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PRESENT APPOINTMENT	Professor of Machine Learning & Al Strategy Lead - Department of Computer Science, Head of Al Research Engineering - Centre for Machine Intelligence, Turing Academic Lead, the University of Sheffield, United Kingdom (UK).
INTERESTS	<ul> <li>♦ Machine learning, multimodal AI, foundation model, generative AI, AutoML, knowledge graph</li> <li>♦ Healthcare, drug/materials discovery, graph analytics, bioinformatics, open-source software</li> </ul>
PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION	<ul> <li>◇ Fellow of the Higher Education Academy (FHEA), UK, 2018</li> <li>◇ PhD in Electrical &amp; Computer Engineering, University of Toronto, Canada, 2008</li> <li>◇ MEng in Electrical &amp; Electronic Engineering, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, 2004</li> <li>◇ BEng in Electrical &amp; Electronic Engineering, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, 2001</li> </ul>
AWARDS AND HONOURS	<ul> <li>↓ Listed among Top 100 AI Leaders in Biomarkers Technology, Aging Analytics Agency, 2023.</li> <li>↓ Turing Network Development Award 2021, the Alan Turing Institute, UK (as PI).</li> <li>↓ NIHR AI in Health and Care Award 2020, National Institute for Health Research, UK (as Co-I).</li> <li>↓ Wellcome Trust Innovator Awards: Digital Technologies 2019, UK (jointly with Swift).</li> <li>↓ Amazon Research Award 2018: among 83 international awardees.</li> <li>↓ AAAI-18 Outstanding Program Committee Member Award, Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence, US (20 awardees from 2,415 PC members of AAAI-18).</li> <li>↓ 2014/15 Early Career Award, Research Grant Council, Hong Kong (22 out of 359).</li> <li>↓ 2013 IEEE Computational Intelligence Society Outstanding PhD Dissertation Award.</li> </ul>
STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS	
EXPERIENCE	<ul> <li>◇ Professor of Machine Learning, University of Sheffield. (Jan 2023 – present)</li> <li>◇ Senior Lecturer in Machine Learning, University of Sheffield. (Jan 2020 – Dec 2022)</li> <li>◇ Lecturer in Machine Learning, University of Sheffield. (Nov 2016 – Dec 2019)</li> <li>◇ Assistant Professor in Computer Science, Hong Kong Baptist University. (Aug 2013 – Jul 2016)</li> <li>◇ Scientist, Institute for Infocomm Research, A*STAR, Singapore. (Oct 2009 – Jul 2013)</li> <li>◇ Post-doctoral fellow, Department of ECE, University of Toronto, Canada. (Sep 2008 – Aug 2009)</li> </ul>
RESEARCH GRANTS	<ul> <li>♦ Externally-funded research grants in the UK (Total: GBP 2,132,798)</li> <li>▶ Co-I, "A Novel Artificial Intelligence Powered Neuroimaging Biomarker for Chronic Pain", Artificial intelligence innovation to accelerate health research, GBP 445,541, EPSRC, UK, Oct 2023 - Mar 2025</li> </ul>

- Oct 2023 Mar 2025.
- ⊳ PI, "Workshop on Multimodal Data Integration", Turing Network Funding, GBP 10,000, the Alan Turing Institute, UK, Feb 2023 - Jul 2023.
- > PI, "An Introduction to Transparent Machine Learning", Funding call for online learning courses in responsible AI, GBP 24,919, the Alan Turing Institute, UK, Jul 2022 - Dec 2022.
- ⊳ PI, Turing Network Development Award, GBP 24,964, the Alan Turing Institute, UK, Feb 2022 - Sep 2022.
- ⊳ Co-PI, "Interactively trained 'human-in-the-loop' deep learning approach to improve cardiac CT and MRI assessment for accurate therapy response and mortality prediction", GBP 836,551, Artificial Intelligence in Health and Care Award, NIHR, UK, Mar 2021 - Feb 2023.

- Co-PI, "Developing a Machine Learning Tool to Improve Prognostic and Treatment Response Assessment on Cardiac MRI Data", GBP 639,873, Innovator Awards: Digital Technologies, Wellcome Trust, UK, Oct 2019 Mar 2022.
- ▷ PI, "Learning Representations of Higher-Order Structures for Networks via Tensor Embedding", USD 71,000, Amazon Research Awards, Amazon, US, Apr 2019 Mar 2020.
- ▷ PI, "Learning Sparse Features from 4D fMRI Data for Brain Disease Diagnosis", GBP 100,730, First Grant, EPSRC, UK, Jan 2018 Jun 2019.
- ♦ Externally-funded research grants in Hong Kong (Total: HKD 2,010,203)
  - ▷ PI, "Relaxation Methods in Principal and Discriminative Component Analysis for Tensor Data", HKD 482,605, 2016/17 General Research Fund, Research Grant Council.
  - ▷ PI, "Learning Independent Components with Tensor-based Modelling for Big fMRI Data", HKD 695,861, 2015/16 General Research Fund, Research Grant Council.
  - ▶ PI, "Dimensionality Reduction for Learning Correlations between Big Multidimensional Data", HKD 831,737, 2014/15 Early Career Scheme, Research Grant Council.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

- $\Diamond$  h-index: 29; total citations: 4,405; as of January 21, 2024
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  - [C37] H. Lu, X. Liu#, S. Zhou#, R. Turner, P. Bai#, R. Koot#, M. Chasmai#, L. Schobs#, and H. Xu#, "PyKale: Knowledge-Aware Machine Learning from Multiple Sources in Python", in *Proceedings of the 31st ACM Conference on Information and Knowledge Management (CIKM 2022)*, Atlanta, Georgia, USA, Pages. 42744278, October 17-21, 2022.
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## ♦ Book Chapters

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- [BC1] H. Lu, J. Wang and K. N. Plataniotis, "A Review on Face and Gait Recognition: System, Data and Algorithms", in Advanced Signal Processing: Theory and Implementation for Sonar, Radar, and Non-Invasive Medical Diagnostic Systems, Second Edition, S. Stergiopoulos, Editor, Pages 303-330, CRC Press, Boca Raton, Florida, ISBN: 978-1-4200-6238-0, 2009.

### ♦ Patent

[P1] A. C. Kot, H. Yang and **H. Lu**, "Method, Software and Device for Hiding Data in Binary Images While Preserving Image Quality", United States Patent 7,324,662, January 29, 2008.

## STUDENT AND STAFF SUPERVISION

- ♦ Principal supervisor of post-doctoral researchers, the University of Sheffield.
  - ▶ Prasun Chandra Tripathi, July 2022 February 2024.

  - ▶ Wenwen Li, June 2018 August 2019.
- ♦ Principal supervisor of Al Research Engineers, the University of Sheffield.
  - ⊳ Alan Thomas, July 2023 present.
  - Haolin Wang, August 2023 present.

- ▶ Wenrui Fan, September 2023 present.
- ▶ Mohammod Naimul Islam Suvon, October 2023 present.
- Principal supervisor of visiting researchers, the University of Sheffield.
- ♦ Principal supervisor of PhD students, the University of Sheffield.

  - ▶ Pawel Pukowski, from November 2021
  - ⊳ Peizhen Bai, from January 2021

  - Shuo Zhou, "Interpretable Domain-Aware Learning for Neuroimage Classification", completed in May 2022, now an Academic Fellow at the University of Sheffield
  - ▶ Li Zhang, "Exploring Local Information for Graph Representation Learning", completed in February 2022, now a Postdoctoral Research Associate at University of Oxford
  - ➤ Yan Ge, "Representation Learning with Motif Structures", completed in August 2021, now a
     Lecturer at University of Bristol
- ♦ Co-supervisor of PhD students, the University of Sheffield.
  - ▶ Ludmila Kucikova, from October 2021
  - ▶ Krit Dwivedi, from October 2020.
  - ⊳ Samer Al-Abed, completed in 2022.
- ♦ Principal supervisor of two PhD students, Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU).
  - ▶ Yang Zhou, completed in 2019.
- ♦ Supervisor of two research assistants, HKBU.
  - ▶ Liyan Song, from November 2015 to July 2016.

## RELEASED SOFTWARE

## 60,000+ downloads in total:

- [S4] Machine learning library: github.com/pykale/pykale, part of the PyTorch ecosystem
- [S3] GitHub: https://github.com/haipinglu
- [S2] MATLAB Central: www.mathworks.com/matlabcentral/fileexchange/authors/80417
- [S1] Machine Learning Open Source Software: mloss.org/software/author/haiping-lu/

## MEDIA COVERAGE

- [M6] The National Centre for Universities and Business (NCUB) Artificial Intelligence: the present and future of technology: Understanding the effectiveness of new drugs (one of eight selected), Spring 2023 Edition.
- [M5] The Times Special Supplement on the Future of Data and AI: How in silico testing is accelerating drug R&D, 22nd March 2023.
- [M4] Pan European Networks Ltd (pharma portal): Using AI to accelerate drug discovery, 3rd February 2023.
- [M3] Pharmafile.com (pharma portal): DrugBAN AI expected to reduce costs and speed up drug discovery, 3rd February 2023.
- [M2] The Engineer (UK magazine): DrugBAN AI could cut costs and accelerate drug discovery, 3rd February 2023.
- [M1] The Yorkshire Post (UK newspaper): Team uses AI to produce life-saving treatments, 3rd February 2023.

## INVITED PANELLIST

[P1] Session on "Analytics, Data Integration and Multifactorial Modelling", Cancer Data Driven Detection (CD3) Workshop, London, September 2023.

### SELECTED TALKS

- [T13] "Al Research Engineering for Multimodal Al", Insigneo Showcase, University of Sheffield, July 2023.
- [T12] "Al Research Engineering for Multimodal Al", Engineering Research Symposium 2023, University of Sheffield, June 2023.
- [T11] "Learning across Domains and Modalities for Drug Discovery", AstraZeneca, May 2023.
- [T10] "PyKale: Knowledge-Aware Machine Learning from Multiple Sources in Python", the Alan Turing Institute, February 2023.
  - [T9] "Learning from healthcare data across domains and modalities", Advances in Data Science and AI seminar series, University of Manchester, February 2023.
- [T8] "Learning Relationships on Multimodal and Cross-Domain Data for Drug Discovery", Healx, August 2022.
- [T7] Insigneo Showcase, "AI Strategy and Turing Network Development", Sheffield, July 2022.
- [T6] "PyKale: Knowledge-Aware Machine Learning from Multiple Sources in Python", Shenyang Institute of Automation, University of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, September 2021.
- [T5] Insigneo Showcase (>200 delegates), "Interpretable Machine Learning", Sheffield, May 2019.
- [T4] Oxford BDI Seminar, "Interpretable Machine Learning with Tensor Models for Healthcare", the Big Data Institute (BDI), University of Oxford, April 2019.
- [T3] "Tensor Analysis and Learning for Medical Data", ECE Seminar, Brunel University, UK, May 2018.
- [T2] "Tensor Analysis and Learning", Artificial Intelligence and Natural Computation Seminars, University of Birmingham, UK, December 2017.
- [T1] "The Birth of My First Proposal", experience sharing on proposal preparation, one of the two speakers nominated by the Research Grant Counci Engineering Panel Chair, Research Grant Counci Town Hall Meeting on Submission of Individual Research Proposals, December 10, 2015.

# Professional Services

- Lead organiser and founder, the First Workshop on Multimodal AI, Sheffield, June 2023.
- Member of Research and Innovation Advisory Committee, the Alan Turing Institute, from April 2023.
- Turing Academic Lead at Sheffield, from April 2023.
- ♦ Lead organiser and founder, Turing Interest Group on Meta-learning for multimodal data, from October 2022.
- Insigneo Research Director for Healthcare Data / AI, University of Sheffield, from November 2021.
- Machine Learning Theme Lead for Sheffield in the N8 Centre of Excellence in Computationally Intensive Research, University of Sheffield, from December 2021.
- Al Strategy Lead, Department of Computer Science, University of Sheffield, from March 2021.
- ♦ Associate Editor:
  - ▷ IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems (TNNLS), from Jan 2022.
  - IEEE Transactions on Cognitive and Developmental Systems (TCDS), from Jan 2022.
  - ▶ World Scientific Annual Review of Artificial Intelligence, from July 2021.
- ♦ Area Chair:

- ▶ International Joint Conf. on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI): 2021.
- ♦ Senior Program Committee Member:
  - ▶ AAAI Conf. on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI): 2019, 2020, 2022.
  - ▶ International Joint Conf. on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI): 2018, 2019, 2022.
- ♦ Session Chair:
  - ▶ The 44th International Engineering in Medicine and Biology Conference (EMBC): 2022.
  - ▶ The 31st AAAI Conf. on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI): 2017.
- ♦ Program Committee Member: ICML, NeurIPS, AAAI, IJCAI, AISTATS
- ♦ Organising Committee Member, Semantic Web Challenge: Mining HTML-embedded Product Data at International Semantic Web Conference 2020.
- Member of the IEEE Computational Intelligence Society Subcommittee for Outstanding PhD Dissertation Award, 2014, 2015.
- Nature journal reviewer
  - ▷ Nature Machine Intelligence
- ♦ Grant proposal reviewer
  - ▶ Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council, Canda, 2019 and 2021
  - ▶ National Institute for Health Research (NIHR), UK, 2021.

  - ▶ The Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council (EPSRC), UK, 2018 and 2022.
  - ▶ The Medical Research Council (MRC), UK, 2018 and 2022.
  - ▶ Wellcome Trust, UK, 2019
  - ▶ French National Research Agency, 2020
  - ▶ Irish Research Council, 2017 and 2022.
  - ▶ Romanian National Council for Scientific Research, 2012.
- ♦ Book endorsement: Cambridge University Press, 2022
- ♦ Book Reviewer: Cambridge University Press, 2018, 2020, 2021
- ♦ PhD Examination
  - Shota Saito, Department of Computer Science, University College London, 2024
  - ▶ Asif Khan, School of Informatics, University of Edinburgh, October 2023.
  - ▶ Rui Qin, Department of Computer Science, University of Manchester, July 2022.
  - Michail Mamalakis, Department of Computer Science, University of Sheffield, September 2021.
  - ⊳ Guozhong Li, Department of Computer Science, Hong Kong Baptist University, August 2021.

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- ♦ Senior Member, the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE).
  - ▷ IEEE Computational Intelligence Society
  - ▶ IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society

## **TEACHING**

- ♦ Instructor, the Alan Turing Institute.
  - ▶ An Introduction to Transparent Machine Learning, part of the Alan Turing Institute's online learning courses in responsible AI, and the Innovate UK's BridgeAI programme.
- ♦ Instructor, Department of Computer Science, the University of Sheffield.

  - COM4509/COM6509 Machine Learning and Adaptive Intelligence, Fall 2018–2021.
- ♦ Instructor, Department of Computer Science, Hong Kong Baptist University.

- ⊳ COMP1320/2006 Computer Organization: Fall 2014, Fall 2015.
- ▷ COMP2230/3005 Design and Analysis of Algorithms: Spring 2014, Fall 2014.
- COMP3090/4075 Introduction to Web Intelligence/Social Computing and Web Intelligence: Fall 2013, Fall 2014, Fall 2015.
- ⊳ COMP3110/4027/7650 Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery: Spring 2015.
- ▷ COMP7630 Web Intelligence and Its Applications: Fall 2013, Fall 2014, Fall 2015.

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