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Research Interest

- Edge AI (video analytic & machine learning), networked AI systems, tinyML
- Wireless network, mobile sensing

Education

Korea Advanced Institute of Science & Technology (KAIST)

Daejeon, Republic of Korea

Feb 2022

PhD, School of Computing - Advisor: Dongman Lee

- Dissertation: An Efficient Resource Orchestration and Camera Virtualization Architecture for Edge Video Analytics

Pohang University of Science and Technology, (POSTECH)

Pohang, Republic of Korea

Feb 2015

MS, Division of IT Convergence Engineering (ITCE) - Advisor: Young Joo Suh

- Thesis: An Adaptive Tail Time Scheme for Saving Power of Smart Devices

Soongsil University Seoul, Republic of Korea

BS, Department of Computer Science and Engineering

Feb 2013

Work Experience

Role: Research Scientist

Nokia Bell Labs Cambridge, United Kingdom

July 2022 - present

Korea Advanced Institute of Science & Technology (KAIST)

Daejeon, Republic of Korea

Role: Post-doctoral researcher

Mar 2022 - *June* 2022 (3 months)

Research topic: Software-defined mobility framework (mOS)

Nokia Bell Labs Cambridge, United Kingdom May 2021 - Aug 2021 (3 months) Role: Research Intern

Research topic: Collaborative edge AI for multi camera vision analytic at network edge

Korea Advanced Institute of Science & Technology (KAIST)

Daejeon, Republic of Korea *Aug* 2015 - Feb 2016 (6 month) Role: Researcher

Research topic: Smart space IoT sensor data collection and service provisioning

Refereed Publications (International)

- o Nguyen Thanh Tung, Si Young Jang, Boyan Kostadinov and Dongman Lee. PreActo: Efficient Cross-Camera Object Tracking in Video Analytic Edge Computing. IEEE Percom 2023. (acceptance ratio: 17%)
- o Bhawana Chhaglani, Utku Günay Acer, Si Young Jang, Fahim Kawsar and Chulhong Min. Cocoon: On-boy Microphone Collaboration for Spatial Awareness. ACM HotMobile 2023.
- o Si Young Jang, Sungkyu Park, Jinhee Cho and Dongman Lee. CARES: Context-Aware Trust Estimation for Realtime Crowdsensing Services in Vehicular Edge Networks. ACM Transactions on Internet Technology (ToIT) 2022.
- o **Si Young Jang**, Boyan Kostadinov, and Dongman Lee. *Efficient Microservice-based Edge Device Architecture for* Video Analytics. ACM/IEEE Symposium on Edge Computing (SEC) 2021.(acceptance ratio: 27%)
- o Si Young Jang, Utku Günay Acer, Chulhong Min and Fahim Kawsar. Deploying Collaborative Machine Learning Systems in Edge with Multiple Cameras. International Conference on Mobile Computing and Ubiquitous Networking (ICMU) 2021. (Best student paper award)

- Seungho Lee, Si Young Jang, Soon J. Hyun, Dongman Lee. DQN based Coverage Maximization for Mobile Video Camera Networks. 2021 IEEE 18th Annual Consumer Communications & Networking Conference (CCNC). IEEE, 2021.
- o Dongman Lee, **Si Young Jang**, Byoungheon Shin, and Yoonhyung Lee. *Towards Dynamically Reconfigurable IoT Camera Virtualization for Video Analytics Edge Cloud Services*. IEEE Internet Computing. IEEE, 2019.
- Si Young Jang, Yoonhyung Lee, Byoungheon Shin, and Dongman Lee. Application-Aware IoT Camera Virtualization for Video Analytics Edge Computing. ACM/IEEE Symposium on Edge Computing (SEC). IEEE, 2018.
- o **Si Young Jang**, Yoonhyung Lee, Byoungheon Shin, and Dongman Lee. *Towards Application-Aware Virtualization for Edge IoT Clouds*. Proceedings of the 13th International Conference on Future Internet Technologies. ACM, 2018.
- o **Si Young Jang**, Hayoung Choi, Yoonhyung Lee, Byoungheon Shin, and Dongman Lee. *Semantic Virtualization for Edge-IoT cloud: Issues and Challenges*. Proceedings of the 2nd Workshop on Cloud-Assisted Networking. ACM, 2017.
- o **Si Young Jang**, Byoungheon Shin, and Dongman Lee. *Implementing a Dynamically Reconfigurable Wireless Mesh Network Testbed for Multi-Faceted QoS Support*. Proceedings of the 11th International Conference on Future Internet Technologies. ACM, 2016.
- o **Si Young Jang**, Byoungheon Shin, and Dongman Lee. *An Adaptive Tail Time Adjustment Scheme based on Inter-Packet Arrival Time for IEEE 802.11 WLAN*. IEEE International Conference on Communications (ICC). IEEE, 2016.
- o Qi, Yuepeng, Chansu Yu, Young-Joo Suh, **Si Young Jang**. *GPS Tethering for Energy Conservation 1*. 2015 IEEE Wireless Communications and Networking Conference (WCNC). IEEE, 2015.

Research Projects

Self-learning based Autonomic IoT Edge Computing

KAIST

Project Manager, Researcher

April 2019 - Dec 2026

- o Grant: USD 1,953K (funded by Ministry of Science, ICT and Future Planning (MSIP), Republic of Korea)
- o Designed the overall project architecture and sub-goals for an autonomous IoT edge computing software which optimizes edge services according to a user's intention and surrounding context.
- o *Year* 2019: Developed energy efficient on-camera target tracking & next camera prediction mechanism for cross-camera object tracking system. (tools & techniques: Python, Deep learning for machine vision, ResNet, CARLA simulator)
- o *Year* 2020: Developed edge AI service provision framework with micro service architecture. (*tools & techniques: Python, Docker, Kubernetes, Gstreamer, Flask, Nvidia Jetson, Deep learning for machine vision*)
- o *Year* 2021: Developed efficient retraining mechanism for collaborative device-edge split DNN environment. (tools & techniques: Python, Nvidia Jetson, Deep learning for machine vision, continual learning)

Research on Establishing Trust in Ultra Dense Network

KAIST

Project Manager

April 2018 - Dec 2018

- o Grant: USD 61K (funded by Korea Internet & Security Agent (KISA), Republic of Korea)
- Lead the student team to 1) organize key characteristics of ultra dense networking environment, 2) survey state-of-the-art trust establishment schemes and 3) propose essential trust-establishment research directions.

Research on Networking Technologies in Hyper Intelligent Society

KAIST

Project Manager

April 2017 - Dec 2017

- o Grant: USD 61K (funded by Korea Internet & Security Agent (KISA), Republic of Korea)
- Lead the student team to 1) organize key characteristics of hyper intelligent society, 2) survey state-of-the-art AI-enabled wired & wireless networking schemes and 3) propose collaborative networking schemes for space intelligence and research directions.

Versatile Network System Architecture for Multi-dimensional Diversity

KAIST

Researcher

April 2016 - Dec 2020

o Grant: USD 1,956K (funded by Ministry of Science, ICT and Future Planning (MSIP), Republic of Korea)

- o *Year* 2016-2017: Modeled a QoS description language and development of a QoS interpretation module to support edge/fog computing services. For a given type of service (e.g. streaming video), the interpreter interprets the application requirement to required networking and computing parameter such as bandwidth, latency. (*skills involved: Python, Java, ontology*)
- o *Year 2018-2019:* Implemented camera IoT edge server testbed and evaluated 1) dynamic reconfiguration scheme for camera IoT upon context changes, 2) reinforcement-learning based object tracking system across multiple cameras to support efficient application-aware computing resource slicing. (tools & techniques: Python, ZMQ, Linux, Docker, reinforcement-learning, computer vision for object detecting & tracking, raspberry pi, Cuda)

Development of IoT-based Trustworthy and Smart Home Community Framework *Researcher*April 2014 - February 2017

- o Grant: USD 1,688K (funded by Ministry of Science, ICT and Future Planning (MSIP), Republic of Korea)
- o *Year 2016-2017:* Developed an extension to smart home IoT (e.g., smart vacuum cleaner) device with various sensors/actuators on raspberry pi to enable IoT data collection & actuation for provisioning smart home services. (tools & techniques: Java, MQTT, MongoDB, Phidget/Monnit sensors, Raspberry Pi)

Research on Network Technologies for Increasing Energy Efficiency of Smart Devices **Research on Network Technologies for Increasing Energy Efficiency of Smart Devices **Nov 2013 - February 2015**

- o Grant: USD N/A (funded by National Research Foundation (NRF), Republic of Korea)
- o *Year 2015:* Customized IEEE 802.11n MAC/PHY device driver (Atheros ath9k) for application-aware energy efficient packet transmission protocol by predicting inter packet arrival time and configuring power saving mechanism on a mobile device (and WiFi router) (*tools & techniques: C++, Android, ath9k, OPNET*)

Scholarly Services (Peer Review)

- o ACM IMWUT 2022.
- o Elsevier JRIE 2022.
- o IEEE/ACM IWQoS 2021.
- o ACM ISWC 2021.
- Elsevier COMCOM 2021, 2020.
- IEEE TMC 2017.
- o IARIA UBICOMM 2017.

Patents

Issued

- [KR] "Context-Aware Trust Estimation for Realtime Crowdsensing Services in Vehicular Edge Networks" (10-2261607-0000)
- o [KR] "A Service and Context Aware Networked Camera Virtualization Method" (10-2257325-0000)
- o [KR] "Method and Apparatus for Energy Saving in Wireless Communication Network" (10-1836227-0000)

Pending.....

- o [KR] "Trust Estimation for Realtime Crowdsensing Services in Vehicular Edge Networks" (-)
- o [KR] "Microservice-based Edge Device Architecture for Video Analytics." (10-2022-0034248)
- o [PCT] "A Method for Collaborative vision Analytics with Multiple Cameras in the Edge Settings." (-)
- [PCT] "A Collaborative Method for Vision Analytics with Software-Defined Cameras Deployed in the Edge." (PCT/EP2022/067160)
- o [KR] "DQN-based Coverage Maximization for Mobile Video Camera Networks" (10-2020-0174650)
- o [KR] "Lightweight Camera Virtualization and Cross-camera Handover for Efficient Object Tracking in Video Analytics Edge Computing" (10-2019-0154361)

Teaching Experience

- o Undergraduate Research Program (KAIST): 2020, 2018, 2017
- o Head TA: Computer Networks (KAIST CS341): 2019, 2018, 2017
- o Head TA: Distributed Systems (KAIST CS543): 2019, 2018, 2017

References

- o Prof. Dongman Lee, Vice President of KAIST, dlee@kaist.ac.kr
- o Dr. Utku Gunay Acer, Nokia Bell Labs, utku_gunay.acer@nokia-bell-labs.com
- o Dr. Heesuk Son, Meta, chadson@fb.com