

# Zhiming Zhou

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## Employment

**Shanghai University of Finance and Economics.**  
*Department of Computer Science.*

**Shanghai, China**  
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## Education

**Shanghai Jiao Tong University.**  
*Ph.D. in Computer Science, Advised by Prof. Yong Yu.*

**Shanghai, China**  
*Sep. 2014 - Jun. 2020*

**Shanghai Jiao Tong University.**  
*B.S. in Computer Science (ACM Class).*

**Shanghai, China**  
*Sep. 2010 - Jun. 2014*

## Research Interests

I have a broad interest in fundamental techniques and theories of machine learning and deep learning, including optimization, generalization, generative models, representation learning, learning theory, design principles of neural networks, etc. Ultimately, I hope to contribute to laying a solid foundation for the application of artificial (general) intelligence in the real world.

My research in the Ph.D. stage was mainly focused on generative adversarial networks (GANs). I worked on computer graphics in the early years of my Ph.D. (2014-2016), focused on surface reflectance acquisition.

## Publications

### **Recurrent Temporal Revision Graph Networks.**

- Yizhou Chen, Anxiang Zeng, Guangda Huzhang, Qingtao Yu, Kerui Zhang, Kangle Wu, Han Yu, *Zhiming Zhou*.
- The Thirty-seventh Annual Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS, 2023).

### **Clustered Embedding Learning for Recommender Systems.**

- Yizhou Chen, Guangda Huzhang, Anxiang Zeng, Qingtao Yu, Hui Sun, Jingyi Li, Yabo Ni, Han Yu, *Zhiming Zhou*.
- The 2023 ACM Web Conference (WWW, 2023).

### **Lipschitz Generative Adversarial Nets.**

- *Zhiming Zhou*, Jiadong Liang, Yuxuan Song, Lantao Yu, Hongwei Wang, Weinan Zhang, Yong Yu, Zhihua Zhang.
- The Thirty-sixth International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML, 2019).

### **AdaShift: Decorrelation and Convergence of Adaptive Learning Rate Methods.**

- *Zhiming Zhou*, Qingru Zhang, Guansong Lu, Hongwei Wang, Weinan Zhang, Yong Yu.
- The Seventh International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR, 2019).

### **Activation Maximization Generative Adversarial Nets.**

- *Zhiming Zhou*, Han Cai, Shu Rong, Yuxuan Song, Kan Ren, Weinan Zhang, Jun Wang, Yong Yu.
- The Sixth International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR, 2018).

### **Sparse-as-Possible SVBRDF Acquisition.**

- *Zhiming Zhou*, Guojun Chen, Yue Dong, David Wipf, Yong Yu, John Snyder, Xin Tong.
- ACM Transactions on Graphics (TOG) - Proceedings of ACM SIGGRAPH Asia, 2016.

### **Guiding the One-to-one Mapping in CycleGAN via Optimal Transport.**

- Guansong Lu, *Zhiming Zhou*, Yuxuan Song, Kan Ren, Yong Yu.
- The Thirty-Third AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI, 2019).

### **Unsupervised Diverse Colorization via Generative Adversarial Networks.**

- Yun Cao, *Zhiming Zhou*, Weinan Zhang, Yong Yu.
- The European Conference on Machine Learning (ECML, 2017).

### **Optimizing an Inverse KL Divergence for Converting RDF Triples into High-Quality Natural Languages.**

- Yaoming Zhu, Juncheng Wan, *Zhiming Zhou*, Liheng Chen, Lin Qiu, Weinan Zhang, Xin Jiang, Yong Yu.
- The 42nd International Conference on Research and Development in Information Retrieval (SIGIR, 2019).

### **Exposure Bias versus Self-Recovery: Are Distortions Really Incremental for Autoregressive Text Generation?**

- Tianxing He, Jingzhao Zhang, *Zhiming Zhou*, James Glass.
- The 2021 Conference on Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP, 2021).

### **Learning to Design Games: Strategic Environments in Deep Reinforcement Learning.**

- Haifeng Zhang, Jun Wang, *Zhiming Zhou*, Weinan Zhang, Ying Wen, Yong Yu, Wenxin Li.
- The 27th International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI, 2018).

### **Improving Unsupervised Domain Adaptation with Variational Information Bottleneck.**

- Yuxuan Song, Lantao Yu, Zhangjie Cao, *Zhiming Zhou*, Jian Shen, Shuo Shao, Weinan Zhang, Yong Yu.
- The 24th European Conference on Artificial Intelligence (ECAI, 2020).

### **Towards Efficient and Unbiased Implementation of Lipschitz Continuity in GANs.**

- *Zhiming Zhou*, Jian Shen, Yuxuan Song, Weinan Zhang, Yong Yu.
- Technical report. arXiv preprint arXiv:1904.01184.

### **Large-Scale Optimal Transport via Adversarial Training with Cycle-Consistency.**

- Guansong Lu\*, *Zhiming Zhou\**, Jian Shen, Cheng Chen, Weinan Zhang, Yong Yu.
- Technical report. arXiv preprint arXiv:2003.06635.

## **Honors and Awards**

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Top 33% Reviewer for the thirty-seventh International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML). 2020.

Excellent Ph.D. Student Scholarship (Top 1%). Shanghai Jiao Tong University. 2019.

Excellent Intern Award. Microsoft Research Asia. 2016.

Excellent Intern Award. Microsoft Research Asia. 2014.

The First Prize in National Olympiad in Informatics in Provinces (NOIP). Jiangxi Province, China. 2009.