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Education

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| 2018–Present | Ph.D in Geophysics , University of Houston, Houston, USA |
| 2015–2018 | M.S. in Geology , Northwest University, Xi'an, China |
| 2011–2015 | B.S. in Geophysics , China University of Geosciences, Beijing, China |

Research Interests

- Geophysical inverse problems for multiple data sets (e.g., gravity, gravity gradiometry and magnetic)
- Structural similarity constraint joint inversion
- Uncertainty analysis in geophysical separate/joint inversions in both deterministic and stochastic frameworks
- Geology differentiation models
- Machine/deep learning algorithms applied to geophysical data interpretations

Awards & Honors

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| 2021 | Outstanding Academic Achievement, University of Houston, Houston, USA |
| 2021 | Best Poster in the Mining Sessions at the 2020 SEG Annual Meeting |
| 2020 | Outstanding Academic Achievement, University of Houston, Houston, USA |
| 2018 | First Prize Scholarship, Northwest University, Xi'an, China |
| 2017 | First Prize Scholarship, Northwest University, Xi'an, China |
| 2016 | First Prize Scholarship, Northwest University, Xi'an, China |
| 2015 | Best Bachelor Thesis, China University of Geosciences, Beijing, China |
| 2013 | Second Prize Scholarship, China University of Geosciences, Beijing, China |
| 2012 | Outstanding Volunteer for rural elementary schools, China University of Geosciences, Beijing, China |

Publications

Peer-Reviewed

4. Hu, Y., **Wei, X.**, Wu, X., Sun, J., Chen, J., Huang, Y., Chen, J., 2021. A deep learning enhanced framework for multi-physics joint inversion. *IEEE TRANSACTIONS ON NEURAL NETWORKS AND LEARNING SYSTEMS*. under review
3. **Wei, X.** and Sun, J., 2020. Uncertainty analysis of 3D potential-field deterministic inversion using mixed Lp norms. *Geophysics*. under review
2. Sun, J., **Wei, X.**, 2020. Recovering sparse models in 3D potential-field inversion without bound dependence or staircasing problems using a mixed Lp-norm regularization. *Geophysical Prospecting*. doi:[10.1111/1365-2478.13063](https://doi.org/10.1111/1365-2478.13063).
1. Sun, J., Melo, A., Kim, J.D. and **Wei, X.**, 2020. Unveiling the 3D undercover structure of a Precambrian intrusive complex by integrating airborne magnetic and gravity gradient data into 3D quasi-geology model building. *Interpretation*, 8(4), pp.1-50. doi:[10.1190/INT-2019-0273.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/INT-2019-0273.1).

In preparation

1. **Wei, X.** and Sun, J., 2021. Uncertainty analysis of 3D geology differentiation models via joint inversion.

Conference Proceedings

3. **Wei, X.** and Sun, J., 2020. Uncertainty analysis of joint inversion using mixed Lp-norm regularization. In *SEG Technical Program Expanded Abstracts 2020* (pp. 925-929). Society of Exploration Geophysicists. doi:[10.1190/segam2020-3428359.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/segam2020-3428359.1).
2. **Wei, X.** and Sun, J., 2020. Quantifying uncertainties of deterministic geophysical inversions using mixed Lp norms. In *SEG Technical Program Expanded Abstracts 2020* (pp. 1404-1408). Society of Exploration Geophysicists. doi:[10.1190/segam2020-3420227.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/segam2020-3420227.1).
1. Sun, J., Melo, A., Deok Kim, J. and **Wei, X.**, 2020. Characterizing a Precambrian intrusive complex by integrating potential field data into 3D quasi-geology model building. In *SEG Technical Program Expanded Abstracts 2020* (pp. 1374-1378). Society of Exploration Geophysicists. doi:[10.1190/segam2020-3428385.1](https://doi.org/10.1190/segam2020-3428385.1).

Teaching Experiences

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| 2020 | GEOL7330: Potential Field Methods of Geophysical Exploration (graduate core course), guest lecturer , University of Houston |
| 2019 | GEOL4355: Geophysical Field Camp, teaching assistant , University of Houston |

Professional Affiliations & Activities

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| 2020– | Core contributor of joint inversion code in SimPEG (https://simpeg.xyz/) |
| 2020–Present | American Geophysical Union (AGU) |
| 2020–Present | European Association of Geoscientists & Engineers (EAGE) |
| 2018–Present | Society of Exploration Geophysicists (SEG) |

Certifications

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| 2018 | Certificate signed by Prof. Andrew Ng upon successfully completing the online machine learning course provided by Stanford University through Coursera Inc. |
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