

# Yixiao Kang

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## EDUCATION

**Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China** 2019/09-2023/07(Expected)

Bachelor of Engineering in Software Engineering

Junior Year GPA: 4.0 / 4.0

Computer graphics	98	Architecture of Enterprise Applications	94
Data Structure	94	Software Engineering Principles and Practice	93
Computer Systems Engineering	90	Discrete mathematics	90

**University of Novi Sad, Serbia**

Summer Exchange Program

2019/07

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

**Shaping the Connected Museum**, a joint program supported by the University of Nottingham and Shanghai Jiao Tong University

*Research Assistant* 2021/06 – 2021/09

Advisor: Steve Benford, Professor of Computer Science, The University of Nottingham

- Developed and deployed an AR application to create tangible personalized souvenirs for interactive learning in the Shanghai Science and Technology Museum
- Adopted and evaluated multiple interaction methods including mobile interface, hand gestures and voices.
- Conducted user research on increasing personalization of exhibition experience through AR.

**Smart Display Lab (SDL) at Shanghai Jiao Tong University, Shanghai, China**

*Research Assistant* 2019/11 – 2021/06

Advisor: Chao Ping Chen, Associate Professor of Computer Science, Shanghai Jiao Tong University

- Proposed a framework of 3D navigation, mapping and target detection for AR
- Processed time-series data from LiDAR Scanner with an unsupervised deep neural network
- Built indoor 3D map by applying Delaunay triangulation to the point cloud

**Digital ART Laboratory (DAL) of Shanghai Jiao Tong University Shanghai, China**

*Research Assistant* 2021/06 – now

Advisor: Xubo Yang, Professor of Computer Science, Shanghai Jiao Tong University

- Created an AR virtual experiment application with unity
- Simulated physical optical convex lens imaging experiment and performed real-time calculation of imaging results according to user-set parameters
- Visualized abstract concepts in experiments like optical paths and molecular models etc.

## PUBLICATIONS

- Simultaneous Tracking, Tagging and Mapping for Augmented Reality, presented at 5th International Conference on Display Technology Conference, Vol. 52, pp. 31-33 (1<sup>st</sup> Author)
- Retargeting Destinations of Passive Props for Enhancing Haptic Feedback in Virtual Reality, accepted by IEEE conference on virtual reality, 2022, (2<sup>st</sup> Author)
- Tie memories to e-souvenirs: personalized souvenirs with augmented reality for interactive learning in the museum, in preparation for the 8th International Conference on Virtual Reality (IEEE ICVR), 2022, (1<sup>st</sup> Author)

## HONORS & AWARDS

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- Presentation on International Conference on Display Technology (ICDT 2021) 2021/06
- 2021 Huawei Scholarship (Top 5%) 2021/12
- Gold Prize of China Collegiate Algorithm Design & Programming Challenge Contest 2021/06
- 2020 Interdisciplinary Contest in Modeling- Meritorious Winner 2020/04
- Second Prize of China Digital Media Technology and Creativity Competition 2021/12

## LEADERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

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- Volunteer at EXIT, largest music festival in Europe**, Novi Sad, Serbia 2019/07
- Tuned the sound system and multiple instruments for the performance as a stage assistant
  - Inform artists of performance time and maintain backstage order
- Master Distinguished Lecture Host Group**, Shanghai, China Chair, 2020/11 – now
- Host major events in SJTU, including TED and academic lectures
  - Recruit and train members of the host group

## SKILLS

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- Programming: Competent in C, C++, C#, Python, Java, JavaScript, HTML, Swift, SQL, Matlab. Proficient in unity, OpenGL, ARKit and AR Foundation, React, SpringBoot, Mysql, MongoDB, Redis, Docker, Tensorflow, IOS and Andriod development
- Languages: Chinese (Native); English (Proficient)