

Jinzhi Shen

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Education

Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering
GPA: 3.57/4.0

Boston University
Sep 2023 - Dec 2024

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering
GPA: 3.45/4.0

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Graduated: Dec 2022

Relevant course & skill: FPGA development, Machine learning, embedded system design, laboratory instrument operation, signal processing, PCB design

Research Experience

Dahmen's Cracking Team
University of Illinois

Undergraduate Research Assistant
May 2019 - Jan 2020

- Analyzed data with python on avalanches resulting from shear of a glass-hydrogel interface by using the Complementary Cumulative Distribution Function (CCDF) to explore and substantiate parallels in internal and external friction characteristics of hydrogel.
- Applied Python for comprehensive data analysis and implemented mean field theory to model frictional behaviors.

UAV Project
University of Illinois

Undergraduate Research Assistant
Sep 2020 - Sep 2021

- Investigated the capabilities and application of the "faster" algorithm as a 3D trajectory planner for Unmanned Aerial Vehicles on Unreal Engine.
- Validated the feasibility of the algorithm under the effect of Gaussian noise, white noise, and uniform noise.

3D Scan System for Biomedical Lab
Boston University

Research Assistant of Yang's Group
Sep 2023-Present

- Solely made and assembled the 3D scanning system of photoacoustic waves applied in bio-medical lab with 3D-printed modules and step-motors.
- Designed a system to scan 3-sample points per second at 10 μm level, ensuring precise tracking and analysis for current research in Yang's lab.
- Synchronized data collection and laser control to ensure precise measurements
- Currently applying Bluetooth to reduce scan time 40% and designing the algorithm to reduce signal noise. Aiming to write a paper on improvements in the following months.

Work Experience

AxisMED
Web Developer

Jan 2022-Jan 2023

- Designed and built a multi-page website for clients of AxisMED in a group of two people. The website serves the functionality of accepting clients' emails and presenting information of AxisMED.

Electronics Design Facility
Student Hardware Technician

Feb 2024 - Aug 2024

- Tested AC/DC power supplies. Troubleshooted Enclustra Mercury PE1 board with Zynq UltraScale+ MPSoc.
- Currently fixing the start-up problem of TDS 5104 Oscilloscope.

Skill Summary

- Language: C++, Python, Pytorch, Java Script, HTML, CSS, R, VHDL, Verilog, Assembly
- Tools: Arduino IDE, AutoDesk, Vivado, Arduino IDE, STM32Cube IDE, Keil, ModelSim, MATLAB, Visual Studio Code, Spider, Allegro
- Platform: Linux (Ubuntu, Debian), Windows

Publications

H. Chen, K. Ma, J. Shen "Interpretable Machine Learning Facilitates Disease Prognosis: Applications on COVID-19 and Onward," Warwick Evans Publishing. Available: <https://wepub.org/index.php/IJCSIT/article/view/3228>

Awards and honors

Math Contest Modeling

Mar 2020

Honorable Mention

·Three days working with two other people

·Set up math models on future population distribution of fish