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EDUCATION

University of California, Los Angeles, CA, USA

09/2016 - 06/2021 (expected)

Ph.D. Candidate in Statistics

GPA:3.97/4.00

Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China

09/2012 - 06/2016

B.S. in Statistics, Minor in Public Management GPA: 3.98/4.00

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE Facebook Reality Lab, USA

06/2020 - 11/2020

Research Intern

Mentor: Tanya Jonker

 $\bullet$  Egocentric action anticipation via multi-scale graph representation.

DMAI Inc., Los Angeles, CA, USA

06/2019 - 03/2020

Software Engineering Intern

Mentor: Tao Yuan

• Cognitive Platform: detecting human body pose, head pose and pointing gesture; detecting human interaction and communication; modeling human mind, including belief, attention and intention

Center for Vision, Cognition, Learning and Autonomy, UCLA 09/2016 - present Graduate Student Researcher Advisor: Song-Chun Zhu

- Cooperation and Communication Mechanisms: the emergence of communicative cooperation in a problem-solving task.
- Theory of Mind: human mental state inference in VR environment and real videos
- Understanding human nonverbal communication by spatio-temporal reasoning networks
- Social Scene Understanding: inferring shared attention in social scene videos
- Cognitive Modeling: perception of human interaction based on motion trajectories

The Computational Vision and Learning Lab, UCLA

07/2015 - 09/2015

Cross-Disciplinary Scholars in Science and Technology (CSST) Program

Advisor: Hongjing Lu

- Discovering hierarchical representations for action recognition
- Honored with Best Presentation Award for excellent research and final presentation

State Key Lab of CAD, ZJU

06/2014 - 06/2016

Research Assistant

Advisor: Ming Li

• Texture synthesis optimization by Expectation Maximization algorithm

Publications

(\* indicates equal contribution)

Z. Zheng, S. Qiu, L. Fan, Y. Zhu, S.-C. Zhu. Grice: A Grammar-based Dataset for Recovering Implicature and Conversational Reasoning. *ACL-IJCNLP*, 2021 (under review.)

**L. Fan\***, S. Qiu\*, Z. Zheng, T. Gao, S.-C. Zhu and Y. Zhu. Learning Triadic Belief Dynamics in Nonverbal Communication from Videos. *IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)*, 2021. (Oral presentation)

Y. Zhu, T. Gao, L. Fan, S. Huang, M. Edmonds, H. Liu, F. Gao, C. Zhang, S. Qi, Y. Wu,

- J. B. Tenenbaum, S.-C. Zhu. Dark, Beyond Deep: A Paradigm Shift to Cognitive AI with Human-like Commonsense. Engineering, Special Issue on Artificial Intelligence, 2020
- T. Yuan, H. Liu, L. Fan, Z. Zheng, T. Gao, Y. Zhu, S.-C. Zhu. Understanding False-Belief by Joint Inference of Object States, Robot Knowledge, and Human Beliefs. IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), 2020
- L. Fan\*, W. Wang\*, S. Huang, X. Tang and S.-C. Zhu. Understanding Human Gaze Communication by Spatio-temporal Graph Reasoning. IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV), 2019.
- L. Fan\*, Y. Chen\*, P. Wei, W. Wang and S.-C. Zhu. Inferring Shared Attention in Social Scene Videos. IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2018. (Acceptance Rate: 29%)
- T. Shu\*, Y. Peng\*, L. Fan, H. Lu and S.-C. Zhu. Perception of Human Interaction Based on Motion Trajectories: from Aerial Videos to Decontextualized Animations. Topics in Cognitive Science (TopiCS), 10(1): 225 - 241, 2018.
- T. Shu\*, Y. Peng\*, L. Fan, H. Lu and S.-C. Zhu. Inferring Human Interaction from Motion Trajectories in Aerial Videos. 39th Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society (CogSci), 2017. (Oral presentation, Acceptance rate: 255/873 = 29\%, Computational Modeling Prize)

SELECTED	Most Promising Computational Statistician, UCLA Statistics Department	06/2017
Hornors And	Computational Modeling Prize, Cognitive Science Society	06/2017
Awards	The 6th Ten Top Students in Zhejiang University, Zhejiang University	12/2015
	Chu Kochen Scholarship, Zhejiang University	10/2015
	Best Presentation Award, UCLA-CSST Summer Research Program	09/2015
	Honorable Mention, Mathematical Contest in Modeling (MCM)	04/2015
	Tang Lixin Scholarship, Zhejiang University	10/2014 - present

entFirst Prize in the 12th Mathematical Modeling Contest of Zhejiang University 06/2014National Scholarship of China, Ministry of Education, China 2013, 2014

## TEACHING

## Teaching Assistant, UCLA, Department of Statistics

EXPERIENCE

STATS 202A: Statistics Programming Fall 2017 STATS 10: Introduction to Statistical Reasoning Spring 2017 STATS 102C: Introduction to Monte Carlo Methods Fall 2018 STATS 12: Intro to Statistical Methods for Geography and Environmental Studies Winter 2018 STATS 100A: Introduction to Probability Winter 2019 STATS 232C: Cognitive Artificial Intelligence Spring 2020 STATS 100B: Introduction to Mathematical Statistics Winter 2021

PROGRAMMING C/C++, C#, Python, MATLAB, R, LATEX, HTML LANGUAGES

DEEP LEARNING Pytorch, Tensorflow, Keras Frameworks