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RESEARCH INTEREST

High-dimensional Statistics; Genetic Association Studies; Physics Informed Models; Functional Data Analysis; Deep Learning.

EDUCATION

• Center for Statistical Science, Peking University *Ph.D. Statistics*

Sep 2020 - July 2025 (Expected) Beijing, China

• School of Mathematics and Statistics, Wuhan University

Bachelor

Mar 2017 - June 2020 Wuhan, China

• School of Remote Sensing and Information Engineering, Wuhan University

Sep 2016 - Mar 2017 Wuhan, China

PUBLICATIONS, *CO-FIRST AUTHOR

- [1] Fangzhi Luo, Wei Zhang* and Decai Liang (2022). **Test of Partial Separability for Multivariate Functional Data**. *Statistica Sinica*, published online, https://doi.org/10.5705/ss.202022.0370.
- [2] Wei Zhang, Fan Wang and Fang Yao (2025). **Fast Signal Region Detection with Application to Whole Genome Association Studies**. *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, published online, https://doi.org/10.1080/01621459.2025.2464271.
- [3] Fan Wang, Wei Zhang* and Fang Yao (2025). **Computationally Efficient Whole-Genome Signal Region Detection for Quantitative and Binary Traits**. *Annals of Applied Statistics*, published online, https://imstat.org/journals-and-publications/annals-of-applied-statistics/annals-of-applied-statistics-next-issues.
- [4] Wei Zhang, Ying Yang and Fang Yao (2025+). **High-Dimensional Detection of Spatial Interference Effects via Low-Rank and Sparse Modeling**. Submitted to *Journal of Machine Learning Research*.
- [5] Wei Zhang and Fang Yao (2025+). **Structural Change Detection in Dynamic Systems**. *In progress*.

CONFERENCES

The 13th National Conference on Probability and Statistics, Xiamen, China, 18th Nov – 21th Nov, 2024: "Fast Signal Region Detection with Application to Whole Genome Association Studies". Invited Report.

TEACHING-ASSISSANT

- T.A., Advanced Algebra 1, Peking University (Autumn, 2020)
- T.A., Modern Statistical Models, Peking University (Spring, 2022)

SKILLS

• Proficient in statistical analysis and software (R, Python and Matlab)