Mr. Jiale Zhang (张嘉乐)

Website: https://jlzcode.github.io/ E-Mail: jiale.z@hotmail.com

EDUCATION

M.S. in Advanced Computer Science (Artificial Intelligence)

2019/09 - 2020/11

University of Leeds Leeds, UK

GPA: 3.55/4.0

Dissertation: Commercial Recognition on Social Media Based on Data Mining (**Distinction**)

Coursework: Artificial Intelligence, Data Science, Bio-Inspired Computing

B.S. in Information and Computing Sciences

2015/09 - 2019/06

Shenzhen University

Shenzhen, China

Dissertation: Design and Implementation of Real-Time Face Recognition System

Coursework: Data Structure, Operation Systems, Numerical Analysis Excellent Student of Academic Performance 2nd Prize (2015-2016)

PUBLICATIONS

- 1. [Accepted] [PDF available] Zhang, J., Huang, W., Liao, X., & Wang, Q. (2023, August). Progressive Frequency-Aware Network for Laparoscopic Image Desmoking. In The 6th Chinese Conference on Pattern Recognition and Computer Vision, PRCV2023.
- 2. [Published][PDF available] Mo, J., Wang, B., Zhang, Z., Chen, Z., Huang, Z., Zhang, J., & Ni, X. (2018, May). A convolution-based approach for fixed-pattern noise removal in OCR. In 2018 International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Big Data (ICAIBD) (pp. 134-138). IEEE.

PATENTS

- 1. [Pending] Bo Ye, Jiale Zhang, Chuanjian Wu, Tao Shi, Fangang Kong, Zhuxiang Yang. A Blood Analysis Device and Method for Species: PCT/CN2023/094636 [P/OL]. 2023-05-03
- 2. [Issued][PDF available] Jiale Zhang, Xiangyun Liao, Qiong Wang and Pheng-Ann Heng. Method and apparatus for Soft Tissue Motion Prediction: ZL202110345245.8 [P].2022-05-24.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Algorithm and Application Research Engineer

2021/07 - 2023/11

Mindray Bio-Medical Electronics Co., Ltd

Shenzhen, China

AI for hematology analyzer: Leveraging machine learning to enhance hematology analyzers, enabling cost-effective and rapid early diagnosis of sepsis through advanced blood cell counting and classification techniques.

Project 1: Advancements in AI-Based Hematological Analysis

• Developed a Class Activation Mapping (CAM)-based feature selection method for blood biomarkers, which streamlined algorithm design and optimization by reducing feature space 80%.

Project 2: Innovative Sepsis Diagnosis Research

- Led research project on novel hematological parameters for early sepsis diagnosis.
- Implemented a targeted genetic algorithm, enabling precise identification of top N blood cell biomarkers.
- Developed a rule-based algorithm for optimal usage of biomarker panels in varied clinical scenarios, surpassing traditional single biomarker limitations.
- Outperformed current diagnostic methods (CRP\PCT) with superior accuracy (Acc 21%↑& AUC

Research Assistant 2020/08 – 2021/07

Chinese Academy of Sciences | Shenzhen Institute of Advanced Technology

Shenzhen, China

AI in Surgical Enhancement: Enhancing laparoscopic surgery by mitigating visibility issues due to smoke, and enabling precise tissue targeting in dynamic environments for ultrasound-guided HIFU therapy through advanced predictive modeling.

Project 1: Efficient Model for Medical Image Enhancement

- Led the development of the PFAN model, a lightweight GAN framework integrating CNN and Transformer based on frequency domain for desmoking laparoscopic images.
- Outperformed existing benchmarks in PSNR, SSIM, CIEDE2000, and visual effects.
- Research accepted by PRCV 2023.

Project 2: Spatiotemporal Model for Soft Tissue Motion Prediction

- Developed STU-Net, an Encoder-Decoder framework utilizing spatial and temporal information in HIFU image sequences for improved motion prediction and segmentation.
- Achieved high performance metrics (98.65% BA, 94.32% Dice, 89.26% mIoU) with STU-Net and a prediction speed of 0.23 seconds, enabling real-time treatment adjustments.
- Culminated in a clinically applicable method, recognized with CN Patent ZL202110345245.8.

Data Analyst 2020/02 – 2020/09

Dubit Ltd.

Leeds, UK

Data Mining in Social Media: Utilizing machine learning and feature engineering to extract valuable information from social media data, enabling more effective ad targeting by identifying user preferences and trending topics.

Project: Innovative Advertisement Video Recognition Method

- Extracted audiovisual features like spectogram and duration using FFmpeg instead of visual features for advertisement video identification, achieving 92% accuracy and 98% AUC through LightGBM model.
- Scripts still run in production today.

Research Assistant 2016/10 – 2017/11

Shenzhen University

Shenzhen, China

Machine Translation: Addressing the complexity of translating concise and allusion-rich ancient Chinese into understandable modern language through advanced neural network technology.

Project: Neural Network for Machine Translation

- Proposed a convolution-based fixed-pattern noise removal method to optimize text recognition of OCR. Method accepted by ICAIBD 2018.
- Build the largest parallel corpus of ancient Chinese and modern Chinese (78,000+ pairs) at that time.
- Proposed a Character-based DBRNN Model for Ancient-Modern Chinese Neural Machine Translation which outperforms state-of-the-art models in terms of BLEU.
- Rated as National Excellent Innovation and Entrepreneurship Project.

SKILLS

- Programming Languages: Python, C++, C, MATLAB, Java and SQL
- Frameworks and Tools: PyTorch, TensorFlow, Large Language Models and Prompt Engineering
- Research interests: Application-driven AI, Generative AI, Machine Learning
- Languages: Chinese (Native), English (Fluent)