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Research Interests

Visual SLAM, and Computational Photography

Education

- 2017–2021 **PhD student in Department of Computing, Imperial College London.**
Supervisors Dr. Stefan Leutenegger and Prof. Andrew Davison
- April 2015– **M.Eng., Precision Engineering, University of Tokyo.**
March 2017 Graduated with 4.0/4.0 GPA and Outstanding Master's Thesis Award
Thesis Optical Flow-based Video Completion for a Moving Spherical Camera
Supervisors Assoc. Prof. Atsushi Yamashita and Prof. Hajime Asama
- 2010–2014 **B.Eng., Information Engineering, South China University of Technology.**
GPA 88.07/100 (Ranking: TOP 6% (20/329))

Publications

- RA-L 2017 **Binbin Xu**, Sarthak Pathak, Hiromitsu Fujii, Atsushi Yamashita, Hajime Asama: *Spatio-temporal Video Completion in Spherical Image Sequences*. IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters, Vol. 2, No. 4, pp. 2032-2039, 2017
- ROBIO 2016 **Binbin Xu**, Sarthak Pathak, Hiromitsu Fujii, Atsushi Yamashita, Hajime Asama: *Optical Flow-based Video Completion in Spherical Image Sequences*. Proceedings of the 2016 IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Biomimetics, pp.388-395, 2016
- ICAM 2015 **Binbin Xu**, Sarthak Pathak, Hiromitsu Fujii, Atsushi Yamashita, Hajime Asama: *Robot Body Occlusion Removal in Omnidirectional Video Using Color and Shape Information*. Proceedings of the 2015 JSME/RMD International Conference on Advanced Mechatronics, pp.49-50, 2015 (**Honorable Mention Award**)
- ROBIO 2013 Ningjia Yang, Feng Duan, Yudi Wei, Chuang Liu, Jeffrey Too Chuan Tan, **Binbin Xu**, Jin Zhang: *A study of the human-robot synchronous control system based on skeletal tracking technology*. Proceedings of the 2013 IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Biomimetics, pp.2191-2196, 2013
- ROBIO 2012 Wenyu Li, Feng Duan, Bo Chen, Jing Yuan, Jeffrey Too Chuan Tan, **Binbin Xu**: *Mobile robot action based on QR code identification*. Proceedings of the 2012 IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Biomimetics, pp.860-865, 2012
- ROBIO 2012 Ningjia Yang, Feng Duan, Sicen Liu, Lili Dai, Jeffrey Too Chuan Tan, **Binbin Xu**: *Ankle-angle analysis of drop-foot patients in walking with FES*. Proceedings of the 2012 IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Biomimetics, pp.831-836, 2012

Experience

- Feb. **Australian Robotic Vision Summer School and visiting at University of Adelaide.**
2018 Hosts: ACRV, Professor Ian Reid, Dr. Yasir Latif
- May – Aug. **Participant Student, OpenCV in Google Summer of Code.**

2017 Mentor: Dr. Gary Bradski
April – June **Visiting Student, Department of Computer Science, University of Tokyo.**
2017 Supervisor: Professor Takeo Igarashi
Sep. 2014 – **Research Student, Department of Precision Engineering, UTokyo.**
March 2015 Supervisors: Assoc. Prof. Atsushi Yamashita and Prof. Hajime Asama

Honors & Awards

2017–2020 **CSC-Imperial Scholarship**, sponsored equally by China Scholarship Council and Imperial College London together (15 students per year in the Imperial College)
2017 **Outstanding Master's Thesis Award**, Department of Precision Engineering, University of Tokyo
2016 **JSME Fellow Award for Outstanding Young Engineers**, The Japan Society of Mechanical Engineers (JSME)
2016 - 2017 **Monbukagakusho Honors Scholarship for Privately-Financed International Students**, Japan Student Services Organization (JASSO)
2015 **Honorable Mention Award**, 2015 JSME/RMD International Conference on Advanced Mechatronics (ICAM 2015)
2011 **Second Grade Student Scholarship**, South China University of Technology
2009 **First Prize of High School Chemical Olympiad**, Jiangsu Province, China
2009 **Second Prize of High School Physics Olympiad**, Jiangsu Province, China

Teaching

2017–2020 **Graduate Teaching Assistant, Imperial College London.**
Autumn 2017 M.Sc. C++ Programming Integrated Lab, Instructor: Dr. Fidelis Perkonigg
Computer Vision, Instructors: Dr. Su-lin Lee and Prof. Guang-Zhong Yang
Spring 2018 Advanced Robotics, Instructor: Dr. Stefan Leutenegger
Autumn 2018 Robotics, Instructor: Prof. Andrew Davison
2015–2017 **Teaching Assistant, University of Tokyo.**
2016 Academic English Writing, Instructor: Prof. Kumiko Morimura
Spring 2015 Mathematical Programming and Optimization, Instructor: Prof. Hajime Asama

Skills

Programming C++, Python, MATLAB with practical experiences.
Language Chinese Mandarin (native), English (fluent, TOEFL iBT 102, GRE 321+3.5),
Japanese (proficiency, JLPT N1).

Professional Activities

Reviewers IROS 2018, ICRA2019