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#### **EDUCATION**

## ShanghaiTech University

Shanghai, China

B.E. in Computer Science and Technology

Sep. 2015 – Jul. 2019

• GPA: 3.71/4.0 Rank: 7%

• Core courses:

Computer Vision Deep Learning (graduate)
Robotics (graduate) Machine Learning (graduate)
Simultaneous Localization and Mapping (graduate) Mechatronics (graduate)

### The University of Chicago

Chicago, USA

Summer Session Aug. 2016

• Course: Statistical Models and Methods

#### **PUBLICATION**

Y. Zhou, "Extrinsic Calibration Algorithm between a Stereo Visual System and a 3D LiDAR," Carnegie Mellon University Robotics Institute Summer Scholars Working Papers Journal, 2018, pp. 157-165

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Interest: SLAM, Event-based Vision, Scene Understanding, Robotics, Computer Vision

# Robot Perception Lab, Carnegie Mellon University

Pittsburgh, USA

*Undergraduate Research Intern*, supervised by Prof. *Michael Kaess* 

Jun. 2018 – Dec. 2018

- Proposed novel extrinsic calibration algorithm between stereo visual system and a 3D LiDAR.
- Developed efficient extrinsic calibration toolbox in C++.
- Presented poster at Robotics Institute Summer Scholars research showcase.
- Developed novel algorithm for 3D LiDAR intrinsic calibration. (in progress)

# Mobile Perception Lab, ShanghaiTech University

Shanghai, China

Bachelor Thesis, advised by Prof. Laurent Kneip and Prof. Michael Kaess

Oct. 2018 - Present

• Proposed novel pipeline of Stereo Event-based Visual Inertial Odometry. (in progress)

#### Living Machine Laboratory, Shanghai Tech University

Shanghai, China

*Undergraduate Research Assistant*, supervised by Prof. *Andre Rosendo* 

Mar. 2018 – May. 2018

- Proposed novel framework to detect manipulator malfunction using a monocular camera.
- Implemented tools to control JACO 2 Robotic Arm in ROS with inverse kinematics.

**The Perception, Learning and UnderStanding Group**, ShanghaiTech University Shanghai, China *Undergraduate Research Assistant*, supervised by Prof. *Xuming He* Feb. 2017 – Mar. 2018

- Developed segmentation network for video semantic segmentation.
- Proposed and realized a 6-DoF object pose estimation algorithm using deep learning in PyTorch.

Mobile Autonomous Robotic Systems Lab, Shanghai Tech University

Shanghai, China

Summer Research Intern, supervised by Prof. Sören Schwertfeger

Jun. 2016 – Aug. 2016

• Developed flight control module using localization from the optitrack to hover the drone.

## PROJECT & LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

# ShanghaiTech RoboMaster Team

Shanghai, China

Captain, Founder

Oct. 2017 - May. 2018

- Led cross-functional project team of 35 to build 6 robots with different functions for RoboMaster.
- Designed perception, planning, and decision-making system.
- Developed a perception system for object detection and pose estimation using deep learning.

# ShanghaiTech Undergraduate RoboCup Rescue Team

Shanghai, China

Leader of Computer Vision group, Co-founder

Feb. 2017 - Apr. 2018

- Developed SLAM system using 2D LiDAR and RGB-D sensor.
- Developed QR code and motion detection system.

#### **WORKING EXPERIENCE**

Tencent United Security Laboratory, Tencent Inc.

Shanghai, China

Security Researcher

Aug. 2017 – Dec. 2017

- Analyzed perception system of autonomous driving vehicle in security research.
- Proposed adversarial attack method to evaluate the robustness of the visual perception system.

# TEACHING EXPERIENCE

CS110 Computer Architecture, ShanghaiTech University

Shanghai, China

Teaching Assistant

Mar. 2018 – Jun. 2018

- Led discussion session on C++/MIPS/Parallel Computing and held office hour for 110 sophomores.
- Designed two assignments and created problems for three exams.

SI100 Introduction to Information Science and Technology, ShanghaiTech University Shanghai, China *Teaching Assistant* Mar. 2017 – Jun. 2017

• Led discussion session on Electronics/Python/Control/ROS and held office hour for 380 freshmen.

CS100 Programming, ShanghaiTech University

Shanghai, China

Teaching Assistant

Sep. 2016 – Feb. 2017

• Led discussion session on Rust/Python and held office hour for 120 freshmen.

## **HONOR & AWARDS**

• Third Prize, RoboMaster 2018 Robotics Competition, Regional May. 2018

• Champion, Manipulator Challenge at RoboCup Rescue 2018 Competition, China Apr. 2018

• Third Prize, RoboCup Rescue 2018 Competition, China

Apr. 2018

Academic Excellence Scholarship, ShanghaiTech, Twice (Top 15%)
 Dec. 2017 & Dec. 2016

Outstanding Student, ShanghaiTech, Triple (Top 5%)
 Nov. 2018 & Dec. 2017 & Dec. 2016

• Honorable Mention of 2017 Mathematical Contest in Modeling

Apr. 2017

#### **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

• Student volunteer for Robotics: Science and Systems

Jun. 2018

• Student volunteer for ShanghaiTech Symposium on Information Science and Technology Jul. 2017

## **SKILLS**

**Programming languages:** C/C++, Python, Matlab, Rust, Arduino

Tools: ROS, Pytorch, Tensorflow, OpenCV, Eigen, PCL, GTSAM, SolidWorks, CMake, LaTex, Git

Hardware: ZED, Xtion pro live, Kinect, Velodyne HDL-64E/VLP-16, Kinova JACO 2