



## Ph.D. Student Opening - Fall 2026

[Dr. Yoojun Kim](#) invites applications from motivated students to join his research group at the University of Texas Rio Grande Valley (UTRGV). The position will begin in Fall 2026. The selected student will pursue a [Ph.D. in Computer Science with Interdisciplinary Applications](#) in the College of Engineering and Computer Science at UTRGV.

The position includes a full tuition waiver, an annual stipend of \$28,800, and travel funding for research activities during the 2026-2028 academic years. Research will focus on the intersection of computer science and civil engineering with applications in smart and connected communities.

### Minimum Qualifications

- Master's degree in computer science, construction management, or a related field
- Eligibility for program admission (GPA, degree, GRE, etc.). [[See requirements here](#)]
- Demonstrated research experience (e.g., journal publication)

### Preferred Qualifications

- Research experience in sensing and data analytics
- Proficiency in computer vision applications, including image and point cloud data

### How to Apply

Submit a single PDF file to [yoojun.kim@utrgv.edu](mailto:yoojun.kim@utrgv.edu) with the subject line "2026 Ph.D. Student Applicant". Applications that do not follow these instructions may receive limited review.

The PDF file should include:

1. One-page Cover Letter
2. Curriculum Vitae (CV)

Selected applicants will be contacted by email for interviews. Looking forward to reviewing your application and exploring potential opportunities to work together!

