

# HAODA LI

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## Education

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### University of California, Berkeley

*M.Eng. in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science*

August 2022 – May 2023

Berkeley, CA.

### University of Toronto, St. George Campus

*B.Sc. in Computer Science & Data Science (GPA: 3.91/4.0)*

September 2017 – June 2022

Toronto, ON, Canada

## Publications

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Ruofan Liang, Jiahao Zhang, **Haoda Li**, Chen Yang, Yushi Guan, Nandita Vijaykumar. "SPIDR: SDF-based Neural Point Fields for Illumination and Deformation", *Preprint*. <https://arxiv.org/abs/2210.08398>, 2022

Yun-Chun Chen, **Haoda Li**, Dylan Turpin, Alec Jacobson, Animesh Garg. "Neural Shape Mating: Self-Supervised Object Assembly with Adversarial Shape Priors", in *Proceedings of the IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)*, 2022

Varshanth R. Rao, Md Ibrahim Khalil, **Haoda Li**, Peng Dai, Juwei Lu. "Dual Perspective Network for Audio Visual Event Localization", in *European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV)*, 2022 (Accepted)

Varshanth R. Rao, Md Ibrahim Khalil, **Haoda Li**, Peng Dai, Juwei Lu. "Decompose the Sounds and Pixels, Recompose the Events", in *Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI)*, 2022

## Experiences

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### SysNet Group, University of Toronto

*Research student, supervised by Nandita Vijaykumar*

January 2022 – June 2022

Toronto, ON, Canada

- Research on novel methods for acceleration and edibility of neural radiance fields for scene representation
- Developed CUDA accelerations kernels for GPU based point aggregations and differentiable physics based volume rendering.

### PAIR Lab, Vector Institute

*Research student, supervised by Animesh Garg*

August 2021 – May 2022

Toronto, ON, Canada

- Research on a novel method for robot to grasp and assemble objects using 3D computer vision.
- Designed a new simulation environment for 3D object data generations.

### Noah's Ark Lab, Huawei Canada

*Research Engineer Intern*

May 2020 – August 2021

Markham, ON, Canada

- Working on a novel method for event localization and classification in videos.
- Assisting research on self-supervised video indexing and retrieval.
- Researching and integrating video understanding methods for video editing applications.
- Assisting research on hand tracking and human action recognition.

### Wang Lab, University Health Network

*Undergraduate Researcher, supervised by Bo Wang*

September 2019 – April 2020

Toronto, ON, Canada

- Developed cloud-based video editing applications on mobile devices with cutting-edge AI algorithms.
- Maintained the automated pipeline for model training and cloud deployment using Docker.
- Used OpenCV and C++ to create test systems for hand tracking and action recognition.

## Teaching Experience

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### **CSC417H1/CSC2549H Physics based Animation**

*Teaching Assistant with Prof. David I.W. Levin*

**2021 Fall**

University of Toronto

### **CSC311H5 Introduction to Machine Learning**

*Teaching Assistant with Prof. Anthony Bonner*

**2021 Fall**

University of Toronto

### **CSC317H1 Computer Graphics**

*Teaching Assistant with Prof. David I.W. Levin and Prof. Alec Jacobson*

**2022 Winter**

University of Toronto

## Honours and Awards

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UC Berkeley MEng Fung Excellence Scholarship

**August 2022**

Dr. James A. & Connie P. Dickson Scholarship In Science & Mathematics

**October 2020**

University College Special Admission Scholarships

**September 2017**

Dean's List Scholar

**2017–2021, all years**

## Relevant Coursework

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**Computer Graphics:** Physics-Based Animation; Geometry Processing; Virtual Reality and Immersive Computing

**Computer Vision:** Visual Computing; Image Understanding; Digital Image Processing

**Deep Learning:** Neural Nets and Deep Learning; Probabilistic Learning and Reasoning; Machine Learning; Experimental Design for Machine Learning on Multimedia Data

**Numerical Analysis:** Numerical Methods; Nonlinear Optimizations; Real Analysis

**Theory of Computation:** Algorithm Design, Analysis, and Complexity; Enriched Data Structures and Analysis; Enriched Intro Theory of Computation