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Education

University of Utah	**United States**
Candidate for Doctor of Philosophy (Computer Science), Thesis: Compact and Progressive Encodings for Data-Efficient and Adaptive Queries of Scientific Data	*2014–present*
GPA: 3.961/4	
National University of Singapore	**Singapore**
Master of Computing (Computer Science), Thesis: Efficient Screen-Space Approach to High-Quality Multiscale Ambient Occlusion	*2010–2012*
GPA: 4.67/5	
National University of Singapore	**Singapore**
Bachelor of Computing (Computer Science), Second Class Honours (Upper)	*2006–2010*
GPA: 4.16/5	

Experience

Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory	**Livermore, United States**
Student Intern (Supervisor: Dr. Peter Lindstrom)	*May–August 2018*
Developed compression schemes for particle data based on binomial coding.	
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory	**Livermore, United States**
Student Intern (Supervisor: Dr. Peter Lindstrom)	*May–August 2017*
Compared task-optimized bit streams, and developed heuristics for data-optimal streaming.	
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory	**Livermore, United States**
Student Intern (Supervisor: Dr. Peter Lindstrom)	*June–August 2016*
Implemented and compared different bit ordering schemes for wavelet transformed coefficients.	
Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory	**Livermore, United States**
Student Intern (Supervisor: Dr. Peter Lindstrom)	*May–July 2015*
Implemented and compared approaches for combining zfp (precision reduction) and IDX (resolution reduction).	
Core Resolution Pte Ltd (www.core-resolution.com)	**Singapore**
Research Engineer	*2012–2014*
Led a team that developed software for use in the failure analysis of semiconductor products. Languages, libraries, and tools used: Boost, C++, Camelot MaskView, Hg, KLayout, OpenCV, Poco, premake, Qt.	

- Developed a novel matching engine that aligns inspection images with design layouts. The engine was the first of its kind, and was integrated into Camelot MaskView - a layout navigation tool from Synopsys.
- Wrote a parser for design layouts stored in GDSII format, supporting fast region-of-interest queries.
- Wrote a prototype for converting design layouts back to schematic diagrams.

National University of Singapore   **Singapore**
Research Assistant (Supervisor: Prof. KangKang Yin)   *2011–2012*
Helped on several animation publications that were accepted to top conferences and journals. Languages, libraries, and tools used: C++, Eigen, GLSL, Hg, OpenGL, Orge3D, Vicon Blade.

- Developed a motion editing framework for an HCI project on displaying character's locomotion gaits conveyed by a two-finger input.
- Corrected flawed data and create new results for a TVCG paper on learning mesh deformation models from sparse training data. Implemented an extension that uses inverse kinematics to reduce the number of input markers.
- Added per-pixel lighting and real-time ambient occlusion, and rendered some results for an SCA paper on controlling rolling motions of human-like characters.

Grants

NASA Earth Exchange Award   *October 2021*
A Flexible Encoding Framework and Autonomic Runtime System for Progressive Streaming of Scientific Data
The one year, $100K award helps climate scientists study terabytes of climate datasets, manage workflows and reduce data management costs, advancing the study of extreme-scale scientific data.

Awards

LDAV 2021   **New Orleans, United States**
Best paper honorable mention   *October 2021*
High-Quality and Low-Memory-Footprint Progressive Decoding of Large-scale Particle Data

CS6630 - Visualization   **University of Utah**
Best project (out of 33)   *Fall 2015*
A framework to visualize SIGGRAPH publications over the years, with abstracts, authors, keywords, and citation relationships. See `http://dataviscourse.net/2015/fame/`.

National University of Singapore   **NUS, Singapore**
Dean's List   *Academic Year 2009/10, Semester 1*

CS3215 - Software Engineering Project Course   **NUS, Singapore**
Brooks award for most accurate implementation   *Academic Year 2007/08, Semester 2*
Ten teams used C# to implement a static program analyzer (average size: 15 KLOC). Only one team won the award, given to the software with the fewest bugs.

CONTRAST: 24-hour game design competition   **NUS, Singapore**
Most Innovative Game   *September 2006*
Part of a team of three developing a two-player competitive game using GameMaker.

Languages

Vietnamese: Native   *Mother tongue*
English: Fluent   *Used daily at work*

Publications and Contributions

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[11] B. Peng, K.-L. Low, and T.-D. Hoang, "Real-time csg rendering using fragment sort," in *Proceedings of the 17th ACM Symposium on Virtual Reality Software and Technology (VRST)*, p. 99–100, 2010.

[12] H. Huang, K. Yin, L. Zhao, Y. Qi, Y. Yu, and X. Tong, "Detail-preserving controllable deformation from sparse examples," *IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics*, vol. 18, no. 8, pp. 1215–1227, 2012.

[13] D. Brown, A. Macchietto, K. Yin, and V. Zordan, "Control of rotational dynamics for ground behaviors," in *Proceedings of the 12th ACM SIGGRAPH/Eurographics Symposium on Computer Animation*, pp. 55–61, 2013.