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#### Education

2011. 2. - 2019. 2. Integrated Ph.D. Physics, KAIST, Daejeon, Korea

Advisor: Prof. Chan-Ho Yang, Dept. of Physics.

Dissertation: Electric-field-induced oxygen vacancy migration and electronic property modulation in epitaxial Ca-substituted BiFeO<sub>3</sub> thin films.

**2007. 2. - 2011. 2.** B. S. in Physics, KAIST, Daejeon, Korea

(Magna cum laude)

2004. 3. - 2007. 2. Korea Science Academy, Busan, Korea

## **Career**

2011. 2. – 2014. 2. Teaching Assistance at KAIST

2018. 2. – 2018. 12. Research & Education (R&E) Teaching Assistance at KAIST

2019. 2. – 2020. 10. Postdoctoral researcher in Physics, KAIST, Daejeon, Korea (Advisor: Prof. Chan-Ho Yang, Dept of Physics.)

2020. 11. – Postdoctoral researcher in University of Wuerzburg, Germany

(Advisor: Prof. Ralph Claessen, Experimetelle Physik 4.)

# Scholarships / Awards

2007. 2. – 2011. 2. Presidential Science Scholarship, Korea.

2017. 10. 27. KPS 2017 fall meeting, October 27, 2017 (Oral, BEST PRESENTATION AWARD)

2022. 5. ct.qmat (Cluster of Excellence- Complexity and Topology in Quantum Matter) Flexfund (10,000 Euro)

2023. 5. ct.qmat (Cluster of Excellence- Complexity and Topology in Quantum Matter) Flexfund (30,000 Euro)

## Research Techniques

### 1 Thin film Synthesis

- ◆ Oxide thin film growth (Number of deposition > 1000 times):
  - Bulk target synthesis. (Ca doped BiFeO<sub>3</sub> series, BiFeO<sub>3</sub>, CaFeO<sub>3</sub>, CaFeO<sub>1-x</sub>Mn<sub>x</sub>O<sub>3</sub> series)
  - Epitaxial thin film growth on various substrates (DyScO<sub>3</sub>, SrTiO<sub>3</sub>, Nb:SrTiO<sub>3</sub>, LSAT,

LaAlO<sub>3</sub>) by pulsed laser deposition.

- Bottom electrode deposition (SrRuO<sub>3</sub>, Pr<sub>0.7</sub>Ca<sub>0.3</sub>MnO<sub>3</sub>, LaNiO<sub>3</sub>) and capping layer deposition.

## 2 Structural Analysis

- Atomic structure analysis: 2θ-ω scan, Q-scan, Reciprocal space mapping, High-temperature
  X-ray diffraction and Fast 2θ-ω scan by a 3D-Pixel detector.
- ◆ Surface characterization: Scanning electron microscopy (SEM), Atomic force microscopy (AFM), Conductive-AFM, Piezoresponse force microscopy (PFM), Magnetic force microscopy (MFM). (Bruker Multimode and Asylum MFP-3D Infinity) and force-distance curve analysis (estimation of elastic modulus)
- ♦ Stoichiometry estimation using an energy-dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS-SEM) and an X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS).

#### 3 Device Fabrication and electrical measurements

- ◆ Photomask design using an AUTOCAD program.
- ◆ Micro device fabrication: Photolithography (Mask aligner), Metal electrode deposition (DC sputtering) and Etching process (Ar<sup>+</sup> ion milling).
- ◆ Measurement of electrical properties using DC and AC source: Two-point IV characterization, Four-point IV characterization, Field effect transistor measurement, Magnetoresistance, Hall effect measurement and Capacitance-voltage measurement.
- ◆ Measurement of ionic conductivity: Impedance spectroscopy and Color trace using an optical microscope.

#### 4 Synchrotron based experiment

- ◆ Magnetism study: X-ray absorption spectroscopy-Photoemission electron microscope (XAS-PEEM) and X-ray circular/liner dichroism,
- ◆ Electronic structure study: Hard and Soft X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS), Angleresolved XPS.

#### 5 Other Research Techniques

- ♦ 3D mechanical design of a multifunctional probe for PPMS (Autodesk Inventor).
- ◆ Programming for electronics and a PPMS using C & C++, a LabView and a Matlab.
- An image processing using a Matlab programming.
- ◆ Model Hamiltonian calculation with Hatree-Fock approximation (Hubbard model and Hubbard-Holstein model).

## **Publications**

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- 2. Atsushi Ikeda-Ohno, **Ji Soo Lim**, Takuo Ohkochi, Chan-Ho Yang and Jan Seidel, "*Investigation of continuous changes in the electric-field-induced electronic state in Bi<sub>1-x</sub>Ca<sub>x</sub>FeO<sub>3-\(\pi\)</sub>", Physical Chemistry Chemical Physics, 16, 17412-17416 (2014).*
- 3. Songbai Hu, Zengji Yue, **Ji Soo Lim**, Sara J. Callori, Joel Bertinshaw, A. Ikeda-Ohno, Takuo Ohkochi, Chan-Ho Yang, X. Wang, Clemens Ulrich and Jan Seidel, "*Growth and Properties of Fully Strained SrCoO<sub>x</sub> (x>2.8) Thin Films on DyScO<sub>3</sub>*", **Advanced Materials Interfaces**, 2, 1500012 (2015).
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- 5. **Ji Soo Lim**, Jin Hong Lee, Atsushi Ikeda-Ohno, Takuo Ohkochi, Ki-Seok Kim, Jan Seidel, and Chan-Ho Yang, "*Electric-field-induced insulator to Coulomb glass transition via oxygen-vacancy migration in Ca-doped BiFeO*<sub>3</sub>", **Physical Review B**, 94, 035123 (2016).
- 6. **Ji Soo Lim**, Jin Hong Lee, Heung-Sik Park, Ran Gao, Tae Yeong Koo, Lane W. Martin, Ramamoorthy Ramesh and Chan-Ho Yang, "*Ultrafast collective oxygen-vacancy flow in Ca-doped BiFeO*<sub>3</sub>", **NPG Asia Materials**, 10, 943-955 (2018).
- 7. Heung-Sik Park, **Ji Soo Lim**, Jeonghun Suh and Chan-Ho Yang, "*Real-time observation of filamentary conduction pathways in Ca-doped BiFeO*<sub>3</sub>". **Applied Physics Letters,** 115, 183901 (2019).
- 8. Han-Byul Jang, **Ji Soo Lim** and Chan-Ho Yang, "Film-thickness-driven superconductor to bosonic insulator transition in cuprate superconductors", **Scientific Reports**, 10, 3236 (2020).
- 9. **Ji Soo Lim** and Chan-Ho Yang, "Charge-neutral defects control conductivity", **Nature Materials**, News & Views (17 August 2020).
- 10. **Ji Soo Lim**, Jounghee Lee, Byeoung Ju Lee, Yong-Jin Kim, Heung-Sik Park, Jeonghun Suh, Ho-Hyun Nahm, Sang-Woo Kim, Byeong-Gwan Cho, Tae Yeong Koo, Eunjip Choi, Yong-Hyun Kim and Chan-Ho Yang, "Harnessing the topotactic transition in oxide heterostructures for fast and high-efficiency electrochromic applications", **Science Advances**, (2020).
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- 12. **Ji Soo Lim**, Ho-Hyun Nahm, Marco Campanini, Jounghee Lee, Yong-Jin Kim, Heung-Sik Park, Jeonghun Suh, Jun Jung, Yongsoo Yang, Tae Yeong Koo, Marta D Rossell, Yong-Hyun Kim, Chan-Ho Yang, "Critical ionic transport across an oxygen-vacancy ordering transition", **Nature Communications**, 13, 5130 (2022).
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