



# INHA UNIVERSITY Al Convergence Research Center Al Graduate School



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#### Director's Profile



Director, In Kyu Park

#### **PROFILE**

- Ph.D. in Engineering, Seoul National University
- Professor, School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Inha University (2004 ~ Present)
- Visiting Scholar, UCSD (2018~2019)
- Visiting Associate Professor, MIT Media Lab (2014~2015)
- Researcher, Mitsubishi Electric Research Laboratories (2007~2008)
- Member of Technical Staff, Samsung Advanced Institute of Technology (2001~2004)
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### Message from the Director

# Al Innovation Hub Driving Incheon's Industry Growth

The Al Convergence Research Center at Inha University was established in April 2020 after being selected for the Ministry of Science and ICT's Al Convergence Research Center program. Following its selection for the Al Convergence Innovation Graduate School Program in May 2022 and the Leading Generative Al Human Resources Development Program in April 2024, the Center now operates both as a convergence research center and as an innovation-driven graduate school.

We are the first specialized center in Incheon for AI research and education. Our center integrates AI with key regional industries, such as manufacturing, logistics, ports, and healthcare, to develop AI-converged talent and industry-academia collaboration. In collaboration with 61 partners, including Incheon Metropolitan City and Korean Air, we are advancing industry-academia-government cooperation to drive industrial innovation and disseminate AI technologies.

The Graduate School of Al Convergence at the center operates the Al program within the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, systematically producing around 50 Al specialists with master's and doctoral degrees each year. Our 27 faculty members provide high-quality instruction across 20+ core-Al courses, from foundational to advanced topics, and 40 specialized Al convergence tracks in areas like manufacturing, logistics, ports, and medical.

Al Convergence Research Center leverages Incheon's industrial strengths and Inha University's expertise to develop Al-converged talent and promote Al. We are committed to creating a platform linking local governments, industries, and universities for Al convergence research, driving regional industry growth as well as nationwide Al adoption.

Professor **In Kyu Park**, Director of the Al Convergence Research Center (Dept. of Electrical and Computer Engineering)

# Vision and Strategic Plan



# Al-Converged Talent and Technology Dissemination Hub

BRIDGE – Model for Convergence
 Research Center and Graduate School –



# MISSION

# Develop specialized talent for the innovative Al-convergence industry

Build Reinforced Industry by Developing Al-Generating Engineers

- Regional hub convergence research center that connects universities and industries to develop Al talents and technology dissemination
- Train talents specialized in industrial innovation and enhance the competitiveness of industries
- · Academy-Industry Twin: Advancing industry-academia collaboration for enhanced talent development



#### Scalable Big Data Sharing Platform

- Al+Perception Visual Perception Research
- Al+Logistics Spatiotemporal Intelligence Research
- Al+Prediction Time Series Forecasting Research
- Al+Diagnosis Medical Data Analysis and Prediction Research

#### Industry-Academia Convergence Active Learning Platform

- Al major programs training 50 master's and doctoral students annually
- Training industry-Al specialized talent
- Connecting curriculum with the Graduate School of Manufacturing and Logistics

#### Sustainable Industry-Academia Al Convergence Platform

- Promoting collaboration with local companies
- Operating industry-academia joint projects and creating workbooks
- Enhancing two-way exchanges through internships, employment, and extracurricular activities School of Manufacturing and Logistics

# Scalable and shareable Al Convergence infrastructure

- Establishing Al infrastructure and sharing with the local community
- Disseminate Al across various disciplines within the university
- Tailored Al education programs for industry professionals

### Platforms-Based Research, Education, and Industry-Academia Collaboration

- Big Data Sharing Platform: Development of data processing and integration technologies
- Industry-Academia Al Convergence Platform : Al Convergence Projects Course
- Active Learning Platform: Fostering Al Convergence experts aligned with A<sup>5</sup> I: Active, Achievable, Adaptive, Affordable Al

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### Introduction to the Al Convergence Research Center

# What is the Al Convergence Research Center?



# Role of the Al Convergence Research Center

• Enhancing Al Convergence Research

Enhance "creative convergence (AI+X) research" tailored to industry specialization

• Operating Curricula in Al Convergence

Al convergence curricula with a focus on project-based, problem-solving education

• Strengthening Industry-Academia Collaboration

Strengthen Al convergence collaboration by securing top researchers and addressing industry needs

Supporting Commercialization and Consulting

Strengthen 'Creative Convergence Capabilities' by providing AI technology commercialization and application consulting, as well as internship programs, to meet the diverse AI needs across industries

#### History

Apr 2020 Selected for Ministry of Science and ICT's Al Convergence Research Center Support Program

May 2020 Signed an agreement with the IITP and launched operations

Sep 2020 Established Al Major in the Graduate School's Dept. of Electrical and Computer Engineering and Al Convergence Major in the College of Engineering at Inha University

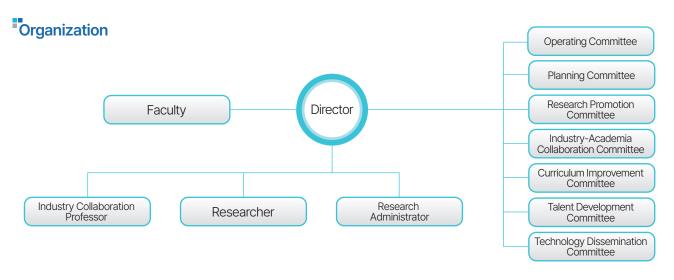
Jan 2021 Built the Center's administrative office, PBL classroom, and server room

Apr 2021 Held the opening ceremony for the Al Convergence Research Center

May 2022 Selected for the Ministry of Science and ICT's Al Convergence Innovation Graduate School Program

Apr 2024 Selected for the Ministry of Science and ICT's Leading Generative Al Human Resources Development Program

May 2025 Hosted an international symposium marking the Center's 5th anniversary



### Faculty and Research Staff

# Faculty

#### **AI-Core Faculty**



Doguk Kim Assistant Professor, Dept. of Artificial Intelligence

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# Industry Collaboration Professor/Researcher

#### **Industry Collaboration Professor**



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AI + Manufacturing Industry-Academia
Collaboration

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#### Collaborative Partners

#### Institutions (6)













#### Companies (55)





























































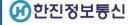
























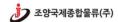


























# Al Convergence Graduate School

### Educational Goals and Initiatives

- Cultivating AI convergence experts through an industry-academia AI sharing and dissemination platform
- Cultivating Al convergence experts through a scalable big data integration platform

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#### Development Model

Developing innovative Al convergence talent specialized in manufacturing, logistics, ports (airports/seaports), and medical industries

#### Initiatives for AI+X Convergence Talent Development

#### Graduate Degree Program

Al Major in the Dept. of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Al Convergence Major at the College of Engineering

#### Dedicated to the Admission of Exceptional Students

Tuition Support and Employment Opportunities for the Admission of Outstanding Students

Admission of Outstanding Students from Diverse Backgrounds

#### Industry-Academia Joint Project

Curriculum on AI+R/ L/P/D Convergence Industry-Academia Projects

Training Field-Ready Talent by Integrating Al with Traditional Industries

# Entrepreneurship Program

Entrepreneurship Education for Innovative Value Creation

Sharing Startup Expertise through Collaboration with Partner Companies

# Graduate Program Overview

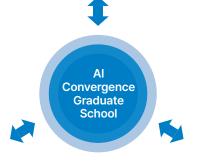
#### Innovative Industry-Focused Al Convergence Curricula

Specialized Integrated Education for Incheon's Key Industries:

Manufacturing, Logistics, Ports (Airport/Seaport), and Medical
Field-oriented curriculum and textbooks to meet the needs of participating companies

# Al Major in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

- Graduate Program for Training Advanced Talent (Master's and Ph.D. programs)
- Annual Admission Quota: 50 Students
- Developing Problem-Solving Skills for Industry Needs through an AI+X Convergence Curriculum
- Full Tuition Support and Prioritized Dormitory Allocation

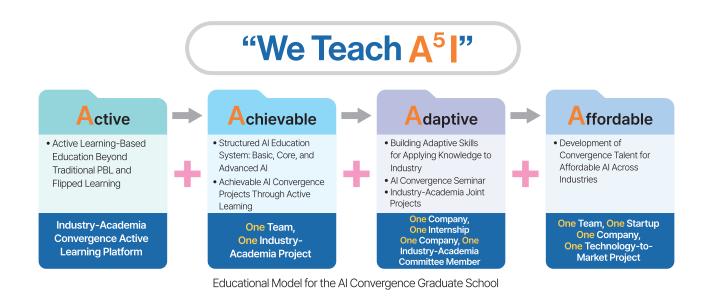


# Al Convergence Major at the College of Engineering

- Specialized Al Convergence Master's Program for Working Professionals
- Annual Admission Quota: 30 Students
- Up to 50% Tuition Support (Funded by the University)
- Disseminating Al Convergence through Practical, Specialized Education for Working Professionals in Key Fields

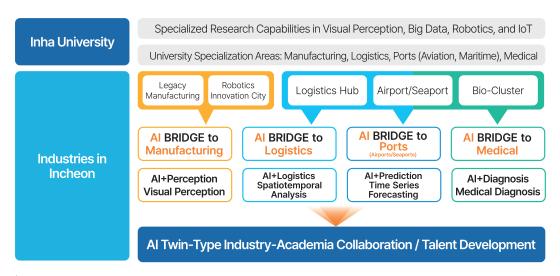
# Education Model

• Training high-level talent with practical experience in Al convergence applied to industry



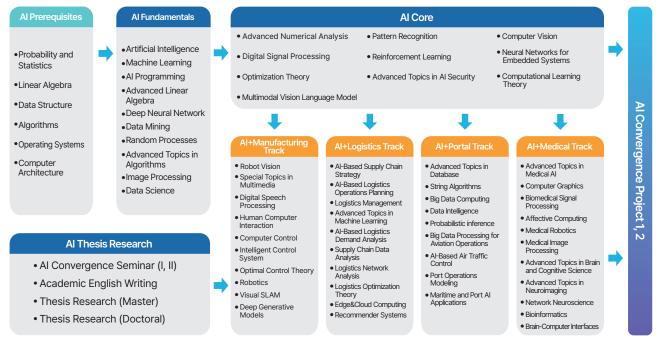
# Specialized Areas

- Manufacturing (AI+R): Core technologies for smart manufacturing and factories, focusing on visual perception
- Logistics(AI+L): Al-based smart management and consumer logistics
- Ports(AI+P): Predictive AI for aviation and maritime
- Medical(AI+D): Al for biosignal and medical imaging in clinical settings



Manufacturing, logistics, ports, and medical are designated as specialized areas, building on the strengths of Inha University and Incheon

### Curriculum

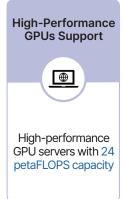


Curriculum of Al Major in the Dept. of Electrical and Computer Engineering

# Student Support Program











### Key Activities

# Al Graduate School Symposium

- Participated in the "Al Graduate School Symposium" organized by the Al Graduate School Council and IITP
- Discussion with industry and academic experts on Al industry-academia collaboration and talent development strategies









# Faculty Workshop

• Faculty workshop to share research and upcoming projects within the center









# Industry-Academia Collaboration Workshop

• Workshop on AI research and industry trends, focusing on collaboration in education, research, and talent exchange









# Industry-Academia Collaboration Meeting

• Regular meetings to share industry trends, exchange information, promote AI, and address company challenges







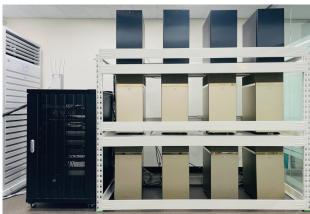


# • Major Projects and Achievements

# Al Computing Server

- Data center-grade GPUs infrastructure (NVIDIA A100, A6000, A40, V100) and small-group GPUs servers
- In collaboration with Incheon Metropolitan City, established a "24 petaFLOPS" All computing center to support researchers at Inha University, partner institutions, local organizations in Incheon





#### Al Industry-Academia Collaboration and Education Platform

• Jointly establishing an Industry-Academia Al Convergence Platform and an Industry-Academia Active Learning Platform in collaboration with our partner company, MondrianAl

#### Industry-Academia Convergence Al Platform

- Industry-Academia Al Platform for Disseminating Al Convergence Technology
  - Building a foundation for systematic and sustainable online collaboration between the center and companies
  - Scalable 'Big Data Sharing Platform' that provides a foundation for processing and integrating data from companies

#### **Al-based Active Learning Education Platform**

- Al online education platform designed for active and interactive user participation
  - Fundamental online education features (Support for audio, video, collaborative text editing, online discussion sessions, etc.)
- Feedback loop where students actively engage in the lecture content, which is then integrated back into the platform

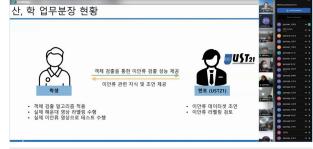
Industry-Academia-Research-Education Platform Development AI/Remote Education Framework

Industry-Academia Joint Projects

In-House AI R&D Results

Prototype production completed in 2022





Video Conferencing Platform Interface

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# Industry-Academia Collaboration

#### • Al Help Desk, Al Tech Clinic

"AI Help Desk" and "AI Tech Clinic" forums are operated on the Center's website (https://aix.inha.ac.kr)





#### Hanjin Al Academy

- Delivered AI education in collaboration with Hanjin Information & Communication and Korean Air
- Offered practical machine and deep learning courses for Hanjin Group's staff and executives





Al Course for Korean Air Staff and Executives



Basic-Al Course for Hanjin Group Staff

# Al Convergence Research Project

- Students, industry mentors, and professors collaborate on industry-sourced mini projects to address real-world demands
- · Enhancing students' practical AI expertise and industry adaptability through industry-academic projects
- Data management, Al model development, and video conferencing are conducted on our internally developed Al platform



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Industry-academic project company site visit



The project class screen using an artificial intelligence platform

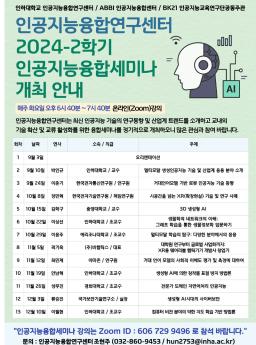
# Al Convergence Seminar

학생이 13명의 지도교수 및 8개 산업체의 멘토와

을 끈다. 센터는 지난 2년간 인공지능 교육 및 산학

- Offered as a regular graduate course, expert-led seminars on various Al-related topics are held each semester
- Opening the seminar to local institutions and the broader local community, contributing to the spread of AI education





# Al Dissemination Research Program

- Al Model Development Challenge for Inha University Students on Selected Al Topics
- Fosters collaboration and strengthens research capabilities across IT and non-IT faculty
- Hosts a symposium for sharing research outcomes

2023 Al Dissemination Research Program







2024
AI
Dissemination
Research
Program







# Al Entrepreneurship Seminar and Startup Cases

- Offers foundational knowledge and pre-experience for aspiring entrepreneurs
- Invite renowned CEO-level speakers and present the latest AI trends to increase educational engagement
- Promote outstanding startup cases to stimulate entrepreneurial activities among students and faculty

2023 Al Entrepreneurship Seminar







2024 Al Entrepreneurship Seminar







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# Inha Al Challenge

- Al model development challenge for Inha university students on selected topics Al
- The challenge aims to increase interest in AI and develop more sophisticated AI models
- Organize industry-academia collaboration meetings between sponsoring companies and participating students









2024 Inha Al Challenge







# Research Highlights and Rewards

- 149 high-impact publications over the past 3 years (as of March 2025)
- 66 publications in top conferences and JCR top 10% journals

# Publications in journals ranked in the top 10% of the JCR

- Sunwoo Kim, Yongjun Ahn, Daeyoung Park, and Byonghyo Shim, "VOMTC: Vision objects for millimeter and terahertz communications," IEEE Transactions on Cognitive Communications and Networking, 2025
- Jeong-A Lim, Joohyun Lee, Jeongho Kwak, and **Yeongjin Kim**, "Cutting-Edge inference: Dynamic DNN model partitioning and resource scaling for mobile AI," **IEEE Transactions on Services Computing**, 2024
- Sunwoo Lee, Tuo Zhang, Saurav Prakash, Yue Niu, and Salman Avestimehr, "Embracing federated learning: Enabling weak client participation via partial model training," IEEE Transactions on Mobile Computing, 2024
- Seo-Hyeong Park, Nur Suriza Syazwany, Ju-Hyeon Nam, and Sang-Chul Lee, "Integrating multimodal contrastive learning with prototypical domain alignment for unsupervised domain adaptation of time series," Engineering Applications of Artificial Intelligence, 2024
- Joong Chae Na, Youngjoon Kim, Seokchul Kang, and Jeong Seop Sim, "Order-preserving pattern match -ing with partition," Mathematics, 2024
- Seunghyun Lee and Byung Cheol Song, "Fast filter pruning via coarse-to-fine neural architecture search and contrastive knowledge transfer," IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems, 2024
- Seokho Ahn, Hyungjin Kim, Euijong Lee, and **Young-Duk Seo**, "SenDaL: An effective and efficient calibration framework of low-cost sensors for daily life," **IEEE Internet of Things Journal**, 2024
- Yihuai Liang, Yan Li, and **Byeong-Seok Shin**, "Dynamic authenticated keyword search in hybrid-storage blockchain," **Future Generation Computer Systems-The International Journal of eScience**, 2024
- Ju-Hyeon Nam and **Sang-Chul Lee**, "FSDA: Frequency re-scaling in data augmentation for corruption -robust image classification," **Pattern Recognition**, 2024
- Jion Kim, Yan Li, and **Byeong-Seok Shin**, "3D-DGGAN: A data-guided generative adversarial network for high fidelity in medical image generation," **IEEE Journal of Biomedical and Health Informatics**, 2024
- Pyeongjun Choi, Dongho Ham, **Yeongjin Kim**, and Jeongho Kwak, "VisionScaling: Dynamic deep learning model and resource scaling in mobile vision applications," **IEEE Internet of Things Journal**, 2024
- Sangwon Lee, Junho Hong, Ling Liu, and Wonik Choi, "TS-Fastformer: Fast transformer for time-series forecasting," ACM Transactions on Intelligent Systems and Technology, 2024
- Yu Zhao, **Yeongjin Kim**, and Joohyun Lee, "SOQ: Structural reinforcement learning for constrained delay minimization with channel state information," **IEEE Internet of Things Journal**, 2024
- Dohee Kang, Daeha Kim, Donghyun Kang, Taein Kim, Bowon Lee, Deokhwan Kim, and Byung Cheol Song, "Beyond superficial emotion recognition: Modality-adaptive emotion recognition system,"
   Expert Systems with Applications, 2024
- Zuyu Zhang, Yan Li, and **Byeong-Seok Shin**, "Learning generalizable visual representation via adaptive spectral random convolution for medical image segmentation," **Computers in Biology and Medicine**, 2023
- Minsik Kim and Daeyoung Park, "Beamforming vector design and device selection in over-the-air federated learning," IEEE Transactions on Wireless Communications, 2023
- Ki-Hwan Kim, Myung-Seok Kim, Hye Min Lee, Myung Hwan Kim, and Seung-Buhm Woo, "Dominant factors responsible for wave modulation in the macro-tidal Gyeonggi Bay of the Yellow Sea," Ocean Engineering, 2023
- Seung-Hwan Bae, "Deformable part region learning and feature aggregation tree representation for object detection," IEEE Trans. on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence, 2023

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# Publications in Al Top Conferences

- Matthew Marchellus, Nadhira Noor, and In Kyu Park, "Link to the past: Temporal propagation for fast 3D human reconstruction from monocular video," IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2025
- Namhyuk Ahn, KiYoon Yoo, Wonhyuk Ahn, Daesik Kim, and Seung-Hun Nam, "Nearly zero-cost protec
  -tion against mimicry by personalized diffusion models," IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and
  Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2025
- Yoojin Jung and **Byung Cheol Song**, "Two is better than one: Efficient ensemble defense for robust and compact models," **IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)**, 2025
- Seokho Ahn, Hyungjin Kim, Sungbok Shin, and Young-Duk Seo, "Real-time calibration model for lowcost sensor in fine-grained time series," AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2025
- Jae-Yong Baek, Yong-Sang Yoo, and **Seung-Hwan Bae**, "A new multi-source light detection benchmark and semi-supervised focal light detection," **Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS)**, 2024
- Zuyu Zhang, Yan Li, and **Byeong-Seok Shin**, "Embracing domain gradient conflicts: Domain generaliza -tion using domain gradient equilibrium," **ACM International Conference on Multimedia (ACM MM)**, 2024
- Seongho Kim and Byung Cheol Song, "All you need is your voice: Emotional face representation with audio perspective for emotional talking face generation," European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV), 2024
- Sunwoo Lee, "Layer-wise adaptive gradient norm penalizing method for efficient and accurate deep learning," ACM SIGKDD Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (SIGKDD), 2024
- Ju-Hyeon Nam, Nur Suriza Syazwany, Su Jung Kim, and Sang-Chul Lee, "Modality-agnostic domain generalizable medical image segmentation by multi-frequency in multi-scale attention," IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2024
- Junhyuk Kwon, Seokho Ahn, and Young-Duk Seo, "RecKG: Knowledge graph for recommender systems,"
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- Daeha Kim and Byung Cheol Song, "Emotion-aware multi-view contrastive learning for facial emotion recognition," European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV), 2022

# Research Highlights and Awards

Prof. Seo's group presented a paper at AAAI 2025



▲ Prof. Young-Duk Seo, Dept. of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Seokho Ahn (Ph.D. student), Hyungjin Kim (Ph.D. student), Sungbok Shin (Postdoctoral Fellow, Université Paris-Saclay)

Prof. Seo's research team has proposed TESLA (Transformer for Effective Sensor Calibration Utilizing Logarithmic-binned Attention), an artificial intelligence model that enables reliable data measurement from lowcost sensors used in Internet of Things (IoT) devices. This research was presented at AAAI 2025.

#### • Prof. Park Awarded '6th Sangjeon Retail Academic Award'



▲ Prof. Minyoung Park, Asia Pacific School of Logistics

Prof. Park has received the Grand Prize in Logistics at the 6th Sangjeon Retail Academic Award, established to discover and encourage outstanding researchers advancing retail studies. He was recognized for his significant contributions to promoting digital transformation across manufacturing, retail, and logistics enterprises, and for laying the groundwork for consumer logistics service infrastructure.

#### • Prof. Kim Received Minister Award in '10th Scientific Policing Idea Competition'



▲ Prof. Jong-Hyun Kim, Dept. Design Technology

Prof. Kim has received the Minister's Award from the Ministry of Science and ICT at the 10th Scientific Policing Idea Competition. He was recognized for his proposal and solution addressing issues in "scientific policing" within the field of digital twin and smart city safety, under the theme of "Evacuation Route Guidance System Considering Smart Cities During Hazardous Chemical Leaks."

# Research Highlights and Awards

#### • Prof. Bae research team presented a Paper at NeurIPS 2024



▲ Jae-Yong Baek (Ph.D. student), Yong-Sang Yoo (Ph.D. student), Prof. Seung-Hwan Bae, Dept. of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Prof. Bae's research team presented a paper titled "A New Multi-Source Light Detection Benchmark and Semi-Supervised Focal Light Detection" at NeurIPS 2024, proposing a multi-class light source dataset and an Al model, SS-FLD (Semi-Supervised Focal Loss Detection), capable of effectively classifying it.

#### • A student under Prof. Song presented a paper at ECCV 2024



▲ Seongho Kim (Master's student) and Prof. Byung Cheol Song, Dept. of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Kim (Master's student), presented the paper 'All You Need is Your Voice: Emotional Face Representation with Audio Perspective for Emotional Talking Face Generation' at ECCV(European Conference on Computer Vision) 2024.

#### Prof. Lee's group presented a paper at MICCAI 2024



▲ Jong Bub Lee (Master's student), Prof. Jung Soo Kim, Dept. of Internal Medicine, Inha University Hospital, and Prof. Hyun Gyu Lee, Dept. of Electrical and Computer Engineering

Lee (Master's student), presented the paper COVID19 to Pneumonia:Multi Region Lung Severity Classification using CNN Transformer Position-Aware Feature Encoding Network) at MICCAI(Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention) 2024.

# Research Highlights and Awards

#### Students under Prof. Lee published a paper at CVPR 2024



▲ Ju-Hyeon Nam (Ph.D. student), Nur Suriza Syazwany (Ph.D. student), Su Jung Kim (Ph.D. student), and Prof. Sang-Chul Lee, Dept. of Electrical and Computer

Nam, Suriza, and Kim (Ph.D. students) developed an Al model called "MADGNet" for precise pixel-level prediction of cancer cells and other medical entities. Their paper, titled "Modality-Agnostic Domain Generalizable Medical Image Segmentation by Multi-Frequency in Multi-Scale Attention" was published at CVPR (Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition) 2024.

#### • Master's students under Prof. Choi presented their theses at AAAI 2024



▲ Haneol Kang (Master's student), Hyunjune Shin (Master's Student), and Prof. Dong-Wan Choi, Dept. of Electrical and Computer

- Kang (Master's student) presented at AAAI 2024 (Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence) on a novel method called "Recall-Oriented Continual Learning with Generative Adversarial Meta-Model," which proposes a unique approach to recall the parameters learned by neural networks, inspired by the way the human brain retrieves memories.
- Shin (Master's student) presented at AAAI 2024 (Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence) on a new knowledge distillation method. He was the first to discover that existing methods could lead to unstable learning performance depending on the teacher model, and developed an effective solution to address this issue.

#### • Students under Prof. Bae published a paper in IEEE TIP 2023



Prof. Seung-Hwan Bae, Dept. of Electrical and Computer Engineering, and Seong-Ho Lee (Master's student) and Dae-Hyeon Park (Ph.D. student)

Prof. Bae's research group published a paper titled 'Decode-MOT: How Can We Hurdle Frames to Go Beyond Tracking-by-Detection' in IEEE Transactions on Image Processing (TIP), the top-tier journal in the field of image processing. The paper proposes a novel tracking mechanism that enables real-time online operation for existing multi-object tracking technologies.

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