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EDUCATION Stanford University

PhD, Computer Science

Dissertation: Probabilistic Programming for Procedural Modeling and Design

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Stanford University

MS, Computer Science Conferred April 2013

University of California Berkeley

BA, Computer Science Conferred May 2010

EMPLOYMENT Assistant Professor

Providence, RI Brown University Computer Science Department 2017 - Present

Postdoctoral Researcher Stanford, CA Stanford University Computer Science Department 2016 - 2017

Research Intern San Francisco, CA

Summer 2011 Adobe Creative Technologies Lab

Graduate Research Assistant Stanford, CA Stanford University Computer Science Department 2010 - 2016

Technical Director Intern Emeryville, CA Pixar Animation Studios Summer 2009

Software Intern Roseville, CA Hewlett-Packard Summer 2008

REFEREED

Improving Shape Deformation in Unsupervised Image-to-Image Translation PUBLICATIONS Aaron Gokaslan, Vivek Ramanujan, Daniel Ritchie, Kwang In Kim, James Tompkin. ECCV 2018.

> Deep Convolutional Priors for Indoor Scene Synthesis Kai Wang, Manolis Savva, Angel X. Chang, Daniel Ritchie. SIGGRAPH 2018.

> ScanComplete: Large-Scale Scene Completion and Semantic Segmentation for 3D Scans Angela Dai, Daniel Ritchie, Martin Bokeloh, Scott Reed, Jrgen Sturm, Matthias Niener. CVPR 2018.

> Example-based Authoring of Procedural Modeling Programs with Structural and Continuous Variability Daniel Ritchie, Sarah Jobalia, Anna Thomas Eurographics 2018.

> An Improved Training Procedure for Neural Autoregressive Data Completion. Maxime Voisin, Daniel Ritchie. NIPS 2017 Bayesian Deep Learning Workshop.

Neurally-Guided Procedural Models: Amortized Inference for Procedural Graphics Programs using Neural Networks. Daniel Ritchie, Anna Thomas, Pat Hanrahan, Noah D. Goodman. NIPS 2016.

C3: Lightweight Incrementalized MCMC for Probabilistic Programs using Continuations and Callsite Caching. Daniel Ritchie, Andreas Stuhlmüller, Noah D. Goodman. *AISTATS* 2016.

Controlling Procedural Modeling Programs with Stochastically-Ordered Sequential Monte Carlo. Daniel Ritchie, Ben Mildenhall, Noah D. Goodman, and Pat Hanrahan. SIGGRAPH 2015.

Generating Design Suggestions under Tight Constraints with Gradient-based Probabilistic Programming. Daniel Ritchie, Sharon Lin, Noah D. Goodman, and Pat Hanrahan. *Eurographics 2015*. BEST PAPER HONORABLE MENTION.

Quicksand: A Lightweight Embedding of Probabilistic Programming for Procedural Modeling and Design. Daniel Ritchie. The 3rd NIPS Workshop on Probabilistic Programming, 2014.

First-class Runtime Generation of High-performance Types using Exotypes. Zach Devito, Daniel Ritchie, Matthew Fisher, Alex Aiken, and Pat Hanrahan. *PLDI* 2014.

Probabilistic Color-by-Numbers: Suggesting Pattern Colorizations Using Factor Graphs. Sharon Lin, Daniel Ritchie, Matthew Fisher, and Pat Hanrahan. SIGGRAPH 2013.

Example-based Synthesis of 3D Object Arrangements. Matthew Fisher, Daniel Ritchie, Manolis Savva, Thomas Funkhouser, and Pat Hanrahan. *SIGGRAPH Asia* 2012.

d.tour: Style-based Exploration of Design Example Galleries. Daniel Ritchie, Ankita Arvind Kejriwal, and Scott R. Klemmer. *UIST 2011*.

Dynamic Local Remeshing for Elastoplastic Simulation. Martin Wicke, Daniel Ritchie, Bryan M. Klingner, Sebastian Burke, Jonathan R. Shewchuk, and James F. O'Brien. *SIGGRAPH 2010*.

Interactive Simulation of Surgical Needle Insertion and Steering. Nuttapong Chentanez, Ron Alterovitz, Daniel Ritchie, Lita Cho, Kris K. Hauser, Ken Goldberg, Jonathan R. Shewchuk, and James F. O'Brien. SIGGRAPH 2009.

TECHNICAL REPORTS

Learning to Infer Graphics Programs from Hand-Drawn Images. Kevin Ellis, Daniel Ritchie, Armando Solar-Lezama, Joshua B. Tenenbaum. *arXiv:1707.09627*, 2017.

Deep Amortized Inference for Probabilistic Programs. Daniel Ritchie, Paul Horsfall, Noah D. Goodman. *arXiv:1610.05735*, 2016.

INVITED TALKS

Learning Procedural Modeling Programs from Examples

MIT, New England Symposium on Graphics

Microsoft Research Cambridge, New England Machine Learning Day

May 2018

Learning from Large-Scale Synthetic 3D Scene Data

Brown University Data Science Initiative, Datathon March 2018

Inferring Graphics Programs

University of Washington, ML+PL Workshop February 2018

Learning and Inferring Graphics Programs

MIT, Vision Seminar September 2017

Creative AI for Computer Graphics (It's More Than Just Style Transfer)
Google Brain, Magenta Group
January 2017

Probabilistic Programming for Procedural Modeling and Design

Adobe Systems, Creative Technologies Lab

Brown University, Computer Science Department

Harvey Mudd College, Computer Science Department

Yale University, Computer Science Department

February 2016

February 2016

PANELIST Advances in Software for Approximate Bayesian Inference. NIPS 2016 Workshop on

Advances in Approximate Bayesian Inference.

TEACHING Instructor Fall 2018

Brown CSCI 1470/2470: Deep Learning

Instructor Spring 2018

Brown CSCI 2240: Interactive Computer Graphics

Instructor Fall 2017

Brown CSCI 2951-W: Creative Artificial Intelligence for Computer Graphics

Instructor Summer 2016

DARPA Probabilistic Programming for Advanced Machine Learning Summer School

Course Assistant Spring 2014

Stanford CS 348b: Image Synthesis Techniques

Course Assistant Fall 2011

Stanford CS 148: Introduction to Computer Graphics and Imaging

Graduate Student Instructor Fall 2009, Spring 2010

UC Berkeley CS 184: Foundations of Computer Graphics

Student Facilitator Spring 2009 – Spring 2010

UC Berkeley Undergraduate Graphics Group

Tutor Fall 2008

UC Berkeley Self-Paced Center

ADVISING & Kai Wang Brown CS PhD (current)
MENTORING

Yifan Liu Brown CS M.S. (expected 2019)

Ruolan Tang Brown CS M.S. (expected 2019)

Nathan Umbanhowar Brown Math+CS B.Sc. (expected 2019)

Daniel Murphy Brown Applied Math+CS B.Sc. (expected 2019)

Anna Thomas Stanford CS BS (expected 2018)

Maxime Voisin Stanford MS&E MS (expected 2018)

Shreya Shankar Stanford CS BS (expected 2019)

Sarah Jobalia Stanford CS MS 2018

Next position: Microsoft

Ben Mildenhall Stanford CS BS 2015

Next position: PhD Student, UC Berkeley

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2018

Learning Procedural Modeling Programs for Computer Graphics from Examples

AWARDS & HONORS

Eurographics Best Paper Honorable Mention	2015
Stanford Graduate Fellowship	2010
UC Berkeley EECS Departmental Citation	2010
UC Berkeley Computer Science Highest Achievement Award	2010
CRA Outstanding Undergraduate Researcher Honorable Mention	2010
UC Berkeley Edward Frank Kraft Scholarship	2007

SERVICE Program Committee Member

SIGGRAPH Asia: 2018

Conference Proceedings Reviewer

SIGGRAPH: 2016, 2017, 2018 SIGGRAPH Asia: 2016, 2017

UIST: 2016 NIPS: 2016, 2018

Eurographics: 2017, 2018

ICML: 2018 ICLR: 2018

Journal Reviewer

Computer Aided Design: 2016

IEEE TVCG: 2016

Computer Graphics Forum: 2017

Grant Reviewer

NSF Proposal Reviewer: 2018

PATENTS

Methods and Apparatus for Comic Creation (US 20130073952 A1)