

Dingyi Zhuang

Research Interests

Urban Computing

- Spatiotemporal data mining
- Graph neural network on traffic network
- Bayesian probabilistic models

Intelligent transportation system

- Reinforcement learning based traffic control

Education

2021 – Now Massachusetts Institute of Technology

- Master in Transportation and Highway Engineering
- Advisor: Jinhua Zhao, Haris N. Koutsopoulos

2019 – 2021 McGill University

- Master (Thesis) in Transportation Engineering
- Advisor: Lijun Sun
- GPA: **3.8/4.0**
- Thesis: Spatial Aggregation and Temporal Convolution Graph Neural Network for Kriging

2015 – 2019 Shanghai Jiao Tong University

- Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering (Tsien Hsue-Shen Class)
- Advisor: Jiangang Jin
- GPA: **3.55/4.0**; Ranking: **3/8**
- Graduate with Outstanding Honor (Top 5%)

Journal Publications

2022 A Universal Framework of Spatiotemporal Bias Block for Long-Term Traffic Forecasting

Fuqiang Liu, Jiawei Wang, Jingbo Tian, Dingyi Zhuang, Luis Miranda-Moreno, Lijun Sun*
IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Transportation Systems

2020 From compound word to metropolitan station: Semantic similarity analysis using smart card data

Dingyi Zhuang, Siyu Hao, Lee Der-Horng*, Jiangang Jin
Transportation Research Part C: Emerging Technologies, Volume 114, May 2020, Pages 322-337



2019 Understanding the bike sharing travel demand and cycle lane network: the case of Shanghai

Dingyi Zhuang, Jiangang Jin*, Yifan Shen, Wei Jiang
International Journal of Sustainable Transportation, 2019: 1-13





Conference Proceedings

- 2022 **Uncertainty Quantification of Sparse Trip Demand Prediction with Spatial-Temporal Graph Neural Networks** 
Dingyi Zhuang, Shenhao Wang*, Haris N. Koutsopoulos, Jinhua Zhao
28th ACM SIGKDD Conference on Knowledge Discovery & Data Mining (KDD-2022)
- 2022 **The Braess Paradox in Dynamic Traffic** 
Dingyi Zhuang, Yuzhu Huang, Vindula Jayawardana, Jinhua Zhao, Dajiang Suo, Cathy Wu*
25th IEEE International Conference on Intelligent Transportation Systems
- 2020 **Inductive graph neural networks for spatiotemporal kriging** 
Yuankai Wu, Dingyi Zhuang, Lijun Sun*
The Thirty-Fifth AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-21)
- 2020 **A Pseudo-3D Convolutional Neural Network based Framework for Short-term Mixed Passenger Flow Prediction in Large-scale Public Transit.**
Siyu Hao, Dingyi Zhuang, De Zhao, Lee Der-Horng*
Transportation Research Board 2020
- 2018 **An empirical study on cycle lane network using bike sharing data: the case of Shanghai.**
Dingyi Zhuang, Jiangang Jin*, Yifan Shen, Wei Jiang
2018 International Conference on Transportation and Space-time Economics

Working Papers

- 2022 **Deep Hybrid Model with Urban Road Network.**
Dingyi Zhuang, Shenhao Wang*, Haris N. Koutsopoulos, Jinhua Zhao
Submitted to Transportation Research Part C: Emerging Technologies
- 2022 **Effects on the Spread of the COVID-19 Omicron Variant from Mask Wearing on Public Transit.**
Dingyi Zhuang, Yuzhu Huang, Xiaotong Guo, Jinhua Zhao
Working paper
- 2022 **Understanding Incident Impacts on Ridership Demand Change in Urban Transit System: the Case in Chicago.**
Dingyi Zhuang, Baichuan Mo, Haris N. Koutsopoulos, Jinhua Zhao*
In submission to Journal of Public Transportation
- 2022 **Mitigating The Braess's Paradox in A Closed System Using Reinforcement Learning.**
Yuzhu Huang, Dingyi Zhuang, Vindula Jayawardana, Jinhua Zhao, Dajiang Suo, Cathy Wu*
Working paper
- 2022 **Fairness-enhancing deep learning for ride-hailing demand prediction.**
Yunhan Zheng, Qingyi Wang, Dingyi Zhuang, Shenhao Wang*, Jinhua Zhao
Submitted to Transportation Research Part C: Emerging Technologies
- 2022 **Uncertainty Quantification of Spatiotemporal Travel Demand with Probabilistic Graph Neural Networks.**
Qingyi Wang, Shenhao Wang*, Dingyi Zhuang, Haris Koutsopoulos, Jinhua Zhao
Submitted to IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Transportation Systems
- 2021 **Low-Rank Hankel Tensor Completion for Traffic Speed Estimation** 
Xudong Wang, Yuankai Wu, Dingyi Zhuang, Lijun Sun*
Submitted to IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Transportation Systems
- 2021 **Spatial Aggregation and Temporal Convolution Networks for Real-time Kriging** 
Yuankai Wu, Dingyi Zhuang, Lijun Sun*
Submitted to IEEE Transactions on Knowledge and Data Engineering

Work & Research Experience

- Apr 2021– **MIT Transit Lab** 
Now Research Assistant
Advisor: Jinhua Zhao; Shenhao Wang
Working agencies:
○ Chicago Transit Authority (CTA), rail incident data analysis
○ Department of Energy (DOE), travel demand prediction
- Aug 2020– **Mitacs Accelerate with ExPretio** 
Jun 2021 Winter Intern
○ Combination of multi-horizon models for demand forecasting
- 2019–2021 **Interuniversity Research Centre on Enterprise Networks, Logistics and Transportation (CIRRELT)** 
Master's Student
Advisor: Lijun Sun
- Jul 2018– **Civil and Environmental Engineering, National University of Singapore**
Sep 2018 Research Assistant
Advisor: Lee Der-Horng
- Oct 2017– **Institute of Refrigeration and Cryogenic Engineering, Shanghai Jiao Tong Univ.**
Nov 2017 Research Assistant
- Mar 2017– **Chuntsung Program, Shanghai Jiao Tong Univ.** 
Jun 2018 Research Assistant
- Aug 2016– **Robotics Institute, Shanghai Jiao Tong Univ.**
Sep 2015 Research Assistant

Honors & Awards

- 2020 **CIRRELT Excellence Scholarships (Master's), CIRRELT**
- 2019 & 2021 **Graduate Excellence Fellowship, McGill University**
- 2019 **Hsue-shen Tsien Class, Shanghai Jiao Tong University**
Top 5%, Honor Program in School of Mechanical Engineering
- 2017 **Chungtsung Scholarship, Hui-Chun Chin and Tsung-Dao Lee Chinese Undergraduate Research Endowment**
Top 10% in selected excellent research students in Shanghai Jiao Tong University
- 2017 **Chinese Big Data Innovation Application and Modeling Contest** 
First Prize (1/135)
- 2016 & 2017 **Eleme Scholarship, Shanghai Jiao Tong University**
- 2017 **2017 Mathematical Contest in Modeling**
Honorable Mention
- 2016 **Excellent Student, Shanghai Jiao Tong University**
Top 5%
- 2015 **Freshmen Scholarship, Shanghai Jiao Tong University**

Position of Responsibility

- Oct 2015– **Center of Quality Development, Shanghai Jiao Tong University**
Sep 2017 Vice president

Technical skills

Languages Python, MATLAB, R, \LaTeX

Tools Adobe PhotoShop, Premier, Lightroom