

# XUEQING WU

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## EDUCATION

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**University of Science and Technology of China**

Sep. 2016 - Jun. 2020

BS in Electronic Engineering & Information Science

Member of Honors Program in Computer and Information Science and Technology

Member of Honors Program in AI

GPA: 4.03/4.30 (Ranking: 1/363)

## EXPERIENCE

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**Simultaneous Translation**

Dec. 2019 - Jul. 2020

*Mentor: Tao Qin*

*Machine Learning Group, MSRA*

- Trained the *wait-k* system with access to future information (i.e., larger  $k'$ ) during training
- Adopted REINFORCE algorithm to jointly train a controller that adaptively selects  $k'$
- Improved 1.0 - 3.0 BLEU (under similar latency) on large WMT dataset and small IWSLT datasets

**Long Document Modeling**

Jul. 2019 - Sep. 2019

*Mentor: Wang Wei*

*ScAi Lab, UCLA*

- Designed sparsified Transformer based on Graph Attention Network to decrease memory consumption
- Proposed a semantic-aware pooling module to increase the receptive field
- Attained competitive results on IMDB dataset

**Oriented Object Detection in Aerial Images**

Mar. 2019 - Jun. 2019

*Mentor: Jun Du*

*NELSLIP Lab, USTC*

- Improved the representation of oriented objects based on the periodicity of tilt angle
- Proposed Length Independent IoU (LIoU) to increase the recall for long objects
- Won a 1<sup>st</sup> Prize and a 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize in Challenge-2019 on Object Detection in Aerial Images held by CVPR

## PUBLICATIONS

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Yixing Zhu, Jun Du, **Xueqing Wu**, *Adaptive Period Embedding for Representing Oriented Objects in Aerial Images*, IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing. 2020. [link](#)

## AWARDS & HONORS

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<b>First Place</b> and <b>Second Place</b> , Challenge-2019 on Object Detection in Aerial Images	Apr. 2019
<b>Honorary Rank</b> (Top 5%), USTC	Nov. 2019
<b>Guo Moruo Scholarship</b> (Highest honor at USTC, top 1%), USTC	Oct. 2019
<b>Meritorious Winner</b> , MCM / ICM	Jan. 2019
<b>First Prize</b> , Robogame, USTC	Nov. 2018
<b>Tang Lixin Scholarship</b> , Tang Lixin Education Development Foundation	Oct. 2018
<b>National Scholarship</b> , China	Oct. 2018
<b>Second Prize</b> , Anhui Province, National Undergraduate Electronic Design Contest	Jun. 2018
<b>Medal Prize</b> , Software Track, International Genetically Engineered Machine Competition	Nov. 2017

## SKILLS

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**Languages:** Python (proficient), C++ (competent)

**Deep Learning:** PyTorch (proficient)      **OS:** Debian (proficient)