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RESEARCH INTEREST

My research interests include integrating AI into scientific research and using AI to uncover scientific facts. Additionally, I am interested in physical and chemical concepts such as **solid state physics** [C1], **molecular science** [C1,C4,P2], **density functional theory (DFT)** [C1,C4,P2], and **structure prediction** and **material generation** on structured materials like MOF [C2,C3,P1].

EDUCATION

- 9/2025 - current **Ph.D. Student, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (KAIST), Korea**
Graduate School of Artificial Intelligence
Advisor: Sungsoo Ahn
- 2/2023 - 8/2025 **M.S., Pohang University of Science and Technology (POSTECH), Korea**
Graduate School of Artificial Intelligence
Advisor: Sungsoo Ahn, and Dongwoo Kim
- 3/2016 - 2/2023 **B.S., Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology (GIST), Korea**
Majored in *Physics*
Minored in *Mathematics, Computer Science, Artificial Intelligence*
- 7/2017 - 8/2017 **University of California, Berkeley**
Summer study abroad program

PUBLICATIONS

- [C] Conference **[IP2] Machine Learning Hamiltonians are Accurate Energy-Force Predictors**
[P] Preprint **Seongsu Kim, Chanhui Lee, Yoonho Kim, Seongjun Yun, Honghui Kim, Nayoung Kim, Changyong Park, Sehui Han, Sungbin Lim, and Sungsoo Ahn**
Preprint 2026, [PDF](#)
- [IP1] ATOMMOF: All-Atom Flow Matching for MOF-Adsorbate Structure Prediction**
Nayoung Kim, Honghui Kim, Sihyun Yu, Minkyu Kim, **Seongsu Kim**, and Sungsoo Ahn
Preprint 2026, [PDF](#)
- [C4] High-order Equivariant Flow Matching for Density Functional Theory Hamiltonian Prediction**
Seongsu Kim, Nayoung Kim, Dongwoo Kim, and Sungsoo Ahn
Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2025, [PDF](#) [CODE](#) [SLIDE](#)
Spotlight (3.1%≈688/21575)
- [C3] Flexible MOF Generation with Torsion-Aware Flow Matching**
Nayoung Kim, **Seongsu Kim**, and Sungsoo Ahn
Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2025, [PDF](#)
- [C2] MOFFlow: Flow Matching for Structure Prediction of Metal-Organic Frameworks**
Nayoung Kim, **Seongsu Kim**, Minsu Kim, Jinkyu Park, and Sungsoo Ahn
International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2025, [PDF](#)
NeurIPS AI DrugX Workshop, 2024
- [C1] Gaussian Plane-wave Neural Operator for Electron Density Estimation**
Seongsu Kim, and Sungsoo Ahn
International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), 2024, [PDF](#) [CODE](#)

EXPERIENCE

- 2/2025 - current **Structure and Probabilistic Machine Learning (SPML) Lab, Korea** Student researcher
KAIST, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (Advisor: Prof. Sungsoo Ahn)
- 2/2023 - 2/2025 **POSTECH, Pohang University of Science and Technology**
• Machine learning for Scientific Research
• Project 1: Accelerating the Density Functional Theory
• Project 2: Designing Metal-Organic Framework

9/2021 - 2/2023	Computational Many-body Physics (CMBP) Lab, Korea <i>GIST, Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology</i> (Advisor: Prof. Donghee Kim)	Research Intern
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer-simulated thermodynamics of <i>solid states physics</i> • Investigated the phase transition of physical models using the Monte Carlo method • Investigated the critical phenomena in the 2D long-range antiferromagnetic Ising model with anisotropy • Wrote the simulation code with C++, MPI and CUDA programming 	
6/2022 - 7/2022	Statistical Artificial Intelligence (SAIL) Lab, Korea <i>KAIST, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology</i> (Advisor: Prof. Jaesik Choi)	Research Intern
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investigated the various techniques of <i>explainable A.I.</i> including LIMES, LRP, CRP, and GRAD-CAM. 	
12/2019 - 2/2020	Quantum Field & Gravity Theory Group, Korea <i>GIST, Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology</i> (Advisor: Prof. Keunyoung Kim)	Research Intern
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investigated the correspondence of deep learning and the Ads/CFT 	

TALKS & PRESENTATION

10/31/2025	QHFlow: Accelerating DFT with Equivariant Flow Matching NVIDIA BioNeMo Team (Hosted by Youhan Lee) SLIDE	Invited Talk
5/6/2025	Accelerating the <i>ab-initio</i> Calculation with the Machine Learning KAIST-MILA Prefrontal AI Research Center	Invited Talk
15/7/2024	Gaussian Plane-wave Neural Operator for Electron Density Estimation KAIST-POSTECH joint AI Workshop	Presentation

HONORS & AWARDS

2016 - 2023	Government-Sponsored Tuition Scholarship Received scholarship 8 times (\$20,000)	Scholarship
2016 - 2017	Government-Sponsored Presidential Science Scholarship Received scholarship 2 times (\$1,400)	Scholarship

REVIEWER

[AAAI](#) (2023), [ICML](#) (2024), [ICLR](#) (2025 Notable reviewer), [NeurIPS](#) (2025)

WORK EXPERIENCE

1/2020 - 8/2021	Republic of Korea Army, Korea Mandatory military service
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LANGUAGES

English - Professional Working, **Korean** - Native

SKILLS

Backgrounds	Computational physics, Quantum mechanics, Statistical physics
Languages	Python (Proficient) , C++, C, Java
Python Libraries	PyTorch, Lightning, Hydra, PyG, WandB, Numpy, Scikit-learn, Matplotlib
Softwares, etc.	Version control (Git and GitHub), Linux-based environment, Vim, Slurm, Docker
DFT tools	PySCF, ORCA, VASP, Quantum Espresso, Castep
CSP tools	GULP, USPEX, CrySPY