Yubin Wang

Electrical and Computer Engineering, KAUST, Saudi Arabia

Education

King Abdullah University of Science and Technology

Visiting Student in ECE, advised by Yehia Massoud and co-advised by Meriem T. Laleg

Jul. 2021 – Present Saudi Arabia

Northeastern University

Sep. 2018 – Present

Bachelor of Engineering in Automation, GPA: 89.3/100

China

Publications

• Yubin Wang, Yasmine Marani and Taous Meriem Laleg Kirati. "A Deep-Learning-Based Observer for Direct Contact Membrane Distillation System Modeled by Differential Algebraic Equations." 2022 IEEE Conference on Control Technology and Applications (CCTA). Submitted.

Experience

Innovative Technologies Laboratories, KAUST

Saudi Arabia

Visiting Student, advised by Yehia Massoud

Mar. 2022 - Present

• focus on UAV/UGV collaboration with reinforcement learning

Estimation, Modeling and Analysis Group, KAUST

Saudi Arabia

Visiting Student, advised by Meriem T. Laleg

Jul. 2021 - Feb. 2022

• one first-author paper submitted to CCTA2022 (top conference in control focused on application).

Multi-Agent Robotic Motion Lab, National University of Singapore

Singapore

Research Intern, advised by Guillaume Sartoretti

Mar. 2021 - Jul. 2021

- Developed a decentralized multi-agent reinforcement learning benchmark-testing platform based on OpenAI multiple particles environment.
- Implemented reinforcement learning methods to solve multi-evader-multi-pursuer game problems and the experimental result on my personal web
- Created a swarm-intelligence based policy to optimize the global collaboration in multi-agent informative path planning.
- 1 co-authored paper pending, thousands of line open-source code on Github

the Department of Automation, Northeastern University

China

 $Teaching\ Assistant$

Mar. 2021 - Jun. 2021

• Teaching Assistant of advanced undergraduate course, Nonlinear Systems.

Autonomous Networks and Control Lab, Northeastern University

China

Research Assistant, advised by Fei Chen

Oct. 2018 - Feb. 2021

- the project, distributed multi-robot exploration and source localization was supported by Hebei Provincial Department of Sci&Tech with funding.
- ullet Conducted the projects, multi-robot source hunting, multi-UAV formation Control and sub-project multi-robot point-to-point transition with collision avoidance

Selected Projects

$\textbf{Learning-Based Observer for Differential-Algebraic System} \mid \textit{KAUST}$

Jul. 2021

• Proposed a learning-based observer to estimate future states with the knowledge of initial state and a sequence of output and obtained ideal estimation results after applying the above observer to Direct Contact Membrane Distillation (DCMD) systems.

Multi-Robot Pursuit Game via Multi-Agent Reinforcement Learning | NUS

Mar. 2021

• Formed dynamic cage with pursuers to ensure learning -trained evader cannot escape utilizing attention-based Multi-Agent-Actor-Critic algorithm with agents broadcasting communications on testbed I previously developed.

Multi-Robot Exploration and Source Hunting $\mid NEU$

Sep. 2020

- Proposed a scalar-based distributed multi-agent source hunting algorithm, verified convergence and robustness via simulation and then accessed elegant exploration formation and precise estimation after transplanting algorithm to multi-robot-exploration testbed with ultra-wide-band source sensor.
- Built experimental platform including Turtlebot3 UGV, Optitrack external global localization systems, which supports my sub-project multi-robot point-to-point transition with collision avoidance with implementing artificial potential field, navigation vector field, decentralized online model predictive control algorithm to avoid collision and ensure safe transitions.

Multi-UAV Formation Flight | NEU

Oct. 2018

• Controlled multi-UAV to complete formation transitions on Crazyflie 2.0 testbed with radio link communication and point-cloud mocap.

Technical Skills

Languages: Python, C/C++, MATLAB, Julia, Bash, Latex

Machine Learning: Torch, TensorFlow, wandb

Others: Conda, Linux, ROS/ROS2, Gazebo, HTML/CSS, Git, SolidWorks, Optitrack

Honors, Awards and Service

• KAUST Visting Student Fellowship

- Reviewer for CCC2020 and PLOSONE
- \bullet School Scholarships (Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3)
- \bullet Honorable Mention, MCM/ICM Feb. 2021
- Distinguish Project Funding, Provincial Department of Sci&Tech Mar. 2021