# Youchao Wang

# **Education**

# M.Phil. in Engineering (By Research)

*University of Cambridge, UK, 2018 – present* 

• Electrical Engineering Divsion, Department of Engineering.

# B.Eng. Electronic Engineering (1st Class Honours)

*University of Manchester, UK, 2016 – 2018* 

• Second year direct entry. Final grade: 87%. Third year rank: 3/250. Second year rank: 1/240.

**B.Eng. Electrical Engineering and its Automation** North China Electric Power University, China, 2014 – 2018

• First and Second year overall result: 83%. First year rank 2/119.

## **High School Graduate**

Tsinghua High School, China, 2011 - 2014

# Work Experience

## Research Assistant

Department of Engineering, University of Cambridge, UK

Jan. 2019 – present

- Supervisor: Dr. Phillip Stanley-Marbell
- Embedded system circuit design and embedded system software development.

#### Research Assistant

Department of Engineering, University of Cambridge, UK

Aug. 2018 - Sep. 2018

- Supervisor: Dr. Phillip Stanley-Marbell
- Research topic: Deriving physically-inspired sensor signal invariants
- Compiler Construction, Programming language design, Signal and Noise, Dimensional analysis, Interaction with a physically-inspired high-level description language (*Newton*).

#### Research Assistant

School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, University of Manchester, UK

Jul. 2017 - Sep. 2017

- o Supervisors: Prof. Bruce Grieve in collaboration with Prof. Christopher Collins at University of Reading
- Research topic: "Internet of Things" LoRaWAN Sensor System for Protecting Rivers and Watercourses
- Internet of Things (IoT) in e-Agri, Hardware design, PCB design, Firmware design and implementation, Wireless communication.

## Paid personal tutor

Hanban Foreign Learning Programme, North China Electric Power University, China Jul. 2016 – Aug. 2016

• Paid one-on-one tutoring in the form of reading, writing and speaking (Chinese, English).

# **Position of Responsibility**

Electronic Engineering Third Year Student Representative	2017 - 2018
Electrical and Electronic Engineering Second Year Student Representative	2016 - 2017
Chairman of NCEPU International Education School Students' Union	2014 - 2015
Chairman of Tsinghua High School Students' Union	2012 - 2013
Chairman and General Secretary of Tsinghua High School Model United Nations	2012 - 2013

# **Project Portfolio**

#### Continuous Analysis within 3D-Printed Structures Using In-Chamber Sensors

2018 – present

- o M.Phil Degree Research Project, Supervisor: Dr. Phillip Stanley-Marbell
- Focus: Miniature hardware system design, PCB design, Firmware implementation, Powder material microstructure analysis, System invariants analysis.

## "IoT" Water Quality Monitoring System for Protecting Rivers and Watercourses

2017 - 2018

- o B.Eng. Degree Individual Project, Supervisor: Prof. Bruce Grieve
- Focus: Low-cost turbidity sensor design, Low power system design, Encoding and decoding to enhance the data transmission efficiency
- Published a first-author journal paper focusing on the design of a low-cost turbidity sensor.

# Embedded System Project Team Competition (3<sup>rd</sup> Rank Among 48 Groups)

2016 - 2017

- Second-year Team Project: Line-following robotic buggy using light-sensitive sensor array and ultrasound sensor
- A major contributor to hardware design and software implementation, including buggy structural design, line-detection application, motor control and programming
- Leading role in team organisation (team of 4)
- o 90/100 personal project overall score

# **Publications**

## [1] Low-Cost Turbidity Sensor for Low-Power Wireless Monitoring of Fresh-Water Courses

**Youchao Wang**, Shariar Morshed Rajib, Chris Collins, Bruce Grieve. *IEEE Sensors Journal* (Volume: 18, Issue: 11, June1, 1 2018)

# [2] Interest Set Mechanism to Improve the Transport of Named Data Networking

Xiaoke Jiang, Jun Bi, **Youchao Wang**, You Wang. In *Proceedings of ACM SIGCOMM13* (poster, Section 12), Hongkong, 2013.

[3] Tech report: Interest Set Mechanism to Improve the Transport of Named Data Networking Xiaoke Jiang, Jun Bi, **Youchao Wang**, You Wang. *Tsinghua University*, 2013.

# **Selected Honours and Awards**

Third Year 3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize in School of EEE, UoM (Top 3)	Jun. 2018
2018 Beijing Outstanding Higher Education Graduate Title	Jun. 2018
Second Year 1 <sup>st</sup> Prize in School of EEE, UoM (Top 1)	Oct. 2017
Beijing Capital University & College "Pioneer Cup" Outstanding Member Title	Oct. 2016
3 <sup>rd</sup> Prize Student Scholarship at NCEPU	Sep. 2016
Entrepreneur Student Scholarship (Top 3) at NCEPU	Dec. 2015
1 <sup>st</sup> Prize (Top 2) Student Scholarship at NCEPU	Sep. 2015
Special Award (Top 1‰) in National English Competition for College Students	May. 2015
2 <sup>nd</sup> prize (Top 10) in 20 <sup>th</sup> National English Speaking Competition, Beijing region	Dec. 2014

# **Key Skills**

#### **Subject Related**

- Proficient in C programming. Proficient in Mac and Linux (Ubuntu, Scientific Linux, etc.).
- Know well in VB, C++, VHDL, Python, Java (Eclipse IDE and Android software development), Matlab and Simulink.
- Proficient in MplabX IDE. Know well in Cadence Software (VLSI), Xilinx IDE (VHDL).
- Proficient in Altium Designer. Know well in Eagle, Designspark, NI Multisim (Circuit and PCB design). Know well in Solidworks and AutoCAD (Product design).
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- Proficient in the use of microcontrollers (PIC18 family). Know well in Raspberry Pi.
- Know well in the Cortex M series.

#### IT

- Proficient in the use of Adobe Family (Audition, After Effect, Premiere, Photoshop), Microsoft Office Products (Tutorial How to make PPT better looking in NCEPU, 2016), Corel VideoStudio, Edius, FinalCut.
- Proficient in Photography, Filmmaking and Video Editing.

#### **Driving Licence**

• Full clean driving licence in China.

#### Language

• English (IELTS 8.0/9.0), Chinese (Native Speaker)

#### **Interests**

Photography, Tennis, Piano. Model United Nations.

# Referees

Available on request