

# Bo Shen

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## EDUCATION

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**Ph.D. Candidate in Industrial and Systems Engineering** 2017 – 2022 (Expected)  
*Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University*

- *Dissertation:* Advanced Machine Learning for Quality Assurance of Smart Additive Manufacturing, advised by Dr. Zhenyu (James) Kong

**Bachelor of Science in Statistics** 2013 – 2017  
*University of Science and Technology of China*

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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- **Methodology:** *High dimensional streaming data analysis; Optimization for machine learning; Bayesian optimization; Federated learning; Physics-informed machine learning; Reinforcement learning.*
- **Application:** *Smart manufacturing; Additive manufacturing; Cybersecurity; Industrial Internet of Things (IIoT).*

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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- Finalist, INFORMS Data Mining Section Best Paper Award (Student Track, 2021)
- Runner-up, INFORMS QSR Industry Data Challenge (2020)
- Finalist, INFORMS QSR Best Refereed Paper Competition (2020)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place, INFORMS & HFES Student Poster Competition, ISE, Virginia Tech (2019, 2020)
- Fellowship, Grado Department of Industrial & Systems Engineering, Virginia Tech (2017)

## PUBLICATIONS

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### Journal Publications (Published/Accepted)

1. **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. DOI: 10.1080/00401706.2021.1905074  
– Finalist for INFORMS QSR Best Refereed Paper Competition
2. **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*. DOI: 10.1109/TASE.2020.3029028

### Journal Publications (Under Review/Revision)

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. *IEEE Transactions on Automation Science and Engineering*. Under revision. DOI: 10.36227/techrxiv.14561775.v2

4. **Shen, B.**, Kong, Z. J. (2021). A Novel Active Anomaly Discovery Method and Its Applications in Additive Manufacturing. *IISE Transactions*. Under review. DOI: 10.36227/techrxiv.16674412.v1  
 – Finalist for INFORMS Data Mining Section Best Paper Award (Student Track)
5. **Shen, B.**, Gnanasambandam, R., Wang, R., & Kong, Z. J. (2021). Multi-Task Gaussian Process Upper Confidence Bound for Hyperparameter Tuning. *IISE Transactions*. Under the second round of review. DOI: 10.36227/techrxiv.16674400.v1

### **Working Journal Papers (Draft Accomplished)**

6. 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 *IISE Transactions on Healthcare Systems Engineering*.  
 – Runner-up for INFORMS QSR Industry Data Challenge
7. **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*.
8. 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*.
9. 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*.
10. 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. To be submitted to *Additive Manufacturing*.

### **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 IISE Annual Conference*. DOI: proquest/2560887697

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

### **Teaching Experience at Virginia Tech**

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>

## **MENTORING EXPERIENCE**

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

- Bayesian Optimization using Deep Gaussian Process for metal Additive Manufacturing Process Optimization

## **INVITED TALK**

1. **Multi-Task Gaussian Process Upper Confidence Bound for Hyperparameter Tuning**

- INFORMS Annual Meeting, Anaheim, CA, 2021
- IISE 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**
  - ICAM AI Symposium, Anaheim, CA, 2021
  - 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

## SERVICE AND LEADERSHIP

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

**Session Chair:** Physics Informed/Constrained Learning in Manufacturing and Healthcare Systems, IISE Annual Conference 2022

**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)