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## EXPERIENCE

- 2021 – now    📌 **Senior Solution Scientist** at Flyinstinct.
- 2020 – 2021    📌 **Solution Scientist** at Flyinstinct.  
A startup provides a digital platform for airport inspections developed with the most advanced technologies of computer vision and AI algorithm.
- Proof of concept: Design new algorithms based on computer vision technique. Implement them in Python, and prove their performance in our industrial products.
  - Data analysis: Extract information from images, analyze them according to the requirement of the products, which helps to design better algorithms.
  - Software team lead: explain and discuss daily tasks and distribute daily work. Provide the best direction to go for product development based on team members' ability.
  - Pipeline performance evaluation : Study the performance of the entire pipeline. Design in-house experiment for evaluating potential problems or bugs.
- 2018 – 2020    📌 **Post-doctoral Fellow** Sorbonne Université, Institut des Nanosciences de Paris.  
Supervisor: Matteo Calandra
- Applied a machine-learning type approach (minimize the gradients of the energy using conjugate gradient or steepest descent algorithm) to compute physical concepts.
- 2016 – 2018    📌 **Post-doctoral Fellow** Laboratoire des Solides Irradiés, École Polytechnique.  
Supervisor: Lucia Reining
- Developed mathematical methods and implemented it in a software (in Python) for bleeding-edge numerical simulations, leading to several top-tier peer-reviewed publications. See details at 🌐 <https://github.com/mxz2013/CumuPy>.
  - Proposed and participated an bleeding-edge experiment to confirm my theoretical predictions, with collaborations with researchers from different domains, and different countries.
  - Received 3 invitations for giving a seminar on my researching projects, and published one article which applies probability theory in physics.
  - Organized ETSF correlation team meeting at École Polytechnique, France (+30 participants worldwide).

## SKILLS

- Languages    📌 English, Chinese, French.
- Data science    📌 Programming & Database: Python, Wolfram Mathematica, Fortran, Bash, SQL.  
Computer Vision: OpenCV.  
Development & Maintenance: Git, SVN.  
Editor: VI, Pycharm, Jupyter Notebook, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Microsoft Office.  
Math & Statistics: Machine learning, deep learning, quantitative research.
- Soft skills    📌 Problem solver, passionate about data analysis, curious about new technology, story-telling (presentation), strong sense of responsibility (family and work), planing and organization.

## EDUCATION

- 2013 – 2016 ■ **Ph.D. in Theoretical Physics**, École Polytechnique, France.  
Supervisor: Lucia Reining
- Led multiple joint projects producing several top-tier peer-reviewed publications;
  - Developed mathematical methods beyond state of the art for the analysis of solids, implemented them into scientific computing software.
  - Participated 10 international conferences with 7 oral presentations and 3 posters (with one best poster prize).
  - Co-organized the 12th ETSF Young Researchers' Meeting in Paris, France (+70 participants worldwide).
- 2010 – 2012 ■ **M.Sc. in Erasmus Mundus – Master of Molecular Nano- and Biophotonics for telecommunications and biotechnologies (MONABIPHOT)**, École Normale Supérieure de Cachan, France. **Titre avec la mention BIEN.**
- Won the Erasmus Mundus Scholarship (48K € for a two-year study in Europe).
  - Acquired multidisciplinary knowledge on biology, chemistry, and physics.
- 2005 – 2009 ■ **B.Sc. in Optoelectronic Engineering**, Harbin institute of technology, China. **GPA: 85/100**.

## ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

### High impact journal articles

- 1 **Zhou, J. S.**, Bianco, R., Monacelli, L., Errea, I., Mauri, F. & Buonauro, M. C. (2020). Theory of the thickness dependence of the charge density wave transition in 1T-tiTe<sub>2</sub>. *2D Materials*. <http://iopscience.iop.org/10.1088/2053-1583/abae7a>
- 2 **Zhou, J. S.**, Monacelli, L., Bianco, R., Errea, I., Mauri, F. & Calandra, M. (2020). Anharmonic melting of the charge density wave in single-layer Tise<sub>2</sub>. *Nano Letters*, 20(7), 4809–4815. PMID: 32496779. doi:10.1021/acs.nanolett.0c00597
- 3 **Zhou, J. S.**, Reining, L., Nicolaou, A., Bendounan, A., Ruotsalainen, K., Vanzini, M., ... Gatti, M. (2020). Unraveling intrinsic correlation effects with angle-resolved photoemission spectroscopy. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*. <https://www.pnas.org/content/117/46/28596>
- 4 Borgatti, F., Berger, J. A., Céolin, D., **Zhou, J. S.**, Kas, J. J., Guzzo, M., ... Egdell, R. G. (2018). Revisiting the origin of satellites in core-level photoemission of transparent conducting oxides: The case of n-doped SnO<sub>2</sub>. *Phys. Rev. B*, 97, 155102. doi:10.1103/PhysRevB.97.155102.
- 5 Gonze, X., **Zhou, J. S.** & Reining, L. (2018). Variations on the “exact factorization” theme. *The European Physical Journal B*, 91(10), 224. doi:10.1140/epjb/e2018-90278-2.
- 6 **Zhou, J. S.**, Gatti, M., Kas, J. J., Rehr, J. J. & Reining, L. (2018). Cumulant green's function calculations of plasmon satellites in bulk sodium: Influence of screening and the crystal environment. *Phys. Rev. B*, 97, 035137. doi:10.1103/PhysRevB.97.035137.
- 7 **Zhou, J. S.** et al. (2015b). Dynamical effects in electron spectroscopy. *The Journal of Chemical Physics*, 143(18), 184109. doi:10.1063/1.4934965.
- 8 Zhou, Y. P., Chang, G. L., **Zhou, J. S.** et al. (2009). Gamma-ray irradiation effects on distributed-feedback laser diodes. *Journal of Russian Laser Research*, 30(2), 164–171.

## Conference talks

- 1 **Zhou, J. S.** (2019). Photoemission spectroscopy from first principles. In *(Invited) seminar by the materials and nanosciences research department of the institute of physics, rennes i university*, Rennes, France.
- 2 **Zhou, J. S.** et al. (2019a). Charge density wave in mono-layer TiSe<sub>2</sub>. In *16th ETSF young researchers' meeting*, San Sebastian, Spain.
- 3 **Zhou, J. S.** (2017a). Challenges for the cumulant approach in valence photoemission of metals. In *(Invited) by CECAM workshop: Green's function methods: The next generation III*, Toulouse, France.
- 4 **Zhou, J. S.** (2017b). Photoemission spectroscopy from first principles. In *(Invited) by mini-workshop "REST in Paris"*, Paris, France.
- 5 **Zhou, J. S.** et al. (2015a). Alternative routes for calculations of total energies. In *Psi-k 2015 conference*, San Sebastian, Spain.
- 6 **Zhou, J. S.** & Reining, L. (2015a). An improved description of fermion-plasmon coupling in green's function calculations. In *13th ETSF young researchers' meeting*, London, UK.
- 7 **Zhou, J. S.** & Reining, L. (2015c). Improved description of electron-plasmon coupling in Green's function calculations. In *APS March meeting 2015*, San Antonio, Texas.
- 8 **Zhou, J. S.** & Reining, L. (2014a). Improved description of electron-plasmon coupling in Green's function calculations. In *11th ETSF young researchers' meeting*, Rome, Italy.
- 9 **Zhou, J. S.**, Rödl, C. & Reining, L. (2012). Exploring the performance of the cumulant expansion for the two-site hubbard model. In *9th ETSF young researchers' meeting*, Brussels, Belgium.