM-based system with hierarchical attention networks and a variational autoencoder.
 - * Music score as a graph. Proposed an Iterative Sequential Graph Network, which is a combination of Gated Graph Neural Network and hierarchical attention LSTM.
 - * Improved MusicXML parser. Based on the Google Magenta Parser, solved musically complicated features such as tie, slur, repeat, accidental, tempo change, and trill.
 - * Dataset. Collected pairs of MusicXML and performance MIDI of various pieces. Handled various error cases.
 - Feature Engineering for score and performance data. Proposed vector-like representations for tempo and dynamic markings in MusicXML.
- Project: Transcribing Dynamics of Piano Performance from an Audio Recording
 - * NMF. Proposed a system using score-informed non-negative matrix factorization for estimating individual note intensities from an audio recording of piano performance.
 - * Timbre-based approach. Proposed a system using a fully connected network that estimates a key velocity of given intensity-normalized note-spectrogram.
- o **Project**: Score-based Web Platform for Classical Music Listening
 - * Audio-to-score alignment. Implemented a previously proposed method with MATLAB
 - * A web interface with audio-synchronized music score. The interface includes rendering interactive music score, highlighting the currently-playing position in the score synchronized with the audio performance. Employed Verovio library and Web Audio API.

KAIST - Audio & Interactive Media Lab

Daejeon, South Korea

Sep. 2013 - Feb. 2014

with Prof. Woon Seung Yeo

- o Project: Developing Room Acoustic Simulation for Korean Traditional Music Ensemble
 - * Recorded impulse response of the Pungnyu Sarangbang in National Gugak Center (국립국악원 풍류사랑방).
- o **Project**: Developing iPad Application for Korean Traditional Notation System (정간보)
 - * Developed a module that converts input Korean notation to output Western notation.

• Peer-reviewed Publication:

- Taegyun Kwon, <u>Dasaem Jeong</u>, and Juhan Nam, "End-to-End Polyphonic Piano Transcription Using Autoregressive <u>Multi-Note-State Model</u>", in *Proc. of the 21st International Society for Music Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR)*, 2020
- Dasaem Jeong, Taegyun Kwon, and Juhan Nam, "Note Intensity Estimation of Piano Recordings Using Coarsely-aligned MIDI Score", in Journal of Audio Engineering Society (JAES), 2020
- Dasaem Jeong, Taegyun Kwon, Yoojin Kim, Kyogu Lee, and Juhan Nam, "VirtuosoNet: A Hierarchical RNN-based System for Modeling Expressive Piano Performance", in Proc. International Society for Music Information Retrieval (ISMIR), 2019.
- o Dasaem Jeong, Taegyun Kwon, Yoojin Kim, and Juhan Nam, "Graph Neural Network for Music Score Data and Modeling Expressive Piano Performance", in Proc. of of the 36th International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), 2019.
- Dasaem Jeong, Taegyun Kwon, and Juhan Nam, "A Timbre-based Approach to Estimate Key Velocity from Polyphonic Piano Recordings", in Proc. International Society for Music Information Retrieval (ISMIR), 2018.
- o Taegyun Kwon, <u>Dasaem Jeong</u>, and Juhan Nam, "Audio-to-Score Alignment Of Piano Music Using RNN-based Automatic Music <u>Transcription</u>", in *Proc. of the 14th Sound and Music Computing Conference (SMC)*, 2017.
- Dasaem Jeong, and Juhan Nam, "Note Intensity Estimation of Piano Recordings by Score-informed NMF", in Proc. of the Audio Engineering Society Conference on Semantic Audio (AES), 2017.
- Dasaem Jeong, and Juhan Nam, "Visualizing Music in its Entirety using Acoustic Features: Music Flowgram", in Proc. of the 2nd International Conference on Technologies for Music Notation and Representation (TENOR), 2016.

• Workshop Papers:

- Dasaem Jeong, Seongheon Doh and Taegyun Kwon "TräumerAI: Dreaming Music with StyleGAN", in 4th Workshop on Machine Learning for Creativity and Design, Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2020.
- Dasaem Jeong, "Real-time Automatic Piano Transcription System", in Late Breaking/Demo in the 21st International Society for Musical Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR), 2020.
- Dasaem Jeong, Taegyun Kwon, Yoojin Kim, and Juhan Nam, "Score and Performance Features for Rendering Expressive Music Performances", in *Proc. of the 7th Music Encoding Conference*, 2019.
- Dasaem Jeong, Taegyun Kwon, and Juhan Nam, "VirtuosoNet: A Hierarchical Attention RNN for Generating Expressive Piano Performance from Music Score", in 2nd Workshop on Machine Learning for Creativity and Design, Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2018.
- Dasaem Jeong, Taegyun Kwon, Chaelin Park, and Juhan Nam, "PerformScore: Toward Performance Visualization With the Score on the Web Browser", in Late Breaking/Demo in the 18th International Society for Musical Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR), 2017.

• Publications in Musicology, Peer-reviewed on Abstract:

- Dasaem Jeong, and Juhan Nam, "How the Rhythm Is Actually Performed in the First Movement of the Beethoven's Seventh Symphony", in Proc. of the 10th International Conference of Students of Systematic Musicology (SysMus), 2017.
- Saebyul Park, Seunghun Kim, <u>Dasaem Jeong</u>, Juhan Nam and Jeounghoon Kim, "Melodic and Harmonic Similarity for Music Plagiarism: Comparison between computational analysis and perceptual evaluation", in *Proc. of the* Society for Music Perception and Cognition (SMPC), 2015.
- o <u>Dasaem Jeong</u>, Younghae Noh, "Music Visualization Using Volume Graph and its Effect on Classical Music <u>Listening</u>", in *Proc. of the 9th Conference on Interdisciplinary Musicology (CIM)*, 2014.
- Dasaem Jeong, "Correlation between Music, Stage Direction, and Technology in Wagner's Ring Cycle (바그너의 니 벨롱의 반지에서 살펴본 음악과 연출과 기술의 상관관계)", in Proc. of the 69th Symposium of the Musicological Society of Korea(한국서양음악학회 학술대회), 2013.

• Domestic Patent (in Korea):

- Juhan Nam, Taegyun Kwon, and <u>Dasaem Jeong</u>, "Method and System for Audio and Score Alignment of Music Using Neural Network-Based Automatic Music Transcription (심층 인공신경망 기반 자동 악보 채보를 이용한 연주 및 악보 정렬 방법 및 시스템)", Patent No. 10-1939001 (2019.01.09)
- o Youngjin Park, Sangmin Baek, <u>Dasaem Jeong</u>, Minju Kang, Chanho Park, Sangeon Lee, and Jeongin Jang, "Valve Opening and Shutting Type Brass Instrument Automatic Correction Helper (밸브 개폐식 금관악기 자동 음정 보정 장치)", Patent No. 10-1392182 (2014.04.29)

TA of "Music and Audio Computing" & "Sound Technology For Multimedia"

KAIST

Courses by Prof. Juhan Nam (CTP431)

Spring, Fall 2015

Instructor of Humanity/Leadership III "Understanding Operas"

KAIST

An HS10.174 course for freshmen students with a student instructor.

Spring 2012 - Spring 2015, Spring 2016

• The course consisted of two hours per lecture and thirteen lectures per semester (total eight semesters). Gave lectures about western opera including topics such as opera singing, stage directions, and structure of music and drama.

TA of "Understanding Music and Music History"

KAIST

Lecture by Prof. Younghhae Noh

Fall 2012, Fall 2013 - Fall 2014

• Gave summary lectures before mid-term, special lectures on various topics such as "Wagner's Ring cycle", "Interpretation of music score", and "Operas for modern listeners", attended and gave advice on individual team meetings for student presentations.

Instructor of Humanity/Leadership III "Listening to Classical Music"

KAIST

An HS10.174 course for freshmen students with a student instructor.

Spring 2009 - Spring 2011

• The course consisted of two hours per lecture and thirteen lectures per semester (total five semesters). Gave lectures about classical music including topics from music history, orchestrations, and music aesthetics.

AWARDS

Global Leadership Award: Creativity

KAIST

A presidential award given to a student who demonstrated the school's core value, creativity.

Jul. 31, 2020

Best Instructor Award for Humanity/Leadership III

KAIST

Understanding Opera in Fall 2013

Programming Skills

• Languages: Python, JavaScript, MATLAB, HTML/CSS

Technologies/Library: Git, PyTorch

Talks

Huawei Tokyo Research Center Invited Seminar

Huawei Japan

"Modeling Expressive Performance with Deep Learning"

Oct. 29, 2020

63rd Seminar of Korean Society for Music Perception and Cognition

KSMPC

"Modeling Expressive Piano Performance Using a Deep Neural Network"

Nov. 30, 2019

Seoul Copyright Forum 2019

Korea Copyright Commission

"Music Performance of A.I."

Nov. 20, 2019

Music and Audio Workshop

KAIST & SNU

'Generating Piano Performance from Music Score"

Feb. 22, 2019

Guest Lecture on Wagner's Ring

Korean Wagner Society

"Technology and Stage direction of Wagner's Ring"

Oct. 28, 2013

Concerts / Exhibition

Artificial Humanity

Premiere of contemporary music by Hana Ryu, performed by VirtuosoNet

Jan. 2021

AI:UM 2020 Online Booth

2020 AI Week festival

 $AI\ Piano\ with\ Automatic\ Music\ Transcription\ in\ a\ virtual\ exhibition\ by\ AI\ Friends,\ HelloDD$

Sep. 2020

Ways of Seeing

Dajeon Museum of Art

Deep Space Music - an AI Pianist (VirtuosoNet) with Media Art by Nos Visuals

Nov. 2019

ACTIVITIES

• Playing cello and conducting orchestra, Learning foreign languages (German, Italian, French, and Russian).