# Mentoring the Next Generation CONFERENCE 2017





SEPTEMBER 30, 2017 8:30a.m. - 5:00p.m. UC IRVINE





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#### Welcome Message:

On behalf of the University of California, Irvine and the Council of Korean Americans, we extend a warm welcome to all of our conference participants. This mentorship conference is the third in a series of such conferences that was initiated by CKA member, Hyun Park. Our thanks to the mentors and sponsors for sharing their time and resources with us, and to the mentees in attendance for listening and sharing your views and aspirations with us. Thank you to our hosts, UC Irvine School of Law's Korea Law Center, and to the Council of Korean Americans, and our sponsors for their generous support.

Finally, to our aspiring professionals in attendance today: this is meant to be an interactive conference, so we encourage you to speak to the many accomplished professionals who have come to share their experiences with you. We trust that all of you, mentees and mentors alike, will find today's activities rewarding, and that you will make new friends as we all prepare for the future.

#### **Professor Summer Kim**

UC Irvine School of Law-Korea Law Center

#### **Eugene Choi**

Council of Korean Americans

#### Phillip F. Shinn

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This conference would not have been possible without the efforts of the Research Fellows of the UC Irvine Korea Law Center.

#### **Message from the Research Fellows:**

While we serve as Research Fellows at UCI Law's Korea Law Center, today we are most excited as mentees, to be a part of this annual Mentorship Conference hosted at UC Irvine. Many of us are searching, molding and aspiring to be great influencers, experts and change-makers of our own. To be surrounded and mentored by some of the greatest leaders in our country is not only a wonderful opportunity, but a great honor. Today we gather despite our backgrounds and disciplines and celebrate those who have paved the path for us and those who will continue to build upon it.

UC Irvine School of Law-Korea Law Center Research Fellows:



Karen Shin (2L)



Sarah Choi (3L)

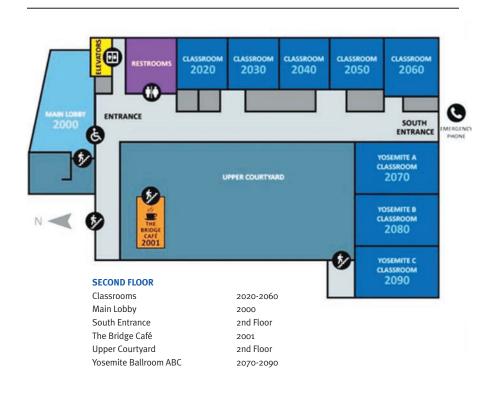


Tim Yoo (2L)

#### MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of this conference is to inspire, mentor, inform, and network: to bring together business leaders and leading professionals from numerous disciplines to provide advice, guidance, insights, networking opportunities, and mentorship to the younger generation of Korean-Americans and other participants. The conference will feature panel discussions, seminars, and speakers.

#### LOCATION MAP



## Mentoring the Next Generation 2017

### September 30, 2017 • 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

UC Irvine Division of Continuing Education

#### CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Time	Event	Location
8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Registration & Coffee	Courtyard
9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Welcome & Opening	Yosemite B (2080)
9:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Panel 1A: Law Panel 1B: Medicine	Yosemite A (2070) 2060
10:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Break	Courtyard
11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Panel 2A: Business/Entrepreneurship Panel 2B: Government/Non-Profit	Yosemite A (2070) 2060
12:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch & Keynote Building Equity for All: Notes from a Reluctant Administrator (by Professor Jerry Kang)	Yosemite B (2080)
1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Panel 3A: Entertainment Panel 3B: Engineering/Science	Yosemite A (2070) 2060
2:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Break	Courtyard
3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Interactive Mentoring	Courtyard
4:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Closing Session & Keynote	Yosemite B (2080)
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Reception	Courtyard

#### **KEYNOTE SPEAKERS**



**Insang Hwang:** Deputy Consul General of the Republic of Korea in Los Angeles

Deputy Consul General Insang Hwang has held his position at the Korean Consulate General in Los Angeles since August 2017. Prior to his current post, he served as as a Counsellor at the Korean Mission to the European Union (2014) in Brussels and as Senior Consul at the Korean Consulate General to Shanghai (2011). Deputy Consul General Hwang first joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) in 1995, and subsequently served as the Deputy Director of the North American & European Union Trade Division (2009) and Director of FTA Policy Planning Division (2010) at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade (MOFAT). Graduating from Seoul National University in 1993, he went on to study at the Graduate School of International Relations & Pacific Studies at the University of California in San Diego (1998) and earn a Law Master degree (L.M.) from the Graduate School of Legal Studies at Korea University (2011). Focusing on economic affairs, Deputy Consul Hwang has participated in negotiating integral trade agreements including the KORUS-FTA, Korea-EU FTA, and Korea-China FTA over the course of his diplomatic career.



Jerry Kang: Vice Chancellor for Equity, Diversity and Inclusion, Professor of Law, UCLA

Jerry Kang is Professor of Law, Professor of Asian American Studies, the inaugural Korea Times Endowed Chair, and UCLA's inaugural Vice Chancellor for Equity, Diversity and Inclusion. A leading scholar on implicit bias and the law, Prof. Kang has published more than a dozen articles on the subject in leading journals including the Harvard Law Review. He regularly collaborates with leading experimental social psychologists on wide-ranging scholarly, educational, and advocacy projects.

Recognized by both the UCLA law school and the university with multiple teaching awards, Prof. Kang is widely sought after as a speaker. Prof. Kang graduated *magna cum laude* from both Harvard University (physics) and Harvard Law School, where he was a supervising editor of the *Harvard Law Review*. After clerking for the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals, he started his teaching career at UCLA in 1995 and has visited at Georgetown, Harvard, and NYU law schools.



**Young Kim:** Former CA State Assemblywoman

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L. Song Richardson: Interim Dean, Professor of Law, UC Irvine School of Law

L. Song Richardson is the Interim Dean and Professor of Law at the University of California, Irvine School of Law, with a joint appointment in the Department of Criminology, Law and Society. She received her AB from Harvard University and her JD from Yale Law School. Her interdisciplinary research uses lessons from cognitive and social psychology, decision-making and judgment in a variety of contexts, and she is a leading expert on implicit racial and gender bias. Her scholarship has been published by law journals at Yale, Cornell, Duke and Northwestern, among others. Currently, she is working on a book that examines the legal and moral implications of mind sciences research on policing and criminal procedure. She is a member of the American Law Institute.

Dean Richardson's legal career has included a partnership at a boutique criminal law firm and work as a state and federal public defender in Seattle, Washington. She was also an Assistant Counsel at the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Inc. Immediately upon graduation from law school, Professor Richardson was a Skadden Arps Public Interest Fellow with the National Immigration Law Center in Los Angeles and the Legal Aid Society's Immigration Unit in Brooklyn, NY.



Michael Yang: Founder and CEO, Michael Yang Capital Management LLC

Michael Yang is the Founder & CEO of Michael Yang Capital Management, LLC, an asset management company focused on technology investments. He has over 30 years of experience in the technology industry in Silicon Valley. He currently serves as a director on the board of Hanmi Bank (NASDAQ: HAFC). Mr. Yang was a Co-Founder and CEO of three Silicon Valley technology start-ups that were sold to larger enterprises, including mySimon.com which raised \$30 million in venture capital and was subsequently acquired by CNET for \$700 million.

Mr. Yang received his BS degree in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science from UC Berkeley, an MS degree in Computer Science from Columbia University, and an MBA degree from the Haas School of Business at UC Berkeley. He has served on the advisory board of the Stanford Institute of Economic Policy Research (SIEPR) at Stanford University as well as on the IT Advisory Council for President George W. Bush. Mr. Yang is a Co-Founder & Founding Chairman of the Council of Korean Americans (CKA), and also serves as a Director and as the Treasurer of the La Cañada Flintridge Education Foundation.

#### LAW PANEL



**Summer Kim:** Assistant Professor of Law, UC Irvine School of Law

Professor Summer Kim's primary interests are in corporate law, corporate finance, financial regulation, and contracts. Her scholarship examines how financial innovations outpace governing laws and regulations, and her work aims to close these gaps. Her recent research projects have focused on the regulation of leveraged loans and the private equity model of corporate ownership.

Professor Kim received her J.D. from Harvard Law School and her B.A. in Economics, summa cum laude, from Seoul National University.



Michelle Rhyu: Partner, Cooley LLP

Dr. Michelle S. Rhyu is a partner in Cooley's Intellectual Property group in the Litigation department. In her two decades of practice, she has litigated high stakes disputes in the pharmaceutical, medical devices, and biotechnology industries.

Dr. Rhyu received her JD, with distinction, from Stanford Law School, and earned her PhD in Biochemistry and Biophysics from the University of California, San Francisco. Her graduate work elucidating asymmetric cell division in drosophila neurogenesis was featured on the cover of the journal *Cell*. She served as a law clerk for Judge James Ware in the Northern District of California and as an intern for Judge Paul Michel at the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals.



**Dorothy Kim:** Judge, Superior Court of Los Angeles County

Hon. Dorothy C. Kim is a judge on the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, where she is assigned to handle criminal matters. She was appointed to the bench in December 2013, by Governor Jerry Brown. From 2001 to 2013, she served as an Assistant United States Attorney for the Central District of California, including as the Deputy Chief of the Criminal Division. She was a litigation associate at Irell & Manella LLP and law clerk to the Hon. Norman H. Stahl, Court of Appeals, First Circuit. Judge Kim grew up in Los Angeles before earning her BA at Cornell University and JD from Columbia University.



Angie Kang: Vice President of Business and Legal Affairs, Hulu

After graduating from UC Berkeley School of Law, Angie Kang began her legal career in the corporate department of Latham & Watkins in 2008. Having represented numerous start-up and technology companies, Ms. Kang decided to join the internet-based media company, Hulu, in late 2011. Since then, Ms. Kang has been promoted to Vice President of Business and Legal Affairs, and has led numerous deals that have built out Hulu's content library to include some of the most in-demand, premium content in the market.

In addition to licensing rights on the acquisitions side, Ms. Kang also led all major deals for Hulu's original series, including the Emmy-Award-winning, *The Handmaid's Tale*, and *Casual*. Ms. Kang has also led efforts to lock in content providers for Hulu's new livestreaming service. Ms. Kang's role and accomplishments go beyond writing terms and negotiating contracts – she has also been instrumental in rating all of Hulu's original content and creating standards and practices for these new media series. Ms. Kang has been a board member of the TV Online Monitoring Board since 2014.



Phillip Shinn: Partner, LimNexus LLP

Phillip F. Shinn is a litigation partner in the San Francisco office of LimNexus, LLP. Mr. Shinn is a career trial attorney and a former Ninth Circuit Court of Appeal staff attorney. He spent two and a half years in Seoul, South Korea, where he worked in the international arbitration and cross-border litigation department of Korea's largest law firm. Mr. Shinn's areas of practice include commercial litigation, international arbitration & cross-border litigation, construction litigation, employment litigation, product liability defense, insurance coverage, and intellectual property litigation.

Mr. Shinn is a former Northern District of California Lawyer Representative to the Ninth Circuit Judicial Conference, and was elected to membership in the Federation of Defense and Corporate Counsel (FDCC). He is a former president of the National Asian Pacific

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American Bar Association (NAPABA), comprising over 40,000 Asian American lawyers, judges, law professors and law students. He is also a former overseas president of the International Association of Korean Lawyers (IAKL), former president of the Asian American Bar Association of the Greater Bay Area, and a founding member of the Council of Korean Americans.

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#### MEDICINE PANEL



John S. Yu: Professor and Director, Brain Tumor Center, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center

John S. Yu is the Medical Director of the Brain Tumor Center and Professor and Vice Chair in the Department of Neurosurgery at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center. He is conducting research in immune and stem cell therapy for brain tumors.

Dr. Yu earned his bachelor's degree from Stanford University and spent a year at the Sorbonne in Paris studying French literature. He completed his fellowship in immunology at the Institut Pasteur in Paris. He earned his medical degree from Harvard Medical School and master's degree from the Harvard University Department of Genetics. He completed his neurosurgical residency at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston. Dr. Yu is chairman and founder of Kairos Pharma, a development stage biotechnology company focused on immunotherapy and nanotechnology.



Jinha Park: Founder and CEO, eRadPath, Inc.

Dr. Jinha Park is the past president of the California Radiological Society. Dr. Park is active in the largest state chapter of the American College of Radiology as well as in the California Medical Association, working to improve access to imaging screening tests and increase the role of diagnostic and interventional radiology. He is a District 14 president, board member, and executive committee member of the Los Angeles County Medical Association. He has served as the Orange County Supervisor District 2 Representative for Michelle Park Steel on the Orange County Emergency Medical Care Committee. Dr. Park also serves on the inaugural Buena Park Police Chief's Advisory Committee. He has served on past Board of Directors of the Korean American Coalition and Korean Churches for Community, and is the earliest sponsor and Organizing Chair of the Korean American Health Coalition.

Dr. Park obtained his BA in Molecular and Cell Biology graduating Phi Beta Kappa from the University of California, Berkeley. He then completed both his MD and PhD at the University of Southern California, studying a specific tumor associated protein called HER-2 in breast and stomach cancer, and developing an antibody against this cancer protein for future diagnostic and therapeutic purposes. After completing his internship at Kaiser Permanente Los Angeles Medical Center, he then completed his residency in Diagnostic Radiology at UCLA Medical Center and a Fellowship in Abdominal Cancer Imaging at Stanford University Medical Center. Dr. Park is currently working to develop a digital health start-up company that empowers patients with their own diagnostic test results.



Yanghee Woo: Associate Professor, Division of Surgical Oncology, City of Hope

Yanghee Woo is an accomplished surgeon scientist internationally recognized for her expertise in robotic surgery and gastric cancer. She graduated from Princeton University with a BA in Political Science and certificate in East Asian studies. After receiving her MD from Drexel College of Medicine, she completed a research fellowship at Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center, surgical residency at Columbia University Medical Center (CUMC) and a clinical fellowship at Severance Hospital/Yonsei University, Seoul, S. Korea. Dr. Woo was recruited to City of Hope after 4 years on faculty at CUMC where she started the first gastric/pancreas cancer robotics program.

At City of Hope, Dr. Woo is an Associate Professor of Surgery, Vice Chair of International Affairs, and the Director of Minimally Invasive Therapies program in the Division of Surgical Oncology and Department of Surgery. As a translational member of the Fong/Chen research team, she works to bring novel oncolytic viral therapies to treat patients with advanced stage cancers. She also researches molecular biomarkers of early cancer detection in high-risk populations.

With a passion for eliminating the cancer disparities that disproportionately impact minorities in the United States, Dr. Woo is an outspoken advocate for improving the health of the Korean American community. She currently serves as the president of the Korean American Graduate Medical Association and was the Chair of the Scientific Program Committee of the 2nd Korean American Health Conference.



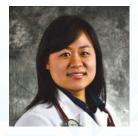
**David S. Kim:** Assistant Residency Program Director, Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center

David S. Kim is the assistant director for the Obstetrics and Gynecology Residency Program in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, an Associate Clinical Professor at The David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, and adjunct assistant clinical professor at the USC Keck School of Medicine.

Dr. Kim received his BS in Biochemistry from the University of California, San Diego. He then received his MD from the State University of New York Health Science Center at Brooklyn, NY. Dr. Kim completed his residency in Obstetrics and Gynecology at The George Washington University, Washington, DC and advanced his training with a Master's and PhD in Clinical Research and MBA from the University of Hawaii.

Dr. Kim has served on many American Congress of Obstetricians & Gynecologists (ACOG) National Committees, including the Coding &

Nomenclature, Ambulatory Practice, and Practice Management Committees. He has been very involved with reducing health disparities in the Korean American community and served as the past president of the Korean American Graduate Medical Association, board member and Research & Education Chair of the National Korean American Medical Association, and co-founder of the Korean American Health Coalition.



**Esther Yoon:** Family Medicine Doctor, Esther Yoon MD, Inc.

Dr. Esther Yoon is Board Certified in Family Medicine and is a Diplomate of the American Board of Family Medicine. Dr. Yoon specializes in family medicine primary care for adults, pediatrics, women's health and geriatrics. She currently practices in Glendale. California.

Dr. Yoon is a graduate of the USC Keck School of Medicine and received her undergraduate degree from the University of California, Berkeley. She completed her residency training at one of the premier family medicine residencies in the nation, Ventura County Medical Center in Ventura, California. At VCMC, Dr. Yoon provided compassionate medical care to under-served individuals who experienced difficulties in accessing care. Dr. Yoon worked in partnership with her colleagues to ensure that the migrant farmworker population of Ventura County had maximum access to an optimal level of personal and family health care. After completing her residency, Dr. Yoon served at Las Islas Urgent Care and Adult Protective Services through the County of Ventura.

Dr. Yoon works in collaboration with colleagues to provide free medical services to individuals and children who lack access to adequate healthcare. She has traveled internationally to care for the underprivileged in India and Indonesia, as well as locally in the urban core of metropolitan Los Angeles.



Hyun Jae Seo: Medical Student, USC Keck School of Medicine

Hyun Jae Seo was born in Seoul and lived in Korea until the age of nine. His family then moved to California, where he completed his primary and secondary education. He attended Amherst College in Amherst, Massachusetts from 2012 to 2016 and graduated *magna cum laude* with a BA in Biochemistry and Biophysics. In the fall of 2016, Hyun Jae began his medical education at the USC Keck School of Medicine, where he is currently a second-year medical student.

#### GOVERNMENT/NON-PROFIT/ PUBLIC INTEREST PANEL



**Young Kim:** Former CA State Assemblywoman

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**Sylvia Kim:** Orange County Regional Director, Asian Americans Advancing Justice

Sylvia Kim is Asian Americans Advancing Justice-LA's Orange County Regional Director. Ms. Kim provides vision and strategic leadership for the organization's work and is responsible for securing resources to sustain and expand the Orange County Regional office.

Prior to joining Advancing Justice, Ms. Kim was the executive director of a multi-ethnic collaborative advocating to reduce racial disparities in accessing mental health. She currently sits on the Steering Committee for the California-wide Racial and Ethnic Mental Health Disparities Coalition and is a member of the California Office of Health Equity Advisory Committee. Originally from Toronto, Canada, she co-founded Canada's largest human rights organization for North Korean human rights.

Ms. Kim earned her JD from Osgoode Hall Law School in Toronto and completed her Master of Studies in International Human Rights Law

(LL.M. equivalent) at Oxford University. After law school, she practiced criminal law as both a defense attorney and as an Assistant Crown Attorney. Ms. Kim then went on to non-profit community-based work managing public legal education programs and training sessions on access to justice issues. Ms. Kim moved to Orange County, California in late 2013 and is a regular contributor to the Huffington Post.



Joon Bang: Executive Director, Korean American Coalition, Los Angeles

Joon Y. Bang is the executive director of the Korean American Coalition-Los Angeles (KAC-LA), a 2017 California Non-Profit of the Year Honoree. After graduating from Biola University, Mr. Bang interned with the National Conference of State Legislatures in Washington D.C., contributed to several published reports on immigration, and spearheaded publication on the Human Services federal budget update in 2006. His career in social justice work began with the NAACP Legal Defense Fund (LDF) where he served as the primary program manager in the national office. He led multiple programs including the historic Civil Rights Training Institute and oversaw the organization's strategic planning and special projects.

After LDF, Mr. Bang joined the UCLA Foundation as its associate director to help advance the philanthropic pillar of the organization by partnering with the organization's board of directors and was responsible for creating the Foundation's \$500,000 scholarship fund to support low-income students. Mr. Bang currently serves on the steering committee of the United States Census Bureau CIC and advisory board of Divided Families USA.



**Lisa Kim:** Deputy Attorney General, Privacy Enforcement and Protection Unit of the Consumer Law Section, California Department of Justice

Lisa Kim is a Deputy Attorney General in the Privacy Enforcement and Protection Unit of the Consumer Law Section at the California Department of Justice. She enforces state and federal privacy laws, educates Californians on their rights and strategies for protecting their privacy, encourages businesses to follow privacy-respectful best practices, and advises the Attorney General on privacy matters. Prior to joining the Attorney General's office, she was a litigator at Reed Smith LLP in the areas of complex business litigation, data privacy, class action defense, legal malpractice, and products liability. Ms. Kim earned her BA *magna cum laude* from UCLA and her JD from University of California, Berkeley School of Law.

#### BUSINESS/ENTREPRENEURSHIP PANEL



Phillip Chang: Founder and CEO, Yogurtland

Thirty years ago, Phillip Chang immigrated to the U.S. He began working in IT and later started his own IT consulting business, igniting his entrepreneurial interest. In 2001, he opened his first retail business specializing in teas and boba. Later, Mr. Chang expanded the concept to include frozen yogurt and added a topping bar allowing guests to customize their own dessert. He renamed the shop Yogurtland, and it has reshaped the popular frozen yogurt trend. Now celebrating 10 years in business, Yogurtland is the front-runner in the frozen yogurt segment, operating or franchising more than 300 locations across the United States and in Australia, Singapore, Dubai, Venezuela, Guam and Thailand.

Mr. Chang has long desired to build a company culture that focuses on providing growth and happiness opportunities for employees. His faith has guided him to take a servant leadership approach, bringing a new dimension to how the business is shaped and people are served—as employees, franchise partners, vendors and guests. Mr. Chang considers his business as a pathway to help others and has been involved in various charity projects.



Kenneth Kim: Founder and Chief Medical Officer, WCCT Global

Kenneth Kim evolved from a practicing physician to a serial entrepreneur. He has founded and transitioned several companies to private equity groups in the clinical trials arena. He is currently a strategic biotech investor and advisor.

Mr. Kim graduated *summa cum laude* from Harvard University. He completed his MD at Harvard, a health policy and management fellowship at the Sloan School at MIT, and his internal medicine and allergy/immunology fellowship at UCLA. He has served on the clinical faculty both at UCLA and UC Irvine Schools of Medicine for over 15 years and currently maintains an allergy practice in southern California. He has been serving on the board of the Council of Korean Americans since 2015 and is the Co-Chair of CKA's Leadership and Mentorship Committee.



**Eugene Choi:** CEO and President, United Exchange Corporation

Eugene Choi is the CEO & President of United Exchange Corporation, a leading consumer packaged goods manufacturer and distributor. As a business executive, he has grown the organization from a startup to a mid-sized company within ten years. He established functional teams in sales, marketing, operations, accounting, purchasing, IT, customer service, and warehousing, while expanding the company's customer base to Fortune 500 companies such as Walmart, Target, CVS, Walgreens, Safeway, Supervalue, Dollar General, Dollar Tree, Family Dollar, Cardinal Health, and Amerisource Bergen. Mr. Choi developed multiple consumer brands for the retail market and executed private label programs for food, drug and mass retailers.

Mr. Choi earned his bachelor's degree from UC Irvine, Master's in Computer Engineering from USC, and completed his MBA from UC Irvine's Paul Merage School of Business.



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**Chuck Hong:** Chairman and CEO, Netlist, Inc.

Chun K. (Chuck) Hong is Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Netlist, Inc., a NASDAQ—listed (NLST) semiconductor company which he co-founded in 2000, and took public in 2006. Netlist is a leading provider of high performance semiconductor technology for servers and storage systems, with operations in Irvine, California and Suzhou, China. The company supplies its cutting-edge hardware and software solutions to world-class IT customers such as IBM, HP and Dell, and

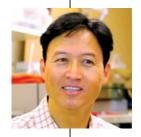
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has amassed the industry's largest portfolio of intellectual property in "Load-reduced Memory" and "Hybrid Memory," technologies critical to the growing big data and cloud computing infrastructures.

Prior to founding Netlist, Mr. Hong served as president of Infinilink Corp., a communications software company and as executive vice president of Viking Components, Inc., a memory products manufacturer, both based in Orange County, California. He began his career with LG Electronics in Seoul, South Korea and over a 15-year period, held various management positions at LG Electronics and LG Semicon, both in Korea and in the U.S.

Mr. Hong received his BS in economics from Virginia Commonwealth University, which he attended on a NCAA Div. 1 athletic scholarship. He received an MS in Technology Management from Pepperdine University's Graziadio School of Business, and studied at the George Washington University Graduate School of Business. Mr. Hong's experiences outside of technology include directorship at BBCN Bank, advisory work for past Irvine mayors and the Irvine Chamber of Commerce and participation in the University of California, Irvine's CFO Roundtable.

#### SCIENCE/ENGINEERING PANEL



Mark Bachman: CTO, Integra Devices

Mark Bachman currently serves as the Chief Technical Officer of an IoT startup, Integra Devices, LLC, as well as Chief IoT Evangelist and Technologist for the California Institute for Telecommunications and Information Technology (Calit2). In addition, Dr. Bachman is also a university lecturer, professional speaker, and consultant on advanced technology topics. His expertise is in sensor network systems, micro-medical devices, data analytics and visualizations for technology applications. He has been working in this area for 20 years as researcher, faculty, and entrepreneur. Dr. Bachman has published over 85 peer reviewed articles, has 12 patents issued, has launched four successful startups, has testified before Congress on IoT, and has given scores of invited and keynote presentations around the world. Dr. Bachman earned a BS in Physics and a PhD in Experimental Particle Physics from the University of Texas, Austin.



Hye-Won Shin: Co-Founder and CSO, Chiron Total

As a biomedical engineer with a chemical engineering background and clinical translational science experience, Dr. Hye-Won Shin serves as the Chief Science Officer at Chiron Total, a medical program marketing and research organization located in Irvine, CA.

In parallel, Dr. Shin is the Director of Korea Relations at the UC Irvine Office of Global Engagement. Her role is to facilitate collaborative relationships with educational, governmental, and private industrial entities in Korea to promote UCI's vision of becoming a global leader in education and innovation. In addition, Dr. Shin initiated UCI's Korean Alumni Chapter in South Korea, the very first international alumni chapter at UCI, and is a founding board member of UCI's Korean-American Alumni Chapter.

Dr. Shin holds a PhD in Chemical and Biochemical Engineering from UCI and earned her Master's Degree in Chemical Engineering at the Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (KAIST). She has extensive experience in developing minimally invasive medical technologies utilizing gas biomarkers to detect and follow malignancy, infection, and inflammation. She is an inventor on three issued and two pending patents. Dr. Shin was previously an independent investigator with an academic title of project scientist at UCI where she worked closely with engineers, chemists, and respiratory physiologist to translate engineering technology into the medical marketplace.



Youn Sim: Head of Strategic Planning and Sustainability Office, Los Angeles County Department of Public Works

Youn Sim is a 20-year veteran at the Los Angeles County Department of Public Works and is currently the Head of Strategic Planning and Sustainability Office. As the Department's Sustainability and Innovation Officer, he leads the Department's sustainability initiatives through strategic planning, policy development and implementation, and long-range planning of sustainable infrastructure management. He has been invited to give numerous speeches at universities, national conferences and workshops. He is the former chair of the Sustainability Committee of American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) and is a member of ASCE Committee on Sustainability and Institute for Sustainable Infrastructure. He has been actively serving the Korean American community as the former Southern California chapter president of Korean American Scientists and Engineers Association (KSEA). Prior to joining the County, Mr. Sim had 10 years of research and consulting experience in water resources protection. He received his PhD from UC Irvine, in Civil Engineering.



**Sungwoo Nam:** Assistant Professor, Mechanical Science and Engineering, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Dr. SungWoo Nam is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Mechanical Science and Engineering (MechSE) at University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC). He received a BS degree in Materials Science and Engineering from Seoul National University, South Korea, where he graduated *summa cum laude* with the Valedictorian Prize. Following 3 years of industry experience in carbon nanotube (CNT) manufacturing at ILJIN Nanotech Co., Ltd., he obtained his MA in Physics (2007) and PhD in Applied Physics (2011) from Harvard University. Following the completion of his PhD, Dr. Nam worked as a postdoctoral scholar at the Department of Bioengineering at University of California, Berkeley. He joined MechSE at UIUC in August, 2012.

Dr. Nam's current research program pursues innovations in controlled deformation (i.e., 'architecturing') of atomically-thin, two-dimensional (2D) materials to explore how unique shapes of atomically-thin materials enable new functionalities. His papers have been published in Nature, Nature Materials, Nano Letters, Advanced Materials, etc. and have been cited more than 2000 times. His research is supported by National Science Foundation (NSF), Air Force Office of Scientific Research (AFOSR), National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), Office of Naval Research (ONR), Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA), Department of Energy (DOE), Intel Corporation, Samsung Electronics, and Hanwha Advanced Materials, among others.



Sung-Jin Kim: Co-Founder and CTO, Hiperwall, Inc.

Sung-Jin Kim has researched distributed computing and distributed visualization for 14 years. As part of his PhD work at UC Irvine, he developed early versions of software for HIPerWall, a National Science Foundation (NSF) funded project, which created the technology for the world's highest resolution tiled display. Upon completing his PhD, he ioined the California Institute for Telecommunications and Information Technology (Calit2) at the UCI as a post-doctoral researcher, where he continued his research on distributed visualization and improved the software for HIPerWall. He co-founded Hiperwall, Inc. to commercialize the tiled display technology into a cost-effective software solution that uses commodity computing and display components. As Hiperwall's Chief Technology Officer, he provides the overall vision, strategy and leadership for development of the company's innovative products and solutions. He earned a BS in Mathematics from Korea University, an MS in Computer Science from the University of Chicago and a PhD in Computer Engineering from UC Irvine.

#### ENTERTAINMENT PANEL



Jay Im: Partner, K&L Gates LLP

Jay Im is a partner at the law firm of K&L Gates, where he advises some of the world's leading entertainment, media and gaming companies on projects around the world. His body of work includes films like *Snowpiercer* in the US and *20 Once Again* in China; television format licenses and remakes including *The Voice* and *Entourage*; theatrical productions of *Kinky Boots* and *August Rush* (in production); concerts such as the *Mnet Asian Music Awards* and *KCON*; and e-sports tournaments showcasing *League of Legends*. Jay was named the Korea In-House Lawyer of the Year for consecutive years (2013 and 2014) by Asian Legal Business. He also led the Korea In-house Team of the Year in each of 2014 and 2015, and the TMT Team of the Year in each of 2014 and 2015. Jay is a graduate of Cornell University and the University of Michigan Law School.



Jason Y. Lee: Founder, Jubilee Media

Jason Y. Lee is the founder of Jubilee Media, a media company that bridges people together and inspires love. Jubilee has garnered over 30 million views online for various causes and has been featured in The Huffington Post, Buzzfeed, Mashable, The Queen Latifah Show, and more. In his former life, Mr. Lee was a consultant at Bain & Company and worked for Clinton Health Access Initiative in Zambia. He was raised in Overland Park, Kansas and graduated with honors from the The Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania.



Roy Choi: General Partner, Knighted Ventures

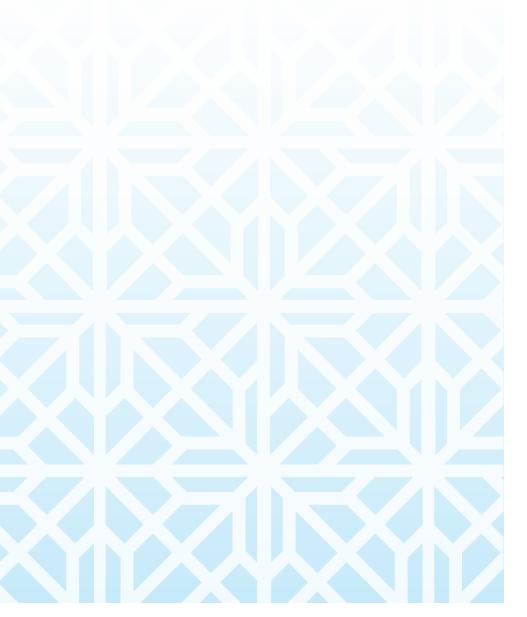
Roy Choi is General Partner at Knighted Ventures, an investment firm focused on entertainment and gaming. He also serves as President of KCM Agency, a multicultural marketing agency. In his nonprofit work, Mr. Choi is Executive Producer and CEO of Kollaboration, a nation-wide nonprofit 501(c)(3) showcasing emerging Asian Pacific artists and performers. Kollaboration began in Los Angeles and is now in 15 cities across North America. Mr. Choi is also Founder and Chairman of Children in Harmony, a nonprofit aimed at empowering girls and creating empathy in boys in developing countries through music and emotional intelligence education.

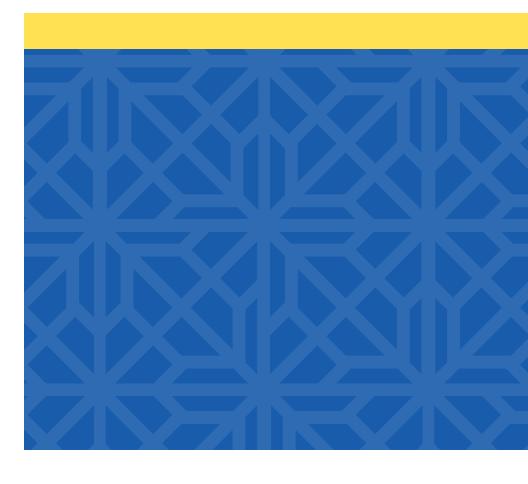
Mr. Choi graduated with honors from USC with a BA in Cinema from the School of Cinematic Arts. He was a winner and recipient of the Stephen Gentry Memorial Scholarship, and was also a finalist in the Southern California Business Film Festival.



Jun Oh: Senior Vice President of Business Affairs, Warner Bros.

Jun Oh is Senior Vice President of Business Affairs in the theatrical group at Warner Bros. In that role, he is responsible for negotiating deals in connection with development, production, co-financing, distribution and other deals on behalf of the studio. Recent movies Mr. Oh has worked on include *Dunkirk*, *Wonder Woman*, *King Arthur*, and *Suicide Squad*. Mr. Oh was previously the head of Business and Legal Affairs for Warner Independent Pictures where he worked on deals for movies such as *Slumdog Millionaire* and *Fun Games*. Mr. Oh holds a BA from Cornell University and a JD from UCLA School of Law.









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