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# LIANGZU PENG

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#### **EDUCATION**

Johns Hopkins Universiity, Baltimore, USA

Sep. 2021 - Now

Ph.D. in Electrical and Computer Engineering (advisor: Professor René Vidal)

Thesis: TBD

ShanghaiTech University, Shanghai, China

Sep. 2017 - Jun. 2021

M.S. in Computer Science (advisor: Professor Manolis C. Tsakiris)

Thesis: From Linear Regression Without Correspondences to Homomorphic Sensing

Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China

Sep. 2013 - Jun. 2017

B.Eng. in Measurement Control Technology and Instruments

Thesis: Image Measurement Software for Visual Detection

#### **PUBLICATION**

#### Submitted.

- 1. *L. Peng*, C. Kümmerle, and R. Vidal, "Global linear and local superlinear convergence of IRLS for non-smooth robust regression", May 2022.
- 2. *L. Peng*, M. Fazlyab, and R. Vidal, "Understanding truncated least-squares and its semidefinite relaxations in robust rotation search", March 2022.

#### Journal Papers.

- 1. *L. Peng* and M. C. Tsakiris, "Homomorphic sensing of subspace arrangements", *Applied and Computational Harmonic Analysis*, vol. 55, pp. 466-485, 2021.
- 2. *L. Peng* and M. C. Tsakiris, "Linear regression without correspondences via concave minimization", in *IEEE Signal Processing Letters*, vol. 27, pp. 1580-1584, 2020.
- 3. M. C. Tsakiris, *L. Peng*, A. Conca, L. Kneip, Y. Shi, and H. Choi, "An algebraic-geometric approach to linear regression without correspondences", in *IEEE Transactions on Information Theory*, vol. 66, no. 8, pp. 5130-5144, 2020.

# Conference Papers.

- 1. *L. Peng*, M. C. Tsakiris, and R. Vidal, "ARCS: Accurate rotation and correspondence search", *IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition* (CVPR oral), 2022.
- 2. Y. Yao, *L. Peng*, and M. C. Tsakiris, "Unlabeled principal component analysis", *Neural Information Processing Systems* (NeurIPS), 2021.
- 3. *L. Peng*, B. Wang, and M. C. Tsakiris, "Homomorphic sensing: sparsity and noise", *International Conference on Machine Learning* (ICML), 2021.
- 4. Y. Yao, *L. Peng*, and M. C. Tsakiris, "Unsigned matrix completion", *IEEE International Symposium on Information Theory* (ISIT), 2021.
- 5. M. C. Tsakiris and L. Peng, "Homomorphic sensing", International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), 2019.
- 6. *L. Peng*, X. Song, M. C. Tsakiris, H. Choi, L. Kneip, and Y. Shi, "Algebraically-initialized expectation maximization for header-free communication", *IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech, and Signal Processing* (ICASSP), 2019.

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

Teaching Associate - New York University, Shanghai

Sep. 2020 - May 2021

Algorithms — lead the recitation sessions, design homework, grade assignments

Intern - New York University, Shanghai

Feb. 2020 - Jun. 2020

Discrete Mathematics — grade assginments and lead the recitation sessions

Algorithms — write solutions and grade assginments

# AWARDS, GRANTS, AND HONORS

#### Honors:

Highlighted Reviewer @ICLR (https://iclr.cc/Conferences/2022/Reviewers)

2022

# Grants:

GRO Conference Grants

June 2022

MINDS PhD Fellowship @Johns Hopkins University

Spring 2022

# TALKS

# @Conferences:

"Semidefinite Relaxations in Robust Rotation Search: Tight or Not" @ICCOPT

July 2022

"ARCS: Accurate Rotation and Correspondence Search" @CVPR

June 2022

# PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

#### Reviewer:

European Conference on Computer Vision (2022)

Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (2022)

International Conference on Learning Representations (2022)

Neural Information Processing Systems (2021, 2022)

International Conference on Machine Learning (2021, 2022)

zbMATH Open (2021 - Now)

IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (1)

IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing (1)

# TEACHING

#### Recitation Instructor:

CSCI-SHU 220, Algorithms	Spring 2021, NYU-Shanghai
CSCI-SHU 220, Algorithms	Fall 2020, NYU-Shanghai
CSCI-SHU 2314, Discrete Mathematics	Spring 2020, NYU-Shanghai

# Teaching Assistant:

SI 232, Subspace Learning	Fall 2020, ShanghaiTech
CSCI-SHU 220, Algorithms	Spring 2020, NYU-Shanghai
MATH 2111, Topological Data Analysis	Spring 2020, ShanghaiTech
SI 232, Subspace Learning	Fall 2019, ShanghaiTech
CS 133, Advanced C++ Programming	Spring 2019, ShanghaiTech
SI 192, Applied Algebraic Geometry	Spring 2019, ShanghaiTech
SI 112, Advanced Geometry <sup>1</sup>	Spring 2018, ShanghaiTech

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Lecture notes available: http://www.liangzu.org/en/ag-notes.html