

#### **EDUCATION**

# University at Albany, State University of New York

09/2019 - present

Doctor of Philosophy - PhD, Signal Processing & Communications

GPA: 3.87/4.0

NY, USA

Xidian University
Master of Engineering, Signal and Information Processing

GPA: 3.78/4.0

09/2016 - 07/2019

Shaanxi, China

Xidian University

09/2012 - 07/2016

Bachelor of Engineering, Electronic Information Engineering

GPA: 3.67/4.0

Shaanxi, China

#### Research Interest

• Machine Learning

• Signal Processing

• Key generation

• Wireless steganography

• Wireless cryptography

# Research Experience

Key generation 2022 – present

Advised by: Dr. Dola Saha

- propose a Key Generation model using neural networks from wireless Channels
- extract the implicit features of channel in a compressed form to derive keys with high KGR and low KDR

# Wireless steganography

2021 - present

Advised by: Dr. Dola Saha

- design a complex-valued neural network to hide the transmission of secret signals
- this method has nothing to do with any properties of the covert signal (such as waveform or modulation order)
- use complex-valued neural networks, which is more powerful and has a faster learning speed than real-valued neural network
- transmit signals over the air and apply the transfer learning method to retrain the model again to further optimize the system and get a lower bit error rate

# Teaching human motion

2019 - 2020

Advised by: Dr. Weifu Wang

- offer a systematic exploration of how to decompose complicated physical motions to make motion more interpretable and easier to learn for humans
- build a teaching environment in a virtual environment (VR + unity)
- use real robot teaching frontend to demonstrate motion clips(sign language, breaststroke, butterfly, etc)

#### Medical Image Segmentation based on Level Set

2017 - 2019

Advised by: Dr. Jin Liu

- aim at the shortcomings of the medical image such as uneven distribution of gray level, strong background interference, and blurred target area, introduce probabilistic statistics theory under the framework of the level set algorithm, define the inner and outer intensity of image contour as two fitting functions and propose an algorithm for segmentation of medical MR image
- based on optimizing the combination of level set and probability statistical model, improve the evolutionary energy function, and add regular terms, also introduce the concept of membership function of fuzzy clustering algorithm

Advised by: Dr. Jin Liu

- aim at the changes of illumination, expression, and occlusion in single sample face recognition, introduce general learning method and image segmentation
- present a general cooperative representation model combining global and local information
- improve the recognition rate of face images under uneven illumination, facial expression changes, and occlusion

### **Publications**

- Z ZOU, X Wei, A Dutta, D Saha, G Hellbourg, SCISRS: Signal Cancellation using Intelligent Surfaces for Radio Astronomy Services, in 2022 IEEE Global Communications Conference (GLOBECOM).
- Xue Wei and Dola Saha, KNEW: Key Generation using NEural Networks from Wireless Channels, in ACM Wireless Security and Machine Learning (WiseML) 2022.
- Hesham Mohammed, Xue Wei and Dola Saha, Adversarial Learning for Hiding Wireless Signals, in 2021 IEEE Global Communications Conference (GLOBECOM).
- Jin Liu, Xue Wei, Langlang Li, MR Image Segmentation Based on Level Set Method, Multimedia Tools and Applications, 79, pages11487–11502(2020).
- Jin Liu, Xue Wei, Qi Li, Langlang Li, A Level Set Algorithm Based on Probabilistic Statistics for MR Image Segmentation, 2018 International Conference on Intelligence Science and Big Data Engineering, (2018), PP. 562
- Jin Liu, Qi Li, Xue Wei, Collaborative Error Propagation for Single Sample Face Recognition, 2018 International Conference on Intelligence Science and Big Data Engineering, (2018), PP. 332
- Xue Wei and Dola Saha, Waveform Independent Practical Covert Communication(Under Review)

#### Teaching Experience

| IECE 111 - Introduction to ECE, Teaching Assistant         | Spring 2022 |
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| IECE 141 - Introduction to Programming, Teaching Assistant | Spring 2022 |
| IECE 110 - Introduction to Engineering, Teaching Assistant | Fall 2021   |
| IECE 553 - Cyber-Physical Systems, Teaching Assistant      | Fall 2021   |
| IECE 371 - Signals and Systems, Teaching Assistant         | Fall 2020   |
| IECE 110 - Introduction to Engineering, Teaching Assistant | Fall 2020   |
| Responsibilities: Graded, Conducted Laboratory Classes     |             |

### TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: C, C++, MATLAB, Python, Julia

Algorithms: Linear/Non-Linear programming, Wireless Communications Systems, OFDM

Platforms:PyTorch, Robot Operating System (ROS)

# Coursework

Probability and Random Process
 Robotics

• Linear Control Theory • Adv Digital Communications

• Info Theory, Infrnce, Mach Lrn • Advanced Electronic Circuits

• Cyber-Physical Systems

• Modern Wireless Networks

#### Awards and Honors

| ACM WiSec2022 Student Travel Grants            | Wisec2022            |
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| Presidential Fellowship Award 2021             | University at Albany |
| Presidential Fellowship Award 2020             | University at Albany |
| Excellent Graduate Student                     | Xidian University    |
| 2017 First Class Graduate Student Scholarship  | Xidian University    |
| 2016 Second Class Graduate Student Scholarship | Xidian University    |
| 2016 Third Class Scholarship                   | Xidian University    |
| 2015 Third Class Scholarship                   | Xidian University    |
| 2014 Third Class Scholarship                   | Xidian University    |
| 2013 Third Class Scholarship                   | Xidian University    |