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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Computer Vision (3D reconstruction, Scene understanding)

Machine Learning (Deep learning, AI for social good)

Robot Vision (Sensor fusion, SLAM)

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS DGIST, Daegu, Korea

Sep 2019 – Present

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Assistant Professor, Information and Communication Engineering

Carnegie Mellon University (CMU), Pittsburgh, US

Jun 2019 – Aug 2019

Visiting Scholar, Robotics Institute, working with Prof. Martial Hebert and Prof. Jean Oh.

Microsoft Research Asia (MSRA), Beijing, China

Feb 2018 – Aug 2018

Research Intern, Internet Graphics Group, working with Dr. Stephen Lin.

KAIST, Daejeon, Korea

Mar 2014 - Aug 2019

Research Assistant, Robotics and Computer Vision Lab., working with Prof. In So Kweon

EDUCATION

KAIST, Daejeon, Korea

Ph.D., Electrical Engineering

Aug 2019

- Dissertation: "Robust 3D Imaging using a Single Hand-held Cameras"
- Advisor: Prof. In So Kweon

M.S., Electrical Engineering

Feb 2016

• Advisor: Prof. In So Kweon

Sogang University, Seoul, Korea

B.S., Electronic Engineering

Feb 2014

• Summa cum laude

PUBLICATIONS

International Journal

- 1. **Sunghoon Im**, Hyowon Ha, Hae-Gon Jeon, Stephen Lin and In So Kweon, "Deep Depth from Uncalibrated Small Motion Clip", *IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence* (**TPAMI**), Apr 2021.
- 2. Hae-Gon Jeon, Jaeheung Surh, **Sunghoon Im** and In So Kweon, "Ring Difference Filter for Fast and Noise Robust Depth from Focus", *IEEE Transactions on Image Processing* (**TIP**), Dec 2020.
- 3. **Sunghoon Im**, Hae-Gon Jeon and In So Kweon, "Robust Depth Estimation using Auto-Exposure Bracketing", *IEEE Transactions on Image Processing* (**TIP**), May 2019.

- Sunghoon Im, Hyowon Ha, Gyeongmin Choe, Hae-Gon Jeon, Kyungdon Joo and In So Kweon, "Accurate 3D Reconstruction from Small Motion Clip for Rolling Shutter Cameras", IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (TPAMI), Apr 2019.
- 5. Gyeongmin Choe, Seong-heum Kim, **Sunghoon Im**, Joon-Young Lee, Srinivasa Narasimhan and In So Kweon, "RANUS: RGB and NIR Urban Scene Dataset for Deep Scene Parsing", *IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters* (**RAL**), Feb 2018.
- 6. Seunghak Shin, **Sunghoon Im**, Inwook Shim, Hae-Gon Jeon, and In So Kweon, "Geometry Guided 3D propagation for Depth from Small Motion", *IEEE Signal Processing Letters* (**SPL**), Dec 2017.

International Conference

- Seunghun Lee, Sunghyun Cho, Sunghoon Im, "DRANet: Disentangling Representation and Adaptation Networks for Unsupervised Cross-Domain Adaptation", *IEEE Conference* on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), Jun 2021.
- 2. Seokju Lee, **Sunghoon Im**, Stephen Lin and In So Kweon, "Learning Monocular Depth in Dynamic Scenes via Instance-Aware Projection Consistency", *The Thirty-Fifth AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence* (**AAAI**), Feb 2021.
- 3. Hae-Gon Jeon, **Sunghoon Im**, Jean Oh and Martial Hebert, "Learning Shape-based Representation for Visual Localization in Extremely Changing Conditions", *IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automations* (ICRA), May 2020.
- 4. Hae-Gon Jeon, **Sunghoon Im**, Byeong-Uk Lee, Dong-Geol Choi, Martial Hebert and In So Kweon, "DISC: A Large-scale Virtual Dataset for Simulating Disaster Scenarios", *IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligence Robots and System* (**IROS**), Nov 2019.
- 5. Seokju Lee, **Sunghoon Im**, Stephen Lin and In So Kweon, "Learning Residual Flow as Dynamic Motion from Stereo Video", *IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligence Robots and System* (**IROS**), Nov 2019.
- Sunghoon Im, Hae-Gon Jeon, Stephen Lin and In So Kweon, "DPSNet: End-to-end Deep Plane Sweep Stereo", *International Conference on Learning Representations* (ICLR), May 2019.
- Byeong-Uk Lee, Hae-Gon Jeon, Sunghoon Im and In So Kweon, "Depth Completion with Deep Geometry and Context Guidance", *IEEE International Conference on Robotics* and Automations (ICRA), May 2019.
- 8. **Sunghoon Im**, Hae-Gon Jeon and In So Kweon, "Robust Depth Estimation from Auto Bracketed Images", *In Proc. of IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition* (**CVPR**), Jun 2018.
- 9. Jaeheung Surh, Hae-Gon Jeon, Yunwon Park, **Sunghoon Im**, Hyowon Ha and In So Kweon, "Noise Robust Depth from Focus using a Ring Difference Filter", *In Proc. of IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition* (**CVPR**) [*Spotlight*], Jul 2017.
- 10. **Sunghoon Im**, Hyowon Ha, Francois Rameau, Hae-Gon Jeon, Gyeongmin Choe and In So Kweon, "All-around Depth from Small Motion with A Spherical Panoramic Camera", *In Proc. of European Conference on Computer Vision* (**ECCV**), Oct 2016.

- 11. Hyowon Ha, **Sunghoon Im**, Jaesik Park, Hae-Gon Jeon and In So Kweon, "High-quality Depth from Uncalibrated Small Motion Clip", *In Proc. of IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition* (**CVPR**) [*Oral*], Jun 2016.
- 12. Hae-Gon Jeon, Joon-Young Lee, **Sunghoon Im**, Hyowon Ha and In So Kweon, "Stereo Matching with Color and Monochrome Cameras in Low-light Conditions", *In Proc. of IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition* (**CVPR**), Jun 2016.
- 13. **Sunghoon Im**, Hyowon Ha, Gyeongmin Choe, Hae-Gon Jeon, Kyungdon Joo and In So Kweon, "High Quality Structure from Small Motion for Rolling Shutter Cameras", *In Proc. of IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision* (**ICCV**), Dec 2015.
- 14. **Sunghoon Im**, Gyeongmin Choe, Hae-Gon Jeon and In So Kweon, "Depth from Accidental Motion using Geometry Prior", *In Proc. of IEEE International Conference on Image Processing* (**ICIP**) [*Top 10% paper*], Sep 2015.

International Workshop

- 1. Jeonghoon Kim, **Sunghoon Im** and Sunghyun Cho, "ProFeat: Unsupervised Image Clustering via Progressive Feature Refinement", *Workshop on Learning From Limited or Imperfect Data* (**CVPRw**), Jun 2021.
- 2. Seokju Lee, **Sunghoon Im**, Stephen Lin and In So Kweon, "Instance-wise Depth and Motion Learning from Monocular Videos", *Workshop on Machine Learning for Autonomous Driving & Workhop on Differentiable computer vision, graphics, and physics in machine learning* (**NeurIPSw**), Dec 2020.

Other Publications

- 1. Jaeheung Surh, Hae-Gon Jeon, Hyowon Ha, **Sunghoon Im** and In So Kweon, "Fast Depth from Defocus with Your Mobile Phone for Synthetic Defocus", *In Proc. of the 28th Workshop on Image Processing and Image Understanding* (**IPIU**), Feb 2016.
- 2. **Sunghoon Im**, Hae-Gon Jeon, Hyowon Ha and In So Kweon, "Depth Estimation from Light Field Cameras", *In Proc. of the 12th International Conference on Ubiquitous Robots and Ambient Intelligence* (URAI), Oct 2015.
- Dong-jin Kim, Donggeun Yoo, Sunghoon Im, Namil Kim, T. Sirinukulwattana and In So Kweon, "Relative Attributes with Deep Convolutional Neural Network", In Proc. of the 12th International Conference on Ubiquitous Robots and Ambient Intelligence (URAI), Oct 2015.

PATENTS Registration

- 1. METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ESTIMATING DEPTH USING RING DIFFERENCE FILTER, Publication date: Sep 28, 2018. (10-2017-0091717)
- 2. DEPTH MAP ACQUISITION DEVICE AND DEPTH MAP ACQUISITION METHOD, Publication date: Apr 19, 2018. (10-2016-0103546)
- 3. METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACQUIRING DEPTH MAP FROM ALL-AROUND CAMERA, Publication date: Apr 17, 2018. (10-2016-0167525)
- 4. DEPTH INFORMATION ACQUIRING DEVICE AND METHOD THEREOF, Publication date: Aug 11, 2017. (10-2016-0076766)
- 5. APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DEPTH MAP GENERATION, Publication date: Jun. 02, 2016. (10-2016-0015703)

RESEARCH GRANTS

On-going projects

1. Multi-spectral Stereo-based Dynamic Scene Understanding

- Principal investigator
- Young Researcher Program, National Research Foundation of Korea (NRF)
- 2020.03.01 2023.02.28 (36 months, \forall \forall 300M)

2. Development of Low Latency VR AR streaming Technology based on 5G edge cloud

- Research participant
- Institute of Information communications Technology Planning Evaluation(IITP)
- 2020.04.01 2023.12.31 (45 months, \(\pi\)240M)

3. Collaborative AI based Autonomous Driving System toward Safe, Reliable, and Scalable Human-in-the-Loop Cloud Mobility Service

- Research participant
- P-COE (Center of Excellence), DGIST
- 2020.05.01 2022.12.31 (32 months, \text{\psi}195M)

4. A study on deep-learning-based video understanding

- Principal investigator
- ETRI, ICT RD program of MSIP/IITP
- 2021.03.15 2021.11.15 (8 months, ₩60M)

Finished projects

1. All-around 3D reconstruction with hand-held VR cameras for augmented reality

- Principal investigator
- Global Ph.D. Fellowship, National Research Foundation of Korea (NRF)
- 2016.03.01 2019.02.28 (36 months, \(\pi\)60M + Full scholarship)

2. A study on learning-based novel-view synthesis algorithms for multi-view LF images

- · Principal investigator
- ETRI, ICT RD program of MSIP/IITP
- 2020.03.01 2020.11.30 (9 months, ₩40M)

3. Advancement of geographic data construction system based on deep learning

- Research participant
- Dabeeo
- 2020.06.15 2020.12.15 (6 months, \text{\psi}16M)

TEACHING

- Introduction to Deep Learning, Fall 2020.
- Deep Learning, Spring 2020.
- Computer Vision, Fall 2019, Spring 2021.

EDITOR

• The Information and Communications Technology Express (ICT Express)

REVIEWER (JOURNAL)

- International Journal of Computer Vision (IJCV)
- Computer Vision and Image Understanding (CVIU)
- Pattern Recognition (PR)
- Neurocomputing
- IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters (RAL)
- IEEE Access
- International Journal of Control, Automation and Systems (IJCAS)
- IEIE Transactions on Smart Processing and Computing (IEIE SPC)
- Journal of Institute of Control, Robotics and Systems (ICROS)

REVIEWER (CONFERENCE)

- IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR) 2019, 2020, 2021
- IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV) 2019
- European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV) 2020
- Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) 2020
- International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML) 2020, 2021
- International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR) 2021
- Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI) 2020, 2021
- IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automations (ICRA) 2021
- IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS) 2017
- Asian Conference on Computer Vision (ACCV) 2020
- IEEE Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV) 2020
- International Conference on 3D Vision (3DV) 2020
- International Conference on Machine Vision Applications (ICMVA) 2021
- International Conference on Control, Automation and Systems (ICCAS) 2020

INDUSTRY CONSULTATION

- DWorld, Feb-Mar 2021
- Dabeeo, Feb-Jun 2020

TUTORIAL

- Deep Learning for Computer Vision, DWorld, Jan-Feb 2021
- Multiple View Geometry, KETI Sangam, Aug-Oct 2020

INVITED TALKS

• The Korean Institute of Broadcast and Media Engineers, Online	Apr 2021
• ETRI (Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute), Daegu	Mar 2021
• ETRI (Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute), Daejeon	Oct 2020
• ETRI (Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute), Daegu	Oct 2020
• GIST	Jun 2020
KETI (Korea Electronics Technology Institute), Sangam	Jan 2020
• POSTECH	Dec 2019
KETI (Korea Electronics Technology Institute), Pangyo	Nov 2019
DGIF (Daegu Technopolis Grand Innovation Festival)	Oct 2019
• ETRI (Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute), Daejeon	Sep 2019x
Sogang University	Sep 2019
• Lunit	Aug 2019
• SAIT (Samsung Advanced Institute of Technology)	Apr 2019
Koh Young Technology	Jan 2019
• Excellent Student Award, 2018 Research Performance Evaluation, KAIST EE	Apr 2019
Rest Poster Award 2018 Samsung Al Forum, Samsung Research	Sen 2018

AWARDS

• Excellent Student Award, 2018 Research Performance Evaluation, KAIST EE	Apr 2019
• Best Poster Award, 2018 Samsung AI Forum, Samsung Research	Sep 2018
• Excellent Intern Award, Microsoft Research Asia (MSRA)	Aug 2018
• Honor Student Award, 2017 Research Performance Evaluation, KAIST EE	Apr 2018
• Kim Choong-Ki Award, 2016 Research Performance Evaluation, KAIST EE	Apr 2017
Best Poster Presentation Award, IPIU 2017	Feb 2017

	 Qualcomm Innovation Award 2016, Qualcomm Korea Corp. and KAIST 	Mar 2016
	• Silver prize, 22th HumanTech Paper Award, Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.	Feb 2016
	 Best Poster Award, IWRCV 2015 General Chair 	Nov 2015
	 Official Best 10% Paper Selection, ICIP 2015 Organizing Committee 	Sep 2015
	 Design Project Competition(Silver Prize), Sogang University 	Nov 2013
	• Prize for the top first percentile GPA, Sogang University Sep 2011, Feb	2012, Sep 2012
HONORS	• NeurIPS 2020 Top 10% of high-scoring reviewer	Oct 2020
	CVPR 2019 Doctoral Consortium	Jun 2019
	• ICLR 2019 Travel Award	May 2019
	 Microsoft Research Asia (MSRA) fellowship 2018 Winner 	Oct 2018
	 Global Ph.D. Fellowship, National Research Foundation of Korea 	Aug 2016
	• International Computer Vision Summer School (ICVSS 2016), Sicily, Italy	July 2016
	Summa Cum Laude, Sogang University	Feb 2014
	• Academic Excellence Scholarship, Sogang University Seb 2	012 – Feb 2013
	• Scholarship, Korea Scholarship Foundation Feb 2	012 – Feb 2014
IT SKILLS	 Languages: Python, MATLAB, C, C++, LATEX Deep Learning Framework: Pytorch, Torch, Tensorflow 	

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