

Hongseok Oh

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Experienced AI Research Engineer with 3+ years in audio and speech deep learning at a startup. Currently pursuing a Master's degree in Computer Science and Engineering at UCSD to advance my career in AI/ML.

WORK EXPERIENCES

Deeply Inc.

AI Research Engineer (Intern: May 2020 - Oct. 2020)

May 2020 - Jul. 2023
Seoul, Republic of Korea

- Conducted two deep learning-based research projects in the audio domain, leading to a paper submission to ICASSP 2024 and a robustness gain against noise and reverberation of at least 47.5% for all subsequent products
- Developed and evaluated over 10 deep learning models, collaborating with multi-disciplinary teams, playing a pivotal role in our company's successful strategic shift from the B2C market segment to a B2B-focused approach
- Maintained and fine-tuned an elderly monitor system and casino surveillance system, reducing false positive rate to 0.1 - 1.0% while enhancing F1 score by 2.0 - 8.0%; which directly translated to reduced false alarms for monitors
- Designed and led government-funded AI data collection projects, generating \$115k in total sales revenue [[GitHub](#)]

EDUCATION

University of California, San Diego

Master of Science in Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence)

Sep. 2023 - Jun. 2025 (Expected)
San Diego, CA, United States

- Major coursework:** Probabilistic Reason&Learning, Computational Robust Statistics, Rec Sys&Web Mining

University of California, San Diego

Education Abroad Reciprocal Exchange Program

Dec. 2018 - Jun. 2019
San Diego, CA, United States

- GPA:** 3.57/4.0
- Major coursework:** Data Science in Practice, Intro/Computer SCI: JAVA(1)

Yonsei University (Korean Ivy League School)

Bachelor of Science in Information and Industrial Engineering

Mar. 2014 - Feb. 2022
Seoul, Republic of Korea

- GPA:** 3.59(3.87+)/4.0 (+ Last 2 Years GPA)
- Major coursework:** Optimization in Artificial Intelligence, Advanced Programming, Industrial Data Management

SELECTED PROJECTS

Audio Domain Adaptation Through Microphone Conversion

Oct. 2022 - Jul. 2023

- Technologies:** Generative AI, CycleGAN, ResNet50, data augmentation, domain adaptation, Python, PyTorch
- Description:** Led a research initiative to develop a new augmentation technique, improving sound event classifiers' resilience against device variability by simulating microphones without compromising acoustic information
- Achievement:** Submitted our groundbreaking research results to ICASSP 2024, outperforming the state-of-the-art performance by a 5.2 - 11.5% improvement in F1 score

Respiratory Sound Classification for Elderly Monitoring System [[Demo](#)]

Nov. 2021 - Mar. 2023

- Technologies:** Transfer learning, knowledge distillation, model quantization, Transformer, Python, PyTorch
- Description:** developed a sound event classification system for elderly health monitoring on edge devices, achieving an 80% acceleration in inference speed
- Achievement:** Enhanced safety for 300+ elderly individuals, aiding social workers in timely care provision

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Sustainable Development Program for Young Global Leaders

Member of AI Team

Sep. 2019 - May 2020
Seoul, Republic of Korea

- Directed a BERT-based crawler project with the World Bank Group, winning the Social Innovation Scholarship

SKILLS

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| Technical | • Python, Java, PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, Linux, Bash, Git, SQL, GCP, LaTeX, Docker, R |
| Language | • Korean: Native English: Full Professional Proficiency Spanish: Conversational |
| Interest | • CrossFit (Competed in 5 Team Competitions), Bouldering (V4), Scuba Diving (PADI Advanced) |