JONGMIN JUNG

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RESEARCH INTEREST

My research focuses on developing **Generative Music Intelligence**, structured around three interconnected research directions: inter-modal understanding, controllable generation, and disentangled music representation.

EDUCATION

Master of Science in Artificial Intelligence | Sogang University

Seoul, S. Korea | Sep 2023 — Aug 2025

Music & Arts Learning (MALer) Lab (Advisor: Dasaem Jeong)

Thesis: U-MusT: Unified Cross-modal Translation of Score Images, Symbolic Music, and Performance Audio

- Multi-task learning approach achieves a new state-of-the-art result in OMR(optical music recognition)
- The first successful end-to-end generation of audio directly from a score image
- A new dataset of over 1,300 hours of paired audio and score images

Bachelor of Arts and Science in Art & Technology | Sogang University

Seoul, S. Korea | Mar 2016 — Aug 2022

PUBLICATIONS

U-MusT: Unified Cross-modal Translation of Score Images, Symbolic Music, and Performance Audio

Jongmin Jung, Dongmin Kim, Sihun Lee, Seola Cho, Hyungjoon Soh, Irmak Bukey, Chris Donahue, Dasaem Jeong Preprint Demo

ACCEPTED to IEEE Transactions on Audio, Speech and Language Processing (TASLP-Accepted / Master Thesis), 2025

From Generation to Attribution: Music AI Agent Architectures for the Post-Streaming Era

Wonil Kim, Hyeongseok Wi, Seungsoon Park, Taejun Kim, Sangeun Keum, Keunhyoung Kim, Taewan Kim, <u>Jongmin Jung</u>, Taehyoung Kim, Gaetan Guerrero, Mael Le Goff, Julie Po, Dongjoo Moon, Juhan Nam, Jongpil Lee
Paper Demo

Proceedings of NeurIPS 2025 Workshop on AI for Music, 2025

LAV: Audio-Driven Dynamic Visual Generation with Neural Compression and StyleGAN2

Jongmin Jung, Dasaem Jeong

Paper Demo

Proceedings of the 30th International Symposium on Electronic/Emerging Art (ISEA), 2025

MusicGen-Chord: Advancing Music Generation through Chord Progressions and Interactive Web-UI

Jongmin Jung, Andreas Jansson, Dasaem Jeong

Paper Demo

Proceedings of the Late-breaking/Demo of the International Society of Music Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR), 2024

Nested Music Transformer: Sequentially Decoding Compound Tokens in Symbolic Music and Audio Generation

Jiwoo Ryu, Hao-Wen Dong, Jongmin Jung, Dasaem Jeong

Paper

Proceedings of the International Society of Music Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR), 2024

K-pop Lyric Translation: Dataset, Analysis, and Neural-Modelling

Haven Kim, Jongmin Jung, Dasaem Jeong, Juhan Nam

Paper

Proceedings of the 2024 Joint International Conference on Computational Linguistics, Language Resources and Evaluation (LREC-Coling), 2024

EXPERIENCE

AI Researcher | Neutune

Seoul, S. Korea | Full-time | July 2025 —

Research on controllable music stem generation, music source separation, music structure analysis & beat tracking, and fair music attribution in the era of Generative AI.

- Research on latent diffusion based controllable music stem generation models, which can be conditioned on rhythm, pitch, context audio, and timbre reference audio inputs.
- Research on music structure analysis and beat/downbeat tracking multi-task model, enhancing the precision and making the model lightweight.
- Research on fair music attribution utilizing a RAG-based agentic music generation pipeline.

LLM Engineer | LET Lab, Seoul National University

Seoul, S. Korea | Remote | Sep 2024 — Dec 2024

VLM-based assistant medication manager chatbot app for senior citizens.

 Developed an agentic chat-bot assistant app for senior citizens, facilitating RAG with medication DB & OMR using the VLM features.

Machine Learning Engineer | Melodizr

Seoul, S. Korea | Full-time | Jan 2025 — Apr 2025

Humming-to-MIDI Transcription

• Utilized 'SOME: Singing Oriented Melody Extractor' with rule-based autotune and neural/rule-based ensemble key detection algorithms.

LLM Engineer | LET Lab, Seoul National University

Seoul, S. Korea | Remote | Sep 2024 — Dec 2024

VLM-based assistant chatbot app for blind people.

 Developed a voice interaction based chat-bot assistant app for blind people, facilitating cameras on mobile devices to get the visual context as inputs.

LLM Engineer | Dept. of Art & Technology, Sogang University

Seoul, S. Korea | Remote | Jul 2024 — Jun 2025

RAG-based MMCA artwork explaining chatbot.

• Developed a chat-bot system explaining the artworks of Museum of Modern and Contemporary Art(MMCA), Korea.

Machine Learning Researcher | Replicate Inc.

San Francisco, CA, USA | Remote | July 2023 — Jan 2024

MusicGen-Chord' & 'MusicGen-Remixer

- Developed *MusicGen-Chord*, enhancing MusicGen with chord progression control, enabling more nuanced AI-generated music conditioned on chord structures and textual prompts.
- Created *MusicGen-Remixer*, an application that remixes audio tracks based on user-provided prompts and chord features, ensuring seamless integration of user inputs with background music.
- Integrated both models into Replicate's web-UI using the *cog* package, allowing accessible, interactive music generation and remixing through a user-friendly cloud-based platform.

MusicGen-Chord MusicGen-Remixer

AI Research Intern | MARG Lab, Seoul National University

Seoul, S. Korea | Mar — July 2023

 ${\it Intelligent\ Music\ Production}\ |\ KOCCA\ (Korea\ Creative\ Content\ Agency)\ |\ Prof.\ Kyogu\ Lee$

• Developed an integrated music production tool(including auto-composer, AI instrument selector, lyric generator and so on) using deep neural networks.

• Introducing Musika!(M.Pasini, ISMIR, 2022) in PyTorch and making its global style z-noise and temporal W noises disentangled each on temporal-wise and genre-wise when it comes to the generation process.

AI Research Intern | MALer Lab, Sogang University

Seoul, S. Korea | Jul — Dec 2022

Virtual Space Sound Data Project | NIA (National Information Society Agency) | Prof. Dasaem Jeong

- Devised sound event detecting algorithm using CNN on spectral domain.
- Managed and monitored how data labelers work alongside AI in human intelligence tasks as a Labeling Project Manager.

Singing Voice Vocal Assessment Model | Master's thesis of Myungseok Oh | Prof. Dasaem Jeong

- Devised classification algorithm using ChunkCNN with ResNET on spectral domain.
- Introduced a normalizing process of 4 different vocal samples to reduce the bias emerging from the characteristics of each vocalist's voice.

Research Team | Ars Electronica

Linz, Austria | Aug 2022

Welcome to Planet B | Festival University 2022

- Used natural language processing techniques to analyze the data from the survey conducted on 200 people from 72 countries about climate change on multicultural, intercultural, local and global perspectives.
- Utilized Word2Vec with the data from the survey in text format and then fine-tuned the model with partial datasets separated according to the demographics of the survey participants.
- Visualized the relationships between keywords with the demographic insights, using UMAP.

Languages & Skill & Interests

- English (fluent), Korean (native)
 - o TEPS 475 (2023)
 - o TOEFL 100 (2019)
 - o TOEIC 970 (2018)
- Python (PyTorch)
- Media Art, Sonic Art

SERVICE

Organizing Committee, Social Media Chair | ISMIR 2025

Daejeon, S. Korea | Sep 2025

Reviewer | ICLR 2026, ICML 2025