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Ph.D. Student, Princeton University

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Education

- 2017 Ph.D. Student, Princeton University, (Expected graduation date: Jan, 2022).
- Present Research area: Computational mechanics, Machine Learning Advisors: Prof. Sigrid Adriaenssens and Prof. Ryan P. Adams
- 2013–2017 **B.Sc.**, Shanghai Jiao Tong University.

 Mechanical Engineering (UM-SJTU Joint Institute), GPA 3.80/4.0 (ranking 1/53)
 - 2016 Exchange Student, The University of Hong Kong.
 Mechanical Engineering

Experience

Working

- 2020 **Quantitative Research Intern**, Sixie Capital, Shanghai. Statistical analysis of market data: Seeking investment alpha
- 2019 Research Intern, Facebook, Inc., Redmond.
 AR/VR at Facebook Reality Labs: Deep learning accelerated 3D printing material design
- 2017 **Engineering Intern**, Apple, Inc., Shanghai.

 Apple accessories team: Keyboard design and manufacturing

Teaching

2017-2021 Graduate Teaching Assistant, Princeton University.

SML201 Introduction to Data Science COS424 Fundamentals of Machine Learning CEE205 Mechanics of Solids

2013-2017 **Undergraduate Teaching Assistant**, Shanghai Jiao Tong University. VM382 Mechanical Behaviour of Materials VP140 Physics

Peer-reviewed Publications

- 2021 X.Sun, **T.Xue**, S.M. Rusinkiewicz, R.P.Adams, Amortized Synthesis of Constrained Configurations Using a Differentiable Surrogate, *NeurIPS*, 2021.
- 2021 **T.Xue**, S.Adriaenssens, S.Mao, Mapped phase field method for brittle fracture, Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering, 2021.
- 2021 **T.Xue**, W.C.Sun, S.Adriaenssens, Y.Wei, C.Liu, A new finite element level set reinitialization method based on the shifted boundary method, *Journal of Computational Physics*, 2021.
- 2020 A.Beatson, J.T.Ash, G.Roeder, **T.Xue**, R.P.Adams, Learning Composable Energy Surrogates for PDE Order Reduction, *NeurIPS*, 2020.

- 2020 **T.Xue**, T.J.Wallin, Y.Menguc, S.Adriaenssens, M.Chiaramonte Machine learning generative models for automatic design of multi-material 3D printed composite solids, *Extreme Mechanics Letters*, 2020.
- 2020 **T.Xue**, A.Beatson, S.Adriaenssens, R.P.Adams, Amortized Finite Element Analysis for Fast PDE-Constrained Optimization, *ICML*, 2020.
- 2020 **T.Xue**, A.Beatson, M.Chiaramonte, G.Roeder, J.T.Ash, Y.Menguc, S.Adriaenssens, R.P.Adams, S.Mao, A data-driven computational scheme for the nonlinear mechanical properties of cellular mechanical metamaterials under large deformation, *Soft Matter*, 2020.
- 2019 Y.Wan, **T.Xue**, Y.Shen, The successive node snapping scheme for an evolving branched curve in 2D and 3D, *Computer-Aided Design*, 2019.
- 2019 Y.Wan, **T.Xue**, Y.Shen, The successive node snapping scheme: A method to obtain conforming meshes for an evolving curve in 2D and 3D, *Finite Elements in Analysis and Design*, 2019.
- 2017 M.Ma, **T.Xue**, S.Chen, Y.Guo, Y.Chen, H.Liu, Features of structural relaxation in diblock copolymers, *Polymer Testing*, 2017.

Presentations

2021 Winner of student/post-doctoral fellow competition at USACM workshop on "New Trends and Open Challenges in Computational Mechanics: from Nano to Macroscale"

Reviewing

Extreme Mechanics Letters

Selected Honors

2017 Gordon Y.S. Wu Fellowships

A highly prestigious award at Princeton
University

2016 The Merit Student Model Person of the year at Shanghai Jiao Tong University

2015 National Scholarship Top scholarship for undergraduate students in China

Skills

Tools Matlab, LATEX

Programming Languages Python, C/C++

Languages

Mandarin Native

English TOEFL: 111/120