Soohwan Kim — Future CFD Leader

Fluid Simulation & Biophysics Researcher at Georgia Tech

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Working Experiences

SIMULIA R&D Quality Engineer

Dassault Systèmes

Tested heat transfer and fluid simulations and incorporated into regression suites

Tested parallel I/O and GPU acceleration for HPC environments

Multiphase Applied CFD Engineer

Dassault Systèmes

Georgia Institute of Technology

Validated LBM-based phase-field multiphase flow solver Published a journal paper based on internship achievements 2023

GT Korean Student Association

Led Korean community of approximately 400 graduate students Managed the official website and hosting networkking events

2021-Present

Graduate Research Assistant

Researched aerosol collection and pathogen detection by wet cyclone

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Georgia Institute of Technology 2022

Taught fundamentals of fluid mechanics **Home Appliance Engineer**

Designed wall-mounted air purifier combined with mask sterilizer

Samsung Electronics

Environmental Plant Engineer

Researched turbo blowers for water treatment plant

Samsung Engineering 2020

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

Seoul National University

Teaching fundamentals of dynamics and robotics

2020

Translator & Squad Leader

Republic of Korea Army

Translated classified military intelligence, developed an RPA to translate Korean into English, led a squad comprised of 19 underclass soldiers

2018-2019

Education

Georgia Institute of Technology

United States

2021-Present

Doctor of Science in Mechanical Engineering (GPA: 4.0/4.0) focus: CFD and biological fluid mechanics

Georgia Institute of Technology

United States

Master of Science in Computational Science and Engineering (GPA: 4.0/4.0)

2024-Present

focus: machine learning and data analytics

Seoul National University

Republic of Korea

Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering (GPA: 3.9/4.3, Summa Cum Laude)

2015-2021

Journal Publications

Physics of Pressure-Driven Eversion by Bloodworm

Bioinspiration & Biomimetics (in prep.)

Optimization of Wetted Wall Cyclone for Pathogen Collection

Sensors and Actuators B: Chemical (in prep.)

Capillary Flow Simulation with the Phase-field-based Lattice Boltzmann Solver

Physics of Fluids, 2025

Flotation of California Blackworms and Other Hyponeuston

Interface Focus, 2025

Enhanced Wet Grip with North American River Otter Paws

Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences, 2024

Canine-inspired Unidirectional Flows for Improving Memory Effects in Machine Olfaction

Integrative and Comparative Biology, 2023

Onggi's Permeability to Carbon Dioxide Accelerates Kimchi Fermentation

Royal Society Interface, 2023

Awards & Fellowships

Departmental Topping Fellowship of Best Graduate Mentor George W. Woodruff School of Mechanical Engineering	2024
Best Mentor Award Nakatani Foundation of Research and International Researches for Students	2024
KSEA-KUSCO Graduate Scholarship Korean-american Scientists and Engineers Association	2023
Next-Generation Science and Technology Leader Net Korean Federation of Science and Technology Societies (KOFST)	2023
Special Prize in Field Problem Solving SNU X-corps Research Group	2020
Certificate of Appreciation from Director-level US Delegations National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency	2019
Presidential Science Scholarship Korea Student Aid Foundation	2015–2020
KSA Scholarship Korea Science Academy of KAIST	2012–2014

Professional Skills

COMSOL, OpenFoam, Ansys Fluent, HyperWorks, PowerFLOW, 3DEXPERIENCE FMK, ParaView Solidworks, Siemens NX, FDM/SLA Printing, Arduino, Ansys ICEM, HyperMesh, ABAQUS C++, Python, Julia, MATLAB

Pytorch (coupled with OpenFOAM), OpenCL and GPU computing

Post-processing of computational results: visualizations and parametric studies

Hands-on experience in prototyping and experimental testing

Key soft skills: accessibility, proactivity, and adaptability