Panshi Wang | Curriculum Vitae

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Highlights

- o Advanced skills in programming, machine learning, and geosptial tools for large-scale applications.
- o Strong knowledge of remote sensing datasets and algorithms.
- o Practical experience working with multi-discplinary teams and handling diverse tasks.

Education

University of Maryland

Ph.D. Geographical Sciences

Institute of Electronics, Chinese Academy of Sciences

M.E. Sigal and Information Processing

University of Science and Technology of China

B.E. Electronic Engineering, Special Class for the Gifted Young

College Park, MD 2011–2017

Beijing, China

2008–2011

Hefei, China 2003–2008

Ph.D. Dissertation

title: Towards Fine Scale Characterization of Global Urban Extent, Change and Structure

advisor: Dr. Chengquan Huang

description: Based on innovative data processing and information extraction techniques, this dissertation seeks to fill in several fundamental knowledge gaps in urban science by advancing the fine scale characterization of global urban extent, change, and structure using satellite datasets.

Experience

Research

University of Maryland

College Park

2012-2017

Graduate Research Assistant

Supported various remote sensing projects, including:

- o Global Land Survey Impervious Mapping Project (https://urban.gsfc.nasa.gov):
 - Designed a global urban extent mapping algorithms using Landsat data;
 - Produced a 30m global Human Built-up and Settlement Extent (HBASE) product;
 - Developed computer programs for global-scale Landsat imagery processing;
 - Led validation efforts for global HBASE product and impervious surface change.
- o VIIRS Surface Type Project (http://vct.geog.umd.edu/st):
 - Developed and implemented an algorithm for automatic training data generation from high resolution imagery to map continuous fields land cover;
 - Supported VIIRS surface type product development and validation;
 - Prototyped VIIRS daily burnt area mapping;
 - Prototyped VIIRS daily inundation validation method using Sentinel-1 SAR data.

Institute of Electronics Graduate Research Assistant 2009–2011

Graduate Research Assistant

Developed and implemented a relative calibration platform and data processing systems.

Teaching

University of Maryland

College Park

Teaching Assistant

2011-2012

Lab instructor for two remote sensing courses.

Skills

Programming Languages: C/C++ (10+ yr), Python (8+ yr), IDL (8+ yr), Java (basic)

Datasets: Landsat (8+ yr), MODIS (8+ yr), VIIRS (5+ yr), Sentinel-1/2 (1+ yr) **Geospatial Tools**: ENVI (8+ yr), ArcGIS (6+ yr), QGIS (5+ yr), GDAL (5+ yr)

Others: Linux (8+ yr), GIT (2+ yr)

Awards

Jacob K. Goldhaber Travel Grant: University of Maryland	2015. 12
Jingli Yang Summer Research Fellowship: University of Maryland	2016. 04
Open Access Publishing Fund: University of Maryland	2017. 09
Jacob K. Goldhaber Travel: University of Maryland	2017. 10

Services

- o Reviewer for scientific journals including IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing, International Journal of Remote Sensing, Urban Science, Remote Sensing Applications: Society and Environment
- o Co-chair for 2017 IGARSS session TU1.L12: Radar and Thermal Data for Urban Monitoring
- o Undergraduate student mentor for college of Behavioral and Social Sciences (Fall 2013)

References

Dr. Chengquan Huang: Research Professor

University of Maryland

Dr. Eric Brown de Colstoun: Physical Scientist

NASA Goddard Space Flight Center

Dr. Bin Tan: Research Scientist

NASA / Science Systems and Applications, Inc.

Dr. James Tilton: Computer Engineer

NASA Goddard Space Flight Center

Greg Yetman: Associate Director CIESIN, Columbia University

Contact information available upon request.

Publications

Journal Papers

- o Panshi Wang, Chengquan Huang, and Eric C Brown de Colstoun. Mapping 2000–2010 impervious surface change in india using global land survey landsat data. *Remote Sensing*, 9(4):366, 2017.
- o Kang Sun, Xiurui Geng, Panshi Wang, and Yongchao Zhao. A fast endmember extraction algorithm based on gram determinant. *IEEE Geoscience and Remote Sensing Letters*, 11(6):1124–1128, 2014.

- E. C. Brown de Colstoun, C. Huang, P. Wang, J. C. Tilton, B. Tan, J. Phillips, S. Niemczura, P. Y. Ling, and R. E. Wolfe. Global man-made impervious surface (GMIS) dataset from landsat. https://doi.org/10.7927/H4P55KKF.
- o P. Wang, C. Huang, E. C. Brown de Colstoun, J. C. Tilton, and B. Tan. Global human built-up and settlement extent (HBASE) dataset from landsat. https://doi.org/10.7927/H4DN434S.

Conferences

- o Panshi Wang, Chengquan Huang, James C Tilton, Bin Tan, and Eric C Brown de Colstoun. HOTex: An Approach for Global Mapping of Human Built-up and Settlement Extent. Oral paper presentation at 2017 IEEE International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium (IGARSS).
- Xiwu Zhan, Rui Zhang, Panshi Wang, Chengquan Huang, Ivan Csiszar, Lihang Zhou, and Fuzhong Weng. Monitoring Surface Type Changes with S-NPP/JPSS VIIRS Observations. Oral paper presentation at 2017 IEEE International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium (IGARSS).
- o Panshi Wang, Chengquan Huang, James C Tilton, Bin Tan, and Eric C Brown de Colstoun. A new map of circa 2010 global urban extent from Landsat data. Poster presentation at 2015 AGU Fall meeting.
- o Panshi Wang, Chengquan Huang, James C Tilton, Bin Tan, and Eric C Brown de Colstoun. Global Urban Extent from Landsat using Multi-level Object-based Texture Features. Poster presentation at 2015 NASA Carbon Cycle & Ecosystems Joint Science Workshop.
- o Panshi Wang, James C Tilton, Chengquan Huang, Bin Tan, Eric C Brown de Colstoun, Robert E Wolfe, J Philips, and Pui-Yu Ling. Urban Extent Mapping Using Object-Based Texture Classification and Landsat Data. Poster presentation at 2014 AGU Fall meeting.