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Education

- 2022–present **Ph.D. Candidate in Data Science**, *Graduate School of Data Science, Seoul National University*, Seoul.
Large Language Models (LLMs) and Context Engineering, LLM-Driven Natural Language Interfaces for Databases, Natural Language to Structured Query Language (NL2SQL)
- 2020–2021 : **Master in Data Science**, *Graduate School of Data Science, Seoul National University*, Seoul.
- 2010–2018 : **BA in Economics & Finance**, *College of Economics and Finance, Hanyang University*, Seoul.

Publications

In Conference Proceedings

- 2025 Jisoo Jang and Wen-Syan Li. Retrieval-augmented nl2sql generation with data-centric query capsules for enterprise applications. In *Proceedings of the 2025 Annual International ACM SIGIR Conference on Research and Development in Information Retrieval in the Asia Pacific Region*, pages 123–132, 2025.
- 2024 Jisoo Jang and Wen-Syan Li. Au-rag: agent-based universal retrieval augmented generation. In *Proceedings of the 2024 Annual International ACM SIGIR Conference on Research and Development in Information Retrieval in the Asia Pacific Region*, pages 2–11, 2024.
- 2023 Jisoo Jang, Mina Kim, Tien-Cuong Bui, and Wen-Syan Li. Toward interpretable machine learning: Constructing polynomial models based on feature interaction trees. In *Pacific-Asia Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining*, pages 159–170. Springer, 2023.

In Conference Proceedings(Accepted)

- 2026 Joohyun Lee, Ghita Benboubker, JungKwan Han, Jisoo Jang, and Wen-Syan Li, Pathfinder: Context Engineering and Knowledge Management for Domain-Specific Horizontal Reasoning, 42nd IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (Demo Track).

arXiv

- 2025 Jisoo Jang, Tien-Cuong Bui, Yunjun Choi, and Wen-Syan Li. Prompt tuning for natural language to sql with embedding fine-tuning and rag. *arXiv preprint arXiv:2511.08245*, 2025.

Projects

- 2024.11 – **Financial Q&A Chatbot Based on Financial Reports.**
- 2025.01 (3M)
- Building a financial Q&A chatbot based on financial reports in collaboration between SNU KDT and Naver Cloud
 - Led a team by helping define the problem, design experiments, and manage the project through weekly meetings
 - Explained concepts of LLM and RAG, and guided system architecture design by applying the LLM Compiler paper

- 2021.04 – **Metric for Deep Learning Visualization Technique.**
- 2021.06 (2M)
 - Proposed l-metric, a metric to evaluate neuron visualization as part of Explainable AI techniques
 - Conducted experiments to verify whether an additional tool (grid-spec activation camera) improves evaluation
 - Achieved a 28% improvement over baseline visualization when using the additional tool — [paper link](#)
 - Role: Implemented the grid-spec activation camera
- 2020.11 – **Improving Cleanness of Dishwasher.**
- 2021.11 (12M)
 - A project with SK Networks to improve dishwasher cleaning performance using pattern clustering on turbidity sensor data
- 2020.10 – **Battery Life Expectation.**
- 2021.02 (5M)
 - Predicted the remaining battery life of a logistics container tracking device by solving it as a regression problem for voltage values

Awards

- 2025.10 SIGIR Student Travel Grant Award
- 2024.10 SIGIR Student Travel Grant Award
- 2023.08 The 11th Ministry of Trade, Industry, and Energy Public Data Utilization BI Contest - 3rd prize in the “Public Domain” Area

Lectures

- 2024.08 A Guide to Building LLM-Based Applications: Prompt Engineering and RAG.
@ Jeonju IT & CT Industry Promotion Agency
- 2022.07 Introduction to DeepLearning with PyTorch.
@ University of Seoul
- 2021.07 Python & PyTorch Basic.
@ HanKyong University
- 2019.12 Introduction to DeepLearning with PyTorch.
@ Multicampus

Teaching Assistantship

- Fall, 2022 – Present M3239.006700: Project for Data Science, GSDS, SNU.
- Fall, 2023 – Spring, 2025 M3239.002300: Prompt Engineering: Art and Science for Interactions with LLM, GSDS, SNU.
- Fall, 2022 – Spring, 2023 M3239.005100: Big Data and Knowledge Management Systems 2, GSDS, SNU.

Publication (Book)

- 2019.06 [PyTorch for Deep Learning](#)

Work Experience

- 2018.02 – **Boostcourse AI**, Naver Connect, Seoul.
- 2019.08 (18M)
 - Publishing AI-related content on [edwith \(changed to boostcourse\)](#) platform to make it easier for learners to study
 - Professor KyungHyun Cho's course: [Natural Language Processing with Deep Learning](#)
 - Professor Andrew Ng's Deep Learning series: [1](#), [2](#), [3](#), [4](#)
 - Planning and managing project-based learning content
 - Assisted in planning and managing the course [Deep Learning for Everyone Season 2](#)
 - Planned, set up the learning environment, and reviewed code for “Introduction to Deep Learning with [TensorFlow](#) and [PyTorch](#)”

Position of Responsibility

- 2025 Volunteer for conference, SIGIR-AP 2025.
- 2024 Student Helper to manage the in-person part, PAKDD 2024 Robust Machine Learning in Open Environments Workshop.

Interests

Attendances for Learning New Knowledge

- 2025.12 Attend the 3rd International ACM SIGIR Conference on Information Retrieval in the Asia Pacific, Xi'an, China
- 2025.08 Attend [Agentic AI Summit 2025](#) in UC Berkeley, California, USA
- 2024.12 Attend the 2nd International ACM SIGIR Conference on Information Retrieval in the Asia Pacific, Tokyo, Japan
- 2024.05 Attend the 28th Pacific-Asia Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining, Taipei, Taiwan
- 2023.05 Attend the 27th Pacific-Asia Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining, Osaka, Japan
- 2022.12 Attend 2022 IEEE International Conference on Big Data, Tokyo, Japan
- 2018.08 Attend Pycon-Korea 2018, Seoul, Korea
- 2018.01 Participate "Deep Learning Basic with Pytorch" Class @ FastCampus, Seoul, Korea
- 2017.10 Participate "Text Mining using Python" Class @ FastCampus, Seoul, Korea
- 2017.08 Attend Pycon-Korea 2017, Seoul, Korea
- 2017.05 Learned ML @ FastCampus Data Science School, Seoul, Korea

Participate or Running A Study Group

- 2022.11 (3M) Head first Rust! @ Modulabs
- 2020.05 (3M) Participate Beyond BERT @ Modulabs: reviewed [Fast-BERT](#)
- 2018.08 (9M) Ran a paper study with Yonsei University Master course students (Learning NLP) [Drive Link](#)