

# Xueqi Guo

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## Education

### Yale University

*Ph.D. in Biomedical Engineering*

New Haven, CT

August 2019 - May 2024 (Expected)

- GPA: 4.0/4.0 (All Honors)

### Shanghai Jiao Tong University

*B.S.E. in Biomedical Engineering; Minored in Music*

Shanghai, China

September 2015 - July 2019

- GPA: 3.75/4.0 (88.15/100), Ranking: 4/56

## Experiences

### Siemens Healthineers

*Image Analytics Intern*

Malvern, PA

June 2022 - August 2022

- Weakly supervised abnormal texture segmentation for interstitial lung diseases

### Johns Hopkins University

*Undergraduate Research Intern*

Baltimore, MD

July 2018 - June 2019

- Low dose CT denoising and network response analyzation

## Publications

### Journal

- **Xueqi Guo**, Bo Zhou, David Pigg, Bruce Spottiswoode, Michael Casey, Chi Liu, and Nicha C. Dvornek. Unsupervised deep learning inter-frame motion correction for whole-body dynamic PET using convolutional long short-term memory in a convolutional neural network. *Medical Image Analysis (IF=13.828)*, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.media.2022.102524>
- **Xueqi Guo**, Sule Tinaz, and Nicha C. Dvornek. Characterization of Early Stage Parkinson's Disease from Resting-state fMRI Data Using a Long Short-term Memory Network. *Frontiers in Neuroimaging*, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.3389/fnimg.2022.952084>
- Bo Zhou, Tianshun Miao, Niloufar Mirian, Xiongchao Chen, Huidong Xie, Zhicheng Feng, **Xueqi Guo**, Xiaoxiao Li, S. Kevin Zhou, James S. Duncan, and Chi Liu. Federated Transfer Learning for Low-dose PET Denoising: A Pilot Study with Simulated Heterogeneous Data. *IEEE Transactions on Radiation and Plasma Medical Sciences (TRPMS)*, 2022. <https://doi.org/10.1109/TRPMS.2022.3194408>
- **Xueqi Guo**, Jing Wu, Ming-Kai Chen, Qiong Liu, John Onofrey, Yulei Pang, David Pigg, Michael Casey, Nicha Dvornek, and Chi Liu. Inter-pass motion correction for whole-body dynamic parametric PET imaging. *IEEE TRPMS (Revisions being processed)*.
- Tianshun Miao, Bo Zhou, Juan Liu, **Xueqi Guo**, Xiongchao Chen, Ming-Kai Chen, Jing Wu, Richard E. Carson, and Chi Liu. Generation of Whole-Body FDG Parametric Ki Images from Static PET Images Using Deep Learning. *IEEE TRPMS (Revisions being processed)*.

### Conference

- **Xueqi Guo**, Bo Zhou, Xiongchao Chen, Chi Liu, and Nicha Dvornek. MCP-Net: Inter-frame Motion Correction with Patlak Regularization for Whole-body Dynamic PET. In the 25th International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI), Singapore, Sept 18-22, 2022. (Early acceptance top 13%, Poster)
- Xiongchao Chen, Bo Zhou, Huidong Xie, **Xueqi Guo**, Jiazhen Zhang, Albert Sinusas, John Onofrey, and Chi Liu. Dual-Branch Squeeze-Fusion-Excitation Module for Cross-Modality Registration of Cardiac

- SPECT and CT. In the 25th MICCAI, Singapore, Sept 18-22, 2022. (Poster)
- **Xueqi Guo**, Chi Liu, and Nicha Dvornek. A Patlak-regularized deep learning inter-frame motion correction framework for whole-body dynamic PET. In Society of Nuclear Medicine and Molecular Imaging (SNMMI) Annual Meeting, Vancouver, BC, Canada, Jun 11-14, 2022. (Oral)
  - Qiong Liu, Yu-Jung Tsai, **Xueqi Guo**, Jean-Dominique Gallezot, Ming-Kai Chen, Richard Carson, and Chi Liu. Prompts-matched Deep Learning Denoising for Standard-Count and Low-Count Whole Body Dynamic PET. In 2022 IEEE Medical Imaging Conference (MIC), Milano, Italy, Nov 05-12, 2022. (Oral)
  - **Xueqi Guo**, Bo Zhou, David Pigg, Bruce Spottiswoode, Michael Casey, Chi Liu, and Nicha C. Dvornek. Inter-frame motion correction for whole-body parametric imaging using long short-term memory in a deep convolutional framework. In 2021 IEEE MIC, Virtual, Oct 16-23, 2021. (**Mini Oral, 2nd Place Student Paper Award Poster Competition**).
  - Yu-Jung Tsai, **Xueqi Guo**, John Onofrey, Yihuan Lu, Kathryn Fontaine and Chi Liu. Event-by-event non-rigid respiratory motion correction for multi-pass continuous-bed-motion whole-body parametric PET imaging. In 2021 IEEE MIC, Virtual, Oct 16-23, 2021. (Oral)
  - **Xueqi Guo**, Jing Wu, Ming-Kai Chen, John Onofrey, Yulei Pang, David Pigg, Michael Casey, Nicha Dvornek and Chi Liu. Inter-pass motion correction for whole-body dynamic parametric PET imaging. In SNMMI Annual Meeting, Virtual, Jun 11-15, 2021. (Poster)
  - Zhao Liu, Stephanie Thorn, Jing Wu, **Xueqi Guo**, Pedro Gil de Rubio Cruz, Richard Carson, Albert Sinusas and Chi Liu. Assessment of lower extremities flow using dynamic Rb-82 PET: Acquisition protocols and quantification methods. In SNMMI Annual Meeting, Virtual, Jun 11-15, 2021. (Oral)
  - Grace J. Gang, **Xueqi Guo**, J. Webster Stayman. Performance analysis for nonlinear tomographic data processing. In 15th International Meeting on Fully Three-Dimensional Image Reconstruction in Radiology and Nuclear Medicine, Philadelphia, PA, United States, Jun 2-6, 2019. (Oral)
  - Grace J. Gang, Kailun Cheng, **Xueqi Guo**, J. Webster Stayman. Generalized prediction framework for reconstructed image properties using neural networks. In SPIE Medical Imaging, 2019: Physics of Medical Imaging, San Diego, CA, United States, Feb 16-21, 2021. (Oral)

## Patent.....

- Jun Zhao, Zhijun Wang, Qizheng Dai, **Xueqi Guo**, Heng Lin, Xin Zhang, Tianxiao Xu. Preoperative auxiliary planning device based on virtual reality. China Patent CN110547869A.

## Professional Activities

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### Journal Reviews

- Neuropsychiatric Disease and Treatment (IF=3.482)

### Conference Reviews

- The 5th Workshop on Machine Learning in Clinical Neuroimaging (MLCN), in MICCAI 2022
- MICCAI Educational Challenge, 2022

### Membership

- IEEE, MICCAI, SNMMI

## Honors and Awards

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- 2022 MICCAI NIH Participation Award
- 2022 Chinese American SNMMI Third Place Young Investigator Award
- 2021 IEEE MIC Fourth Place Christopher J. Thompson Best Student Paper Award
- 2021 IEEE MIC Trainee Grant
- 2021 MedHacks FastForward U Sponsor Prize; Track Prize Finalist (**Top 5**)
- 2019 Yale Ph.D. fellowship
- 2019 Outstanding Graduates of Shanghai Jiao Tong University (**Top 5%**)
- 2018 First-Class Academic Excellence Scholarship of Shanghai Jiao Tong University (**Top 2%**)

## Projects

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### **Old Timer: a polypharmacy assistant for seniors**

*MedHacks 2021*

- Built an integrated application to assist aged patients under polypharmacy.
- Constructed the core scheduler algorithm and the built-in drug characteristic dataset.

### **Adolescent Bone Age Prediction from Hand X-ray Images**

*Fall 2018*

- Implemented a deep learning network by Keras on TensorFlow backend, including pre-trained VGG16 model and attention map generation.
- Modified the network structure by concatenating gender information with input batches, which successfully reduced the mean average prediction error from 13.70 months to 9.78 months.

## Teaching

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### **Yale BENG 352 Biomedical Signals and Images**

*Spring 2022; Spring 2021*

- Discussion section leader; assignment grader

### **Yale BENG 355L Physiological Systems Lab**

*Fall 2021*

- Lab leader

## Skills

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- Programming: Python (TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch), Matlab, C#, C++, C, Java, JavaScript,  $\LaTeX$
- Languages: English, Mandarin Chinese, Japanese