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POSITIONS

Software Engineer at SK hynix, Republic of Korea	Oct. 2024 -	Present
Researcher at Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute (ETRI), Republic of Korea	Jan. 2024 -	Oct. 2024

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Department of Artificial Intelligence, Ajou University, Republic of Korea Sep. 2018 Advisor: Prof. Sangyoon Oh

Sep. 2018 - Feb. 2024

• Dissertation: Dynamic Gradient Sparsification Exploiting Aggregated Gradients for Scalable Distributed Deep Learning

B.S. in Department of Software, Ajou University, Republic of Korea

Mar. 2013 - Aug. 2018

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

CUDA, C/C++, PyTorch, Python, Java

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- C3. Daegun Yoon, Sangyoon Oh, "Preserving Near-Optimal Gradient Sparsification Cost for Scalable Distributed Deep Learning", 24th IEEE/ACM International Symposium on Cluster, Cloud, and Internet Computing (CCGrid), May. 2024.
- C2. **Daegun Yoon**, Sangyoon Oh, "MiCRO: Near-Zero Cost Gradient Sparsification for Scaling and Accelerating Distributed DNN Training", 30th IEEE International Conference on High Performance Computing, Data, and Analytics (HiPC), Dec. 2023.
- C1. Daegun Yoon, Sangyoon Oh, "DEFT: Exploiting Gradient Norm Difference between Model Layers for Scalable Gradient Sparsification", 52nd International Conference on Parallel Processing (ICPP), Aug. 2023.

SELECTED RESEARCH PROJECTS

R3. Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute, "Analog AI Computing".	Jan. 2024 - Oct. 2024
R2. Samsung Display, "Development of High Efficiency HPC Job Scheduling Algorithm".	Jan. 2023 - Dec. 2023
R1. Korea Institute of Science and Technology Information, "Research on Optimizing Memory	Mar. 2022 - Oct. 2022
Utilization and Communication Scheduling of Sharded Data Parallel for Accelerating Large-	
Scale Distributed Deep Learning".	

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Reviewer: The Journal of Supercomputing (2023, 2024), Journal of Big Data (2024), Cluster Computing (2024), World Wide Web (2024), Wireless Networks (2024), Journal of Grid Computing (2024), Computing (2024), International Journal of Machine Learning and Cybernetics (2024), Journal of Real-Time Image Processing (2024), ACM Transactions on Multimedia Computing Communications and Applications (2023)

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

Teaching Assistant: "Software Engineering", Department of Software, Ajou University	Spring 2021
Teaching Assistant: "Digital Circuits", Department of Software, Ajou University	Fall 2022

AWARDS

A1. Excellent Dissertation Award: "Dynamic Gradient Sparsification Exploiting Aggregated Gradients for Scalable Distributed Deep Learning", Department of Software, Ajou University, Feb. 2024.