

TOAN GIAN

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Education

Graduated Student in Electrical Engineering

Northeastern University

GPA: **3.5**/4.0

Jan 2025 – Now

Boston, MS, US

Bachelor in Electrical Engineering

Hanoi University of Science and Technology (HUST)

- Best thesis award: “Deep Learning Detector for Downlink IM-NOMA System”
- Degree classification: Distinguish
- GPA: **9.5**/10

Sep 2018 – Sep 2023

Hanoi, Vietnam

Research Experience

MENTIS Laboratory, Northeastern University

Ph.D. Student

Jan 2025 – Now

Boston, MA, USA

AI/ML in Next-generation Multi-agent Control Systems: Develop a scalable and low-latency framework for multi-agent systems that minimizes resource usage (*e.g.*, computing, energy, and memory), enabling reliable operation in constrained environments.

ICC Laboratory, VinUniversity

Research Assistant

July 2023 – Dec 2024

Hanoi, Vietnam

WiFi-enabled Human Pose Estimation: Develop an efficient DNN model using WiFi signals for human pose estimation, achieving state-of-the-art accuracy with minimal computational cost.

AIoT laboratory, Phenikaa University

Research Assistant

Feb 2022 – Jun 2023

Hanoi, Vietnam

DL-based Signal Detector for Communication Systems: Develop a DNN-based signal detector for NOMA systems, achieving near-optimal performance compared to the existing methods with low complexity.

Industry Experience

Bosch Global Software Technologies Co., Ltd (BGSV)

AI Intern - Global Talent Internship Program

Aug 2022 – Feb 2023

Hanoi, Vietnam

Object detection and object tracking in front of the vehicle using front view camera: Develop a DL model for real-time object detection and tracking using a vehicle’s front-view camera.

Selected Publications

Journal Papers:

- **Toan Gian**, Dung Trung Tran, Van-Dinh Nguyen. **Multi-Modal Human Pose Estimation: A Wi-Fi-Driven Approach with Adaptive Kernel Selection.** *IEEE Transactions on Artificial Intelligence*. **(Q1, IF = 6.4)**
- Xuan Hoang Nguyen, Van-Dinh Nguyen, Quang-Trung Luu, **Toan Gian**, and Oh-Soon Shin. **Robust WiFi Sensing-based Human Pose Estimation Using Denoising Autoencoder and CNN with Dynamic Subcarrier Attention.** *The IEEE Internet of Things Journal*. **(Q1, IF = 8.9)**
- **Toan Gian**, Ngoc-Hung Pham, Van-Cuong Pham, Tien-Hoa Nguyen, Trung Tan Nguyen, and Thien Van Luong. **Deep Learning Detector for Downlink IM-NOMA.** *The Journal of Mobile Communication, Computation and Information (Wireless Networks)*. **(Q2, IF = 2.1)** [Code]

Conference Papers:

- **Toan Gian**, Mohammad Abdi, Francesco Restuccia. **SDE-HARL: Scalable Distributed Policy Execution for Heterogeneous-Agent Reinforcement Learning.** *Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI) 2026*. **(A*, Accepted Rate: 17%)** [Code]
- **Toan Gian**, Tien Lai, Thien Van Luong, Kok-Seng Wong, and Van-Dinh Nguyen. **HPE-Li: WiFi-enabled Lightweight Dual Selective Kernel Convolution for Human Pose Estimation.** *European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV) 2024*. **(A*, Accepted Rate: 21%)** [Code]

Honors and Awards

Fully Funded Ph.D. Scholarship. <i>Northeastern University</i>	2025-2029 <i>Boston, MA, USA</i>
ECCV Travel Grant Award 2024. <i>European Conference on Computer Vision 2024</i>	Sep 2024 <i>Milan, Italia</i>
Best School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering Thesis Award. <i>Hanoi University of Science and Technology; Grade: 100/100</i>	Aug 2023 <i>Hanoi, Vietnam</i>
Global Scholarship Talent Internship Program. <i>Bosch Global Software Technologies</i>	Aug 2022 <i>Hanoi, Vietnam</i>

SKILLS

Languages: Vietnamese (native), English (Toeic: 765/990, IELTS: 6.5, Duolingo English Test (DET): 105)
Framworks: Pytorch, Tensorflow/Keras.
Operator systems: Linux, Window.

REFEREES

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Assoc. Prof. Van Dinh Nguyen <i>Trinity College Dublin, Ireland</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✉ dinh.nv2@vinuni.edu.vn👤 Van Dinh Nguyen	Dublin, Ireland