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## EDUCATION

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**Ph.D. Candidate in Industrial and Systems Engineering** 2017 – Expected 2022  
*Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University* Advisor: Prof. Zhenyu (James) Kong

**Bachelor of Statistics** 2013 – 2017  
*University of Science and Technology of China (USTC)*

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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- **Application:** *Smart manufacturing; Additive manufacturing; Healthcare.*
- **Methodology:** *Adversarial robustness; Bayesian optimization; Federated learning; Physics-informed machine learning; Reinforcement learning; Tensor data analytics.*

## PUBLICATIONS

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### Journal Publications (Refereed)

1. **Shen, B.**, Xie, W., & Kong, Z. J. (2020). Clustered Discriminant Regression for High-Dimensional Data Feature Extraction and Its Applications in Healthcare and Additive Manufacturing. *IEEE Transactions on Automation Science and Engineering*.  
– Available at <https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/9237105>
2. **Shen, B.**, Wang, R., Law, A. C. C., Kamath, R., Choo, H., & Kong, Z. J. (2021). Super Resolution for Multi-Sources Image Stream Data using Smooth and Sparse Tensor Completion and its Applications in Data Acquisition of Additive Manufacturing. *Technometrics*, 1-16.  
– Available at <https://doi.org/10.1080/00401706.2021.1905074>  
– Finalists for INFORMS QSR Best Refereed Paper Competition  
– Second place of poster competition in INFORMS & HFES Student Poster Competition, ISE, Virginia Tech, 2019
3. **Shen, B.**, Kamath, R., Choo, H., & Kong, Z. J. (2021). Robust Tensor Decomposition based Background/Foreground Separation in Noisy Videos and Its Applications in Additive Manufacturing. Revision at *IEEE Transactions on Automation Science and Engineering*.  
– Available at <http://dx.doi.org/10.36227/techrxiv.14561775.v2>
4. **Shen, B.**, Gnanasambandam, R., Wang, R., & Kong, Z. J. (2021). Multi-Task Gaussian Process Upper Confidence Bound for Hyperparameter Tuning. Revision at *IJSE Transactions*.

### Journal Publications in Preparation

1. **Shen, B.**, Xie, W., & Kong, Z. J. (2021). Robust Tensor Principal Component Analysis: Formulation, Algorithm, and Applications. To be submitted to *IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence*.

2. **Shen, B.**, Chen, Y., & Kong, Z. J. (2021). A Novel Anomaly Discovery Method and its Applications in Minimizing Measurement Cost in Advanced Manufacturing. To be submitted to *IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence*.
3. Chung, J., **Shen, B.**, Law, A. C. C., & Kong, Z. J. (2021). Reinforcement Learning based Process Knowledge Transfer for Quality Assurance of Additive Manufacturing. To be submitted to *IEEE Transactions on Automation Science and Engineering*.
4. Chung, J., **Shen, B.**, & Kong, Z. J. (2021). Sparse Bayesian Learning with Prior Knowledge and Temporally Correlated Solution Vectors with Application to Fault Diagnosis in Multi station Assembly Systems. To be submitted to *Journal of Manufacturing Systems*.
5. Maftouni, M., **Shen, B.**, Law, A. C. C., & Kong, Z. J. (2021). A Mask-guided Attention Deep Learning Model for COVID-19 Diagnosis based on an Integrated CT Scan Images Database. To be submitted to *IIEE Transactions on Healthcare Systems Engineering*.
6. Maftouni, M., **Shen, B.**, Law, A. C. C., & Kong, Z. J. (2021). Attention-based Video Object Segmentation of Melting Pool. To be submitted to *IIEE Transactions*.
7. Gnanasambandam, R., **Shen, B.**, & Kong, Z. J. (2021). Bayesian Optimization Using Deep Gaussian Process with its Application in Process Optimization for Additive Manufacturing. To be submitted to *ASME Trans. Journal of Manufacturing Science and Engineering*.
8. Wang, R., Garcia, D., **Shen, B.**, Ma, X., Kamath, R., Choo, H., Fezzaa, K., & Kong, Z. J. (2021). In-process Multi-physical Melt Pool Characteristics Sensing and Data Correlation in Laser Powder Bed Fusion.
9. **Shen, B.**, & Kong, Z. J. (2022). Federated Learning in Additive Manufacturing. Ongoing

#### **Conference Papers (Published)**

1. Maftouni, M., Law, A. C. C., **Shen, B.**, Zhou, Y., Yazdi, N., & Kong, Z. J. (2021). A Robust Ensemble-Deep Learning Model for COVID-19 Diagnosis based on an Integrated CT Scan Images Database. *Proceedings of the 2021 IIEE Annual Conference*.
  - Available at ResearchGate (Link)
  - Runner-up for INFORMS QSR Industry Data Challenge
  - Second place of poster competition in INFORMS & HFES Student Poster Competition, ISE, Virginia Tech, 2020

#### **INVITED TALK**

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1. **Multi-Task Gaussian Process Upper Confidence Bound for Hyperparameter Tuning**
  - INFORMS Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA, 2021
  - IIEE Annual Conference 2020 (Virtual)
2. **Robust Tensor Decomposition based Background/Foreground Separation in Noisy Videos and Its Applications in Additive Manufacturing**
  - INFORMS Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA, 2021
3. **Super Resolution for Multi-Sources Image Stream Data using Smooth and Sparse Tensor Completion and its Applications in Data Acquisition of Additive Manufacturing**

- INFORMS Annual Conference 2020 (Virtual)
  - IISE Annual Conference 2020 (Virtual)
4. **Robust Tensor Principal Component Analysis: Formulation, Algorithm, and Applications**
- INFORMS Annual Conference 2020 (Virtual)
  - INFORMS Annual Conference, Seattle, WA, 2019
5. **Clustered Discriminant Regression for High-Dimensional Data Feature Extraction and Its Applications in Healthcare and Additive Manufacturing**
- IISE Annual Conference, Orlando, FL, 2019

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## HONORS AND AWARDS

- **Runner-up for INFORMS QSR Industry Data Challenge (2020)**
- **Finalists for INFORMS QSR Best Refereed Paper Competition (4 finalists in total, 2020)**
- **Second place of poster competition in INFORMS & HFES Student Poster Competition, ISE, Virginia Tech (2019, 2020)**
- **ISE Graduate Student Travel Awards, Virginia Tech (2018 – 2021)**
- **Grado Department of Industrial & Systems Engineering Department Fellowship, Virginia Tech (2017)**
- **Undergraduate Fellowship, USTC (2014 – 2017)**

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## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA

ISE 2214 Manufacturing Processes Lab (2017 Fall, 2019 Spring & Fall):	<i>Lab Instructor</i>
ISE 2014 Engineering Economy (2018 Fall):	<i>Graduate Teaching Assistant</i>
ISE 4404 Statistical Quality Control (2018 Spring):	<i>Graduate Teaching Assistant</i>

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## MENTORING EXPERIENCE

### Ph.D. Mentor at Virginia Tech: Raghav Gnanasambandam

- Bayesian Optimization Using Deep Gaussian Process with its Application in Process Optimization for Additive Manufacturing

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## SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP

**Session Chair:** Data Mining and Machine Learning in Smart Manufacturing, INFORMS Annual Conference 2021

**Journal Referee:** IISE Transactions, IEEE Transactions on Automation Science and Engineering

**VP Finance:** The INFORMS Student Chapter at Virginia Tech (2021 – 2022)

**Professional Society Memberships:** Institute of Industrial and Systems Engineers (IISE), Institute for Operation Research and the Management Sciences (INFORMS), Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)