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Education

- Ph.D. in EECS, University of California, Berkeley, 2006 •
- M.S. in EECS, University of California, Berkeley, 2003 •
- B.S. in EECS, University of California, Berkeley, 1995

Experiences

- 2009-Present: Professor, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Seoul National University
- 2007-2009: Assistant Professor, University of California, Merced, CA
- 2007-2007: Postdoctoral Researcher, EECS, University of California, Berkeley, CA
- 1998-2000: Senior Software Engineer, Synopsys Inc., Mountain View, CA
- 1996-1998: Microprocessor Design Engineer, Intel Corporation, Santa Clara, CA

Research Interests

- Robotics
- Computer vision
- Machine learning

Robot Learning

- **Robot learning** is practical machine learning methods which are applied to physical systems, such as robots.
- In robot learning, the difficulties lie in the study of influence of robot action on the environment and learning with sensory values which has causal relationship with robot's action.
- **Robot learning** can be considered as a new machine learning technology to overcome the difficulties in applying machine learning to physical systems.

• Development of robot learning technology for autonomous robots

- Safety-guaranteed machine learning
- Social-friendly interaction learning for robotics
- Sustainable machine learning

• Main applications

- Service robots
- Autonomous driving for unmanned vehicles
- Vision for robots
- Dexterous manipulation
- Intelligent industrial robots

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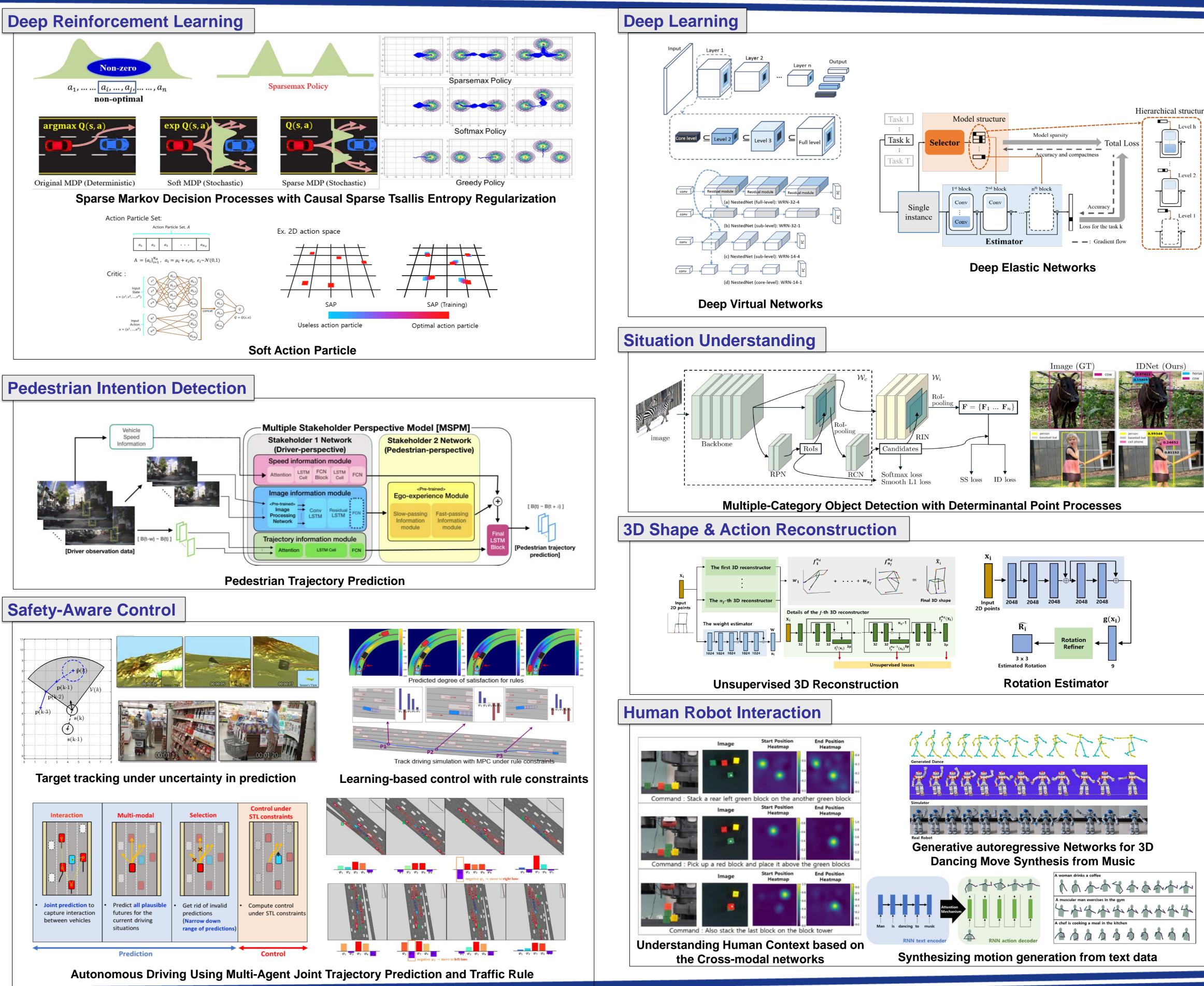
• To enhance intelligence in robotics

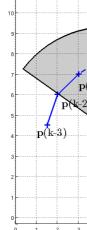
- Robot learning
- Computer vision
- Socially-acceptable robots
- Theory and new applications













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