Qihao He

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Education

Texas A&M University

May. 2025 - Ongoing

Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Science, GPA 3.88/4.00

College Station, TX, USA

Texas A&M University

Aug. 2023 - May. 2025

Master of Science in Computer Science

College Station, TX, USA

The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

Sep. 2019 - Jun. 2023

Bachelor of Science in Data Science and Technology & Computer Science (Double-Major)

Kowloon, Hong Kong

• Graduated with First Class Honors, GPA 3.65/4.30

• 2022/23 CSE Best Final Year Project: Real-time Vacancy Detection System

Publications

Neural Importance Sampling of Many Lights

Pedro Figueiredo, **Qihao He**, Steve Bako, Nima Khademi Kalantari SIGGRAPH 2025

Neural Path Guiding with Distribution Factorization

Pedro Figueiredo, Qihao He, Nima Khademi Kalantari

EGSR 2025

Work Experience

<u>Aurora</u> Jun. 2024 – Aug. 2024

Software Engineer Intern, Synthetic World and Sensor Simulation Team

Mountain View, CA, USA

Topic: Many-light rendering.

• Implemented Stochastic Lightcuts, organized in spatial cells within a Bounding Volume Hierarchy.

<u>Capmi Technology</u>

Jun. 2022 – Aug. 2022

Software Developer Intern

New Territories, Hong Kong

Topic: IMU-based motion capture.

• Implemented Foot Rooted Kinematic Model and Kalman Filtering algorithms for an inertial motion capture system to track movement from walking to dynamic motions including running and jumping.

Projects

 $\textbf{Real-time Vacancy Detection System} \ \underline{github.com/lzr5198/carpark-vacancy-detection-system}$

Sep. 2022 - May 2023

- \bullet Detecting occupancy status of more than 12 parking spaces using one fisheye-camera in real-time.
- Accuracy greater than 90% with pedestrian noise filtering algorithm.

Graphics Projects github.com/iphyqh/course_projects_pg

Sep. 2022 - Dec. 2022

- Geometry Processing. Implemented Laplacian smoothing methods and a Laplacian mesh editing technique.
- Rendering. Implemented volumetric cloud rendering using fractal noise and Ray Marching.

Pixel Fantasy github.com/phyqh/Pixel-Fantasy

Feb. 2022 – May 2022

• An OpenGL-based game featuring a 3D ARPG with 2D Sprites without dependence on game engine.

Skills

- Programming Languages: Python, C++, CUDA, Java, Scala
- Tech Skills: PyTorch, Mitsuba 3, OptiX, Embree, OpenGL

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