MINSEONG KWEON

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INTERESTS

3D Scene Reconstruction, Visual Localization, Depth Estimation, SLAM

EDUCATION

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities, United States

Sep. 2025 —

M.S. in Robotics

Pusan National University, Busan, Republic of Korea

Mar. 2019 — Feb. 2025

B.S. in Mechanical Engineering

PUBLICATIONS

NoiseGS: Boosting 3D Gaussian Splatting with Positional Noise for Large-Scale Scene Reconstruction
 <u>Minseong Kweon</u>, Kai Cheng, Xuejin Chen, Jinsun Park
 <u>European Association for Computer Graphics</u> (Eurographics) short paper, 2025. [Paper] [Project Page]

1. ULTRON: Unifying Local Transformer and Convolution for Large-scale Image Retrieval Minseong Kweon, Jinsun Park

Asian Conference on Computer Vision (ACCV), 2024. [Paper]

RESEARCH ONGOING & UNDER REVIEW

4. OceanSplat: Object-aware Gaussian Splatting with Trinocular View Consistency for Underwater Scene Reconstruction

Minseong Kweon, Jinsun Park

Under review (double-blind)

 ${\bf 3.}\ \ {\bf CAR\text{-}Stereo:\ Confidence\text{-}aware\ Adaptive\ Disparity\ Refinement\ for\ Real\text{-}time\ Stereo\ Matching}$

Chanill Park, Janghyun Kim, Minseong Kweon, Jinsun Park

Under review (double-blind)

2. MrGS: Multi-modal Radiance Fields with 3D Gaussian Splatting for RGB-Thermal Novel View Synthesis Minseong Kweon, Janghyun Kim, Ukcheol Shin, Jinsun Park

➤ Winner of Best Poster Award at Thermal Infrared Robotics (TIRO) Workshop, ICRA 2025. [Prize] [Project Page]

1. All-day Depth Completion via Thermal-LiDAR Fusion

Janghyun Kim, Minseong Kweon, Jinsun Park, Ukcheol Shin

Under review at IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Vehicles (T-IV). [Paper]

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

• Program Committee & Reviewer AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2026

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

VGG-Group, University of Science and Technology of China

Summer 2024

Visiting Research Student

Hefei, China

Advisor: Dr. Xuejin Chen

Research Area: 3D Reconstruction

• **Project:** Distributed 3D Gaussian Splatting for large-scale 3D reconstruction Improved rendering quality on the *MatrixCity* dataset by leveraging depth and semantic priors with a two-stage 3D Gaussian Splatting framework, consisting of densification in a multi-GPU setup and fine-tuning on a single GPU.

Mobility-Robot Research Division, Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute

Summer 2023

Research Intern Daejeon, Republic of Korea

Advisor: Dr. Seungmin Choi

Research Area: Visual localization, Image retrieval

• **Project:** Visual Place Recognition for quadruped autonomous robots
Improved median translation/rotation error on the *Aachen Day-Night* datasets by 0.27 degrees over previous methods, combining local and global features instead of reranking in the 2D matching stage of the visual localization pipeline.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Sandburg Inc. *Jun.* 2022 – *Dec.* 2022

Software Engineer

Busan, Republic of Korea

• Developed a sales prediction ML platform using commerce datasets.

PRESENTATIONS

3. Self-Similarity Feature Learning for Person Re-Identification

Minseong Kweon, Jinsun Park

Summer Annual Conference of Institute of Electronics and Information Engineers (IEIE), 2024. [Paper]

2. Hierarchical Visual Localization for Indoor Autonomous Systems

Minseong Kweon, Jeonghyun Noh, Chanill Park, Jinsun Park

Korea Robotics Conferences (KRoC), 2024. [Paper]

1. Attention-based Human Activity Recognition with 3-axis Accelerometer Data Conversion

Minseong Kweon, Jaehyeong Park, Kyunghyun Kim, Jeonghyun Noh, Jinsun Park

Korea Computer Congress (KCC), 2023. [Paper]

PATENTS

1. Minseong Kweon, Jinsun Park, "METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING IMAGES BASED ON LOCAL ATTENTION". Korean Patent Application No. 10-2024-0176234. Patent Pending.

SKILLS

Programming Python, C/C++, CUDA, MATLAB, JavaScript

Deep Learning Frameworks Proficient in **Pytorch**, with working knowledge of <u>TensorFlow</u>

Cloud Computing AWS, Firebase

MILITARY SERVICE

Republic of Korea Air Force

Aug. 2020 – May 2022

• Served and was honorably discharged from the Republic of Korea Air Force.

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REFERENCES

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• Dr. Xuejin Chen

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