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# RESEARCH INTERESTS

Gang Jiang

AI4Building, LLM in Building, Scientific-Machine Learning, Building Energy Modeling & Calibration

#### EDUCATION

The University of Utah

Ph.D. in Construction; GPA: 3.8

Salt Lake City, UT, USA Aug. 2022 - Jul. 2026

Tianjin University

M.Sc. in Smart Building; GPA: 3.6

Tianjin, China Aug. 2019 – Jul. 2022

Yancheng Institute of Technology

B.Sc. Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning; GPA: 3.0

Yancheng, Jiangsu, China Aug. 2015 – Jul. 2019

### Experience & Projects

# The University of Utah

Research Assistant

Salt Lake City, UT Aug. 2022 - Present

- US-NSF #2311685: (Principal researcher) Developed a natural language-driven auto-building modeling platform (EPlus-LLM) by integrating a large language model with physics-based simulation.
- US-NSF #2318720: (Main researcher) Conducted co-simulations of thermo-responsive desiccants for building dehumidification and decarbonization using EnergyPlus, Modelica, and Ansys.
- Global Change & Sustainability Center: (Principal researcher) Developed a high-fidelity building modeling and calibration framework that integrates an enhanced Bayesian inference method with a deep-learning-based high-resolution surrogate model, facilitating the development of Digital Twins for real-time building and HVAC monitoring.
- US-Utah-DOT #24-8342: (Principal researcher) Designed a scalable Vision-AI tool for automated road condition assessment.
- US-Utah-DOT #24-8332: (Main researcher) Developed an advanced volumetric measurement system for salt piles using photogrammetry, LiDAR, and depth cameras.

#### Tianjin University

Tianjin, China

Research Assistant

Aug. 2019 - Jul. 2022

- China-NSFs: Developed fault detection & diagnosis methods for building systems with incomplete data, integrating Modelica simulations with machine learning to enhance accuracy and robustness.
- Industry Projects: Conducted research on building energy efficiency and management, focusing on optimizing energy consumption and sustainability strategies.

# Amazon Web Services (AWS)

Beijing, China

Intern

Jun. 2021 and Dec. 2021

- Data Center Design: Assisted in planning and optimizing data center infrastructure, including local generators, uninterruptible power supplies (UPS), power distribution, cooling systems, and network architecture to enhance resilience and scalability.
- Data Center Operation: Contributed to improving energy efficiency and fault detection in data centers through operational optimizations and system monitoring.

#### Publications

- [1] Z. Ma, G. Jiang, Y. Hu, J. Chen. A Review of Physics-Informed Machine Learning for Building Energy Modeling. *Applied Energy*, 2025.
- [2] G. Jiang, Z. Ma, L. Zhang, J. Chen. Prompt Engineering to Inform Large Language Models in Automated Building Energy Modeling. *Energy*, 2025.

- [3] Z. Ma, G. Jiang, J. Chen. Physics-Informed Ensemble Learning with Residual Modeling for Enhanced Building Energy Prediction. *Energy and Buildings*, 2024.
- [4] G. Jiang, Y. Chen, Z. Wang, K. Powell, B. Billings, J. Chen. A Deep Learning-Based Bayesian Framework for High-Resolution Calibration of Building Energy Models. *Energy and Buildings*, 2024.
- [5] G. Jiang, Z. Ma, L. Zhang, J. Chen. EPlus-LLM: A Large Language Model-Based Computing Platform for Automated Building Energy Modeling. *Applied Energy*, 2024.
- [6] G. Jiang, L. Zhang, J. Chen. EPlus-LLM: A Novel Automated Building Simulation Platform Using Natural Language Processing. ASHRAE Annual Conference, 2024.

# Workshop & Conference Presentations

- ASHRAE Annual: Jun. 2024 Oral Presentation
- GCSC Environment and Sustainability Research Symposium: Feb. 2023 Poster

# Programming Skills

- Languages: Python, Pytroch, Javascript
- Technologies: High-Performance Computing on Linux, Fine-Tuning & Prompt Engineering for LLMs, Retriever-Augmented Generation, Scientific-Machine Learning, Building Energy Modeling & Calibration, Fault Detection & Diagnosis
- Software: EnergyPlus, SketchUp, Matlab, Dymola (Modelica)