## **Long BAI**

#### PERSONAL INFORMATION

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#### **EDUCATION**

## Department of Electronic Engineering, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, China

2021.08-2025.07

- → **Degree & Major:** Doctor of Philosophy, Electronic Engineering
- + Advisor: Prof. Hongliang Ren, SMIEEE, RPAI (Robotics, Perception and AI) Group
- **←** CUHK Vice-Chancellor's Ph.D. Scholarship Scheme

#### School of Optics and Photonics, Beijing Institute of Technology (BIT), China

2017.09-2021.06

- ▶ **Degree & Major:** Bachelor of Science, Opto-Electronics Information Science and Engineering
- CGPA: 3.55/4.0Advisor: Prof. Kun Gao

#### **INTERNSHIP & VISITS**

#### Department of Engineering, University of Cambridge, UK

2021.12-2021.12

- **→ Program:** Winter School in Smart Materials for Soft Robots
- + Activities & Societies: Fundamentals of Smart (self-healing, sensing, actuating) Materials, Biology and Design, Actuation, Sensing and Control/AI in Soft Robotics

### School of Information and Electronics, Beijing Institute of Technology, China

2020.08-2020.11

- **+ Position:** Research Intern in Digital Image Processing
- **★ Advisor:** <u>Dr. Mingfeng Lu</u>, Beijing Key Laboratory of Fractional Signals and Systems

## Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Miami, USA

2020.06-2020.08

- → Position: Research Intern in Medical Image Analysis
- ★ Advisor: Prof. Mohamed Abdel-Mottaleb, FIEEE, Chair Professor

#### ACADEMIC AWARDS

## **←** CUHK Vice-Chancellor's Ph.D. Scholarship Scheme

2021.08-2025.07

Awarded to top applicants to the Ph.D. programme in CUHK. Eligibility: a clear record of academic and/or research achievements, a high degree of intellectual curiosity combined with creativity, and potential for academic/professional leadership.

### **→** Best Student Paper Award, ICBIR 2023

2023

As the **presenting** author, awarded to student papers judged to be the best in ICBIR 2023. Awards are scored by the Award Committee Chairs.

## Best Poster Award, IEEE ICRA 2023 Workshop on Surgical Robotics

2023

As the **presenting** author, awarded to top presenters among 30 groups in ICRA 2023 Workshop on New Evolutions in Surgical Robotics: Embracing Multimodal Imaging Guidance, Intelligence, and Bio-inspired Mechanisms. Awards are voted by the invited speakers/guests.

#### **♦ IEEE ICRA 2023 RAS Travel Grants Award**

2023

Awarded to participants who is going to present papers at ICRA 2023, applications are reviewed on a competitive basis.

**→ Merit Award, The Engineering Medical Innovation Global Competition (EMedIC Global)** *Awarded to finalist teams in Medical Innovation Global Competition 2021.* 

2021

### **♦** BIT Academic Excellent Scholarship

2020

Awarded to top 5% undergraduate students in the university.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

(† indicates equal contribution, \* represents the corresponding authors.)

#### CONFERENCES:

[1] Sample-adaptive Augmentation for Point Cloud Recognition Against Real-world Corruptions Jie Wang, Lihe Ding, Tingfa Xu, Shaocong Dong, Xinli Xu, <u>Long Bai</u>, Jianan Li\* 19<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV), 2023.

[2] LLCaps: Learning to Illuminate Low-Light Capsule Endoscopy with Curved Wavelet Attention and Reverse Diffusion

**Long Bai**<sup>†</sup>, Tong Chen<sup>†</sup>, Yanan Wu, An Wang, Mobarakol Islam, Hongliang Ren\*
26<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI), 2023.
(Oral, Top 3%)

[3] Revisiting Distillation for Continual Learning on Visual Question Localized-Answering in Robotic Surgery

Long Bai†, Mobarakol Islam†, Hongliang Ren\*

26th International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI), 2023.

[4] Co-Attention Gated Vision-Language Embedding for Visual Question Localized-Answering in Robotic Surgery

Long Bai†, Mobarakol Islam†, Hongliang Ren\*

26th International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI), 2023.

[5] Surgical-VQLA: Gated Vision-Language Embedding for Visual Question Localized-Answering in Robotic Surgery

<u>Long Bai</u><sup>†</sup>, Mobarakol Islam<sup>†</sup>, Lalithkumar Seenivasan, Hongliang Ren\*
40<sup>th</sup> IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), 2023.
(RAS Travel Grant Award)

[6] Landmark Detection using Transformer Toward Robot-assisted Nasal Airway Intubation
Tianhang Liu, Hechen Li, Long Bai, Yanan Wu, An Wang, Mobarakol Islam, Hongliang Ren
International Conference on Biomimetic Intelligence and Robotics & Medical Robotics Forum (ICBIR), 2023.
(Best Student Paper Award)

[7] **Semi-supervised Learning for Segmentation of Bleeding Regions in Video Capsule Endoscopy**Hechen Li, Yanan Wu, <u>Long Bai</u>, An Wang, Tong Chen, Hongliang Ren
International Conference on Biomimetic Intelligence and Robotics & Medical Robotics Forum (ICBIR), 2023

[8] Deep Reinforcement Learning-Based Control for Stomach Coverage Scanning of Wireless Capsule Endoscopy

Yameng Zhang<sup>†</sup>, **Long Bai**<sup>†</sup>, Li Liu\*, Hongliang Ren\*, Max Q.-H. Meng 18<sup>th</sup> IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Biomimetics (**ROBIO**), 2022.

[9] The Influence of Age and Gender Information on the Diagnosis of Diabetic Retinopathy: Based on Neural Network

**Long Bai**<sup>†\*</sup>, Sihang Chen<sup>†</sup>, Mingyang Gao<sup>†</sup>, Lelia Abdelrahman, Manal Al Ghamdi, Mohamed Abdel-Mottaleb 43<sup>rd</sup> International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society (**EMBC**), 2021.

## **JOURNALS:**

[1] Rethinking Exemplars for Continual Semantic Segmentation in Endoscopy Scenes: Entropy-based Mini-Batch Pseudo-Replay

Guankun Wang<sup>†</sup>, **Long Bai**<sup>†</sup>, Yanan Wu, Tong Chen, Hongliang Ren\* *Computers in Biology and Medicine* (*CBM*), 2023. (IF: 7.7)

[2] Rethinking Pain Communication for Dementia: Interaction Design using E-textile

Yanheng Li, Long Bai, Yaxuan Mao, Hongliang Ren, Yu Qiao, Xin Tong, Ray LC\* Frontiers in Physiology, 2023. (IF: 4.0)

[3] Two-stage Contextual Transformer-based Convolutional Neural Network for Airway Extraction from

#### **CT Images**

Yanan Wu, Shuiqing Zhao, Shouliang Qi\*, Jie Feng, Haowen Pang, Runsheng Chang, <u>Long Bai</u>, Mengqi Li, Shuyue Xia, Wei Qian, Hongliang Ren\*

Artificial Intelligence in Medicine, 2023. (IF: 7.5)

## [4] Domain Adaptive Sim-to-Real for Oropharyngeal Organs Segmentation

Guankun Wang, Tian-Ao Ren, Jiewen Lai, Long Bai, Hongliang Ren\* *Medical & Biological Engineering & Computing (MBEC)*, 2023. (IF: 3.2)

## [5] Transformer-based 3D U-Net for Pulmonary Vessel Segmentation and Artery-vein Separation from CT Images

Yanan Wu, Shouliang Qi\*, Meihuan Wang, Shuiqing Zhao, Haowen Pang, Jiaxuan Xu, <u>Long Bai</u>, Hongliang Ren\* *Medical & Biological Engineering & Computing (MBEC)*, 2023. (IF: 3.2)

## [6] An RNN-LSTM Enhanced Compact and Affordable Micro Force Sensing System for Interventional Continuum Robots with Interchangeable End-Effector Instruments

Shilong Yao<sup>†</sup>, Ruijie Tang<sup>†</sup>, **Long Bai**, Hong Yan, Hongliang Ren<sup>\*</sup>, Li Liu<sup>\*</sup> *IEEE Transactions on Instrument & Measurement (T-IM)*, 2022. (IF: 5.6)

## [7] Transformer-based Disease Identification for Small-scale Capsule Endoscopy Dataset

**Long Bai**, Liangyu Wang, Tong Chen, Yuanhao Zhao, Hongliang Ren\* *Electronics*, 2022. (IF: 2.9)

### **WORKSHOPS & POSTERS:**

## [1] Sim-to-Real Segmentation in Robot-assisted Transoral Tracheal Intubation

Guankun Wang, Tian-Ao Ren, Jiewen Lai, <u>Long Bai</u>, Hongliang Ren\*

40<sup>th</sup> IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), 2023, Workshop on New Evolutions in Surgical Robotics.

(Best Poster Award)

## [2] The Exploration and Evaluation of Using Neural Style Transfer in Generating Affective 360° Panoramic VR Environments

Yanheng Li, **Long Bai**, Yaxuan Mao, Xuening Peng, Zehao Zhang, Xin Tong\*, Ray LC\* 30th IEEE Conference on Virtual Reality and 3D User Interfaces (VR), 2023, Poster.

#### PREPRINT & UNDER REVIEW:

# [1] Surgical Tool Classification and Localization: Results and Methods from the MICCAI 2022 SurgToolLoc Challenge

Aneeq Zia, Kiran Bhattacharyya, Xi Liu, Max Berniker, Ziheng Wang, Rogerio Nespolo, ..., **Long Bai**, et al. *ArXiv Preprint ArXiv:2305.07152.* 

## [2] Learning Monocular Depth and Ego-motion for Multimodal Wireless Capsule Endoscopy

Liangyu Wang<sup>†</sup>, <u>Long Bai</u><sup>†</sup>, Shilong Yao, Yanheng Li, Sishen Yuan, Yanan Wu, Yang Zhang, Max Q.-H. Meng, Zhen Li, Hongliang Ren\*

Artificial Intelligence in Medicine, 2023, Under Review.

## [3] Revisiting Consistent and Contrastive Augmentations in Semi-supervised Skill Assessment in Robotic Surgery

**Long Bai**<sup>†</sup>, Qiaozhi Tan<sup>†</sup>, Wenzhen Dong, Lalithkumar Seenivasan, Beilei Cui, An Wang, Mobarakol Islam, Hongliang Ren\*

International Journal for Computer Assisted Radiology and Surgery (IJCARS), IPCAI 2024 Special Issue, Under Review.

### [4] Towards Open-Set Surgical Activity Recognition in Robot-assisted Surgery

**Long Bai**<sup>†</sup>, Guankun Wang<sup>†</sup>, Jie Wang, Xiaoxiao Yang, Huxin Gao, Xin Liang, An Wang, Mobarakol Islam, and Hongliang Ren\*

40th IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), Under Review, 2023.

### [5] Privacy-Preserving Synthetic Continual Semantic Segmentation for Robotic Surgery

Mengya Xu<sup>†</sup>, Mobarakol Islam<sup>†</sup>, Long Bai, Hongliang Ren\*

IEEE Transactions on Medical Imaging (**T-MI**), 2023, Under 2<sup>nd</sup> Review.

## [6] Joint Sparse Representations and Coupled Dictionary Learning in Multi-Source Heterogeneous Image Pseudo-color Fusion

**Long Bai**, Shilong Yao, Kun Gao\*, Yanjun Huang, Ruijie Tang, Hong Yan, Max Q.-H. Meng, Hongliang Ren\* *IEEE Sensors Journal*, 2023, Under 3<sup>rd</sup> Review.

#### **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

#### **→** Iournal Reviews:

IEEE Transactions on Medical Imaging (T-MI)

IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology (T-CSVT)

IEEE Transactions on Instrumentation and Measurement (T-IM)

Medical & Biological Engineering & Computing (MBEC)

IEEE Open Journal of Instrumentation & Measurement (OJIM)

Journal of Systems and Control Engineering (ISCE)

Journal of Medical Robotics Research (JMRR)

#### **→** Conference Reviews:

International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI)

International Conference on Information Processing in Computer-Assisted Interventions (IPCAI)

ACM CHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI)

IEEE Conference on Virtual Reality and 3D User Interfaces (VR)

ACM SIGCHI Conference on Computer-Supported Cooperative Work & Social Computing (CSCW)

ACM Symposium of Eye Tracking Research & Applications (ETRA)

ACM Conference on Intelligent User Interfaces (IUI)

#### **→** Invited Talk

2023, Surgical Visual Question Localized-Answering, Pre-ICRA Online

2022, Lifelong Learning: Background, Methodology and Applications, HKUST UG

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

## Thesis/Final Year Project TA and Mentorship

## **CUHK Graduates in 2023 (With Prof. Hongliang Ren):**

Tianhang Liu, M.Sc. EE, Airway Intubation Landmark Detection using Transformer

Chung Hei Tse, B.Eng. EE, Application of Web-based AR to Medical Education Through Three.js

## **CUHK Graduates in 2022 (With Prof. Hongliang Ren):**

Liangyu Wang, M.Sc. EE, Endoscope Perception Algorithms based on Multimodal Fusion

Yuanhao Zhao, M.Sc. EE, Ultrasound Needle Segmentation

Chi Hung Li, B.Eng. EE, Develop Representative Image-guided Robotic Procedures with Virtual Reality Modules

## + Teaching Assistant

| Intelligent Wearable Electronics (ELEG5757), CUHK, with Prof. Hongliang Ren     | 2023.01-2023.04 |
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| Robotic Perception and Intelligence (ELEG3103), CUHK, with Prof. Hongliang Ren  | 2023.01-2023.04 |
| Probability for Engineers (ENGG2760), CUHK, with Prof. Hongliang Ren            | 2022.09-2022.12 |
| Microelectronic Devices and Circuits (ELEG3201), CUHK, with Prof. Kong Pang Pun | 2022.01-2022.04 |
| Probability for Engineers (ENGG2760), CUHK, with Prof. Hongliang Ren            | 2021.09-2021.12 |

### STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES

- **TOEFL iBT:** Total 117 (Reading 30, Listening 30, Speaking 27, Writing 30), 2020.09.16
- **GRE:** Verbal 168 (98%), Quantitative 170 (96%), Analytical Writing 4.0 (55%), 2020.10.11

## **SKILLS**

- ◆ Proficient: Python, PyTorch, MATLAB, C/C++, LaTeX, Ubuntu
- **♦ Skilled:** Adobe Premiere, Unity3D

## **SOCIAL WORKS AND HONORS**

| + | 2nd Runner-up, National Day Football Cup of Hong Kong Science, Technology, and Innovation Industry | 2023 |
|---|--|------|
| + | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Runner-up, CUHK Alumni Football Cup  | 2022 |
| + | Championship, BIT Super Football League  | 2021 |

| Long BAI  | Curriculum Vitae             |
|---|------------------------------|
| <ul> <li>1st Runner-up, Beijing Fangshan District Futsal Competition</li> <li>Head, BIT Campus Broadcasting Department</li> <li>Executive Head, BIT Campus Press Corps</li> <li>BIT Outstanding Student Reporter</li> </ul> | 2019<br>2018<br>2018<br>2018 |