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EDUCATION

Cornell University

Ph.D. in Computer Science

Ithaca, NY, United States Aug. 2024 - Present

Peking University

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Beijing, China Aug. 2020 - Jun. 2024

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

3D Part Recognition from 2D Image with a Single 3D Annoation

Jun. 2023 - Jan. 2024

Advisor: Prof. Alan Yuille

Johns Hopkins Univeristy

- Explore zero-shot object part segmentation that only requires a single 3D annotation for part definition.
- Establish 3D to 3D correspondence for uniform category-level 3D representation.
- Establish 3D to 2D correspondence for render-and-compare based part detection.

Few-shot Affordance Learning for Articulated Objects

Advisor: Prof. Hao Dong

Dec. 2022 - Jul. 2023

- Peking University • Efficiently manipulate unseen articulated objects in novel categories with minimal explorations.
- Propose to measure semantic similarity between local geometries across different categories.
- Enable model to perform few-shot learning on novel categories by discovering uncertain yet important areas.

Foresightful Deformable Object Manipulation

Jan. 2022 - May. 2023

Advisor: Prof. Hao Dong

Peking University

- Learn dense visual representations that reveal the dynamic and kinematic properties of deformable objects.
- Propose a novel training pipeline to take the future potential of object states into consideration.
- Train the model in a reversed step-by-step manner to make it foresightful.

Publications and Manuscripts

- * indicates equal contributions
- Chuanruo Ning*, Jiawei Peng*, Yaoyao Liu, Jiahao Wang, Yining Sun, Alan Yuille, Adam Kortylewski, Angtian Wang. Part321: Recognizing Object Parts in 3D from a 2D Image Using 1-Shot Annotations. Under Review, 2024.
- Yitong Li*, Ruihai Wu*, Haoran Lu, Chuanruo Ning, Yan Shen, Guanqi Zhan, Hao Dong. Broadcasting Support Relations Recursively from Local Dynamics for Object Retrieval in Clutters. In RSS, 2024.
- Chuanruo Ning, Ruihai Wu, Haoran Lu, Kaichun Mo, Hao Dong. Where 2Explore: Few-shot Affordance Learning for Unseen Novel Categories of Articulated Objects. In NeurIPS, 2023.
- Kai Cheng*, Ruihai Wu*, Yan Shen, Chuanruo Ning, Guanqi Zhan, Hao Dong. Learning Environment-Aware Affordance for 3D Articulated Object Manipulation under Occlusion. In NeurIPS, 2023.
- Ruihai Wu*, Chuanruo Ning*, Hao Dong. Learning Foresightful Dense Visual Affordance for Deformable Object Manipulation. In ICCV, 2023.

Selected Honors and Awards

- Huatai Securities Scholarship, Peking University, 2024.
- Merit Student, Peking University, 2023.
- John Hopcroft Scholarship, Peking University, 2022.
- Dean's Scholarship, Peking University, 2022.

ACADEMIC SERVICE

• Conference Reviewer: CVPR 2024–2025, NeurIPS 2024, AAAI 2024-2025, ICLR 2025.