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EDUCATION

California Institute of Technology

Pasadena, CA

• PhD candidate in Computing & Mathematical Sciences

Princeton University

Princeton, NJ, Class of 2019

- BSE in Computer Science, Summa Cum Laude
- Certificate in Statistics & Machine Learning

Publications

Visual Vibration Tomography:

Estimating Interior Material Properties from Monocular Video (PDF)

arXiv 2021

Berthy Feng, Alexander C. Ogren, Chiara Daraio, Katherine L. Bouman

- Formulate a physics-informed approach for recovering 3D, spatially-varying material properties of an object from monocular video.
- Demonstrate our approach on simulated and real videos of drum heads and cubes.

Towards Unique and Informative Captioning of Images (PDF)

ECCV 2020

Zeyu Wang, Berthy Feng, Karthik Narasimhan, Olga Russakovsky

- Propose SPICE-U, an image-captioning metric that rewards diverse and descriptive captions and is better correlated with human judgment.
- Demonstrate a technique to improve any captioning model by using mutual information as a re-ranking objective.

Bandwidth Expansion Using Perceptually-Motivated Loss (PDF)

ICASSP 2019

Berthy Feng, Zeyu Jin, Jiaqi Su, Adam Finkelstein

- Propose a deep-learning model for extreme speech bandwidth expansion (8 kHz to 44.1 kHz), using a variant of FFTNet trained with perceptual loss.
- Show that our perceptual objective leads to better human judgment scores for perceptual quality.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Google, Software Engineering Intern

Mountain View, CA, Summer 2019

Play Search ML

• Integrated BERT model in Play Apps Search pipeline and evaluated the model as a ranking signal.

Google, Software Engineering Intern

Los Angeles, CA, Summer 2018

Photos Machine Intelligence

- Developed back-end infrastructure and machine learning models on Machine Intelligence team of Google Photos.
- Expanded data pipeline to add new source of training data for ML models related to people clustering.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Volunteer Tutor	Caltech Y	2019
Lab TA	Princeton CSML, SML 201: Intro to Data Science	2019
Teaching Assistant	Princeton CS, IW06: Deep Learning for Audio Synthesis	2018
Lab TA & Grader	Princeton CS, Introductory CS Courses	2018
Tutor	Princeton McGraw Center for Teaching & Learning, ECO 100/101	2017 - 2018

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, MATLAB, Java, C++, C Deep Learning Frameworks: TensorFlow, PyTorch, Caffe

AWARDS & HONORS

NSF Graduate Research Fellowship 2020 Kortschak Scholars Graduate Fellowship 2019