Xiang Zhi Tan

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Research Interests

Human-Computer Interaction; Human-Robot Interaction; Wearable Computing; Ubiquitous Computing

Education

Expected
Spring 2015

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science
University of Wisconsin-Madison, USA
Honors in Major candidate
GPA: 4.0/4.0

Fall 2012

American Degree Transfer Program
INTI International University, Malaysia

GPA: 3.63/4.0

Research Experience

June 2013

Undergraduate Research Assistant

- Current

Wisconsin Human-Computer Interaction Lab, UW-Madison, Madison, WI Conduct research in the field of human-computer interaction. Past research involved utilizing gaze cues in humanoid robots and usage of wearable computing in facilitating education in a classroom setting. Facilitated demonstration and outreach programs organized by the HCI Lab.

Work Experience

June 2013

Undergraduate Programmer

- Jan 2014

UW-Madison Graduate School IT Department, Madison, WI

Evaluated third-party solution to streamline office workflow; Lead the Request For Proposal process for third-party products; Developed software in supporting day to day operation of the department

Publications

Conference Papers

C.1 Sean Andrist, Xiang Zhi Tan, Michael Gleicher, and Bilge Mutlu. "Conversational Gaze Aversion for Humanlike Robots". In: Proceedings of the 2014 ACM/IEEE International Conference on Human-robot Interaction. HRI '14. Bielefeld, Germany: ACM, 2014, pp. 25–32.
Acceptance rate: 24%

Posters

P.1 Steven Johnson, **Xiang Zhi Tan**, Daniel Szafir, and Bilge Mutlu. "Using At-A-Glance Displays to Enhance Student Attention." McPherson Eye Research Institute (MERI) Symposium, Madison, Wisconsin, 2014.

Honors and Awards

Fall 2014	Computing Research Association's (CRA) Outstanding Undergraduate Male
	Researcher Award for PhD-granting institutions 2015 - honorable mention.
Fall 2014	David H. Durra Scholarship
Spring 2014	DeWitt Undergraduate Fellowship
Spring 2014	Summer Research Assistantship
Spring 2014	2014-15 Hilldale Undergraduate/Faculty Research Fellowships
Spring 2014	ACM/IEEE Human-Robot Interaction Conference 2014 Best Paper Award
	Nominee
2013-2014	Dean's List