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Research Interests

Efficient 3D Scene Representation: Neural spatial computing, Nerial rendering (NeRF, 3DGS).

Dynamic Scene Understanding: Optical flow estimation, SLAM.

3D Face Modeling: Head avatars.

Education

The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

PH.D. CANDIDATE, DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING

Hong Kong

Sept 2021 – Present

- Supervisor: Prof. Kin-Man Lam.
- Research areas: computer vision and deep learning, with emphasis on efficient 3D scene representation, dynamic scene understanding, and 3D face modeling.

The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

M.SC. IN OPERATIONAL RESEARCH AND RISK ANALYSIS

Hong Kong

Sept 2015 – Apr 2017

- Department of Applied Mathematics.

Guangzhou University

B.SC. IN MATHEMATICS AND APPLIED MATHEMATICS

Guangzhou, China

Sept 2008 – June 2012

- Department of Mathematics and Information Science.

Research & Professional Experience

AI Sense Limited

R&D ENGINEER

Hong Kong

Nov 2024 – Present

- Lead research into deep learning-based object detection methods for automatic recognition of personal protective equipment (PPE) in omnidirectional workplace imagery.
- Design and develop an end-to-end, real-time detection pipeline for multi-class PPE monitoring using omnidirectional cameras in industrial environments.
- Lead a research project applying vision–language models (VLMs) to lifting posture assessment in industrial environments.

The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

PROJECT ASSISTANT, DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC ENGINEERING

Hong Kong

Aug 2022 – Oct 2024

- Contributed to a research project on deep learning-based algorithms for old-movie restoration.
- Implemented optical flow and feature matching models to support high-quality restoration of degraded video content in an old-movie restoration pipeline.

The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

RESEARCH ASSISTANT, DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL AND SYSTEMS ENGINEERING

Hong Kong

Apr 2022 – Feb 2023

- Led a research project on algorithms for an interactive simulation platform with multi-axis motion for VR-enhanced bicycle games.
- Led the development of a VR-enhanced bicycle game in Unity, integrating motion control and real-time feedback.

ITTA Technology (H.K.) Ltd

SENIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Hong Kong

Sept 2019 – Aug 2022

- Led the design and implementation of industrial nesting algorithms for optimal material usage.

The Hong Kong Polytechnic University

RESEARCH ASSISTANT, DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL AND SYSTEMS ENGINEERING

Hong Kong

Jan 2018 – Aug 2019

- Led a research project on industrial nesting algorithms for optimal material usage.

- Contributed to a research project on an interactive bicycle simulation platform for VR applications.

SAS Software (Beijing) Co. Ltd

ANALYTICAL CONSULTANT

Guangzhou, China

Jan 2017 – Dec 2017

- Led the development of a simulation model to analyze and visualize supply chain performance.

- Contributed to the development of an optimization model for supply chain improvement using SAS tools.

Publications

Zongqi He, Zhe Xiao, **Kin-Chung Chan**, Yushen Zuo, Jun Xiao, and Kin-Man Lam. 2025. “Enhancing Sparse-View 3D Gaussian Splatting with Local Depth and Semantic Regularization.” In *Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP 2025)*.

Kin-Chung Chan, Jun Xiao, Hana Lebeta Goshu, and Kin-Man Lam. 2024. “Point Cloud Densification for 3D Gaussian Splatting from Sparse Input Views.” In *Proceedings of the 32nd ACM International Conference on Multimedia (ACM MM 2024)*.

Hana Lebeta Goshu, Jun Xiao, **Kin-Chung Chan**, Cong Zhang, Mulugeta Tegegn Gemedu, and Kin-Man Lam. 2024. “NeRF-FCM: Feature Calibration Mechanisms for NeRF-Based 3D Object Detection.” In *Proceedings of the Asia-Pacific Signal and Information Processing Association Annual Summit and Conference (APSIPA ASC 2024)*.

Yushen Zuo, Jun Xiao, **Kin-Chung Chan**, Rongkang Dong, Cuixin Yang, Zongqi He, Hao Xie, and Kin-Man Lam. 2024. “Towards Multi-View Consistent Style Transfer with One-Step Diffusion via Vision Conditioning.” In *Proceedings of the European Conference on Computer Vision Workshops (ECCV 2024 Workshops)*.

Kin-Chung Chan and Kin-Man Lam. 2024. “SMART: Stratified Matching and Recurrent Transformer for Optical Flow Estimation.” In *Proceedings of the International Workshop on Advanced Imaging Technology (IWAIT 2024)*.

Awards

Mar 2025

5th Place, NTIRE 2025 Challenge on Night Photography Rendering, New Trends in Image Restoration and Enhancement (NTIRE) Workshop, CVPR 2025

Presentations

Kin-Chung Chan, Zongqi He, Zhe Xiao, Jun Xiao, and Kin-Man Lam. 2025. “Novel View Synthesis under Sparse-View Constraints: Challenges and Approaches.” Hong Kong 3DGS Workshop, Huawei Inc., Hong Kong Science Park, Hong Kong.

Skills

Programming & Tools: Python (PyTorch, TensorFlow), Unity, MATLAB, C++, SAS, etc.

Languages: Mandarin (native), Cantonese (native), English (professional proficiency).