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PhD in Computer Vision

"Once the WHY is clear, the HOW goes easy"

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## ABOUT ME

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I began my academic journey in 2014 by pursuing a degree in Automation and Control Engineering, but the appeal of AI captivated me in late 2017. Since then, I have been actively involved in various AI projects. My primary research interests that are reflected by [my publications](#) so far include **image enhancement**, **cluster analysis**, and **object detection**. I completed my PhD in early 2024 under the guidance of [Prof. Dong-Chul Park](#), an expert in Artificial Neural Networks. I primarily specialize in **Python** programming and have experience with various frameworks such as **tensorflow**, **pytorch**, **conda**, etc. I also contribute as a writer to various popular online blog platforms such as [Towards Data Science](#), [Towards AI](#), etc.

## EDUCATION

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- 3/2021 – 2/2024 **PhD in Computer Vision**  
Myongji University (Natural Science Campus), South Korea
- 3/2019 – 2/2021 **MSc in Computer Vision**  
Myongji University (Natural Science Campus), South Korea
- 9/2014 – 8/2018 **BEng in Automation and Control Engineering (graduated with honors)**  
HCMC University of Technology and Education (HCMUTE), Vietnam

## EXPERIENCE

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- 4/2020 – 2/2024 **Research Intern**  
MindinTech, Inc., Seoul, South Korea  
Area: Computer Vision for Intelligent Driving
- 3/2021 – 2/2024 **Research Assistant**  
Intelligent Computing Research Lab (ICRL), Myongji University, South Korea  
Area: Image Enhancement, Cluster Analysis
- 7/2019 – 9/2019 **Summer Internship**  
OCST Co., Ltd., Seoul, South Korea  
Project: Object Detection Streaming and Data Management on Web Browser
- 3/2018 – 2/2019 **AI Engineer**  
FPT Software, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam  
Area: Computer Vision for Autonomous Driving
- 2/2017 – 1/2018 **Teaching Assistant**  
Faculty of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, HCMUTE, Vietnam  
Subject: Electric Drivers

## OTHERS

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### Languages

- Vietnamese (native)
- English (proficient)

### Memberships

- IEEE Member (since 2022)
- IEEE Young Professionals (since 2022)

### Work Style

- Being self-motivated and independent
- Moving from basic to complex
- Being able to learn new knowledge quickly
- Being a problem solver

## PUBLICATIONS

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- 2024      **Cluster Analysis via Projection onto Convex Sets**  
[LA Tran](#), D Kwon, HM Deberneh, DC Park  
Intelligent Data Analysis, IOS Press (SCIE)
- 2024      **Toward Improving Robustness of Object Detectors Against Domain Shift**  
[LA Tran](#), NC Tran, DC Park, J Carrabina, D Castells-Rufas  
IEEE International Conference on Green Energy, Computing and Sustainable Technology (GECOST)
- 2023      **Single Image Dehazing via Regional Saturation-Value Translation**  
[LA Tran](#), D Kwon, DC Park  
Procedia Computer Science
- 2023      **Image Compression using POCS-based Clustering Algorithm**  
[LA Tran](#), DC Park  
International Exchange and Innovation Conference on Engineering & Sciences (IEICES)
- 2023      **Embedding Clustering via Autoencoder and Projection onto Convex Set**  
[LA Tran](#), TD Nguyen, TD Do, NC Tran, D Kwon, DC Park  
IEEE International Conference on System Science and Engineering (ICSSE)
- 2023      **Efficient Infrared-Thermal Imaging Fusion for Human Detection in Heavy Smoke Scenarios**  
NN Truong, MH Le, TD Do, [LA Tran](#), TD Nguyen, HH Trinh  
IEEE International Conference on System Science and Engineering (ICSSE)
- 2023      **Encoder-Decoder Network with Guided Transmission Map: Robustness and Applicability**  
[LA Tran](#), DC Park  
Smart Innovation, Systems and Technologies, Vol. 333
- 2022      **Encoder-Decoder Network with Guided Transmission Map: Architecture**  
[LA Tran](#), DC Park  
International Conference on Advances in Signal Processing and Artificial Intelligence (ASPAI)
- 2022      **POCS-based Clustering Algorithm**  
[LA Tran](#), HM Deberneh, TD Do, TD Nguyen, MH Le, DC Park  
IEEE International Workshop on Intelligent Systems (IWIS)
- 2022      **Encoder-Decoder Network with Guided Transmission Map for Image Dehazing**  
[LA Tran](#), S Moon, DC Park  
Procedia Computer Science, Vol. 204
- 2021      **Enhancement of Robustness in Object Detection Module for ADAS**  
[LA Tran](#), TD Do, DC Park, MH Le  
IEEE International Conference on System Science and Engineering (ICSSE)
- 2020      **Object Detection Streaming and Data Management on Web Browser**  
[LA Tran](#)  
Technical Report, OCST Co., Ltd.
- 2019      **Robust U-Net-based Road Lane Markings Detection for Autonomous Driving**  
[LA Tran](#), MH Le  
IEEE International Conference on System Science and Engineering (ICSSE)
- 2018      **A Vision-based Method for Autonomous Landing on a Target with a Quadcopter**  
[LA Tran](#), NP Le, TD Do, MH Le  
IEEE International Conference on Green Technology and Sustainable Development (GTSD)
- Under Review      **Distilled Pooling Transformer Encoder for Efficient Image Dehazing**  
[LA Tran](#), DC Park
- Under Review      **Encoder-Decoder Networks with Guided Transmission Map for Effective Image Dehazing**  
[LA Tran](#), DC Park
- Under Review      **Haze Removal via Regional Saturation-Value Translation and Soft Segmentation**  
[LA Tran](#), DC Park
- Under Review      **Soft Knowledge-based Distilled Dehazing Networks**  
[LA Tran](#), DC Park