# Bingzhe Zhang

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# **EDUCATION**

Visiting Ph.D. scholar McMaster University, ON, Canada  **Bridge Seismic and Machine Learning Application	Mar.2022 – Present
Ph.D. in Civil Engineering Southeast University, Nanjing, China  **Bridge and Earthquake Engineering	Sep.2018 – Present
M.S. in Civil Engineering China Agricultural University, Beijing, China  **Structural Engineering	Sep.2016 - Jun.2018
<ul><li>B.S. in Civil Engineering</li><li>China Agricultural University, Beijing, China</li><li>※Civil Engineering (with an emphasis on Structural Engineering)</li></ul>	Sep.2012 - Jun.2016

# **PUBLICATIONS**

- **Zhang, B.**, Wang, K., Lu, G., et al. Seismic Response Analysis and Evaluation of Laminated Rubber Bearing Supported Bridge Based on the Artificial Neural Network. *Shock and Vibration*, 2021.
- **Zhang, B.**; Wang, K.; Lu, G., et al. Experimental and Seismic Response Study of Laminated Rubber Bearings Considering Different Friction Interfaces. *Buildings*, 2022, 12, 1526.
- **Zhang, B.**, Wang, K. Seismic response analysis of small-to-medium-span bridges considering aging laminated rubber bearing. *17<sup>th</sup> WCEE*, 2019.
- **Zhang, B.**, Song, Y., Wang, K., et al. Study of influence of bearing types on seismic responses of Linyi Yellow River bridge. *Bridge Construction*, 2021, 51(3)-85-08. (in Chinese)
- Guo, W, Wang K, Yin W, **Zhang, B.**, et al. Research on seismic excitation direction of double-deck curved bridges: A probabilistic method based on the random forest algorithm. *Structures*, 2022, 39: 705-719.

# RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

Seismic damage assessment and importance factor analysis of laminated rubber Sep.2022 - Jan.2023 bearings based on Convolutional Neural Network. (To be submitted)

- Parametric modeling based on the geometric and loading characteristics of bearings by ANSYS.
- High-precision damage pixel segmentation of stress distribution plot using U-net and VGG-based models.
- Quantifying the impact of various factors on the damage index of bearings through SHAP interpretation learning.

Life-cycle seismic performance analysis of an offshore small-to-medium span Jan.2022 - Sep.2022 bridge based on Long Short-Term Memory model. (To be submitted)

- Constructing the bridge aging characteristic time series based on an existing chloride ion erosion model.
- Training and predicting the life-cycle seismic performance of the bridge using LSTM models.
- Investigating the impact of each aging characteristic on the long-term seismic performance.

Seismic response analysis and evaluation of laminated rubber bearing supported Sep. 2020 - Sep. 2021 bridge based on the Artificial Neural Network.

- Establishing a constitutive model for laminated rubber bearings using an ANN model based on experimental data.
- Developing a seismic demand model through ANN, and applying it to rapid seismic damage evaluation of bridges.
- Utilizing partial dependence to investigate the effect of bearing parameters on the bridge seismic demand.

### INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCES

Consulting project of seismic isolation design of Shanxi Yellow River Bridge

Jul.2019 - Sep.2020

Research Institute of Highway Ministry of Transport

- Performed FEA to figure out the high-pier bridge seismic response by OpenSees.
- Optimized the seismic isolation systems of high-pier bridges.

Structural design project of a hospital in Anhui

May.2017 - Aug.2017

Nov.2022

Oct.2018

China IPPR International Engineering CO., LTD.

Participated in the structural design of a hospital by AutoCAD, especially coordinated with the architectural designer to complete stairs structural design.

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Participate in writing of the industry specification of the Ministry of Transport of China	May.2020-May.2021
Guidelines for Seismic Performance Evaluation of Highway Bridges (JTG/T 2231-02—2021)	
Participate in translation of the professional book	May.2018-Jan.2019
Bridge Engineering Handbook — Seismic Design (2 <sup>nd</sup> Edition)	
Graduate Teaching Assistant	Sep.2016-Jan.2017
Steel Structure Theory and Application, China Agricultural University	

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Python, MATLAB

Second Prize, the campus singer competition of McMaster University Chinese Student Association

Top ten singer & most popular prize, campus singing competition in Southeast University

#### ACADEMIC SKILLS

Programming Languages

Math Background	Linear Algebra, ODE, PDE, Probability and Statistics		
Technological Tools	ANSYS, OpenSees, SAP2000, AutoCAD		
AWARDS			
Merits Student Award, Southeast University		Jun.2019	
Scholarship for Academic Excellence, China Agricultural University		Oct.2015	
ACTIVITIES			