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Research interests: Robotics, Deep Reinforcement Learning, Multi-Agent Systems, UAVs

#### **EDUCATION**

#### **National University of Singapore**

GPA: 5.0 / 5.0

Singapore

Major: M.Eng. in Mechanical Engineering (By Research), Department of Mechanical Engineering

08/2023-Present

- Core Courses: Linear Systems, Autonomous Mobile Robotics, Advanced Robotics
- Research focus: Robotics, Multi-agent Deep Reinforcement Learning, Control
- Master thesis: Multi-agent Reliable Navigation in Dynamical Environments

**Northwestern Polytechnical University** 

GPA: 84%

Xi'an China

Major: B.Eng. in Aircraft Design and Engineering, School of Aeronautics

09/2019-07/2023

- Scholarship: Second Prize Scholarship Excellent Student Leader
- Core Courses: Aerodynamics, Automatic Control Theory, Mathematics Analysis, Linear Algebra
- NPU School of Aeronautics Student Union | President

04/2021-06/2022

International Internet+ College Students Innovation and Entrepreneurship Competition

National Gold Award

"Huamo Cup" National College Students Flight Simulation Championship

National Third Prize

### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

### • Multi-Agent Path Finding Based on Deep Reinforcement Learning

05/2024-Present

[Agency for Science, Technology and Research] | Supervisor: Guo Hongliang

- Improved the existing Node2Vec algorithm to handle the dynamic topological networks better.
- Utilized Graph Attention Networks to enhance the decision-making weights of dynamic edges.
- Integrated reinforcement learning for online training of the network.

Related: Python, Pytorch, ROS1, Multi-Agent Systems, Graph Attention Networks, Natural Language Processing

• Design and Control of Manta Ray Robot (Bioinspired Underwater Robot)

08/2023-Present

[NUS ME Control and Mechatronics Labs] | Supervisor: Chew Chee Meng

- Designed a new type of buoyancy system and mass adjustment system for the Manta Ray robot.
- Improved original single-degree-of-freedom pectoral fin to dual-degree-of-freedom, enhancing controllability.
- Upgraded Arduino-based control system to include control of the buoyancy system and the pectoral fins.

Related: Python, Arduino, SolidWorks, Bioinspired Robotics

### • Quadcopter Overall Design and Trajectory Re-planning

07/2020-09/2021

[NPU Aircraft Design and Testing Technique Engineering Laboratory] | Supervisor: Wang Ban

- Designed and made a quadcopter unmanned aerial vehicle (UAV).
- Studied the trajectory re-planning and obstacle avoidance of UAVs.

Related: MATLAB, XFLR5, Catia, Aerodynamics

### **SELECTED PROJECTS**

Project Website

• Autonomous Mobile Robotics [GitHub] | ROS1, Python, OpenCV

01/2024-04/2024

- Navigate the robot to the designated location and specified pattern integrating vision recognition.
- Manipulator Simulation [GitHub] | MATLAB, Kinematics

03/2024-04/2024

• Establish a robotic arm model, then use inverse kinematics to calculate the corresponding joint angles.

## **PUBLICATIONS** (\* corresponding author)

Multi-Robot Reliable Navigation in Uncertain Topological Environments with Graph Attention Network *Related*: Multi-agent System, Graph Neural Networks, Deep Reinforcement Learning

Under Review

### **SKILLS**

Programming Language: Python (Proficient), MATLAB (Proficient), C++ (Intermediate), Arduino (Beginner)

Robotics Related: ROS1 (Intermediate), Gazebo (Beginner), SolidWorks (Proficient), Catia (Intermediate)

Others: Latex, Tableau, Visio, Origin, Adobe Premiere Pro, SPSS, Photography