# LAWRENCE H. KIM

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# **OBJECTIVE**

I am a HCI researcher looking at how to design ubiquitous robotics for intuitive and natural integration into our everyday lives and to better complement humans through the use of mechatronics, robotics and haptics.

# **EDUCATION**

2016 - now	Stanford University
	PhD Candidate, Mechanical Engineering
	Advisor: Sean Follmer
2013 - 2015	Stanford University
	Master of Science, Mechanical Engineering
2010 - 2013	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
	Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering
	Highest Honors

# RESEARCH

2015 - now

	With Fig. Soul Chiller				
2017 Fall	Haptics Engineer, Building 8, Pro Unlimited @ Facebook Inc. With Dr. Ali Israr & Dr. Frances Lau				
	With Dr. An Islan & Dr. Frances Lau				
2013 - 2014	Research Assistant, CHARM Lab, Stanford University				
	With Prof. Allison M. Okamura				
2012 - 2013 Undergraduate Researcher, Bretl Research Group, University of Illinois at Urban					
	With Prof. Tim W. Bretl				
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	• Designed flight control algorithm and developed novel attachement mechanism for drones.				
Summer	Research Intern, Center for Urban Energy System, Korea Institute of Science and Technology				
2012	With Dr. Dae-Young Lee				
	• Improved efficiency of hybrid desiccant cooling system.				
Summer	Research Intern, Refrigeration and Cryogenics Lab, Kookmin University				

Summer Research Intern, Refrigeration and Cryogenics Lab, Kookmin University 2011 With Prof. Byung Ha Kang

Research Assistant, SHAPE Lab, Stanford University

• Built experiment apparatus and performed experiments for a desiccant cooling system.

2008 - 2010  $\,$  Student Researcher, Filtration Group, Inc.

With Prof. Sean Follmer

With Phil Winters

• Improved and verified design of room air cleaner and gas turbine air filter through Floworks.

# **PUBLICATIONS**

Robotic Assembly of Haptic Proxy Objects for Tangible Interaction and Virtual Reality Y Zhao, LH Kim, Y Wang, M Le Goc & S Follmer. ISS'17. [Acceptance rate = 27%]

UbiSwarm: Ubiquitous Robotic Interfaces and Investigation of Abstract Motion as a Display LH Kim, & S Follmer. IMWUT'17 Volume 1 September. [Acceptance rate = 9%]

**Zooids: Building Blocks for Swarm User Interfaces.** M Le Goc, <u>LH Kim</u>, A Parsaei, JD Fekete, P Dragicevic, & S Follmer. *UIST'16*. [Acceptance rate = 21%] **Best Paper Award**.

Haptic Edge Display for Mobile Tactile Interaction. S Jang, <u>LH Kim</u>, K Tanner, H Ishii, & S Follmer. CHI'16. [Acceptance rate = 23%]

Design and Evaluation of a Trilateral Shared-Control Architecture for Teleoperated Training Robots. K Shamaei, LH Kim, & AM Okamura. EMBC'15.

Effects of Master-Slave Tool Misalignment in a Teleoperated Surgical Robot. LH Kim, C Bargar, Y Che, & AM Okamura. ICRA'15. [Acceptance rate = 41%]

# POSTERS & DEMOS Human Perception of Swarm Robot Motion. Griffin Dietz, Jane L E., Peter Washington, Lawrence H. Kim, & Sean Follmer. CHI Extended Abstracts May. 2017 Zooids: Building Blocks for Swarm User Interfaces Adobe Creative Lab Retreat at Stanford Sept. 2016 Oct. 2016 **UIST** Demo Haptic Edge Display for Mobile Tactile Interaction Dec. 2015 Center for Automotive Research at Stanford (CARS) Annual Meeting Oct. 2015 Bay Area Robotics Symposium **TEACHING**

### Autumn ME 101: Visual Thinking

2015 Course Assistant for Instructors John Edmark and Patrick Fenton

#### Winter **ENGR 105: Introduction to Feedback Control**

2015 Course Assistant for Prof. Abbas Emami-Naeini

### Spring ENGR 105: Introduction to Feedback Control

Course Assistant for Prof. Allison M. Okamura and Inst. Adam Leeper 2015

# **MEDIA**

2017	Fast Company Design,	This Swarm	Of Little	Robots Is	A Totally	New Kind	Of Interface.
	www.fastcodesign.com/9	0136009					

- 2017 Hackaday, Zooids Swarm User Interface https://hackaday.com/2017/02/17/zooids-swarm-user-interface/
- Adafruit, 'Zooids' are Open-Source, Open-Hardware 'Bots for 'Swarm User Interfaces' https://blog.adafruit.com/2016/11/07/zooids-are-open-source-open-hardware-bots-for-
- 2016Makery, Zooids: who are these cute robots? http://www.makery.info/en/2016/11/28/zooids-mais-qui-sont-ces-robots-mignons/
- **TechCrunch**, Swarms of tiny, cute robots will one day bring you your phone, like this 2016 https://techcrunch.com/2016/10/20/swarms-of-tiny-cute-robots-will-one-day-bring-you

# AWARDS & HONORS

- Fast Company: Innovation by Design: Honorable Mention 2017
- UIST Best Paper Award (Zooids) 2016
- 2016 now Samsung Scholarship
- Dean's List for Academic Excellence 2010 - 2013
- 2010 2013 National Merit Scholarship
  - Guy RIchard Collins Scholarship 2012
  - Advanced Placement Scholar with Honor 2009

## SKILLS

**Technical** 

Design Pro/Engineering, Solidworks, Floworks, Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator

Program C++, C, MATLAB, IATEX, Chai3D, MotionGenesis, Mambo, JAVA

Fabrication 3D printing, Laser cutting, PCB etching

Languages

Native English, Korean