Education

Keimyung University

Daegu, S.Korea

Ph.D. in Computer Engineering 2020 - now

M.S. IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING 2018 - 2020

B.S. IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING - SUMMA CUM LAUDE

Selected Publications

Neural Tree Decoder for Interpretation of Vision Transformers

IEEE Transactions on Artificial Intelligence

Sangwon Kim, Byoung Chul Ko

Cross-Modal Learning with 3D Deformable Attention for Action Recognition

ICCV 2023

2012 - 2018

Sangwon Kim, Dasom Ahn, Byoung Chul Ko

STAR-Transformer: A Spatio-temporal Cross Attention Transformer for Human Action Recognition

WACV 2023

Dasom Ahn, **Sangwon Kim**, Hyunsu Hong, Byoung Chul Ko

ViT-NeT: Interpretable Vision Transformers with Neural Tree Decoder

ICML 2022

Sangwon Kim, Jaeyeal Nam, Byoung Chul Ko

Is the Surrogate Model Interpretable?

NeurIPS 2020 Workshop

Sangwon Kim, Mira Jeong, Byoung Chul Ko

Deep Coupling of Random Ferns

CVPR 2019 Workshop

Sangwon Kim, Mira Jeong, Deokwoo Lee, Byoung Chul Ko

Experience_

Qualcomm Institute, UC San Diego

San Diego, CA, USA

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT INTERN

Paris, France

European Institute of Technology (EPITECH)

Winter 2017

2017 - 2018

Student Intern

Qualcomm Institute, UC San Diego

San Diego, CA, USA

STUDENT INTERN

Summer 2016

Academic services

Samsung Advanced Institute of Technology (SAIT)

S.Korea

INVITED TALK < EXPLAINABLE AI: ABOUT VISION AND INTRINSIC INTERPRETATION >

2022

Reviewing

JOURNAL - IEEE TMM, IEEE TCSVT, ACM TKDD

CONFERENCE - WACV

Honors & Awards

INTERNATIONAL

2020 **7th Place**, MOT Challenge, CVPR 2020

Seattle, WA, USA

DOMESTIC

2023 **Best Paper Award**, The Institute of Electronics and Information Engineers (IEIE)

2022 **Best Paper Award**, The Institute of Electronics and Information Engineers (IEIE)

2021 **Research Fund**, NRF - Academic Research Support Project in Science and Engineering (40M won, 2 years) **Scholarship**, SAMIL Foundation (Full tuition, 3 semesters)

2020 **Best Paper Award**, The Institute of Electronics and Information Engineers (IEIE)

Best Paper Award, The Korean Institute of Information Scientists and Engineers (KIISE)

Full Publications

CONFERENCES

Concept Graph Embedding Models for Enhanced Interpretability and Accuracy

AAAI 2024 (Under Phase2)

Sangwon Kim, Hyeongjin Kim, Woo-Jeoung Nam, Byoung Chul Ko

Semantic Scene Graph Generation Based on an Edge Dual Scene Graph

AAAI 2024 (Under Phase2)

Hyeongjin Kim*, Sangwon Kim*, Jong Taek Lee, Byoung Chul Ko

Cross-Modal Learning with 3D Deformable Attention for Action Recognition

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STAR-Transformer: A Spatio-temporal Cross Attention Transformer for Human Action Recognition

WACV 2023

Dasom Ahn, **Sangwon Kim**, Hyunsu Hong, Byoung Chul Ko

ViT-NeT: Interpretable Vision Transformers with Neural Tree Decoder

ICML 2022

Sangwon Kim, Jaeyeal Nam, Byoung Chul Ko

Shift-ViT: Siamese Vision Transformer using Shifted Branches

ITC-CSCC 2022

Dasom Ahn, Hyeongjin Kim, **Sangwon Kim**, Byoung Chul Ko

Image Registration Between Real Image and Virtual Image Based on Self-Supervised Keypoint Learning

ACPR 2021

Sangwon Kim, In-Su Jang, Byoung Chul Ko

Is the Surrogate Model Interpretable?

NeurIPS 2020 Workshop

Sangwon Kim, Mira Jeong, Byoung Chul Ko

Fast Multiple Object Tracking Using Siamese Random Forest Without Online Tracker Updating

CVPR 2020 Workshop

Jimi Lee, **Sangwon Kim**, Byoung Chul Ko

Deep Coupling of Random Ferns

CVPR 2019 Workshop

Sangwon Kim, Mira Jeong, Deokwoo Lee, Byoung Chul Ko

Depth-map Estimation Using Combination of Global Deep Network and Local Deep Random Forest

Electronic Imaging 2019

SangJun Kim, Sangwon Kim, Deokwoo Lee, Byoung Chul Ko

JOURNALS

Neural Tree Decoder for Interpretation of Vision Transformers

IEEE Transactions on Artificial Intelligence

Sangwon Kim, Byoung Chul Ko

Self-Supervised Keypoint Detection Based on Multi-layer Random Forest Regressor

IEEE Access

Sangwon Kim, Mira Jeong, Byoung Chul Ko

Online Multiple Object Tracking Using Rule Distillated Siamese Random Forest

IEEE Access

Jimi Lee, **Sangwon Kim**, Byoung Chul Ko

Building Deep Random Ferns Without Backpropagation

IEEE Access

Sangwon Kim, Byoung Chul Ko

STAR++: Rethinking Spatio-Temporal Cross Attention Transformer for Video Action Recognition

Springer Applied Intelligence

Dasom Ahn, **Sangwon Kim**, Byoung Chul Ko

SSL-MOT: Self-Supervised Learning Based Multi-Object Tracking

Springer Applied Intelligence

Sangwon Kim, Jimi Lee, Byoung Chul Ko

Lightweight Surrogate Random Forest Supporting for Model Simplification and Feature Relevance

Image Registration Between Real Image and Virtual Image Based on Self-supervised Keypoint Learning

Springer Applied Intelligence

Sangwon Kim, Mira Jeong, Byoung Chul Ko

Sangwon Kim, In-Su Jang, Byoung Chul Ko

Springer LNCS

MDPI Sensors

Facial Expression Recognition Based on Squeeze Vision Transformer Sangwon Kim, Jaeyeal Nam, Byoung Chul Ko

Model Simplification of Deep Random Forest for Real-Time Applications of Various Sensor Data

MDPI Sensors

Sangwon Kim, Byoung Chul Ko, Jaeyeal Nam

Energy Efficient Pupil Tracking Based on Rule Distillation of Cascade Regression Forest

MDPI Sensors

Sangwon Kim, Mira Jeong, Byoung Chul Ko

Fast Depth Estimation in a Single Image Using Lightweight Efficient Neural Network

MDPI Sensors

Sangwon Kim, Jaeyeal Nam, Byoung Chul Ko