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EDUCATION

Purdue University

Ph.D. candidate - Statistics / Advisor : Professor Qifan Song

West Lafayette, USA

Jan 2021 - Present

Yonsei University

Master degree - Applied Statistics & Data Science / Advisor : Professor Taeyoung Park

Seoul, Korea Mar 2018 - Feb 2020

Yonsei University

Bachelor degree - Applied Statistics; Rank: 1/92

Seoul, Korea

- Mar 2018

RESEARCH INTEREST

• Fairness-aware Machine Learning, Generative Modeling, Differential Privacy, Principal Curve

Publication

- Sohn, J., Song, Q., & Lin, G. (2024). Fair Supervised Learning with A Simple Random Sampler of Sensitive Attributes. In AISTAT (pp. 1594-1602). PMLR.
- Kang, T., Kim, S., **Sohn, J.**, & Awan, J. (2024). Differentially Private Topological Data Analysis. *Journal of Machine Learning Research*.
- Sohn, J., Jeong, S., Cho, Y. M., & Park, T. (2023). Functional Clustering Methods for Binary Longitudinal Data with Temporal Heterogeneity. In *Computational Statistics & Data Analysis*, 185, 107766.

Preprint

• Sohn, J. & Song, Q. Parallelly Tempered Generative Adversarial Networks. This is under revision for the special issue (Statistical Science in Artificial Intelligence) in *Journal of American Statistical Association*.

IN PREPARATION

- Sohn, J., Song, Q., & Lin, G. Task-tailored Pre-processing for Fair Supervised Learning. This will be submitted to Transaction on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence.
- Lim, T., Nam, K., & **Sohn, J**. Monotone curve estimation via convex duality. This will be submitted to *Operation Research*.
- Sohn, J., Kang, T., & Kim, S. Dynamic Simplicial Neural Network, in preparation.

Presentation

- 2024 Fall Graduate Student Workshop in Statistics, Purdue University, USA
 - Parallelly Tempered Generative Adversarial Networks
- 2024 Methods for Feature Selection, the Joint Statistical Meetings, USA
 - Fair Supervised Learning with A Simple Random Sampler of Sensitive Attributes
- 2024 Spring Purdue Graduate Student Organization Seminar, Purdue University, USA
 - Fair Supervised Learning with A Simple Random Sampler of Sensitive Attributes
- 2019 Fall Conference of the Korean Statistical Society, University of Seoul, Korea
 - Variational Inference on Functional Clustering of Varying Coefficients
- 2018 Fall Conference of the Korean Statistical Society, Ewha Woman University, Korea
 - Functional Clustering Methods for Binary Longitudinal Data with Temporal Heterogeneity

Award and Honor

- 2024 2025 Ross Lynn Research Scholar Grant for Statistics at Purdue University, USA
- College of Science Graduate Student Travel Award for Spring 2024
- 2024 High Profile Student Award for Research in Statistics at Purdue University, USA
- Third Place Award for Presentation, 2019 Fall Conference of the Korean Statistical Society, Korea
- Best Poster Award, 2018 Fall Conference of the Korean Statistical Society, Korea
- Grand Prize in 2018 Big Contest, National Information Society Agency, Korea
- Third Place Award in 2016&2017 Big Contest, National Information Society Agency, Korea
- High Honors 2017 Spring & Honors 2016 Fall

Professional Career

Data Science Consulting Service

Research Assistant

West Lafayette, USA Spring 2023 - Spring 2024

o Research: Worked on fairness-aware machine learning projects

Datarize

Seoul, Korea

2020

- Data Scientist

 Algorithm Evaluation: Evaluated a recommendation system through causal inference.
 - Developing Recommenders: Developed a Multi-Objectives Contextual Multi-Armed Bandit.

Bayesian Statistics Laboratory - Yonsei University

Seoul, Korea

Research Assistant

2018 - 2020

- o Research: Conducted research on a nonparametric Bayesian approach on varying-coefficient models
- o Industry-Academic Cooperation: Worked as a collaborative researcher of Amore-Pacific Corporation

Software

• fvcc: Functional Clustering Methods for Varying Coefficients, written by R

TEACHING

Purdue University Teaching Assistant

West Lafayette, USA

2021 - Present

- o STAT 303: Probability and Statistics for Business
- o STAT 512: Applied Regression Analysis
- o STAT 517: Statistical Inference

Yonsei University

Seoul, Korea 2018 - 2020

Teaching Assistant

• STA 3124: Stochastic Processes

• STA 3126: Mathematical Statistics

SKILL

• Languages: Python(Adv), R(Adv), SQL