Tongzhou Mu

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EDUCATION

University of California, San Diego

Ph.D. in Computer Science & Engineering
 M.S. in Computer Science & Engineering
 GPA: 4.0/4.0
 2019 – Present
 2017 – 2019

Zhejiang University

• B.Eng. in Computer Science & Technology GPA: 3.8/4.0, Major GPA: 3.97/4.00 2013 – 2017

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Reinforcement Learning (especially object-centric RL and model-based RL)
- Planning & Control
- Concepts Discovery and Reasoning

PUBLICATIONS

- Tongzhou Mu*, Jiayuan Gu*, Zhiwei Jia, Hao Tang, and Hao Su. "Refactoring Policy for Compositional Generalizability using Self-Supervised Object Proposals." In the 34th Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2020.
- Fangchen Liu, Zhan Ling, **Tongzhou Mu**, and Hao Su. "State Alignment-based Imitation Learning." In *the* 8th International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2020.
- Xingchao Liu*, **Tongzhou Mu***, and Hao Su. "Transfer Value or Policy? A Value-centric Framework Towards Transferrable Continuous Reinforcement Learning." In the Deep Reinforcement Learning Workshop at the 32th Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2018.
- Zebang Shen, Hui Qian, **Tongzhou Mu**, and Chao Zhang. "Accelerated Doubly Stochastic Gradient Algorithm for Large-scale Empirical Risk Minimization." In *the 26th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI)*, 2017.
- Zebang Shen, Hui Qian, Tengfei Zhou, and **Tongzhou Mu**. "Adaptive Variance Reducing for Stochastic Gradient Descent." In *the 25th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI)*, 2016.

INDUSTRY EXPERIENCES

Wormpex AI Research Full-Time Research Intern Seattle, United States June 2020 – Sep 2020

• Designed a customer behavior model and optimized the convivence store environment layout based on it.

Intel AI
Full-Time Research Intern

San Diego, United States July 2019 – Sep 2019

• Worked on the memory-constrained navigation problem based on a method combining RL and planning.

Microsoft Research Asia

Beijing, China

Full-Time Intern at Visual Computing Group

Apr 2017 – Aug 2017

• Conducted research on visual navigation in simulated indoor scenes by using deep reinforcement learning.

DiDi Inc. (A Chinese mobile transportation platform like Uber)

Zhejiang, China

Full-Time Intern at Autonomous Driving Group

Mar 2017 – Apr 2017

• Worked on developing an optimization-based trajectory planning system for autonomous driving.

AWARDS & HONORS

ACM-ICPC (International Collegiate Programming Contest) Asia Regional Contest Gold Medal	2015
• Award of Excellence for Stars of Tomorrow Internship Program, Microsoft Research Asia	2017
• China Computer Federation Elite Collegiate Award (top 108 in China)	2016

TEACHING

• Teaching Assistant for CSE 152 Introduction to Computer Vision at UC San Diego

Fall 2018

PROGRAMMING SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, C/C++, MATLAB Frameworks: PyTorch, TensorFlow

^{*} indicates equal contribution