Tianye Li

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Education

01/2016 - present

Ph.D. Computer Science.

University of Southern California

Focus: Computer Vision and Computer Graphics

Advisor: Prof. Hao Li

08/2013 – 05/2015 M.S. Electrical Engineering, honor program.

University of Southern California, GPA 3.89/4.00

Focus: Signal and Image Processing (Computer Vision and Machine Learning)

08/2009 - 07/2013 B.Eng. Electronic and Information Engineering.

Xidian University, Xi'an, China, GPA 87.5/100

Focus: Signal Processing

Publication

PAMI 2020 A General Differentiable Mesh Renderer for Image-based 3D Reasoning,

Shichen Liu, Tianye Li, Weikai Chen, and Hao Li,

IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence, 2020 (to appear).

ICCV 2019

Soft Rasterizer: A Differentiable Renderer for Image-based 3D Reasoning,

(oral presentation)

Shichen Liu, Tianye Li, Weikai Chen, and Hao Li,

Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision, 10/2019.

ICCV 2019 Learning Perspective Undistortion of Portraits,

(oral presentation) Yajie Zhao*, Zeng Huang*, Tianye Li, Weikai Chen, Chloe LeGendre, Xinglei Ren, Jun Xing, Ari Shapiro, and Hao Li,

Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision, 10/2019.

ECCV 2018 Deep Volumetric Video from Very Sparse Multi-View Performance Capture,

Zeng Huang, Tianye Li, Weikai Chen, Yajie Zhao, Jun Xing, Chloe LeGendre, Linjie Luo, Chongyang Ma, and Hao Li,

Proceedings of the 15th European Conference on Computer Vision, 09/2018.

SIGGRAPH Asia 2017 Learning a Model of Facial Shape and Expression from 4D Scans,

Tianye Li*, Timo Bolkart*, Michael J. Black, Hao Li, and Javier Romero,

ACM Transactions on Graphics, Proceedings of the 10th ACM SIGGRAPH Conference and Exhibition in Asia, 11/2017.

ECCV 2016 Real-Time Facial Segmentation and Performance Capture from RGB Input,

Shunsuke Saito, Tianye Li, and Hao Li,

Proceedings of the 14th European Conference on Computer Vision, 10/2016.

Technical Experience

06/2020 – present

Research Intern, Facebook Reality Labs.

• Research on computer vision and computer graphics.

08/2017 – present

Research Assistant, USC Institute for Creative Technologies.

- Researched on sparse-view 3D volumetric capture for full human body.
- Researched on perspective undistortion method for portraits.
- Researched on rasterization-based differentiable rendering for image-based 3D reasoning.

10/2015 – present

Research Assistant, University of Southern California.

- Built multi-view performance capture system using GoPros and Kinect cameras.
- Developed convolutional network for real-time facial segmentation and performance capture.
- Captured RGBD dataset for evaluating dense human body correspondence algorithm.
- Developed active appearance model from scratch for face tracking.

05/2018 - 08/2018 Research Intern, Snap Inc.

• Researched on computer vision and computer graphics.

09/2016 – 06/2017 Research Intern, Max Planck Institute for Intelligent Systems.

- Researched on generic model for facial shape, expression and pose.
- Researched on high-quality mesh registration for large 4D facial scan datasets.

08/2015 - 10/2015 Image Tech Research Engineer, Dolby Laboratories.

- Developed applications and features that ease the creative process for next generation cinema.
- Provided documentation and guidance for new applications and features.

02/2015 - 08/2015 Image Processing Intern, Dolby Laboratories.

- Developed innovative image/video processing and video coding algorithms.
- Documented and presented new algorithms and implementations in various forms.

07/2012 - 08/2012 Intern, Open Laboratory and Solution Center, Agilent Technologies.

- Assisted customers with microwave and telecommunication instrument calibration.
- Experimented on standard microwave components and documented standard procedures.

Teaching Experience

2018 – 2019 Teaching Assistant, University of Southern California.

- o Fall 2019, Advanced Computer Vision (CSCI 677). Instructor: Prof. Ram Nevatia.
- o Spring 2018, Digital Geometry Processing (CSCI 621). Instructor: Prof. Hao Li.
- 2015 Grader, University of Southern California.
 - o Spring 2015, Mathematical Pattern Recognition (EE 559). Instructor: Prof. Keith Jenkins.

Academic Talk

2017 Learning a Model of Facial Shape and Expression from 4D Scans.

- o ACM SIGGRAPH Conference and Exhibition in Asia, 11/2017
- o Graphics and Mixed Environment Webinar, 12/2017

Professional Activities

NeurIPS 2020, ECCV 2020, CVPR 2020, AAAI 2020, ICCV 2019, Eurographics 2019, Pacific Graphics 2018, CAVW 2018, ICCV Workshop PeopleCap 2017, IEEE VR 2017

Honors

2020 IEEE CVPR Outstanding Reviewer

2015 Electrical engineering master honor program, University of Southern California

2010-2012 University scholarship, Xidian University

Skills

Programming C/C++, MATLAB, Python; OpenCV, Caffe, PyTorch, TensorFlow

Devices Kinect (v1 and v2), Intel RealSense, PrimeSense

Electronics

Signal generator, oscilloscopes, signal/network analyzer, soldering, circuits debugging

Languages Mandarin Chinese (native), English (fluent), German (basic)

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