# **XIAOHANG TANG**

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### **EDUCATION**

Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, USA

Ph.D. in Computer Science

University of Liverpool, Liverpool, UK

B.Sc. in Computer Science

First Class (Honors)

Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University, Suzhou, China

B.Sc. in Information and Computing Science

EXPERIENCE

HCI | Graduate Student and Researcher | PRIME Lab

Advisors: Yan Chen

Virginia Tech

#### **University of Notre Dame**

05/2022 - 02/2023

08/2023 - Present

HCI + NLP | Research Intern | SaNDwich Lab

Advisors: Toby Jia-Jun Li & Elena Glassman (co-advised from Harvard University)

### **University of Liverpool**

10/2021 - 08/2023

NLP | Research Assistant | NLP@Liv

Advisor: Danushka Bollegala

### Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University

10/2020 - 08/2021

HCI + VR + Cybersickness | Research Assistant | X-CHI Lab

Advisors: Hai-Ning Liang & Diego Monteiro

HCI + VR + Accessibility + Gamification | Research Assistant | X-CHI Lab

Advisor: Hai-Ning Liang

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS: MY GOOGLE SCHOLAR

### **Full Paper**

- [C.4] **Xiaohang Tang**, Yi Zhou, Taichi Aida, Procheta Sen, Danushka Bollegala, "Can Word Sense Distribution Detect Semantic Changes of Words?," in **EMNLP'23 Findings**
- [C.3] Xiaohang Tang, Yi Zhou, Danushka Bollegala, "Learning Dynamic Contextualised Word Embeddings via Template-based Temporal Adaptation," in ACL'23

- [C.2] Simret Araya, Zheng Zhang, **Xiaohang Tang**, Yihao Meng, Elena Glassman, Toby Jia-Jun Li, "PaTAT: Human-AI Collaborative Qalitative Coding with Explainable Interactive Rule Synthesis," in **CHI'23**
- [C.1] Diego Monteiro, Hai-Ning Liang, **Xiaohang Tang**, Pourang Irani, "Using Trajectory Compression Rate to Predict Changes in Cybersickness in Virtual Reality Games," in **ISMAR'21**
- [J.1] Jingjing Zhang, Mengjie Huang, Rui Yang, Yiqi Wang, **Xiaohang Tang**, Ji Han, Haining Liang, "Understanding the effects of hand design on embodiment in virtual reality," in **AI EDAM (Cambridge University Press)**

#### **Extended Abstract**

- [EA.4] **Xiaohang Tang**, Xi Chen, Sam Wong, Yan Chen, "VizPI: A Real-Time Visualization Tool for Enhancing Peer Instruction in Large-Scale Programming Lectures," in **UIST'23**
- [EA.3] Xiang Li, Yuzheng Chen, **Xiaohang Tang**, "GesMessages: Using Mid-air Gestures to Manage Notifications," in **SUI'23**
- [EA.2] Xiang Li, Yuzheng Chen, **Xiaohang Tang**, "GesPlayer: Using Augmented Gestures to Empower Video Players," in **ISS'22**
- [EA.1] Xiang Li, **Xiaohang Tang**, Xin Tong, Rakesh Patibanda, Florian 'Floyd' Mueller, Hai-Ning Liang, "Myopic Bike and Say Hi: Games for Empathizing with The Myopic," in **CHI PLAY'21** [SGDC Finalist]

### **Patent**

[PA.1] Diego Monteiro, Hai-Ning Liang, **Xiaohang Tang**, "A method, apparatus and storage medium for detecting user's cybersickness level in virtual environment," [CN113283612A]

### **ACADEMIC SERVICE**

Reviewer: CHI (2023, 2024), CSCW (2023), CHI Late-Breaking Work (2022-2024)

Student Volunteer: ACM CHI (2023), ACM UbiComp (2022), ACM DIS (2022), IEEE AIVR (2020)

### **SELECTED AWARDS**

ACM SIGCHI Gary Marsden Travel Award '22 (\$3500)

University Academic Achievement Award '20 at XJTLU (\$750, 10%)

### SKILLS

**Programming Languages:** Python, C/C++, C#, Java, R, JavaScript

Tools and Frameworks: LATEX, PyTorch, Unity3D, React, D3.js