Yiming Zhong

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EDUCATION

Southern University of Science and Technology (SUSTech)

Shenzhen, China

Bachelor of Engineering in Intelligent Medical Engineering

Expected graduation date: 06/2026

- Cumulative GPA: 3.78/4.0 | Weighted Average Score: 90.36/100
- Honors: Second Class Scholarship for Outstanding Student, 11/2023 & 11/2024
 Outstanding Volunteer Award (235.7 hours of volunteer service, Top 0.5%), 11/2023 & 11/2024

Nanyang Technological University (NTU)

Singapore

Non-degree Exchange Program

08/2025 - 12/2025

Coursework: 1) Control in Biosystem, 2) Machine Learning and Optimization for Bioengineers.

PUBLICATION

[1] Yiming Zhong, Ziyan Wu, Yongshen Zeng, Xiaoyan Song, Qiqiong Wang, Wenjin Wang. Camera-based Analysis of Motion Coordination Between Infant Left and Right Limbs: A Clinical Study in NICU. 47th Annual International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society (EMBC), 2025.

[2] Ziyan Wu, Yiming Zhong, Chuchu Liao, Xiaoyan Song, Qiqiong Wang, Wenjin Wang. A Pilot Clinical Study to Understand the Relationship between General Movements and Ultra-Short-Term HRV of Neonates. IEEE-EMBS International Conference on Biomedical and Health Informatics (BHI 2025).

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

SUSTech Contactless Healthcare Lab | Camera-based Contactless Health Monitoring *Research Assistant, Advisor: Dr. Wenjin Wang*

Shenzhen, China

Project: Contactless Smart Infant Sleep Monitoring System

02/2025 - Present

- Developed a multispectral physiological imaging system for precise, contactless monitoring of infant vital signs, in collaboration with a leading hospital in Wenzhou.
- Established an interpretable video-based sleep/wake classification model to enhance monitoring accuracy from consumer-grade to clinical-grade standards.
- Leveraged ECG and PPG signals to extract and validate infant motion metrics for preliminary sleep analysis.
- Deployed open-source human pose estimation and optical flow algorithms to compute key-point motion features, confirming feasibility of camera-based polysomnography (PSG) for infant sleep staging.
- Conducted camera-based PSG monitoring on 100 infants to establish normative sleep-stage benchmarks.
- Extracted limb movement coordination and intensity features from video data, applying SVM and Random Forest classifiers for binary and multi-class sleep-stage classification.
- Applied DL algorithms (Gru, Transformer) to improve the accuracy of infant sleep stage classification.

Provincial Project: Multidimensional Video-based Contactless Infant Seizure Monitoring 04/2024 - Present

- Developed a real-time monitoring and prediction algorithm for infant seizures in collaboration with a a leading tertiary hospital in Guangzhou, aiming to establish a low-cost, contactless detection system to mitigate resource limitations and inconsistencies in seizure diagnosis quality.
- Preprocessed raw ECG signals to extract heart rate and calculate heart rate variability (HRV).

- Utilized remote photoplethysmography (rPPG) to extract heart rate and HRV from video data for non-invasive physiological monitoring.
- Applied optical flow techniques to analyze global and skin-region motion in vEEG videos.
- Deployed open-source human pose estimation tools to detect infant keypoints and compute motion intensity.
- Analyzed limb movement intensity using cross-correlation and Pearson correlation coefficients to integrate motion and physiological signals.
- *Innovation:* Introduced a camera-based solution for NICU settings, enabling contactless monitoring of infant motion and physiological metrics with improved precision and efficiency.

SELECTED PROJECT

SSVEP-based BCI Robotic Car Control System with MATLAB

Shenzhen, China

Team Member, Advisor: Dr. Peng Cheng

11/2024 - 01/2025

- Collected EEG signals from occipital regions using gold cup electrodes and a Cyton board (250 Hz).
- Applied Butterworth filters for noise reduction and extracted key EEG components (4–35 Hz).
- Implemented and compared CCA and FFT methods to decode SSVEP frequencies with high accuracy.
- Transmitted motion commands via Bluetooth to demonstrate reliable and precise human-machine interaction.

MATLAB-based ECG Signal Acquisition and Processing

Shenzhen, China

Team Member, Advisor: Dr. Peng Cheng

09/2024 - 11/2024

- Developed a user-friendly prototype for heart health monitoring, emphasizing real-time analysis and ease of use.
- Built a differential circuit and analogue filtering system for accurate ECG signal measurement.
- Integrated the AD8232 Heart Rate Monitor and MATLAB to process ECG signals via an NI USB 6009 module.
- Configured a MATLAB GUI for real-time sampling, noise removal, and enhanced waveform analysis.

VOLUNTEER & LEADERSHIP

Community Service Department, Shuren College

Shenzhen, China

09/2023 - 09/2024

Leader

- Coordinated 580 volunteers across 11 community programs, collectively contributing 2,850 service hours.
- Organized the 2023 Summer Teaching Program in Lianping county, crafting lesson plans and leading hands-on activities that blended science, sports, and life skills to inspire and empower students.

"Heart-to-Heart" Volunteer Teaching Program in Longchuan County Organizer

Longchuan, China

07/2024

- Designed a program benefiting 102 primary school students, overseeing planning, implementation, and evaluation.
- Drafted activity proposals, developed contingency plans, recruited and trained volunteers, and scheduled logistics.
- Managed daily operations, including logistics coordination, class assignments, volunteer briefings, and student feedback collection.
- Prepared financial documents, drafted research reports, and delivered program outcome presentations.

SKILLS

- **Programming Language:** Matlab, Python, C/C++
- Language: Mandarin (native), English (IELTS 7.5)