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## Research Interest

I am interested in the intersection of computer vision and robotics. My research goal is to enable robots to achieve human-level versatility. To this end, my research focuses on learning unified representations that capture openworld semantics, scene dynamics, and 3D geometry, for robust generalization and adaptation in the real world.

## Education

## Daegu Gyeongbuk Institute of Science and Technology (DGIST)

Mar 2019 - Feb 2023

• B.S. in Engineering (Interdisciplinary Program)

Daegu, South Korea

• Concentration in Computer Science & Engineering

## University of California, Berkeley (UCB)

Jul 2019 – Aug 2019

• Visiting Student (Freshman Global Leadership Program)

Berkeley, CA, USA

#### **Publications**

# [C3] Tortoise and Hare Guidance: Accelerating Diffusion Model Inference with Multirate Integration

Yunghee Lee, Byeonghyun Pak, Junwha Hong, Hoseong Kim

Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2025

## [C2] Textual Query-Driven Mask Transformer for Domain Generalized Segmentation

Byeonghyun Pak\*, Byeongju Woo\*, Sunghwan Kim\*, Dae-hwan Kim, Hoseong Kim

European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV), 2024

# [C1] B-spline Texture Coefficients Estimator for Screen Content Image Super-Resolution

Byeonghyun Pak\*, Jaewon Lee\*, Kyong Hwan Jin

Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2023 — Highlight Paper, top 2.5%

# Work/Research Experience

#### Republic of Korea Army (ROKA)

Mar 2023 - Present

First Lieutenant (active duty; attached to Agency for Defense Development)

Daejeon, South Korea

- Selected as one of 20 research officers nationwide dedicated to STEM research for national defense
- Planned and executed EO/IR field data collections enabling reliable IR detection evaluation

#### **Agency for Defense Development**

Mar 2023 – Present Daejeon, South Korea

Research Officer for National Defense (ROND)

- Project: Synthetic-to-Real Domain Generalization for Military Object Detection
  - Researched domain generalization for reliable infrared imagery object detection in data-scarce settings
  - Improved synthetic-to-real robustness by integrating pre-trained vision-language models (VLMs)
  - 1 Publication in ECCV 2024 [project page]
- Project: Synthetic Dataset Generation for Air Defense System
  - Constructed synthetic datasets for rare/low-visibility targets via image/video diffusion models
  - Accelerated the generation pipeline by  ${\approx}30\%$  with a novel multi-rate integration method
  - 1 Publication in NeurIPS 2025

<sup>\*:</sup> Equal Contribution

# **Image Processing Laboratory @ DGIST**

Undergraduate Research Intern (advisor: Prof. Kyong Hwan Jin)

Dec 2021 – Feb 2023 Daegu, South Korea

- Researched implicit neural representations (INRs) for solving inverse problems (e.g., super-resolution)
- Project: Image Super-resolution for Screen-Content Images
  - Developed INR-based super-resolution with emphasis on screen-content characteristics and edge fidelity
  - Built a **B-spline INR-based SR pipeline** specialized for screen content
  - 1 Publication in CVPR 2023 (Selected as highlight paper) [project page]

## **Honor & Awards**

## Korea National Scholarship of Excellence in Science and Technology

Mar 2021 - Feb 2022

• National selection: 1 of 20 Research Officers nationwide (1 of 4 in CSE) for defense science & technology R&D

## Korea National Scholarship for Undergraduate Study

Mar 2019 - Feb 2023

• Received national scholarship includes full tuition and stipend

# Korea Military Academy Superintendent's Award

Dec 2021

- Award for Excellence in National Defense Research Projects
- Topic: A Study on the Application of Attention Module for Object Tracking Performance Improvement

#### 1st Place—FriendliAI LLM Hackathon

May 2024

• Topic: Knowledge Graph-based RAG (Retrieval-Augmented Generation) model

## **Patents**

**B.** *Pak et al.*, System for B-Spline Texture Coefficient Estimation and Method for Generating High-Resolution Images Using the Same. **KR 10-2730236** (reg. 2024.11.11).

# **Academic Services**

#### **Conference Reviewer**

• Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS)

2025

## Skills

**Programming Languages:** Python, C/C++, JavaScript, MATLAB

Frameworks & Tools: PyTorch, TensorFlow, NumPy, Docker, Git, OpenCV, OpenGL, Open3D, ManiSkill

## References

**Prof. Kyong Hwan Jin**, Associate Professor at Korea Univ.

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