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Education

Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology (UNIST)

2022 - Present

Integrated M.S.-Ph.D., Artificial Intelligence

Research focus: 3D/4D vision, generative models, 3D content creation

Chung-Ang University (CAU)

2018 - 2021

Bachelor of Engineering, Mechanical Engineering (Early Graduation)

Research Interests

3D/4D reconstruction of animals and humans, generative model, Gaussian splatting, video understanding.

Publications

Journal Articles

- [J1]. A paper on "Reference-Guided Video Anomaly Detection for Display Inspection", submitted to TCSVT.
- [J2]. DogRecon: Canine Prior-Guided Animatable 3D Gaussian Dog Reconstruction From a Single Image

Gyeongsu Cho, C. Kang, D. Soon, K. Joo. International Journal of Computer Vision (IJCV), 2025.

Conference Papers

- [C1]. A paper on "4D Animal Mesh Reconstruction", submitted to CVPR
- [C2]. Pose-Diverse Multi-View Virtual Try-on from a Single Frontal Image S. Han*, M. Chung*, Gyeongsu Cho, K. Joo, T. Kim. WACV, 2026.
- [C3]. Avatar++: Fast and Pose-Controllable 3D Human Avatar Generation from a Single Image S. Han*, M. Chung*, Gyeongsu Cho, K. Joo, T. Kim. ICCV 2025, Wild3D Workshop.
- [C4]. Canine Prior-Guided Animatable 3D Gaussian Dog Reconstruction From a Single Image Gyeongsu Cho, C. Kang, D. Soon, K. Joo. CVPR 2024, Computer Vision for Animals Workshop (Oral).
- [C5]. SlaBins: Fisheye Depth Estimation using Slanted Bins on Road Environments J. Lee, Gyeongsu Cho*, J. Park*, K. Kim*, S. Lee*, J. H. Kim, S.-G. Jeong, K. Joo. ICCV, 2023.

Research & Industry Experience

Graduate Researcher, UNIST – 3D/4D Vision & Graphics

2022 - Present

- Lead author of **DogRecon (IJCV 2025)** and **4D Animal Reconstruction** on single-image 3D Gaussian dog reconstruction and 4D animal motion from monocular videos.
- Develop synthetic video pipelines, SMAL-based animal models, and PyTorch3D-based renderers for large-scale training and evaluation.
- Explore generative pipelines that lift text/video outputs into animatable 3D/4D representations.

Research Collaboration with Samsung Electronics - Video Anomaly Detection

2024 - 2025

- Co-develop a video anomaly detection framework for industrial display inspection, using real manufacturing data.
- Contributed to dataset design, model architecture, and experiments for a TCSVT submission.

Startup Project – Real-Time 3D Human Pose Estimation (KIC & GWU Program)

2024

- Built a **3-camera real-time 3D human pose estimation system** with smoothing algorithms for stable motion analysis in gyms.
- Designed the system as an AI-based personal training assistant to support.
- Selected for a Korean government startup support program and a 3-week entrepreneurship program at George Washington University.

• Conducted 50+ interviews with fitness and healthcare professionals across major U.S. cities and refined a US-market-focused business model; ranked 1st in track.

Teaching & Mentoring

- Teaching Assistant: Linear Algebra (CAU), Computer Graphics (UNIST), Introduction to AI Programming 2 (UNIST).
- Tutor for a Hyundai Motor Company internal data/AI program (Python, data analysis).

Grants & Awards

AI Tech Open Workshop - Creative Project UNIST (Startup Track, 1st Place)

2025

- Project: Lightweight camera system and inference for 3D animal model reconstruction.
- Awarded **30,000,000 KRW (20,000 USD)**; funding allocated as research budget for continued 3D animal reconstruction work.

Patents

- Method and apparatus for reconstructing a 3D dog Gaussian model from a single image Korean Patent Application 10-2025-0107831 (2025-08-05); PCT Application PCT/KR2025/019381.
- Method and apparatus for generating a depth map of an image Korean Patent Application 10-2023-0125078, with 42dot.

Reference

Prof. Kyungdon Joo, Professor, UNIST

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Dr. Hezhen Hu, Postdoctoral fellow, UT Austin

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