

# Kyungjae Lee

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- Interest**
- Large Language Model, Retrieval-augmented LMs, Scientific Reasoning
- Education**
- Yonsei University, Seoul, Republic of Korea ~ Feb 2022  
Ph.D. Student, Adviser: Seung-won Hwang (GPA: 4.21 / 4.30),
  - Yonsei University, Seoul, Republic of Korea ~ Feb 2016  
B.S., Electrical and Electronic Engineering (Major GPA: 4.05 / 4.30)
- Employment**
- Research Scientist, LG AI Research Dec 2021 ~ Current
  - Lecturer, Yonsei University (CS4108) Spring 2020
  - Research Intern, Microsoft Research Asia Sep 2018 ~ Mar 2019
- Publications**
- **PreWoMe: Exploiting Presuppositions as Working Memory for Long Form Question Answering**  
Wookje Han, Jinsol Park, **Kyungjae Lee** (corresponding author)  
*In EMNLP 2023.*
  - **On Monotonic Aggregation for Open-domain QA**  
Sang-eun Han, Yeonseok Jeong, Seung-won Hwang, **Kyungjae Lee**  
*In Interspeech 2023.*
  - **QASA: Advanced Question Answering on Scientific Articles**  
(Yoonjoo Lee\*, **Kyungjae Lee**\*), Sunghyun Park, Dasol Hwang, Jaehyeon Kim, Hong-in Lee, Moontae Lee (\*co-first authors)  
*In ICML 2023.*
  - **Exploring the Benefits of Training Expert Language Models over Instruction Tuning**  
Joel Jang, Seungone Kim, Seonghyeon Ye, Doyoung Kim, Lajanugen Logeswaran, Moontae Lee, **Kyungjae Lee**, Minjoon Seo.  
*In ICML 2023.*
  - **When to Read Documents or QA History: On Unified and Selective Open-domain QA (Kyungjae Lee\*, Sang-eun Han\*)**, Seung-won Hwang, Moontae Lee (\*co-first authors).  
*In ACL findings 2023.*
  - **On Complementarity Objectives for Hybrid Retrieval**  
Dohyeon Lee, Seung-won Hwang, **Kyungjae Lee**, Seungtaek Choi, Sunghyun Park.  
*In ACL 2023.*

- **Plug-and-Play Adaptation for Continuously-updated QA**  
Kyungjae Lee, Wookje Han, Seung-won Hwang, Hwaran Lee, Joonsuk Park, Sang-Woo Lee.  
In *ACL findings 2022*.
- **Robustifying Multi-hop QA through Pseudo-Evidentiality Training**  
Kyungjae Lee, Seung-won Hwang, Sang-eun Han, and Dohyeon Lee.  
In *ACL 2021*.
- **Query Generation for Multimodal Documents**  
Kyungho Kim, Kyungjae Lee, Seung-won Hwang, Young-In Song and Seungwook Lee.  
In *EACL 2021*.
- **Instructional Video Summarization using Attentive Knowledge Grounding**  
(Kyungho Kim\*, Kyungjae Lee\*), and Seung-won Hwang.  
In *ECML-PKDD 2020* (\*co-first authors, demo track)
- **Segment-then-Rank: Non-factoid Question Answering on Instructional Videos**  
Kyungjae Lee, Nan Duan, Lei Ji, Jason Li, and Seung-won Hwang.  
In *AAAI 2020*, New York.
- **Learning with Limited Data for Multilingual Reading Comprehension**  
(Kyungjae Lee\*, Syunhyun Park\*), Hojae Han, Jinyoung Yeo, Seung-won Hwang, Juho Lee.  
In *EMNLP 2019* (\*co-first authors, oral presentation), Hong Kong.
- **Categorical Metadata Representation for Customized Text Classification**  
Jihyeok Kim\*, Reinald Kim Amplayo\*, Kyungjae Lee, Sua Sung, Minji Seo, Seung-won Hwang.  
In *TACL 2019* (\*co-first authors, ACL 2019 talk).
- **Semi-supervised Training Data Generation for Multilingual Question Answering**  
Kyungjae Lee, Kyounggho Yoon, Sunghyun Park, Seung-won Hwang.  
In *LREC 2018*, Japan.
- **Translations as Additional Contexts for Sentence Classification**  
Reinald Kim Amplayo, Kyungjae Lee, Jinyoung Yeo, and Seung-won Hwang.  
In *IJCAI 2018*, Stockholm.
- **Gradable Adjective Embedding for Commonsense Knowledge**  
Kyungjae Lee, Hyunsouk Cho, and Seung-won Hwang.  
In *PAKDD 2017*.

## Teaching & Project Experiences

- **Lecturer:** Yonsei University, Artificial Intelligence (CS4108) (Spring 2020), LG CNS / SKT, Natural Language Processing (2018)
- **Internship:** Microsoft Research Asia (Sep 2018~Mar 2019, “Skip the boring intro” project, Non-factoid video QA, accepted at AAAI 2020)
- **Project:** Student’s Semantic Trajectory Representation & Characterization (supported by Microsoft Research, 2016)

**Honors  
& Awards**

- NAVER Ph.D. Fellowship Award 2019
- Google Travel Grant for EMNLP 2019
- Global Ph.D. Fellowship by National Research Foundation of Korea (Tuition and Stipend for 5 years, 2017 ~ Present)
- BIG 2017 CUP (sponsored by Microsoft) Data competition, 3rd winner
- Undergraduate Yonsei Scholarship (Full Tuition for 4 years)
- Undergraduate, 2012-13 semester GPA honors

**Professional  
Services**

- Reviewer: ACL (2020~), EMNLP (2021~), NAACL (2021), VLDB (2019, 2020)

**References**

Seung-won Hwang, Ph.D.

- Professor, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Seoul National University

Nan Duan, Ph.D.

- Principal Researcher Manager, Microsoft Research Asia, Beijing, China