

# Yinghao Zhang

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## EDUCATION

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**SHANGHAITECH UNIVERSITY**, Shanghai, China Aug. 2020 – Jun. 2024 (Expected)

*Bachelor of Engineering Candidate, Computer Science and Technology*

- GPA: 3.89/4.0 | Rank (Major): 2/177 | GPA(Major): 4.0/4.0
- Merit Award, Ranked Number One (Jan. 2022)

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT BERKELEY**, Berkeley, CA Aug. 2022 – May. 2023

*Global Learning and Outreach from Berkeley Engineering (GLOBE) Exchange Program*

- Computer Science coursework
- GPA: 4.0/4.0

## RESEARCH INTEREST

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Making perception, reconstruction and rendering more realistic and efficient through creating breakthroughs in **Computer Vision** and **Computer Graphics**.

## EXPERIENCE

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**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT BERKELEY**, Berkeley, CA **2022 – Present**

*Undergraduate Researcher / PI: Prof. Alexei A. Efros* Aug. 2022 – Present

- Researched with PhD students on Test-time-training for segmentation tasks. The overall objective is to generalize the test-time-training method proposed in another paper to segmentation task on videos.
- Re-implemented Mask2Former model in cooperation with Masked Auto-encoder. Completed the support of Pytorch2.0.

**SHANGHAITECH UNIVERSITY**, Shanghai, China **2020 – Present**

*Undergraduate Researcher, Head and Hand Lab / PI: Prof. Jingyi Yu* Aug. 2021 – Aug. 2022

Second author of paper on **SIGGRAPH-Asia 2022**.

- Pose part leader: used AR tags to capture the pose and motion of human jaw in a light stage as data to feed into a network, where orthogonal Procrustes and Savitzky-Golay filter were used to make the trajectory of the AR tags accurate and smooth, reaching an eventual accuracy of 0.1mm.
- Reconstructed human faces, figured out coordinate transformation and converted Euler angles, rotation vectors and rotation matrices to fit different uses.
- Rendered the images of head model using Blender and composed results in section of paper titled *SCULPTOR: Skeleton-Consistent Face Creation Using a Learned Parametric Generator*. The paper was accepted by SIGGRAPH-Asia in Aug. 2022.

*Member, Multi-disciplinary Artificial Reality Studio / PI: Prof. Jingyi Yu* Jul. 2021 – May 2022

- Assisted PhD students' Studio projects related to building a Metaverse of avatars for each student participating in the ShanghaiTech graduation ceremony by searching and modifying several Python repositories on GitHub, including VOCA, ESRGAN, and LAMA.

*Team Leader, Gold Medal, The 45th ICPC (International Collegiate Programming Contest)*

*Asia Kunming Regional Contest*, ACM (Association for Computing Machinery) Apr. 2021

- Solved 7 of 13 contest problems in 5 hours, ranking 21st among 813 teams, by designing flexible algorithms in C++ to enable them to solve as many problems as possible in limited time.
- Led a team of three to write a program to give the expected output under each sample input for each problem, which included dynamic programming, data structures, advanced counting, and network flow.

## COURSE PROJECTS

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**Computer Graphics (CS184) Course Project / Prof. Ren Ng & Prof. James O'Brien** Mar. 2023

- Implemented Ball Pivoting Algorithm to compose a report and a video. [Project Website](#)

**Deep Learning (CS182) Course Project / Prof. Anant Sahai** Dec. 2022

- Implemented Vision Transformer using JAX in Python and made it a homework.

**Compilers (CS131) Course Project / Prof. Fu Song** Apr. 2022 – Jun. 2022

- Used Flex, Bison and LLVM to write a parser for Chocopy.

**Introduction to Machine Learning (CS182) Course Project / Prof. Lu Sun** May 2022

- Implemented several classifiers on water quality using existing data, including KNN, AdaBoost, logistic regression, random forests, SVM, XGBoost and neural networks.
- Summarized our findings in report as lead writer.

## ACTIVITIES

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**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT BERKELEY, Berkeley, CA** 2022 – 2023

**Volunteer, Food Distribution and Clothing Donation, Berkeley, the United States** Jun. 2023

- Volunteered to serve and distribute food to those in need of shelters, talked to them to know about their situations and encouraged them.

**SHANGHAI TECH UNIVERSITY, Shanghai, China** 2021 – Present

**Team Member, Social Practice Project, Quankou Village, Hubei Province, China** Jul. 2021

- Conducted onsite research on poor villages' health care system and their major sources of income like tea planting and poultry raising.
- Identified the key social problem of left-behind children thru interviews with members of villages, in which most young adults work as migrant workers in cities while leaving their elders and children in the mountains, and delivered a report on recommendations to mitigate the situation, focusing on shifting resources to upgrading transportation infrastructure and logistics to attract economic opportunities.

**Mentor, Student Affairs Department, Top Student Workshop, Shanghai, China** May. 2022

- Shared personal experience online on studying programming and mathematics with fellow students at ShanghaiTech, emphasizing the importance of making plans early and finding an appropriate study-life balance.

## SKILLS

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- Languages: Mandarin (Native), English (Fluent), TOEFL: 103 (R27/L28/W26/S22, Jun. 2023)
- Computer Skills: C/C++, Python, Pytorch, RISC-V, MATLAB, Blender, LaTeX. Mastered basic algorithms in data structure, string theory, graph theory, polynomial theory, number theory, network flow, computational geometry, dynamic programming.