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EDUCATION

- **Princeton University** Princeton, NJ, USA
Ph.D. in Computer Science Jul. 2023 - Jun. 2028 (Expected)
Advisor: Kyle Jamieson
- **Nanjing University** Nanjing, Jiangsu, China
M.S. in Computer Science Sep. 2019 - Jun. 2023
Advisor: Wei Wang
- **University of Electronic Science and Technology of China** Chengdu, Sichuan, China
B.Eng - Networking Engineering Sep. 2015 - Jul. 2019
- **National Chiao Tung University** Hsinchu, Taiwan
Exchange Student - Electrical and Computer Engineering Feb. 2017 - Jul. 2017

PUBLICATIONS AND RESEARCH

- L4Span: Spanning Congestion Signaling over NextG Networks for Interactive Applications
Haoran Wan, and Kyle Jamieson
In Submission to **SIGCOMM 2025**, Feb. 2025.
- NR-Scope: A Practical 5G Standalone Telemetry Tool
Haoran Wan, Xuyang Cao, Alexander Marder, and Kyle Jamieson
ACM CoNEXT, Dec. 2024. [PDF], [Code]
- USee: Ultrasound-based Device-free Eye Movement Sensing
Wen Cheng, Mingzhi Pang, **Haoran Wan**, Shichen Dong, Dongxu Liu, and Wei Wang
IEEE SECON (Best Paper Award), Dec. 2024. [PDF]
- Athena: Seeing and Mitigating Wireless Impact on Video Conferencing and Beyond
Fan Yi, **Haoran Wan**, Kyle Jamieson, Jennifer Rexford, Yaxiong Xie, and Oliver Michel
ACM HotNet, Nov. 2024. [PDF]
- Telesa: Evolving Mobile Cloud Gaming with 5G Standalone Network Telemetry
Haoran Wan, Kyle Jamieson
Arxiv, Feb 2024. [PDF]
- Multi-user Room-scale Respiration Tracking using COTS Acoustic Devices
Haoran Wan, Shuyu Shi, Wenyu Cao, Wei Wang, and Guihai Chen
ACM TOSN, May 2023. [PDF]
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 2023, Feb. 2023. [PDF], [Demo]
- ALT: Boosting Deep Learning Performance by Breaking the Wall between Graph and Operator Level Optimizations
Zhiying Xu, Jiafan Xu, Hongding Peng, Wei Wang, Xiaoliang Wang, **Haoran Wan**, Haipeng Dai, Yixu Xu, Hao Cheng, Kun Wang, and Guihai Chen
ACM EuroSys 2023, May 2023. [PDF]
- mSilent: Towards General Corpus Silent Speech Recognition using COTS mmWave Radar
Shang Zeng, **Haoran Wan**, Shuyu Shi and Wei Wang
ACM Ubicomp/IMWUT 2023, Oct. 2023. [PDF]
- 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 Ubicomp/IMWUT 2022 (Distinguished Paper Award), Sep. 2022. [PDF]
- 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 (Best Paper Award), Nov. 2022. [PDF]
- 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. [PDF]

DEMOS AND POSTERS

- Demo: Decoding Control Information Passively from Standalone 5G Network
• **Haoran Wan**, Xuyang Cao, Alexander Marder, and Kyle Jamieson
ACM Mobicom, Nov. 2024. [PDF]
- Understanding the Impact of Cellular RAN-induced Delay on Video Conferencing
• Fan Yi, Oliver Michel, **Haoran Wan**, and Kyle Jamieson
ACM Mobicom, Nov. 2024. [PDF]

PROJECTS

- **Spanning Congestion Signaling over NextG Networks for Interactive Applications** Aug. 2024 - Current
 - Integrated the explicit congestion notification (ECN) marking mechanism into the 5G network to achieve ultra-low latency and adequate throughput utilization.
 - In submission to SIGCOMM 2025.
- **Enhancing Mobile Cloud Gaming through 5G NR-Scope Telemetry** May 2023 - Oct. 2024
 - Developed a tool called NR-Scope to analyze 5G base station's signal with a USRP, which can decode the downlink control information for every user in every transmission time interval (0.5 ms) in the RAN, revealing both uplink and downlink resource allocated to every user in the 5G physical layer.
 - Enhanced the real-time video streaming of an open-source mobile cloud gaming platform (sunshine and moonlight) with the fine-grained RAN resource information.
 - The NR-Scope tool was accepted by CoNEXT 2024 and is open source at <https://github.com/PrincetonUniversity/NR-Scope>. The cloud gaming part was posted on Arxiv.
- **General Corpus Silent Speech Recognition with mmWave Radar** Dec. 2021 - Nov. 2022
 - Did a comprehensive study on silent speech recognition with mmWave radar, the corpus is formed with 1000+ daily conversation sentences, and we collected 21K+ samples as our dataset.
 - Designed a signal processing pipeline for localizing users' head and filtering out unrelated motions.
 - Proposed a transformer-based neural network backend with user-adaptive design to recognize the speech and achieved words error rate comparable with video-based SOTA.
 - This work was accepted by Ubicomp/IMWUT 2023.
- **Air Temperature Field Reconstruction with COTF Acoustic Devices** Apr. 2021 - May. 2022
 - Estimated the air temperature with shorter response time than traditional temperature sensors by monitoring the speed changes of the sound signal. Achieve average errors 0.25°C across months of evaluations.
 - Modified Radon transform to reconstruct the air temperature field with decimeter-level spatial resolution.
 - Leveraged LOS paths and reflections for in-car temperature estimation.
 - This work was accepted by Ubicomp/IMWUT 2022 and won the Distinguished Paper Award.
- **High Accuracy Localization System between Distributed Devices** Aug. 2020 - Mar. 2021
 - Modeled the sampling frequency offset between distributed acoustic devices precisely.
 - Canceled 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.
 - 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 accepted by TMC.
- **Multi-user Room-scale Respiration Tracking using COTS Acoustic Devices** Sept. 2019 - 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.
 - This work was accepted by INFOCOM 2021.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- IEEE SECON Best Paper Award - Dec. 2024
- ACM IMWUT Distinguished Paper Award - Sept. 2022
- Outstanding graduate students of Nanjing University - Dec. 2021
- Huawei Graduate Scholarship - Nov. 2021
- Principal Special Scholarship for Graduate Students - Nov. 2019
- Second Class People's Scholarship - Nov. 2016, 2018
- Undergraduate China National Scholarship, Nov. 2017

SKILLS SUMMARY

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

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Digital Logic Design and Computer Organization
Teaching Assistant Nanjing, China
Sep. 2021 - Jan. 2022
- Digital Circuit and Digital System Experiment
Teaching Assistant Nanjing, China
Sep. 2020 - Jan. 2021