# Seik Oh

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#### **EDUCATION**

Georgia Institute of Technology

Atlanta, GA, USA

Ph.D. Student in Computer Science

Aug. 2025 - Present

Brown University

Providence, RI, USA

Sc.M. in Computer Science; GPA: 4.0/4.0

May 2025

Soongsil University

Seoul, South Korea

B.A. in English Language and Literature; B.S. in Computer Science and Engineering

Feb. 2022

- Teacher's Certificate (Level 2) in English
- Teacher's Certificate (Level 2) in Information and Computer
- GPA: 4.38/4.50 (Ranked 1/46)

#### Experience

#### Graduate Research Assistant

Aug. 2025 – Present

TILES Lab, Georgia Institute of Technology

Atlanta, GA

- Conducting research in Human–Computer Interaction(HCI) and data visualization.
- Contributed to the design analysis and evaluation of ContAQT, an interactive data display for multi-pollutant air quality data; paper submitted to CHI 2026.

# Software Developer

Sep. 2024 - May 2025

NASA SUITS 2025 Challenge (via NASA X RISD Rover & Brown University)

Providence, RI; Houston, TX

- National Top 10 finalist in NASA SUITS 2025 Challenge presenting and testing at the Johnson Space Center.
- Engineered mission-specific lunar rover interfaces, translating RISD design specifications into functional software to enhance astronaut usability.

#### Research Assistant

Jun. 2024 – Dec. 2024

LNCC Lab, Brown University

Providence, RI

Research Assistant (Independent Study)

Sep. 2024 - Dec. 2024

- Conducted data collection, preprocessing, and analysis for cognitive modeling studies using the Diffusion Decision Model (DDM).
- Refined UI/UX prototypes based on pilot testing with 100+ beta users, integrating accessibility adjustments to reduce task error rates and enhancing research outcomes.
- Collaborated with a cross-functional team of researchers, designers, and engineers to iterate on study protocols and enhance platform scalability.

Research Assistant Intern

Jun. 2024 - Aug. 2024

- Led UI/UX redesign of the Gearshift Fellowship gamified research platform in Figma, balancing computational psychiatry requirements with accessibility and user experience.
- Implemented accessibility improvements (typography, contrast, interaction patterns) and developed participant instruction protocols with quality-control checkpoints to strengthen data validity.

# AR/VR Developer

Dec. 2023 - May 2024

 $NASA\ SUITS\ 2024\ Challenge\ (via\ NASA\ X\ RISD\ Rover\ \&\ Brown\ University)$ 

Providence, RI; Houston, TX

- National Top 10 finalist in NASA SUITS 2024 Challenge presenting and testing at the Johnson Space Center.
- Developed an AR program in Unity with MRTK3, implementing spatial mapping, gesture recognition, and object manipulation to support astronaut EVA activities and support seamless lunar exploration.
- Created AR interface modules (Egress, Navigation, Geological Sampling, Rover Command) and map functions improving spatial awareness.

#### iOS Developer (Learner)

Mar. 2022 – Dec. 2022

Apple Developer Academy @ POSTECH

Pohang, South Korea

• Developed inclusive iOS app (**SpaceOver**) by bridging UX research with engineering, implementing spatial audio and haptic APIs to support non-visual interactions for Blind and Visually Impaired users

- Achieved Top 130 ranking in App Store Entertainment category; selected as one of three showcase projects presented to Apple, government representatives, and media.
- Conducted user-centered research and iterative prototyping with BVI astronomer Dr. Nic Bonne, applying multisensory interaction techniques to enhance accessibility.
- Created and launched multiple additional apps during the program, including **Gaongil** (ranked #14 in App Store News), **AMaDda** (family communication app), and **EcoTales** (educational game), applying agile development and design-to-code practices.

#### **PROJECTS**

#### Effective Combinations of Pretext Tasks | Python, PyTorch

• Conducted research on multi-pretext task combinations, sequencing strategies, and curriculum learning to improve representation quality and downstream classification performance.

#### Multi-Caption Diffusion | Python, PyTorch, Tensorflow, CLIP, ViT

• Developed diffusion models for image generation using multi-caption conditioning and class embeddings; improved dataset efficiency on CIFAR-10 and COCO [GitHub].

## Face Emotion Recognition System | Python, OpenCV, VGG-16, ViT

• Built a real-time facial emotion classification system achieving 70% accuracy; designed interface for potential applications in education and healthcare [GitHub].

#### Image & Video Analogies | Python

• Extended image analogy models to video using steerable pyramids, enabling efficient style transfer and interpretable video manipulation [GitHub].

# Capstone Project & Graduation Thesis | TypeScript, React, HTML/CSS, Version Control

• Developed an open-source knowledge-sharing web platform and co-authored the thesis "An Open-Source Capable Knowledge-Sharing Web with Distributed Version Control System."

#### Automated Personalized Email Sender | Python, Excel

• Built a Python script to send customized emails using Excel data; distributed certificates to 200+ participants of the KATE Conference.

#### Presentations

Presenter Dec. 2024

NASA SUITS Exit Pitch, Johnson Space Center

Houston, TX

• Participated as AR/VR developer at final pitch; addressed technical development questions from NASA evaluation panel [YouTube].

Presenter May 2023

SpaceOver Spotlight, Apple Developer Academy @ POSTECH

Pohang, South Korea

• Presented accessibility-focused iOS app **SpaceOver** as one of three showcase projects to Apple, government representatives, and media [Video].

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Student Teacher

Tutor

Voluntary Service in Education

Mar. 2017 - May 2017; Jul. 2020

Seoul, South Korea

• Facilitated educational activities and core subjects, improving academic performance of underserved students.

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Chungju Joongsan High School

May 2020 Chunqju, South Korea

• Developed assessment rubrics and led interactive online lessons, enhancing student engagement and outcomes.

Tutor Jul. 2019

Summer Student Talent Volunteer Camp (Korea Scholarship Foundation)

Gangwondo, South Korea

• Developed and taught comprehensive curricula: created all teaching materials for summer education camp.

Private Tutor

Jul. 2015 – Jun. 2017

Self-Employed Seoul, South Korea

 Designed and delivered customized curricula for university and secondary students in English and Computer Science.

### ACTIVITIES & VOLUNTEER

IT Staff

Jul. 2021

KATE Conference Seoul, South Korea

Staff Jul. 2016; Jun. 2018; Jun. 2019

Asia TEFL Conference Vladivostok, Russia; Macau, China; Bangkok, Thailand

Lead Translator and Staff
Feb. 2019; Aug. 2019

EPIK (English Program in Korea)

Chungju, South Korea

News Editor & Reporter

Mar. 2015 – Jun. 2017

The Soongsil Times, Soongsil University

Seoul, South Korea

• Led editorial team, mentored reporters, and managed publication strategy for campus newspaper and special issues.

# TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages**: Python, Swift, C/C++, C#, SQL, R, LaTeX, HTML/CSS, TypeScript, JavaScript **Frameworks**: React, SwiftUI, UIKit, Unity, PyTorch, TensorFlow, Scikit-Learn, OpenCV

Developer Tools: Git/GitHub, Docker, Notion, Slack, Miro, PowerPoint, Keynote, VS Code, Xcode

Libraries: Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, SPSS

Design: Figma, Sketch

Tools & Collaboration: Miro, WordPress, Agile (Scrum & Kanban), Notion, Slack, Ryver

Languages: Korean (Native), English (Fluent)