YOONJOO LEE

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RESEARCH INTEREST

My research interest lies in the intersection of human-AI interaction (HAI) and natural language processing (NLP), with a focus on aligning AI systems with human cognitive processes to make them more adaptive, interpretable, and human-centered. Specifically, I (1) develop AI systems that interactively adapt outputs to individual users by modeling cognitive processes based on users' tasks and contexts, and (2) design evaluation methods to assess how effectively AI systems can generate outputs aligned with human cognitive processes.

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Adobe Research San Jose, CA, USA

Research Intern, Document Intelligence Lab May - Sept. 2024 Mentor: Alexa F Siu, Tong Sun [U1]

Allen Institute for Artificial Intelligence (AI2) Seattle, WA, USA

Research Scientist Intern, Semantic Scholar Team May - Oct. 2023 Mentor: Pao Siangliulue, Joseph Chee Chang, Jonathan Bragg, Kyle Lo [C10, C12]

LG AI Research Seoul, Republic of Korea

Research Scientist Intern, Advanced Machine Learning Lab Nov. 2022 - Mar. 2023 Mentor: Moontae Lee, Kyungjae Lee [C6]

Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute (ETRI) Daejeon, Republic of Korea

Graduate Research Assistant, Data Sciences Group Mar. 2018 – Dec. 2019 Mentor: Yunbae Kim, Seungken Park [P1, P2, C1, C2]

EDUCATION

KAIST Daejeon, Republic of Korea Ph.D. Candidate in Computer Science. Advisor: Juho Kim

Sep. 2020 – Present

Ewha Womans University Seoul, Republic of Korea M.S. in Statistics (Applicational Statistics). Advisor: Dongwan Shin Mar. 2018 - Feb. 2020

B.S. Major in Mathematics Education, Minor in Statistics; Magna Cum Laude Mar. 2014 – Feb. 2018

University of California, Davis Davis, CA, USA

Exchange student in Mathematics Sep. 2015 – Feb. 2016

PUBLICATIONS

Conference Papers in Submission (under review)

[C15] Benchmarking Model Ability to Predict Preferences from Interactions

Tae Soo Kim, **Yoonjoo Lee** et al.

Under Review, 2025

[C14] Mind the Blind Spots: A Focus-Level Evaluation Framework for LLM Reviews

Hyungyu Shin, Jingyu Tang, Yoonjoo Lee, Nayoung Kim, Hyunseung Lim, Ji Yong Cho, Hwajung Hong, Moontae Lee, Juho Kim

Under Review, 2025

Conference and Journal Papers

[C13] ARXIVDIGESTABLES: Synthesizing Scientific Literature into Tables using Language Models

Benjamin Newman*, **Yoonjoo Lee***, Aakanksha Naik, Pao Siangliulue, Raymond Fok, Juho Kim, Daniel S Weld, Joseph Chee Chang, Kyle Lo

EMNLP 2024: In 2024 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing.

[C12] The BiGGen Bench: A Principled Benchmark for Fine-grained Evaluation of Language Models with Language Models

Seungone Kim, Juyoung Suk, Ji Yong Cho, [18 authors], **Yoonjoo Lee**, [5 authors], Sean Welleck, Graham Neubig, Moontae Lee, Kyungjae Lee, Minjoon Seo

NAACL 2025: In 2025 Conference of the North American Chapter of the Association for Computational Linguistics: Human Language Technologies, **Best Paper Award**

[C11] One vs. Many: Comprehending Accurate Information from Multiple Erroneous and Inconsistent AI Generations

Yoonjoo Lee, Kihoon Son, Tae Soo Kim, Jisu Kim, John Joon Young Chung, Eytan Adar, Juho Kim *FAccT 2024: In 2024 ACM Conference on Fairness, Accountability, and Transparency.*

[C10] PaperWeaver: Enriching Topical Paper Alerts by Contextualizing Recommended Papers with User-collected Papers

Yoonjoo Lee, Hyeonsu B Kang, Matt Latzke, Juho Kim, Jonathan Bragg, Joseph Chee Chang, Pao Siangliulue

CHI 2024: In 2024 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems.

[C9] EvalLM: Interactive Evaluation of Large Language Model Prompts on User-Defined Criteria

Tae Soo Kim, **Yoonjoo Lee**, Jamin Shin, Young-Ho Kim, Juho Kim *CHI 2024: In 2024 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems*.

[C8] VIVID: Human-AI Collaborative Authoring of Vicarious Dialogues from Lecture Videos Seulgi Choi, Hyewon Lee, Yoonjoo Lee, Juho Kim

CHI 2024: In 2024 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems.

[C7] QASA: Advanced Question Answering on Scientific Articles

Yoonjoo Lee*, Kyungjae Lee*, Sunghyun Park, Dasol Hwang, Jaehyeon Kim, Hong-in Lee, Moontae Lee *ICML 2023: In 40th International Conference on Machine Learning*

[C6] Cells, Generators, and Lenses: Design Framework for Object-Oriented Interaction with Large Language Models

Tae Soo Kim, **Yoonjoo Lee**, Minsuk Chang, Juho Kim

UIST 2023: In 2023 ACM Symposium on User Interface Software and Technology.

[C5] DAPIE: Interactive Step-by-Step Explanatory Dialogues to Answer Children's Why and How Questions

Yoonjoo Lee, Tae Soo Kim, Sundong Kim, Yohan Yun, Juho Kim

CHI 2023: In 2023 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems.

[C4] Promptiverse: Scalable Generation of Scaffolding Prompts Through Human-AI Hybrid Knowledge Graph Annotation

Yoonjoo Lee, John Joon Young Chung, Tae Soo Kim, Jean Y. Song, Juho Kim

CHI 2022: In 2022 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems.

[C3] Personalizing Ambience and Illusionary Presence: How People Use "Study with Me" Videos to Create Effective Studying Environments

Yoonjoo Lee, John Joon Young Chung, Jean Y. Song, Minsuk Chang, Juho Kim

CHI 2021: In 2021 CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems.

[C2] A Machine Learning Approach that meets Axiomatic Properties in Probabilistic Analysis of LTE Spectral Efficiency

Yoonjoo Lee, Yunbae Kim, Seungken Park

ICTC, Oct. 2019

[C1] Probabilistic Analysis of Spectral Efficiency for LTE based on PDCCH Measurement Data

Yoonjoo Lee, Yunbae Kim, Yeonkyu Park, Seungken Park

IEEE Communications Letters, vol. 23, no. 9, Sep. 2019

Extended Abstracts, Posters, and Workshop Papers

[P7] DocVoyager: Anticipating User's Information Needs and Guiding Document Reading through Question Answering

Yoonjoo Lee, Nedim Lipka, Jack Wang, Puneet Mathur, Ryan Rossi, Tong Sun, Alexa F Siu *CHI 2025 Late-Breaking Work*

[P6] The Fourth Workshop on Scholarly Document Processing

Tirthankar Ghosal, Amanpreet Singh, Anita Waard, Philipp Mayr, Aakanksha Naik, Orion Weller, **Yoonjoo Lee**, Shannon Shen, Yanxia Qin

ACL 2024 Workshop Co-organizer: In Proceedings of the Fourth Workshop on Scholarly Document Processing

[P5] How to Reflect Diverse People's Perspectives in Large-Scale LLM-based Evaluations?

Yoonjoo Lee, Tae Soo Kim, Juho Kim

CHI 2024 Workshop on Human-Centered Evaluation and Auditing of Large Language Models

[P4] LMCanvas: Object-Oriented Interaction to Personalize Large Language Model-Powered Writing Environments

Tae Soo Kim, Arghya Sarkar, **Yoonjoo Lee**, Minsuk Chang, and Juho Kim *CHI 2023 Workshop on Generative AI and HCI*

[P3] Interactive Children's Story Rewriting Through Parent-Children Interaction

Yoonjoo Lee, Tae Soo Kim, Minsuk Chang, Juho Kim

ACL 2022 Workshop on Intelligent and Interactive Writing Assistant

[P2] XDesign: Integrating Interface Design into Explainable AI Education

Hyungyu Shin, Nabila Sindi, **Yoonjoo Lee**, Jaeryoung Ka, Jean Y. Song, Juho Kim *SIGCSE TS 2022 Posters*

[P1] A Study on the Distribution Analysis of LTE Resource Block Usage from TSME Measurement Data

Yoonjoo Lee, Yunbae Kim, Seungken Park

KICS, Jun. 2018

MENTORING EXPERIENCE

Heechan Lee, Undergrad student, KAIST Yoonah Park, Undergrad student, Seoul National University Summer 2024 - current Winter 2023 - current

Jiho Kim, Undergrad student, Calvin UniversitySummer 2024Yuewen Yang, Master's student, Cornell TechWinter 2023Seulgi Choi, Master's student, KAISTSummer 2023Jisu Kim, Undergrad student, KAIST >> Master's student, Georgia TechWinter 2023 - Summer 2023Yohan Yun, Undergrad student, KAIST >> Master's student, KAISTWinter 2021 - Summer 2022

INVITED TALKS

Invited Talk at Purdue University

April 2025

Title: Adaptive Knowledge Understanding Support: Aligning AI Systems with Human Cognitive Processes

Invited Talk at Pennsylvania State University

March 2025

Title: Adaptive Knowledge Understanding Support: Aligning AI Systems with Human Cognitive Processes

Invited Talk at Allen Institute for Artificial Intelligence (AI2)

March 2025

 $Title: Personalized\ Knowledge\ Understanding\ Support: Aligning\ AI\ Systems\ with\ Human\ Cognitive\ Processes$

Invited Talk at Apple March 2025

Title: Personalized Knowledge Understanding Support: Aligning AI Systems with Human Cognitive Processes

Invited Talk at University of Pennsylvania

Feb. 2025

Title: Personalized Knowledge Understanding Support: Aligning AI Systems with How Humans Understand Knowledge

Invited Talk at Center for Human-Computer Interaction at Virginia Tech

Jan. 2025

Title: Personalized Knowledge Understanding Support: Aligning AI Systems with How Humans Understand Knowledge

Guest Lecture at KAIST CS475 ML for NLP

Dec. 2024

Title: Data Use in LLMs and Human-centered Evaluation

Invited Talk at Google Explore CSR Journey of Research Workshop 2024

Nov. 2024

Title: Personalized Knowledge Understanding Support: Aligning AI with How Humans Understand Knowledge

Invited Talk at HCI KOREA 2024: SIGCHI-Sponsored Top Conferences Session

Jan. 2024

Title: DAPIE: Interactive Step-by-step Explanatory Dialogues to Answer Children's Why and How Questions

Technical Talk at NAVER AI LAB

Nov. 2023

Title: Creating Interactive Dialogues to Answer Children's Why and How Questions

Invited Talk at UCSD Design Lab

Oct. 2023

Title: Adapting Scaffolding to Support Knowledge Consumption through Interactive AI-Driven Systems

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Program Committee

• CHI LBW 2023

Workshop Organizer

- 2024 ACL Science Document Processing Workshop
- 2022 KAIST-Google ExploreCSR

Reviewer

- CHI 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025
- UIST 2022, 2023, 2024
- ICLR 2025
- EMNLP 2023
- ACL 2023
- IUI 2025
- CSCW 2023
- C&C 2022, 2024
- IEEE Transactions on Learning Technologies

Student Volunteer

CHI 2022

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Introduction to Algorithms Spring 2024

KAIST CS300 Teaching Assistant, Instructor: Sunghee Choi

Introduction to Data Science Spring 2022

KAIST CS492 Teaching Assistant, Instructor: Jaegil Lee

Introduction to Social Computing Fall 2020, Fall 2021

KAIST CS473 Teaching Assistant, Instructor: Juho Kim

Time Series Analysis Spring 2019

Ewha Womans University, Teaching Assistant, Instructor: Dongwan Shin

Regression Analysis Fall 2018

Ewha Womans University, Teaching Assistant, Instructor: Donghwan Lee

HONORS, AWARDS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Best Presentation Award from SIGCHI Invited Papers Session 2024

SIGCHI Korea Local Chapter

Research Assistant Scholarship 2019

College of Natural Sciences, Ewha Womans University

Honors Scholarship 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017

College of Education, Ewha Womans University

Dean's List 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017

College of Education, Ewha Womans University

Ewha Womans University Alumnae Association Scholarship 2017

College of Education, Ewha Womans University

REFERENCES

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Paul G. Allen School of Computer Science & Engineering
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