

XIAO WANG

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EDUCATION

Purdue University, West Lafayette, U.S Aug, 2018 – Present

PhD student in Computer Science GPA:**3.91/4.0**

Xi'an JiaoTong University, Xi'an, China Aug, 2014 – June, 2018

B.S. in Computer Science GPA: 90.57/100; Rank: **1/170**

EXPERIENCE

Kihara Bioinformatics Lab, West Lafayette, U.S Aug, 2018 – Present

Research Assistant Advisor: Prof. Daisuke Kihara

Deep learning for 3D protein structure modeling and function prediction.

- 1) DOVE: Apply 3D CNN to evaluate the quality of protein docking models.
- 2) Emap2sec+: Apply 3D ResNet to detect protein and DNA structures in Cryo-EM maps of intermediate resolution.
- 3) MAINMAST_Seg: Apply MST and LDP to extract reliable protein fragments from Cryo-EM map.
- 4) GNN_DOVE: Apply Graph neural network to evaluate protein docking models.
- 5) Deep MAINMAST: Build a graph based on deep-learning based structure prediction in Cryo-EM maps and then trace the main chain of protein from the graph.
- 6) DAQ: Utilize deep learning to evaluate the deposited structures and yield promising information for experimental scientists to revise their structures.

Facebook AI Research, Menlo Park, U.S May, 2021 – Aug, 2021

Research Intern Advisor: Dr. Xinlei Chen, Haoqi Fan

Self-supervised learning for Image Classification without labels

- Proposed novel asymmetrical self-supervised learning methods
- Extend asymmetrical design to several existing methods and verified its generalization
- Investigated the BatchNorm (BN) importance in self-supervised learning with asymmetrical design.
- Achieved state-of-the-art performance of self-supervised ResNet-50 on ImageNet with less computation.

JD AI Research, Mountain View, U.S May, 2020 – Dec, 2020

Research Intern Advisor: Dr. Jingen Liu

Temporal contrastive learning for video event segmentation

- Proposed self-supervised learning framework for event segmentation in videos
- Integrated Transformer and contrastive learning to detect event boundary
- Achieved state-of-the-art performance on video segmentation dataset with much higher MOF and IOU.
- Proposed our own evaluation metrics F1@5% that is more general for event segmentation

Futurewei AI Lab, Bellevue, U.S May, 2019 – August, 2019

Computer Vision Research Intern Mentor: Dr. Lin Chen, Supervisor: Prof. Guojun Qi, Prof. Jiebo Luo

Pre-task representation learning for self-supervised and semi-supervised learning.

- 1) EnAET: Proposed novel idea based on Auto-Encoding Transformation, which achieved SOTA performance on semi- and fully-supervised benchmarks.
- 2) CLSA: Introduced stronger augmentation to contrastive learning as an auxiliary task, which greatly boosted the performance.
- 3) AdCo: Adversarial contrastive learning methods by building an adversarial trainable memory bank.
- 4) CaCo: Cooperative and Adversarial contrastive learning methods by building a trainable memory bank with cooperative positive and adversarial negative training.

Institute of Automation, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China June, 2016 – June, 2018

Machine Learning Intern Mentor: Dr. Yilun Lin, Supervisor: Prof. Li-Li, Prof. Fei-Yue Wang

Deep learning for car-following trajectory prediction and traffic simulation.

- Proposed GRU-based car-following model, which greatly improved performance on NGSIM dataset.
- Built the traffic flow simulation platform with our car-following model and reproduced the classical traffic congestion pattern.
- Proposed a novel way based on DQN(A2C) and ARS to adjust GAN's hyper-parameters.
- Tests are carried on MNIST, CIFAR and CelebA but without stable and extraordinary performance.
- Codes available in ARS GAN.

PUBLICATIONS

- 1 **Xiao Wang***, Genki Terashi* , Sai Raghavendra Maddhuri Venkata Subramaniya, John J. G. Tesmer Daisuke Kihara. Residue-Wise Local Quality Estimation for Protein Models from Cryo-EM Maps. **Nature Methods**. (2021). (2nd round review). [GitHub]. [Colab]
- 2 **Xiao Wang**, Guo-Jun Qi. Contrastive Learning with Stronger Augmentations. IEEE Transactions on pattern analysis and machine intelligence (**IEEE T-PAMI**). (2021). (2nd round review) [Paper] [GitHub]
- 3 **Xiao Wang***, Haoqi Fan*, Yuandong Tian, Daisuke Kihara, Xinlei Chen. On the Importance of Asymmetry for Siamese Representation Learning. IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (**CVPR 2022**). [Paper] [GitHub]
- 4 **Xiao Wang**, Yuhang Huang, Dan Zeng, Guo-Jun Qi. CaCo: Both Positive and Negative Samples are Directly Learnable via Cooperative-adversarial Contrastive Learning. IEEE Transactions on pattern analysis and machine intelligence (**IEEE T-PAMI**). (2022). (Submitted). [Paper] [GitHub]
- 5 **Xiao Wang***, Qianjiang Hu*, Wei Hu, Guo-Jun Qi. AdCo: Adversarial Contrast for Efficient Learning of Unsupervised Representations from Self-Trained Negative Adversaries. IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (**CVPR 2021**). [Paper] [GitHub]
- 6 **Xiao Wang**, Jingen Liu, Tao Mei, Jiebo Luo. CoSeg: Cognitively Inspired Unsupervised Generic Event Segmentation. IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems (**IEEE TNNLS**). (Submitted) [Paper]
- 7 Broyles, Bradley K., Andrew T. Gutierrez, Theodore P. Maris, Daniel A. Coil, Thomas M. Wagner, **Xiao Wang**, Daisuke Kihara, Caleb A. Class, and Alexandre M. Erkin. "Activation of gene expression by detergent-like protein domains." **IScience** 24, no. 9 (2021): 103017. [Paper] [GitHub]
- 8 M.F. Lensink, ..., Charles Christoffer, Genki Terashi, Jacob Verburgt, Daipayan Sarkar, Tunde Aderinwale, **Xiao Wang**, Daisuke Kihara, ..., & S.J. Wodak (108 authors), Prediction of protein assemblies, the next frontier: The CASP14-CAPRI experiment. *Proteins*, in press, (2021) [Paper]
- 9 **Xiao Wang**, Mizu Kittaka, Yilin He, Yiwei Zhang, YYasuyoshi Ueki, and Daisuke Kihara. OC_Finder: A deep learning-based software for osteoclast segmentation, counting, and classification. *Frontiers in Bioinformatics*. (2021). [Paper] [GitHub] [Colab]
- 10 Zhang, Mei, Zhicheng Zhang, **Xiao Wang**, Hui Yu, Yifan Xia, Kanran Tan, and Fei-Yue Wang. "From AR to AI: Augmentation Technology for Intelligent Surgery and Medical Treatments." IFAC-PapersOnLine 53, no. 5 (2020): 792-796. [Paper]
- 11 **Xiao Wang**, Sean T. Flannery, Daisuke Kihara. Protein Docking Model Evaluation by Graph Neural Networks. *Frontiers in Molecular Biosciences* (**FMOLB**). (2020). [Paper] [GitHub]
- 12 **Xiao Wang**, Eman Alnabati, Tunde W Aderinwale, Sai Raghavendra Maddhuri Venkata Subramaniya, Genki Terashi & Daisuke Kihara. Emap2sec+: Structure Detection in Intermediate Resolution Cryo-EM Maps Using Deep Learning. **Nature Communications**. (2021). [Paper] [GitHub]
- 13 **Xiao Wang**, Daisuke Kihara, Jiebo Luo, Guo-Jun Qi. Enaet: Self-trained ensemble autoencoding transformations for semi-supervised learning. IEEE Transactions on Image Processing (**IEEE TIP**). (2020). [Paper] [GitHub]
- 14 Guo-Jun Qi, Liheng Zhang, Feng Lin, **Xiao Wang**. Learning Generalized Transformation Equivariant Representations via Autoencoding Transformations. IEEE Transactions on pattern analysis and machine intelligence (**IEEE T-PAMI**). (2020). [Paper] [GitHub]
- 15 Ilja Gubins, Marten L. Chaillet, Gijs van der Schot, Remco C. Veltkamp, Friedrich Förster, Yu Hao, Xiaohua Wan, Xuefeng Cui, Fa Zhang, Emmanuel Moebel, **Xiao Wang**, Daisuke Kihara, Xiangrui Zeng, Min Xu, Nguyen P. Nguyen, Tommi White, Filiz Bunyak, SHREC'20 Benchmark: Classification in cryo-electron

- tomograms, Computers & Graphics, (2020). [Paper]
- 16 **Xiao Wang**, Genki Terashi, Charles W. Christoffer, Mengmeng Zhu, and Daisuke Kihara, Protein Docking Model Evaluation by 3D Deep Convolutional Neural Networks. **Bioinformatics** 36: 2113-2118 (2020). [Paper] [GitHub]
 - 17 **Xiao Wang**, Rui Jiang, Li Li, Yi-Lun Lin, and Fei-Yue Wang. Long memory is important: A test study on deep-learning based car-following model. *Physica A: Statistical Mechanics and its Applications*, 514: 786-795, (2019) [Paper]
 - 18 **Xiao Wang**, Rui Jiang, Li Li, Yilun Lin, Xinhua Zheng, and Fei-Yue Wang. Capturing car-following behaviors by deep learning. *IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Transportation Systems (IEEE T-ITS)*, PP(99):1–11, (2018). [Paper]
 - 19 **Xiao Wang**, Yuanyuan Zhang, Shengnan Yu, Xiwei Liu, Yong Yuan, and Fei-Yue Wang. E-learning recommendation framework based on deep learning. In *SYSTEMS, MAN, AND CYBERNETICS, 2017 IEEE International Conference on (IEEE SMC)*. pp. 455-460, IEEE, (2017). [Paper]
 - 20 **Xiao Wang**, Yuanyuan Zhang, Shengnan Yu, Xiwei Liu, and Fei-Yue Wang. Computerized adaptive English ability assessment based on deep learning. In *Pacific-Rim Symposium on Image and Video Technology*. pp. 158-171. Springer, (2017). [Paper]
 - 21 Xiaoyan Gong, Xiwei Liu, Sifeng Jing, and **Xiao Wang**. Parallel education systems under perspective of system construction for new IT era. In *Pacific-Rim Symposium on Image and Video Technology*. pp. 131-143. Springer, (2017). [Paper]

PRESENTATIONS

- 1 "The OC Finder: A deep learning-based software for in vitro osteoclast counting", **Xiao Wang**, Mizuho Kittaka, Yilin He, Yiwei Zhang, Daisuke Kihara, Yasuyoshi Ueki, 2021 Annual Meeting of The American Society for Bone and Mineral Research, October 1-4, 2021
- 2 "Emap2sec+: Detecting protein and DNA/RNA structures in cryo-EM maps of intermediate resolution using deep learning." **Xiao Wang**, Eman Alnabati, Tunde W. Aderinwale, Sai Raghavendra Maddhuri Venkata Subramaniya, Genki Terashi, Daisuke Kihara, 71st Annual Meeting of the American Crystallographic Association, July 30 - Aug 5, 2021.
- 3 "Detecting protein and DNA/RNA structures in cryo-EM maps of intermediate resolution using deep learning", **Xiao Wang**, Eman Alnabati, Tunde W. Aderinwale, Sai Raghavendra Maddhuri Venkata Subramaniya, Genki Terashi, Daisuke Kihara, The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Biomolecular Galaxy 2021, May 12-13, 2021.
- 4 "Detecting protein and DNA/RNA structures in cryo-EM maps of intermediate resolution using deep learning", **Xiao Wang**, Eman Alnabati, Tunde W. Aderinwale, Sai Raghavendra Maddhuri Venkata Subramaniya, Genki Terashi, Daisuke Kihara, 2021 65th Biophysical Society Annual Meeting, February 22-26, 2021.
- 5 "Emap2sec+: Detecting protein and DNA/RNA structures in cryo-EM maps of intermediate resolution using deep learning", **Xiao Wang**, Eman Alnabati, Tunde Aderinwale, Sai Raghavendra Maddhuri Venkata Subramaniya, Genki Terashi, Daisuke Kihara, *Frontiers in Cryo-Electron Microscopy, Keystone Symposia*, Feb. 3-4, 2021.
- 6 "Protein Docking Model Evaluation by Graph Neural Networks", **Xiao Wang**, Sean T. Flannery, Daisuke Kihara, *Structural and Computational Biology and Biophysics (SCBB) Graduate Student Symposium of Purdue*, Dec 16, 2020.
- 7 "Emap2sec+: Detecting protein and DNA/RNA structures in cryo-EM maps of intermediate resolution using deep learning", **Xiao Wang**, Eman Alnabati, Tunde Aderinwale, Sai Raghavendra Maddhuri Venkata Subramaniya, Genki Terashi, Daisuke Kihara, 5th Annual Southern California Cryo-EM Symposium, Oct 30, 2020.
- 8 "Protein docking model evaluation by 3D convolutional neural networks", **Xiao Wang**, Genki Terashi, Charles W Christoffer, Mengmeng Zhu, Daisuke Kihara, invited talk by Aggregate Intellect - AI.SCIENCE, Mar 24. [Video].

HONORS AND AWARDS

<i>Google Fellowship Nomination of Purdue (5 across Purdue), West Lafayette, IN, U.S.A.</i>	Sep, 2021
<i>Microsoft Fellowship Nomination of Purdue (5 across Purdue), West Lafayette, IN, U.S.A.</i>	Sep, 2020

<i>Chiang Chen Overseas Fellowship</i> (10 across China, \$50,000), Shenzhen, China.	Jan,2018
<i>HIWIN Outstanding Student Scholarship</i> (Top 0.3%),Xi'an China	Oct,2018
<i>Excellent Student Pacesetter</i> (Top 10 across university), Xi'an, China	Nov,2017
<i>National Scholarship</i> , Xi'an, China	Oct,2016

SKILLS

- Expertise: Pytorch, Python, Tensorflow, Matlab, Java
- Capable: SQL, C, C++, Fortran, Java Web, Latex, Android