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Research Interest

My current research interests are mobile and ubiquitous computing, including designing and implementing ubiquitous and wireless sensing systems for Internet-of-Things applications (localization, smart homes/buildings, vital sign monitoring/healthcare, and 3D human-mobile interaction). Besides, I have a broad interest in wireless network as well. Currently, most of my projects are based on acoustic signals on commercial off the shelf mobile devices.

EDUCATION

Nanjing University Nanjing, China M.S. in Computer Science and Technology; Average Scores: 88.7/100 Sep. 2019 - Current

Advisor: Wei Wang

University of Electronic Science and Technology of China

Chengdu, China

B.Eng - Networking Engineering; GPA: 3.83/4.0

Sep. 2015 - Jul. 2019

Elite Class: Liren Leadership Class

National Chiao Tung University Taiwan, China Exchange Student - Electrical and Computer Engineering; GPA: 4.15/4.3 Feb. 2017 - Jul. 2017

Publications and Research

RespTracker: Multi-user Room-scale Respiration Tracking with Commercial Acoustic Devices Haoran Wan, Shuyu Shi, Wenyu Cao, Wei Wang and Guihai Chen IEEE INFOCOM 2021, Apr. 2021.

VECTOR: Velocity Based Temperature-field Monitoring with Distributed Acoustic Devices

Haoran Wan, Lei Wang, Ting Zhao, Ke Sun, Shuyu Shi, Haipeng Dai, Guihai Chen, Haodong Liu and Wei Wang ACM IMWUT 2022, Revised Version Submitted in May 2022.

Multi-user Room-scale Respiration Tracking using COTS Acoustic Devices

Haoran Wan, Shuyu Shi, Wenyu Cao, Wei Wang and Guihai Chen

ACM TOSN 2022, Under 1st Round of Major Revision.

Extended version of INFOCOM 2021 paper

SCALAR: Self-Calibrated Acoustic Ranging for Distributed Mobile Devices

- Lei Wang, Haoran Wan, Ting Zhao, Ke Sun, Shuyu Shi, Haipeng Dai, Guihai Chen, Haodong Liu and Wei Wang IEEE TMC 2022, Under Review.
- HeadTracker: Fine-grained Head Orientation Tracking System Based on Headphones Jinpeng Song, Haipeng Dai, Shuyu Shi, Lei Wang, Haoran Wan, Zhizheng Yang, Fu Xiao, and Guihai Chen Springer WASA 2022, Under Review.
- ALT: Boost AI Inference Performance by Breaking the Wall between Data Layouts and Loops Zhiying Xu, Shuyu Shi, Jiafan Xu, Hongding Peng, Wei Wang, Xiaoliang Wang, Haoran Wan, Haipeng Dai, Kun Wang, and Guihai Chen

ACM ASPLOS 2023, Submitted in Jul. 2022.

PROJECTS

• Generating Points Cloud with Distributed Acoustic Devices

Apr. 2022 - Now

- o Try to leverage ubiquitous COTS acoustic transceivers, including laptops, mobile phones, and voice assistants in domestic environments to form a self-organized distributed sensing scheme and generate precise points cloud features (range, angle, velocity, reflection strength and .etc).
- o Challenges include 3D rigid body devices localization with 6 degrees of freedom, identifying the reflection patterns from the same object in different receiving end, and new algorithms in speed and angle estimation that are more suitable for home scenario.

• Air Temperature Field Reconstruction with COTF Acoustic Devices

Apr. 2021 - May. 2022

- Estimate the air temperature with shorter response time than traditional temperature sensors by monitoring the speed changes of sound signal. Achieve average errors 0.25°C across months of evaluations.
- o Combine Radon transform and Taylor Series to reconstruct the air temperature field with decimeter-level spatial resolution using multiple acoustic devices.
- o Leverage LOS paths and reflections to estimate the temperature in multiple slots in a car or on the table with only one pair of devices.
- o This work was submitted to IMWUT in Nov. 2021 and revised version was submitted in May. 2022.

• High Accuracy Localization System between Distributed Devices

Aug. 2020 - Mar. 2021

- Model the sampling frequency offset between distributed acoustic devices precisely.
- Cancel the frequency offset and unknown delays in sound playback and recording process between devices in real time, and return the absolute distance measurement without user's intervention/calibration.
- \circ Achieve 0.6 mm 1D localization errors up to 3 m and 1.86 mm 3D localization errors. Maintain the accuracy in long-term without performance drop (up to 8 hours).
- This work was submitted to TMC 2022.

• Multi-user Room-scale Respiration Tracking using COTS Acoustic Devices

Oct. 2020 - Aug. 2020

- Expand the acoustic based respiration sensing range to 3 m by combining multiple reflection paths.
- Separate multiple users with modulated Zadoff-Chu sequence, and can recover the breath patterns for at least 4 users in the same room simultaneously.
- Track users by re-synchronizing the reflection signals before and after users move.
- $\circ\,$ This work was accepted by INFOCOM 2021.

• In-air Continuous Hand Gesture Recognition with Acoustic Signal

Nov. 2019 - Feb. 2020

Jul. 2016

- Develop a continuous hand gesture recognition system on mobile phone with acoustic signal, cooperating with Huawei.
- Solve the practical problem of ambiguous gestures in continuous using scenario, e.g. scrolling up is similar to the reset process of scrolling down in consecutive use.
- Design and deploy signal processing algorithm and deep learning model on mobile phone that run in real-time.

Honors and Awards

- Outstanding graduate students of Nanjing University Dec. 2021
- Huawei Graduate Scholarship Nov. 2021
- Principal Special Scholarship for PhD Students Nov. 2019
- Second Class People's Scholarship Nov. 2016, 2018
- Undergraduate China National Scholarship, Nov. 2017

SKILLS SUMMARY

Languages: Python, MATLAB, Java, C/C++, SQL, Bash, Verilog
 Tools: Scikit, Pytorch/TorchLightning, TensorFlow, Keras
 Platforms: Linux, Raspberry, Android, FPGA, Microcontroller

• Domain Knowledge: (Array) Signal Processing, Machine Learning, Wireless Network

EXPERIENCE

Volunteer for Elderly Caring

	Digital Logic Design and Computer Organization Teaching Assistant	Nanjing Sep. 2021 - Ja	g, China
	Digital Circuit and Digital System Experiment Teaching Assistant	-	g, China
	ChinaSoft International Student Developer (Intern)	Chengdu Jul. 2017 - Au	u, China ug. 2017
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