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## RESEARCH THEME

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My research interests lie in *Software Engineering for Machine Learning*, especially the reusability, reproducibility, and trustworthiness of deep learning pre-trained models (PTMs).

## EDUCATION

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<b>Ph.D, Electrical and Computer Engineering</b> <i>Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN</i>	2020–present
<b>B.Sc. Applied Physics</b> <i>Southeast University, Jiangsu, China</i>	2016–2020
<b>Study Abroad Program, Engineering Physics</b> <i>University of California, Santa Barbara, CA</i>	2019

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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<b>Graduate Research Assistant</b> <i>Purdue University — Advised by James C. Davis</i>	2021–present
<b>TensorFlow Model Developer</b> <i>Purdue University × Google</i>	2021–present

## REFEREED CONFERENCE PUBLICATIONS

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- [1] **Jiang**, Synovic, Hyatt, Schorlemmer, Sethi, Lu, Thiruvathukal, and Davis. *An Empirical Study of Pre-Trained Model Reuse in the Hugging Face Deep Learning Model Registry*. Proceedings of the ACM/IEEE 45th International Conference on Software Engineering (**ICSE'23**).
- [2] Montes, Peerapatanapokin, Schultz, Guo, **Jiang**, and Davis. *Discrepancies among Pre-trained Deep Neural Networks: A New Threat to Model Zoo Reliability*. Proceedings of the 30th ACM Joint European Software Engineering Conference and Symposium on the Foundations of Software Engineering — Ideas, Visions, and Reflections track (**ESEC/FSE-IVR'22**).

## REFEREED WORKSHOPS, DEMONSTRATIONS, AND COMPETITIONS

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- [1] **Jiang**, Synovic, Jajal, Schorlemmer, Tewari, Pareek, Thiruvathukal, and Davis. *PTMTorrent: A Dataset for Mining Open-source Pre-trained Model Packages*. Proceedings of the 20th International Conference on Mining Software Repositories (**MSR'23**).
- [2] **Jiang**, Synovic, Sethi, Indarapu, Hyatt, Schorlemmer, Thiruvathukal, and Davis. *An Empirical Study of Artifacts and Security Risks in the Pre-trained Model Supply Chain*. Proceedings of the 1st ACM Workshop on Software Supply Chain Offensive Research and Ecosystem Defenses (**SCORED'22**).

- [3] Synovic, Hyatt, Sethi, Thota, Shilpika, Miller, **Jiang**, Amobi, Pinderski, Laufer, Hayward, Kingensmith, Davis, and Thiruvathukal. *Snapshot Metrics Are Not Enough: Analyzing Software Repositories with Longitudinal Metrics*. Proceedings of the 37th IEEE/ACM International Conference on Automated Software Engineering — Demonstrations track (**ASE-Tool Demonstrations'22**).
- [4] Veselsky, West, Ahlgren, Thiruvathukal, Klingensmith, Goel, **Jiang**, Davis, Lee, and Kim. *Establishing trust in vehicle-to-vehicle coordination: a sensor fusion approach*. Proceedings of the 23rd Annual International Workshop on Mobile Computing Systems and Application (**HotMobile'22**).

## TECHNICAL REPORTS

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- [1] Jajal, **Jiang**, Tewari, Woo, Lu, Thiruvathukal, and Davis. *Challenges and Practices of Deep Learning Model Reengineering: A Case Study on Computer Vision*. <https://arxiv.org/abs/2303.17708>. 2023.
- [2] **Jiang**, Banna, Vivek, Goel, Synovic, Klingensmith, Thiruvathukal, and Davis. *Challenges and Practices of Deep Learning Model Reengineering: A Case Study on Computer Vision*. <https://arxiv.org/abs/2303.07476>. 2023.
- [3] Banna, Chinnakotla, Yan, Vegesana, Vivek, Krishnappa, **Jiang**, Lu, Thiruvathukal, and Davis. *An Experience Report on Machine Learning Reproducibility: Guidance for Practitioners and TensorFlow Model Garden Contributors*. <https://arxiv.org/abs/2107.00821>. 2021.

## TEACHING ASSISTANT

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ECE 595 – Advanced Software Engineering  
Purdue University

Spring 2022

## INVITED TALKS

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**An Empirical Study of Pre-Trained Model Reuse in the Hugging Face Deep Learning Model Registry** 2023  
*Purdue University Programming Languages Group, Seminar*

**Deep Learning Model Reengineering: An Exploratory Case Study on Computer Vision** 2022  
*Purdue University Programming Languages Group, Seminar*

## AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

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Study Abroad Fellowship, Southeast University	2019
Second prize, Vision Guided Robot Competition, Southeast University	2019
Distinction Award, Southeast University	2018
Third prize, Structural Innovation Invitation Competition, Southeast University	2017

## ACTIVITIES AS A REFEREE

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Sub-Reviewer: LCTES'23	2023	Sub-Reviewer: ESEC/FSE'23	2023	Sub-Reviewer: ASE'22	2022
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## DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

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Director, Southeast University TV Station	2016-2019
Member, Southeast University Physics Student Council	2016-2017

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

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Student member, Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)

Student member, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)