Ph.D. Jemin Lee, leejaymin@etri.re.kr, Homepage Electronic Telecommunication Research Institute (ETRI), Republic of Korea

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

AI Model Compression and Evaluation (ETRI and UST)

Dec. 2018 – Present

Senior Researcher

- Designed and deployed an integrated evaluation framework that measures accuracy deltas caused by post-training quantization on instruction-tuned LLMs up to 405B parameters in a Ray + vLLM multi-node cluster.
- Specialized in compressing diverse model families CNNs, (Hybrid) Vision Transformers, and LLMs
 for both cloud and edge targets.
- · Post-training quantization: identified optimal calibration parameters, crafted reconstruction-erroraware quantizers to maximize post-compression accuracy, and developed mixed non-linear quantization which enabled fully integer-only ViT inference via function approximation of GELU and Softmax with no retraining.
- · Quantization-aware training: developed mixed non-linear quantization for ViT models using QAT, assigning optimal methods per non-linear op (LayerNorm, Softmax, GELU) based on SQNR sensitivity analysis.
- · Mixed-precision methodology: selected precision per-layer/operation to trade off compute throughput versus model quality.

AI Compiler and Kernel Optimization (ETRI and UST)

Dec. 2018 – Present

Senior Researcher

- Fully-INT8 FlashAttention Triton kernel: implemented softmax and all intermediate ops entirely in the integer domain via scale-offset quantisation, achieving FP-free attention inference with Triton-lang.
- · Continuously authoring Triton-lang kernels for efficient attention variants across multiple NVIDIA and AMD GPU architectures.
- · ONNX-level and high-level IR optimisation (Glow / TVM Relay / PT 2.0 Dynamo) enabling new ops and improving mapping to HW accelerators.
- · Auto-scheduler development (CPrune, ACLTuner, ML²Tuner, and Luthier) and co-optimisation with Ansor to generate highly efficient kernels on DragonBoard 865, ODroid, Edge-R and so on.
- · Extended Apache TVM's VTA backend and built an **EVTA CodeGen** path targeting an enhanced accelerator with widened GEMM pipelines and INT4/INT8 mixed-precision support.

Energy Aware Mobile Computing (CNU and KAIST)

Period: Apr. 2011 – Oct. 2018

Postdoctoral Researcher

- · Developed core engines for SuggestBot, focusing on context-based association/suggestion applications: collected in-the-wild data from conversation-based interactions, mobile/wearable sensors.
- · Engineered software for collecting sensor and interaction data from mobile and wearable devices.
- · Improved energy efficiency of continuous sensing via data fusion and inference.

WORK EXPERIENCES

Department of Artificial Intelligence, UST

Daejeon, South Korea

Assistant Professor

Sept. 2023 – Present

Efficient Computing Laboratory

AI Research Laboratory, ETRI

Daejeon, South Korea Dec. 2018 – Present

Senior Researcher

Interactive Computing Laboratory, KAIST

Post-doctoral Researcher (including compulsory military service period)

Superviosr: Uichin Lee

Daejeon, South Korea Nov. 2017 - Aug. 2018

EDUCATION

Chungnam National University

Sept. 2011 - Aug. 2017

Ph.D. in Department of Computer Science and Engineering

Embedded System Laboratory

Thesis: Power Modeling, Analysis, and Optimization for Mobile Devices

Advisor: Hyungshin Kim

Outstanding Ph.D. Thesis Award (top 1 out of 115)

Chungnam National University

Mar. 2006 - Aug. 2011

B.S. in Department of Computer Science and Engineering

PUBLICATIONS

Peer-reviewed Journals and Proceedings

† equal contribution, *corresponding author

J.15 A Survey on Inference Engines for Large Language Models: Perspectives on Optimization and Efficiency

Sihyeong Park, Sungryeol Jeon, Chaelyn Lee, Seokhun Jeon, Byung-Soo Kim, and Jemin Lee* In Preprint on ArXiv 2505.01658 May 3, 2025, May 2025

C.20 Design Practices and Lessons from Deploying On-device Vision-Language Interaction in Robotic Guide Dogs

Jinse Kwon, **Jemin Lee***, and Yongin Kwon*

Thirteenth International Workshop on Assistive Computer Vision and Robotics (ICCV Workshop) 2025

C.19 TriPlanNet: Triangle Path Planning Network for A Variable Truss Robot with Deep Learning

Choonghan Lee, Leah Harris, Sehyeon Oh, Juhyung Cha, Jemin Lee*, Yongin Kwon, and Andrew Jang-ho Bae

Thirteenth International Workshop on Assistive Computer Vision and Robotics (ICCV Workshop) 2025

C.18 Luthier: Bridging Auto-Tuning and Vendor Libraries for Efficient Deep Learning Inference



Yongin Kwon, Joo Hyoung Cha, Jubin Lee, Misun Yu, Jeman Park, and Jemin Lee* (Top Conf.) The International Conference on Compilers, Architectures, and Synthesis for Embedded Systems (CASES 2025), and ACM Transactions on Embedded Computing Systems (TECS), ACM Artifact Available & Evaluated, Sept. 29 2025 (NRF BK21+ IF 2).

C.17 Exploring the Trade-Offs: Quantization Methods, Task Difficulty, and Model Size in Large Language Models From Edge to Giant

Jemin Lee, Sihyeong Park, Jinse Kwon, Jihun Oh, and Yongin Kwon

(Top Conf.) In International Joint Conferences on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI) Aug. 18 2025 (NRF BK21+ IF 4, Acceptance Rate 19.3% (1,042 papers accepted out of 5,404 submitted).

C.16 Multi-Level Machine Learning-Guided Autotuning for Efficient Code Generation on a Deep Learning Accelerator

JooHyoung Cha, Munyoung Lee, Jinse Kwon, Jubin Lee, Jemin Lee, and Yongin Kwon

The 26th ACM SIGPLAN/SIGBED International Conference on Languages, Compilers, and Tools for Embedded Systems (LCTES) pp.134 - 145, 13 Jun 2025, (NRF BK21+ IF 2, Acceptance Rate 38% (16 papers accepted out of 42 submitted).

J.14 QuantuneV2: Compiler-based local metric-driven mixed precision quantization for practical embedded AI applications

Jeongseok Kim[†], **Jemin Lee**[†], Yongin Kwon, and Daeyoung Kim In Future Generation Computer Systems (IF: 6.2, JCR23 Top 9.4%, Q1), Jan 2025

C.15 Optimizing Real-Time Object Detection in a Multi NPU Systems

Sehyeon Oh, Yongin Kwon, and Jemin Lee*

In MDPI Sensors, Volume 25, Issue 5, pp. 1376 March 1 2025 EISSN 1424-8220 (IF: 3.4, JCR24 Top 30.92%, Q2), Mar 2025

C.14 ML²Tuner: Efficient Code Tuning via Multi-Level Machine Learning Models

JooHyoung Cha, Munyoung Lee, Jinse Kwon, Jubin Lee, **Jemin Lee**, and Yongin Kwon In Machine Learning for Systems Workshop (NeurIPS Workshop), Dec. 2024

C.13 Mixed Non-linear Quantization for Vision Transformers

Gihwan Kim[†], **Jemin Lee**[†], Sihyeong Park, Yongin Kwon, and Hyungshin Kim The Fourth Workshop on Computational Aspects of Deep Learning (ECCV Workshop), Sep 2024

J.13 Q-HyViT: Post-Training Quantization for Hybrid Vision Transformer with Bridge Block Reconstruction for IoT Systems

Jemin Lee, Yongin Kwon, Jeman Park, Misun Yu, Hwanjun Song IEEE Internet of Things Journal (IF 10.6, JCR23 Top 2.2%), Vol. 11, Issue 22,

IEEE Internet of Things Journal (IF 10.6, JCR23 Top 2.2%), Vol. 11, Issue 22, pp.36384-36396, 15 Nov. 2024

J.12 NEST-C: A Deep Learning Compiler Framework for Heterogeneous Computing Systems with AI Accelerators

Jeman Park, Misun Yu, Jinse Kwon, Junmo Park, **Jemin Lee***, and Yongin Kwon* In ETRI Journal Vol. 46 Issue 5, pp.851-864 ISSN: 1225-6463 (IF 1.3), Oct 2024

C.12 ACLTuner: A Profiling-Driven Fast Tuning to Optimize Deep Learning Inference

Yongin Kwon, Joo Hyoung Cha, Jubin Lee, Misun Yu, Jeman Park, and **Jemin Lee*** In Machine Learning for Systems Workshop (NeurIPS Workshop), 2023

J.11 Pipelining of a Mobile SoC and an External NPU for Accelerating CNN Inference

Jinse Kwon, **Jemin Lee**, and Hyungshin Kim

IEEE Embedded Systems Letters, Vol. 16 Issue 2 pp. 150-153, June 2024 ISSN 1943-0663

J.10 PartitionTuner: An operator scheduler for deep-learning compilers supporting multiple heterogeneous processing units

Misun Yu, Yongin Kwon, ${\bf Jemin~Lee},$ Jeman Park, Junmo Park, Taeho Kim

ETRI Journal Vol 45 Issue 2 pp. 187-357, Apr 2023 (JCR21 IF: 1.622) ISSN: 1225-6463, doi: https://doi.org/10.4218/etrij.2021-0446

J.9 Software-level Memory Regulation to Reduce Execution Time Variation on Multi-core Real-time Systems

Sihyeong Park, **Jemin Lee**, Hyungshin Kim

C.11 CPrune: Compiler-Informed Model Pruning for Efficient Target-Aware DNN Execution

Taeho Kim, Yongin Kwon, Jemin Lee, Taeho Kim, Sangtae Ha,

(Top Conf.) European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV), pp.651–667, Oct 23-27, 2022 (NRF BK21+ IF 2, Acceptance Rate 28% (1,650 papers accepted out of 5,803 submitted).

J.8 Time-Invariant Features-Based Online Learning for Long-Term Notification Management: A Longitudinal Study

Jemin Lee, Sihyeong Park, Taeho Kim, Hyungshin Kim

Applied Sciences Vol. 12, No. 11 Article-Num. 5432, June 01, 2022 (JCR21 IF: 2.838, ISSN: 2076-3417

J.7 Quantum: Post-training quantization of convolutional neural networks using extreme gradient boosting for fast deployment

Jemin Lee*, Misun Yu, Yongin Kwon, Taeho Kim

Future Generation Computer Systems, Vol. 132, 2022, pp. 124-135 IF: 7.187

J.6 PASS: Reducing Redundant Notifications between a Smartphone and a Smartwatch for Energy Saving Jemin Lee, Uichin Lee Hyungshin Kim

IEEE Transactions on Mobile Computing (IF 5.538, JCR20: Top 17%), Vol 19, Issue 11, 1 Dec. 2020.

J.5 Hardware Resource Analysis in Distributed Training with Edge Devices

Sihyeong Park, Jemin Lee, Hyungshin Kim

MDPI Electronics 2020, 9(1) 28, 26 Dec. 2019 (impact factor: 1.764)

C.10 Fire in Your Hands: Understanding Thermal Behavior of Smartphones

Soowon Kang, Hyeonwoo Choi, Sooyoung Park, Chunjong Park, **Jemin Lee**, Uichin Lee, and Sung-Ju Lee,

(Top Conf.) ACM International Conference on Mobile Computing and Networking (MobiCom) 2019 (NRF BK21+ IF 4).

J.4 Reducing Smartwatch Users' Distraction with Convolutional Neural Network

Jemin Lee, Jinse Kwon, Hyungshin Kim

Mobile Information Systems, Article ID 768954915 Mar. 2018, IF: 0.849

C.9 Analysis of Hardware Resources in Distributed Learning (poster)

Sihveong Park, **Jemin Lee**, Hyungshin Kim

In Proceedings of International Workshop on Highly Efficient Neural Networks Design (co-located with EMSOFT), pp. 1-4, Seoul, South Korea, Oct. 2017.

C.8 An Ultrasound-based Indoor Localization Using Gaussian ASK Modulation (WIP)

Jinse Kwon, **Jemin Lee**, Hyungshin Kim

In Proceedings of International Conference on Indoor Positioning and Indoor Navigation, pp. 1-4, Sapporo, Japan, 18-21 Sept. 2017.

C.7 Deep Learning Training on Distributed Embedded Systems (poster)

Sihyeong Park, **Jemin Lee**, Hyungshin Kim

In Proceedings of the 12th lEMEK Symposium on Embedded Technology, Busan, South Korea, 18-19 May, 2017.

C.6 Extending App Pre-Launch Service with Emotion Context (poster)

Jinyoung Choi, **Jemin Lee**, Hyungshin Kim

In Proceedings of the 2nd ACM/IEEE International Conference on Internet-of-Things Design and Implementation (IoTDI'17) Adjunct, pp. 1-2, Pittsburgh, USA, 18-21 Apr. 2017.

J.3 QDroid: Mobile Application Quality Analyzer for App Market Curators

Jemin Lee, Hyungshin Kim

Mobile Information Systems, vol. 2016, Article ID 1740129, 11 pages, 10 Oct. 2016, IF: 1.462

C.5 Reducing Distraction of Smartwatch Users with Deep Learning

Jemin Lee, Jinse Kwon, Hyungshin Kim

In Proceedings of the 18th International Conference on Human-Computer Interaction with Mobile Devices and Services (MobileHCI'16) Adjunct pp. 948-953, Florence, Italy, Sept. 2016.

J.2 O-Sleep: Output-Oriented Power Saving Mode for Smartphones

Hyunwoo Joe, Jungseok Kim, **Jemin Lee**, Hyungshin Kim Future Generation Computer Systems, 6 Jun. 2016, IF: 2.430

J.1 Automated Power Model Generation Method for Smartphones

Jemin Lee, Hyunwoo Joe, Hyungshin Kim IEEE Transactions on Consumer Electronics, Vol. 60(2), pp. 190-197, May, 2014, IF: 1.045

C.4 Framework for automated power estimation of Android applications (poster)

Jemin Lee, Hyungshin Kim

International conference on Mobile systems, applications, and services (Mobisys'13), Taipei, Taiwan, pp. 541-542, Jun. 2013.

C.3 Energy Reservation Service for Smart Phone Application (poster)

Vincent Dupre, **Jaymin Lee**, Hyungshin Kim

3rd ACM/SIGOPS Asia-Pacific Workshop on Systems (ApSys'12) Seoul, South Korea 23-24th, July, 2012.

C.2 Smart Phone Power Model Generation Using Use Pattern Analysis

Jaymin Lee, Hyunwoo Joe, Hyungshin Kim

IEEE International Conference on Consumer Electronics(ICCE'12) Las Vegas, NV, USA 13th-16th Jan 2012.

C.1 Smartphone, where does the power go?

Jaymin Lee, Hyunwoo Joe, Hyungshin Kim

EU Korea Conference on Science and Technology (EKC'11) Paris, France, 21-23th, July 2011.

Full list of published papers: publications

STUDENT SUPERVISION

Current Students

· Sehveon Oh

MS student (Spring 2024 - Present) @ UST

Research: AI Model Compression & Collective Communication Library (CCL)

Alumni and Former Interns

· Kihyun Kim

ETRI Summer Intern (2025)

Research: Quantization on RISC-V

· Wonseok Jang

UST Intern (2025)

Research: CI/CD and AI model inference on Jetson boards

Current Position: Graduate Student @ POSTECH

· Sangheon Lee

ETRI Summer Intern (2024) & UST Intern (2024)

Research: C Programming on RISC-V

Current Position: Engineer @ Hyundai Motors

· Gihwan Kim

ETRI Winter Intern (2024)

Research: Transformer Compression

Current Position: Graduate Student @ CNU

· Minho Lee

ETRI Summer Intern (2023, 2024)

Research: NPU Compiler

ACADEMIC SERVICES

Chair & Committee

- · Web co-chair for ACM MobiSys 2019
- · Program Committee for IeMeK 2022 2024 (대한임베디드공학회)

Board of Directors

- · Editor (편집위원), Korea Information Processing Society (KIPS) 정보처리학회, 2024-Present
- · Institute of Embedded Engineering of Korea (IEMEK), 2022–2024

External Reviewer

- · Elsevier Expert Systems With Applications 2025 (Aug, May, Mar)
- · WACV 2026
- · Elsevier Knowledge-Based Systems 2025 (Apr)
- · IEEE Internet of Things 2025 (Feb)
- · Elsevier Neurocomputing 2025 (Feb)
- · The Journal of Supercomputing 2025 (Jan)
- · Elsevier Neural Networks Journal 2024
- · ACM CHI 2024
- · CMC-Computers, Materials & Continua 2023
- · Resource Efficient Deep Learning for Computer Vision 2023 (ICCV Workshop)
- · MDPI Applied Science 2022 (Feb. Mar. Apr.(2))
- · MDPI Electronics 2022 (Jan. Feb.)
- · ACM CHI 2021
- · IEEE SCC 2019
- · IMWUT (UbiComp), Sept. 2018
- · IMWUT (UbiComp), May 2018
- · Sustainable Computing, Informatics and Systems 2018
- · Journal of Medical Internet Research 2018
- · IEEE Transactions on Mobile Computing 2015
- · Pervasive and Mobile Computing 2014

HONORS AND AWARDS

· AICompS 2024.	
IeMeK Best Presentation Award	2024
· Institute of Embedded Engineering of Korea 2024.	
IeMeK Best Presentation Award	2022
· Institute of Embedded Engineering of Korea 2022.	
KSC Best Paper Award	2019
\cdot The Korean Institute of Information Scientists and Engineers.	
IEMEK 2017 Best Presentation Award	2017
\cdot Korean Embedded Engineering Conference 2017, Institute of Embedded Engineering of	Korea.
Outstanding Ph.D. Thesis Award (top 1 out of 115)	2017
· Chungnam National University.	
Embedded System Design Challenge Bronze Award (out of 28 teams)	2017
\cdot Faster R-CNN Optimization for Embedded System, ACM SIGDA KOREA Chapter 202	17.
IEMEK 2015 Best Presentation Award	2015
\cdot Korean Embedded Engineering Conference 2015, Institute of Embedded Engineering of	Korea.
KSCI 2015 Best Paper Award	2015
\cdot Korea Society of Computer Information 2015, The Korea Society of Computer Information	tion.
KCC 2015 Best Paper Award	2015
\cdot Korea Computer Congress 2015, The Korean Institute of Information Scientists and En	gineers.
Best Paper Award	2014
\cdot Korea Computer Congress 2014, The Korean Institute of Information Scientists and En	gineers.
Best Presentation Award	2012
\cdot Korea Computer Congress 2012, The Korean Institute of Information Scientists and En	gineers.
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Deep Learning Compiler with Support for Heterogeneous Computing Platfor Method Granted 03/04/2025, Korea Patent number 10-2777879 Misun Yu, Yongin Kwon, Taeho Kim, Jeman Park, Jemin Lee	ms and Its
Method and system for expecting users' mood based on status information and information acquired by using user equipment Granted $06/15/2017$, Korea Patent number $10-1749706$	l biometri

Hyungshin Kim, **Jemin Lee**, Jinyoung Choi

Method for Detecting Indoor Zone with Bluetooth and Ultrasound of Smartphone

Granted 05/29/2017, Korea Patent number 10-1742960

Hyungshin Kim, **Jemin Lee**, Jinse Kwon

System and Method for Detecting Beacon

Granted 05/24/2017, Korea Patent number 10-1741406

Hyungshin Kim, Jemin Lee, Seula Hwang

Portable terminal and method for controlling a battery charging of the same

Granted 08/16/2016, Korea Patent number 10-1650038000 Hyungshin Kim, **Jemin Lee**, Donggeon Han

Search system and method of executable GUI

Granted 04/20/2015, Korea Patent number 10-1513662000 Hyungshin Kim, **Jemin Lee**, Donggeon Han

Collaborative Power Model Creation Method and Service Module With the Same

Granted 02/26/2013, Korea Patent number 10-12669710000

Hyungshin Kim, **Jemin Lee**