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## **ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS AND WORK EXPERIENCES**

10/2016-present	Medical Physicist / Assistant professor	Division of Medical Physics & Engineering, Department of Radiation Oncology, The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, TX
09/2014-09/2016	Physicist / Instructor	Department of Radiation Oncology, Massachusetts General Hospital / Harvard Medical School, MA
01/2013-08/2014	Postdoctoral Research Fellow	Department of Radiation Oncology, Massachusetts General Hospital, MA
10/2009-11/2012	Medical physicist/ Research professor	Department of Radiation Oncology, Seoul National University Hospital, Seoul, Korea

#### **EDUCATION**

<u>Doctor of Philosophy</u>, Interdisciplinary Program in Radiation Applied Life Science, August 2011 Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea

Dissertation: A Study for Improvement of Accuracy and Efficiency in Respiratory Gated Radiotherapy:

Development of Quasi-breath-hold Technique and On-line Motion Verification Technique

Advisors: Prof. Sung-Joon Ye and Prof. Il Han Kim

<u>Master of Science</u>, Interdisciplinary Program in Radiation Applied Life Science, February 2007 Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea

Thesis: Patient-Setup Aid with a Wireless Closed-Circuit Television (CCTV) System in Radiation Therapy

Advisors: Prof. Soon Nyung Huh and Prof. Sung Whan Ha

Bachelor of Science, Nuclear Engineering, February 2005

Seoul National University, Seoul, Korea

Thesis: Program Development of Orthogonal Two Directional Image Processing to Measure Bubble

Size and Volume in Two-phase Flow

Advisor: Prof. Goon Cherl Park

## **LANGUAGES**

English (Professional working proficiency)

Korean (Native)

#### **CERTIFICATES / LICENSES**

05/2015 Diplomat of American Board of Radiology (ABR), Therapeutic Medical Physics

11/2016 Texas Medical Physicist License (Texas Medical Board, Therapeutic)

#### **ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS & AWARDS**

08/2015	Featured article / Cover page	Medical Physics (Volume 42, Issue 8)
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09/2008 Best oral presentation award The 5<sup>th</sup> Korea-Japan Joint Meeting on Medical

Physics, Jeju, Korea

#### **ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES**

03/2016- present	Reviewer	Australasian Physical & Engineering Sciences in Medicine
09/2014-present	Reviewer	Medical Physics
11/2014-present	Reviewer	International Journal of Computer Assisted Radiology and Surgery
06/2014-present	Reviewer	Journal of Radiation Research
07/2013-present	Reviewer	Journal of Medical Engineering

#### **MEMBERSHIPS**

05/2016-present	Full member	American Association of Physicists in Medicine (AAPM)
06/2012-04/2016	Corresponding member	American Association of Physicists in Medicine (AAPM)
10/2009-12/2012	Member	Korean Society of Medical Physics (KSMP)

#### **PUBLICATIONS IN PEER-REVIEWED JOURNALS**

- 1) J. Kim, <u>Y.K. Park</u>, G.C. Sharp, P. Busse, and B. Winey. "Water equivalent path length calculations using scatter-corrected head and neck CBCT images to evaluate patients for adaptive proton therapy," Phys Med Biol **62**(1), 59 (2016)
- 2) C. Kurz, F. Kamp, <u>Y.K. Park</u>, C. Zöllner, S. Rit, D. Hansen, M. Podesta, G.C. Sharp, M. Li, M. Reiner, J. Hofmaier, S. Neppl, C. Thieke, R. Nijhuis, U. Ganswindt, C. Belka, B.A. Winey, K. Parodi, and G. Landry, "Investigating deformable image registration and scatter correction for CBCT-based dose calculation in adaptive IMPT, "Med Phys **43**(10), 5635-5646 (2016)
- 3) J. Bian, G.C. Sharp, <u>Y.K. Park</u>, J. Ouyang, T. Bortfeld, and G.E. Fakhri, "Investigation of Cone-beam CT Image Quality Trade-off for Image-Guided Radiation Therapy," Phys Med Biol **61**(9), 3317-3346 (2016)
- 4) M. Hoesl, S. Deepak, M. Moteabbed, G. Jassens, J. Orban, <u>Y.K. Park</u>, K. Parodi, H. Bentefour, and H.M. Lu, "Clinical commissioning of an in-vivo range verification system for prostate cancer treatment with anterior and anterior oblique proton beams," Phys Med Biol **61**(8), 3049-3062 (2016)
- 5) <u>Y.K. Park</u>, G.C. Sharp, J. Phillips, and B.A. Winey, "Proton dose calculation on scatter-corrected CBCT image: Feasibility study for adaptive proton therapy," Med Phys **42**(8), 4449-4459 (2015) [Featured article & cover page]
- 6) K.Y. Eom, E.K. Chie, K. Kim, J.H. Chang, T.R. Koo, J.I. Park, <u>Y.G. Park</u>, S.J. Ye, and S.W. Ha, "Pilot study on interfractional and intrafractional movements using surface infrared markers and EPID for patients with rectal cancer treated in the prone position," Br J Radiol, 20150144 (2015)
- 7) <u>Y.K. Park</u> and G.C. Sharp. "Gain Correction for an X-ray Imaging System With a Movable Flat Panel Detector and Intrinsic Localization Crosshair," Technol Cancer Res Treat, 1533034615576829 (2015)
- 8) H.J. Kim, S. Kim, <u>Y.K. Park</u>, J.I. Kim, J.M. Park, and S.J. Ye, "Multileaf collimator tongue-and-groove effect on depth and off-axis doses: A comparison of treatment planning data with measurements and Monte Carlo calculations," Med Dosim (2015)
- 9) T. Kim, S. Kim, <u>Y.K. Park</u>, K. Youn, P. Keall, and R. Lee, "Motion management within two respiratory-gating windows: feasibility study of dual quasi-breath-hold (DQBH) technique in gated medical procedures," Phys Med Biol **59**(21), 6583-6594 (2014)
- 10) <u>Y.K. Park</u>, S. Park, H.G. Wu, and S. Kim, "A new plan quality index for dose painting radiotherapy," J Appl Clin Med Phys **15**(4), 316-325 (2014)

- 11) H.J. Kim, A.R. Chang, <u>Y.K. Park</u>, and S. J. Ye, "Dosimetric effect of CT contrast agent in CyberKnife treatment plans," Radiat Oncol **8**, 244 (2013)
- 12) <u>Y.K. Park</u>, T. Son, H. Kim, J. Lee, W. Sung, I. H. Kim, K. Lee, Y. B. Bang, and S. J. Ye, "Development of real-time motion verification system using in-room optical images for respiratory-gated radiotherapy," J Appl Clin Med Phys **14**(5), 25-42 (2013).
- 13) J.I. Kim, J.B. Chung, *Y.K. Park*, J.Y. Song, S.K. Kim, S.H. Ahn, C.H. Choi, W.H. Choi, B. Cho, S.G. Ju, S.J. Kim, and S.J. Ye, "A multi-institutional study for tolerance and action levels of IMRT dose quality assurance measurements in Korea," J Appl Clin Med Phys **14**(2), 24-37 (2013).
- 14) J.W. Choi, C.M. Park, J.M. Goo, <u>Y.K. Park</u>, W. Sung, H.J. Lee, S.M. Lee, J.Y. Ko, and M.S. Shim, "C-Arm Cone-Beam CT-Guided Percutaneous Transthoracic Needle Biopsy of Small (<= 20 mm) Lung Nodules: Diagnostic Accuracy and Complications in 161 Patients," Am J Roentgenol **199**(3), W322-30 (2012).
- 15) <u>Y.K. Park</u>, S. Kim, H. Kim, I.H. Kim, K. Lee, and S.J. Ye, "Quasi-breath-hold technique using personalized audio-visual biofeedback for respiratory motion management in radiotherapy," Med Phys **38**, 3114-3124 (2011).
- 16) H. Kim, <u>Y.K. Park</u>, I.H. Kim, K. Lee, and S.J. Ye, "Development of an optical-based image guidance system: technique detecting external markers behind a full facemask," Med Phys **38**, 3006-3012 (2011).
- 17) <u>Y.K. Park</u>, S.J. Ye, I.H. Kim, W.R. Wee, M.K. Kim, H.S. Han, K.J. Son, and U.J. Park, "Potential use of P-32 ophthalmic applicator: Monte Carlo simulations for design and dosimetry," Med Phys **35**, 1854-1858 (2008).

#### **SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS**

- 1) <u>Y.K. Park</u>, G.C. Sharp, and B.A. Winey, "Real-time diaphragm motion monitoring in rotational conebeam projections using 4D digitally reconstructed radiography", ICCR 2016, London, UK (June 2016), Oral presentation
- 2) <u>Y.K. Park</u>, G.C. Sharp, S.J. Ye, and B.A. Winey, "Early Experience in Cone Beam Projection Image Streaming for Real Time Intrafractional Motion Monitoring Using a Conventional Linear Accelerator", ASTRO Annual Meeting, San Antonio, Texas (Oct. 2015), Oral presentation

- 3) <u>Y.K. Park</u>, G.C. Sharp, D. Gierga, S.J. Ye, and B.A. Winey, "Real-Time Intrafractional Motion Tracking During VMAT Delivery Using a Conventional Elekta CBCT System", AAPM Annual Meeting, Anaheim, California (July 2015), Snap oral presentation
- 4) <u>Y.K. Park</u> and G.C. Sharp, "MAGIC: Multi-Acquisition Gain Image Correction for Mobile X-Ray Systems with Intrinsic Localization Crosshairs", AAPM Annual Meeting, Austin, Texas (July 2014), Oral presentation

#### CLINICAL EXPERIENCES AND SYSTEMS WITH EXPERTISE

1) Acceptance test and commissioning (Role: physicist in charge)

05/2012 – 09/2012 SNUH, Seoul, Korea Linear accelerators (Varian Trilogy and TrueBeam)

TPS (Eclipse A10.0)

02/2010 – 04/2010 SNUH, Seoul, Korea Linear accelerators (Varian Clinac 2300iX and 21Ex)

TPS (Eclipse 8.0 and XiO 4.34) Record & Verify system (ARIA 8.0)

- 2) Scanning system: Scanditronix/Wellhofer blue phantom & Omnipro accept software.
- 3) Linear accelerator operation/QA
  - Varian Clinac 2300 iX, 21 Ex, 6 Ex, and Trilogy
  - Siemens Mevatron
  - Elekta Infinity
  - Absolute output calibration: TG-51
  - Mechanical QA: TG-142
- 4) Cyber Knife (Accuray) operation / QA
- 5) In-vivo dosimetry: MOSFET (Best), TLD (Harshaw), and Film (Gafchromic® EBT, Ashland)
- 6) External Beam TPS: Eclipse, XiO, Multi-Plan, and RayStation
- 7) Record & Verify system: ARIA and MOSAIQ
- 8) IMRT/VMAT QA
  - 2D-Array Seven29 with Verisoft 3.1 (PTW)
  - Gafchromic® EBT2, EBT3 (Ashland) Film dosimetry
  - Octavius phantom (PTW), MapCheck with MaPhan (Sun Nuclear Corp.)
- 9) Motion management

- Respiratory gating treatment (Varian RPM and Philips Big Bore Brilliance 4D-CT)
- 10) Brachytherapy: QA and safety check for Cs-137 brachy sources
- 11) IORT: Daily QA for Mobetron (IntraOp)

## **RESEARCH SKILLS**

## 1) Programming languages

Language	Level of skill	Libraries / tool-kit with expertise
C++	Advanced	QT4, Visual C++, STL, OpenCV, ITK, VTK, CMake, RTK, DCMTK, plastimatch
Excel VBA	Advanced	
Matlab	Advanced	
Python	Beginner	

## 2) Development experiences (as a main or sole programmer)

2014-2016	Intra-fractional motion monitoring software using kV cone-beam projection streaming (Kilovoltage Projection Streaming based Tracking Application, KiPSTA)	C++, QT4, ITK, VTK, DCMTK, plastimatch
2015	Easy gamma 3D: GUI-based 3D gamma evaluation tool with batch-mode capability	C++, QT4, plastimatch
2013-2014	GUI-based CBCT scatter correction / reconstruction software	C++, QT4, RTK, plastimatch
2013	Software interface for flat panel dectector and DIPS system in MGH proton center ( <u>in clinical use</u> )	C++, QT4
2010-2011	Stereo camera-based real-time marker tracking and audiovisual biofeedback software	VC++, OpenCV, VTK
2009	Smart sheet for daily / monthly / annual QA of linear accelerator ( <u>in clinical use</u> )	Excel VBA
2009	Film (Gafchromic EBT) calibration/conversion software for IMRT/VMAT QA ( <u>in clinical use</u> )	VC++
2008	Patient-specific audio-coaching software for gated radiation therapy ( <u>in clinical use</u> )	VC++

# 2008-2009 Beam-data management / MU calculation software VC++, Excel VBA (<u>in clinical use</u>)

- 3) Experiences in Monte Carlo simulation
  - MCNP4 for Brachytherapy source simulation
  - BEAMnrc for medical linear accerator simulation
- 4) Hardware design / development
  - Infrared stereo-camera system
  - Computer-controlled 2D motion phantom
  - IMRT QA phantom (in clinical use)