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## RESEARCH BACKGROUND AND INTEREST

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With hands-on experience in dry/wet lab and knowledge in deep learning techniques and the biomedical field, adept at performing interdisciplinary research that requires generating, processing, and interpreting biomedical data. Interested in **knowledge-infusion learning, causal inference, graph neural network, computational pathology, bioinformatics, single-cell, spatial omics, tumor microenvironment**. Proficient in developing deep learning models from scratch (using Pytorch); setting up bioinformatics pipeline to analyze molecular data including DNA, and RNA; and designing biomolecular experiments including cell culture and single-cell DNA/RNA-seq.

## EDUCATION

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- **Seoul National University** Seoul, Republic of Korea  
*Doctor of Engineering in Electrical and Computer Engineering* Sep. 2016 – Aug. 2022
- **Sogang University** Seoul, Republic of Korea  
*Bachelor of Engineering in Electrical Engineering* Mar. 2012 – Feb. 2016

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

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1. **Y. Lee<sup>†</sup>**, JH. Park<sup>†</sup>, S. Oh<sup>†</sup>, K. Shin<sup>†</sup>, J. Sun, M.J. ung, C. Lee, H. Kim, J. Chung, KC. Moon, S. Kwon, Derivation of prognostic contextual histopathological features from whole-slide images of tumours via graph deep learning. *Nature Biomedical Engineering*, 2022, Accepted  
Featured in *Research Briefing of Nature Biomedical Engineering*
2. A. C. Lee<sup>†</sup>, **Y. Lee<sup>†</sup>**, A. Choi<sup>†</sup>, H. Lee<sup>†</sup>, K. Shin, H. Lee, JY. Kim, HS. R, HS. K, SY. R, S. Lee, J. Chuen, DK. Yoo, S. Lee, H. Choi, T. Ryu, H. Yeom, N. Kim, J. Noh, Y. Lee, I. Kim, S. Bae, J. Kim, W. Lee, O. Kim, Y. Jung, C. Kim, SW. Song, Y. Choi, J. Chung, BG. Kim, W. Han, S. Kwon, Spatial epitranscriptomics reveals A-to-I editome specific to cancer stem cell microniches. *Nature Communications*, 2022

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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- Best research awards: The Korean Biochip Society, 2020
- Grand Prize in National R&D Real Challenge Program, 2020
- Scholarships for Academic Excellence, 2012

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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- **Deep learning for next-generation health care** Seoul National University  
*Teaching assistant* 2022
- **Introduction to python** Seoul National University  
*Teaching assistant* 2019
- **Nano-biomedical engineering** Seoul National University  
*Teaching assistant* 2018
- **Biomedical electronic and computer engineering** Seoul National University  
*Teaching assistant* 2016, 2018
- **Single-cell omics analysis and NLP model for amino acid** Seoul National University  
*B.S. Thesis advisor* 2018, 2019, 2022

## REFERENCES

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- Prof. Sunghoon Kwon skwon@snu.ac.kr  
*Ph.D. Advisor* *Electrical and Computer Engineering, Seoul National University*
- Prof. Jeonghwan Park hopemd@hanmail.net  
*Collaborator* *Pathology, Seoul National University College of Medicine*

## PUBLICATIONS IN JOURNALS

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First and co-first author articles

1. **Y. Lee<sup>†</sup>**, JH. Park<sup>†</sup>, S. Oh<sup>†</sup>, K. Shin<sup>†</sup>, J. Sun, M.J ung, C. Lee, H. Kim, J. Chung, KC. Moon, S. Kwon, Derivation of prognostic contextual histopathological features from whole-slide images of tumours via graph deep learning. *Nature Biomedical Engineering*, 2022  
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3. A. C. Lee<sup>†</sup>, J. Svedlund<sup>†</sup>, E. Darai<sup>†</sup>, **Y. Lee<sup>†</sup>**, D. Lee, H. Lee, S. Kim, O. Kim, H. Bae, A. Choi, S. Lee, Y. Jeong, S.W.Song, Y. Choi, H. Yeom, C. S. Lee, W. Han, D S. Lee, J. Jang, N. Madabousi, M. Nilsson, S. Kwon, OPENchip: an on-chip in situ molecular profiling platform for gene expression analysis and oncogenic mutation detection in single circulating tumour cells. *Lab on a chip*, 2020
4. A. C. Lee<sup>†</sup>, **Y. Lee<sup>†</sup>**, D. Lee, S. Kwon, Divide and conquer: A perspective on biochips for single-cell and rare-molecule analysis by next-generation sequencing. *APL Bioengineering*, 2019

Co author articles

1. Y. Kim<sup>†</sup>, I.H. Song<sup>†</sup>, H. Lee, S. Kim, D.H. Yang, N. Kim, D. Shin, Y. Yoo, K. Lee, D. Kim, H. Jung, H. Cho, H. Lee, T. Kim, J.H. Choi, C. Seo, S.I. Han, Y.J. Lee, Y.S.L, H. Yoo, **Y. Lee**, J.H. Park, S. Oh, G. Gong, Challenge for diagnostic assessment of deep learning algorithm for metastases classification in sentinel lymph nodes on frozen tissue section digital slides in women with breast cancer *Cancer Research and Treatment*, 2020
2. O. Kim<sup>†</sup>, D. Lee<sup>†</sup>, A.C. Lee<sup>†</sup>, **Y. Lee**, H.J. Bae, H. Lee, R.N. Kim, W. Han, S. Kwon, Whole genome sequencing of single circulating tumor cells isolated by applying a pulsed laser to cell-capturing microstructures. *Small*, 2019
3. S.W.Song<sup>†</sup>, S.D.Kim<sup>†</sup>, D.Y.Oh, **Y. Lee**, A.C. Lee, Y. Jeong, H.J. Bae, D. Lee, S. Lee, J. Kim, S. Kwon, One-step generation of a drug-releasing hydrogel microarray-on-a-chip for large-scale sequential drug combination screening. *Advanced Science*, 2019
4. S. Kim<sup>†</sup>, A.C. Lee<sup>†</sup>, H. Lee<sup>†</sup>, J. Kim, Y. Jung, H.S. Ryu, **Y. Lee**, S. Bae, M. Lee, K. Lee, R.N. Kim, W. Park, W. Han, S. Kwon, PHLI-seq: constructing and visualizing cancer genomic maps in 3D by phenotype-based high-throughput laser-aided isolation and sequencing. *Genome biology*, 2018

## PUBLICATIONS IN CONFERENCE

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1. **Y. Lee<sup>†</sup>**, H. Lee<sup>†</sup>, K. Shin<sup>†</sup>, J. Lee, S. Kwon, Graph representation of immune repertoire (GRIP) *In prepare for AAAI, 2023*
2. **Y. Lee**, A.C. Lee, A. Choi, K. Shin, O. Kim, Y. Jung, C. Kim, T. Ryu, S. Kwon, Phenotype based selective single cell isolation using near-infrared pulse laser for spatially resolved omics analysis, *MicroTas*, 2020
3. **Y. Lee**, A.C. Lee, A. Choi, K. Shin, O. Kim, Y. Jung, C. Kim, T. Ryu, S. Kwon, Pulsed laser based single cell isolation for spatially resolved omics analysis, *The Korean Biochip Society*, 2020  
Best Research Awards Winner