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EDUCATION

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Information Management and Information System, Tianjin University, China

WORK EXPERIENCE

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Sony Group Corporation R&D, Japan

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Paper (Peer-Reviewed)

- [1] **Xinyi Zhang***, Yukiyasu Domae, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada A Closed-Loop Bin Picking System for Entangled Wire Harnesses using Bimanual and Dynamic Manipulation. Robotics and Computer-Integrated Manufacturing, 2023. webpage, paper.
- [2] **Xinyi Zhang***, Yukiyasu Domae, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada. Learning to Dexterously Pick or Separate Tangled-Prone Parts for Industrial Bin Picking. IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters (RA-L), 2023. (Present at ICRA 2024). webpage, paper.
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- [9] **Xinyi Zhang**, Weiwei Wan, Yukiyasu Domae, Kensuke Harada. Learning Dexterous Bin Picking Policies for Picking and Separating Tangled-Prone Parts. RSJ2022.
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- [11] Xinyi Zhang, Keisuke Koyama, Yukiyasu Domae, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada. Topology-based Grasp Detection Avoiding Entanglement for Robotic Bin-picking. SI2020. (Young Scientist Incentive Award, Best Presentation Award)
- [12] **Xinyi Zhang**, Keisuke Koyama, Weiwei Wan, Yukiyasu Domae, Kensuke Harada. Motion Generation for Separating Tangled Objects in Robotic Bin-picking. SCI'20.
- [13] **Xinyi Zhang**, Damien Petit, Yukiyasu Domae, Ixchel G. Ramirez-Alpizar, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada. Error Analysis and Adjustment on Randomized Bin-picking. SI2019.
- [14] **Xinyi Zhang**, Damien Petit, Yukiyasu Domae, Ixchel G. Ramirez-Alpizar, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada. A Real-time Robotic Calibration Method for Vision-based Bin-picking. ROBOMECH2019.

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- [1] 原田研介, **張馨藝 (Xinyi Zhang)**, 堂前幸康, 万偉偉, 森建郎. ワーク取出し装置. 特開 2023-095329, 2023.
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AWARDS AND HONORS

Best Presentation Award (優秀講演賞)	12/2021
SICE SI2021	
Young Scientist Incentive Award (若手奨励賞)	12/2021
SICE SI Division	
Japan Joint Chapter Young Award (IROS, CASE2021)	10/2021
IEEE Robotics and Automation Society	
Scholarship	04/2021 - 03/2023
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Best Presentation Award (優秀講演賞)	12/2020
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