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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Wireless Systems and Networks  
Quantum Computing (Quantum Annealing/Gate Model)  
Network Architecture/Protocols  
Distributed System and Machine Learning

## EDUCATION

**Princeton University, NJ** July. 2017 - Present  
Ph.D. Student in the Department of Computer Science  
Advisor: Prof. Kyle Jamieson ([kylej@cs.princeton.edu](mailto:kylej@cs.princeton.edu))  
- **Selected Courses:** Advanced Computer Networks, Advanced Computer Systems, Wireless Networks

**Korea University, Seoul** Mar. 2010 - Aug. 2016  
B.E. in Electrical Engineering, *Graduation with Great Honor (Summa Cum Laude)*  
GPA : 3.97 / 4.0 (Original Scale 4.34 / 4.5 and 98.2 / 100) – *Semester High Honors* during all semesters  
Advisor: Prof. Sangheon Pack ([shpack@korea.ac.kr](mailto:shpack@korea.ac.kr))  
- **Selected Courses:** Wireless Networks, Communications Network Design, Mobile Communication Engineering, Communication Theory, Data Communications, Digital Signal Processing, Digital Communications

**Stanford University, CA** Jun. 2016 - Aug. 2016  
Visiting Student, Electrical Engineering  
- **Selected Courses:** Convex Optimization, Statistical Signal Processing, Colloquium on Computer System

## WORK EXPERIENCES

**The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)** – Ames Research Center in Silicon Vally, CA  
Advisor: Dr. Davide Venturelli ([davide.venturelli@nasa.gov](mailto:davide.venturelli@nasa.gov))

- Affiliated Researcher, *Quantum Artificial Intelligence Laboratory (QuAIL)* Apr. 2018 - Present
- Research Intern, *Quantum Artificial Intelligence Laboratory (QuAIL)* Jun. 2020 - Aug. 2020
- Research Intern, *Quantum Artificial Intelligence Laboratory (QuAIL)* Jun. 2019 - Sep. 2019
- Visiting Scholar, *Universities Space Research Association (USRA)* July. 2018 - Aug. 2018

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

**Research on Wireless Communication Systems leveraging Quantum Computing** July. 2017 - Present  
*Princeton Advanced Wireless Systems (PAWS) Group, Princeton University – Joint Research with NASA*  
- Transforming the Sphere Decoder for 5G Massive MIMO Communication with Quantum Computation.  
- Led to NSF \$372,667 and \$277,206 Awards (#1824357, #1824470), Princeton University SEAS Innovation Fund, and the first paper on Quantum Computing in SIGCOMM.

**Performance Analysis on LTE Networks based on NS-3** Dec. 2014 - Jun. 2016  
*Mobile Network & Communications (MNC) Lab, Korea University – Undergraduate Research Student*  
- Analyzed performance of LTE X2 handover in ultra-small cell networks using NS-3 and Wireshark.

**Development on Cloud CDN system and Enterprise Storage using OpenStack** Apr. 2016 - Dec. 2016  
*Hanium ICT Project, National IT Industry Promotion Agency – Joint Research with KT Cloud Team*  
- Constructed global cloud CDN system and Zadara cloud enterprise storage using OpenStack Cinder.

**System Design Research and Development on Android App for Evaluation** Feb. 2016 - Oct. 2016

*Wireless & Wired Inter-Networking and Evaluation (WINE) Lab, Korea University*

- Designed GPS-based warning and detection system for preventing the spread of epidemic diseases.

**Independent Research Project ‘Smart Public Transportation’ using RFID**

Jun. 2015 - Mar. 2016

*7<sup>th</sup> Creative Challenger Program, Korea University – KU Presidential Best Research Award*

- As a research team leader, led a study on service to provide comfort-level in vehicles for public transportation.
- The proposed concept is currently applied to public bus stations in Seoul, Korea.

**Survey of Tactile Internet Application & Connected Car Auto-Driving System**

Apr. 2015 - July. 2015

*Qualcomm IT Tour supported by Qualcomm in San Diego, CA*

- Presented Tactile Internet-based 3D hologram service and design of VANET-based highway infrastructure.
- Had a lively discussion with Dr. Paul Jacobs, (ex) Executive Chairman of Qualcomm, on wireless technologies.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

**M. Kim<sup>+</sup>**, S. Kasi<sup>+</sup>, A. Lott, D. Venturelli, J. Kaewell and K. Jamieson, “Invited Paper: Quantum Computing for Wireless Communications and Networks,” (\*: co-first author) to be Submitted.

**M. Kim**, S. Mandra, D. Venturelli, and K. Jamieson, “Physics-Inspired Heuristics for Soft MIMO Detection in 5G New Radio and Beyond,” Submitted.

**M. Kim**, D. Venturelli, and K. Jamieson, “Towards Hybrid Classical-Quantum Computation Structures in Wirelessly-Networked Systems,” In **ACM HotNets 2020**.

**M. Kim**, D. Venturelli, and K. Jamieson, “Leveraging Quantum Annealing for Large MIMO Processing in Centralized Radio Access Networks,” In **ACM SIGCOMM 2019**.

## **ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS**

**Student Spotlight, NASA Ames Research Center**

Aug. 2020

Outstanding 2020 Research Intern introduced in August Newsletter from NASA Ames Research Center

**Graduate School Fellowship, Princeton University**

2017-2018 Academic year

Full Fellowship awarded to Princeton Doctoral Students

**Great Honor, Korea University**

August. 2016

Graduation with Great Honor at Korea University

**Korea University Presidential Best Research Award**

March. 2016

Best Undergraduate Research at Creative Challenger Program

**Semester High Honors, Korea University**

8 Times

Exceptional Grades during All Semesters

**Qualcomm IT Tour supported by Qualcomm, CA**

July. 2015

Selected Excellent Korean Engineering Student by Qualcomm

**Korea Telecom (KT) Excellence Award**

February. 2016

Best Project & Outstanding Intern at KT

**Creative Challenger Scholarships, Korea University**

Jun. 2015 - Mar. 2016

Research Funding for Creative Independent Research & Scholarships for Best Research

**National Science and Engineering Scholarship, Korea Student Aid Foundation**

5 Times

Full Scholarships for Academic Honors – Fall’10, Spring’14, Fall’14, Fall’15, Spring’16

**Best Honors Scholarship, LOTTE Foundation**

2 Times

Full Scholarships for Academic Honors – Spring’11, Fall’11

**Family Scholarships, Korea University**

1 Times

Korea University Entrance Scholarship – Spring’10

## TEACHING & PREVIOUS WORK EXPERIENCES

**Teaching Assistant**, Department of Computer Science, Princeton University

- Wireless Networks
- Mobile Computing Design for Assistive Technology
- Network Measurement, Sensing, and Visualization Across the Princeton Campus

Spring. 2019  
Fall. 2018  
Fall. 2018

**Internship**, Department of Wireless Engineering, Korea Telecom

Dec. 2015 - Feb. 2016

Optimized KT's communication systems using wireless network guard system (WING) & antenna tilting.

**Intelligence Agent & Translator (Eng)**, Foreign Affairs Division, National Police

Jun. 2012 - Mar. 2014

Covered special requirement intelligence (SRI) and foreign affairs in Korea.

(Military Service in Korea)

**Experiment Assistant**, DSP Lab, Kyungshung University

Feb. 2012 - Jun. 2012

Soldered AVR (ATMega128) test board and coded the microprocessor for experimental setup.

**Presenter at K2 Global Leadership**, Keio University, Japan

August. 2015

Discussed the role of Asian Engineering students in academia and industry.

**Tutor for Linear Algebra**, Korea University

Feb. 2016 - Jun. 2016

**Seminar Speaker on General Physics**, Korea University

Sep. 2011 - Dec. 2011

## TALKS

### Conference Talks

- ACM HotNets 20, Chicago, IL (virtual due to COVID-19, planned)
- NASA Symposium, NASA Ames Research Center, CA (virtual due to COVID-19)
- ACM SIGCOMM 19, Beijing, China

Nov. 2020  
Aug. 2020  
Aug. 2019

### Invited Talks

- Wireless Systems and Quantum Computing, Pusan National University

May. 2019

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*References, Prof. Kyle Jamieson, Computer Science Dept, Princeton University (kylej@cs.princeton.edu)*

*References, Dr. Davide Venturelli, NASA ARC & USRA RIACS (DVenturelli@usra.edu)*

*References, Prof. Sangheon Pack, Electrical Engineering Dept, Korea University (shpack@korea.ac.kr)*

## Links

### PAWS Research Group:

<https://paws.cs.princeton.edu/>

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