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EDUCATION

Ph. D. in Engineering 04/2020 – present

Graduate School of Engineering Science, Osaka University, Japan

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Master of Engineering 04/2018 - 03/2020

Graduate School of Engineering Science, Osaka University, Japan

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Bachelor 09/2012 – 07/2016

Information Management and Information System, Tianjin University, China

PUBLICATIONS

Journal Paper (Peer-Reviewed)

- [1] **Xinyi Zhang***, Yukiyasu Domae, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada. Learning a Sequential Policy of Efficient Actions for Tangled-Prone Parts in Robotic Bin Picking. IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters (RA-L), 2022. (Present at ICRA 2023). webpage, paper.
- [2] Kaidi Nie, Felix von Drigalski, Joshua C. Triyonoputro, Chisato Nakashima, Yoshiya Shibata, Yoshinori Konishi, Yoshihisa Ijiri, Taku Yoshioka, Yukiyasu Domae, Toshio Ueshiba, Ryuichi Takase, **Xinyi Zhang**, Damien Petit, Ixchel G. Ramirez-Alpizar, Weiwei Wan & Kensuke Harada. Team O2AS' approach for the task-board task of the World Robot Challenge 2018. Advanced Robotics, 2020. paper.

International Conferences (Peer-Reviewed)

[3] Xinyi Zhang*, Keisuke Koyama, Yukiyasu Domae, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada. A Topological Solution of Entanglement for Complex-shaped Parts in Robotic Bin-picking. IEEE International Conference on Automation Science and Engineering (CASE), 2021. (IEEE Robotics and Automation Society Japan Joint Chapter Young Award). paper.

Preprints

[4] **Xinyi Zhang***, Yukiyasu Domae, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada. Learning to Dexterously Pick or Separate Tangled-Prone Parts for Industrial Bin Picking. arXiv, 2023. webpage, paper.

Domestic Conferences

- [5] Mizuki Takasu, **Xinyi Zhang**, Yukiyasu Domae, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada. Bin-Picking for Potential Entangled Object by Linearing Image of the Pile. SI2022.
- [6] **Xinyi Zhang**, Weiwei Wan, Yukiyasu Domae, Kensuke Harada. Learning Dexterous Bin Picking Policies for Picking and Separating Tangled-Prone Parts. RSJ2022.
- [7] **Xinyi Zhang**, Yukiyasu Domae, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada. Efficiently Picking Tangled-Prone Parts by Learning a Sequential Bin Picking Policy. SICE SI2021. (Best Presentation Award)
- [8] **Xinyi Zhang**, Keisuke Koyama, Yukiyasu Domae, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada. Topology-based Grasp Detection Avoiding Entanglement for Robotic Bin-picking. SICE SI2020. (Best Presentation Award, Young Scientist Incentive Award)
- [9] **Xinyi Zhang**, Keisuke Koyama, Weiwei Wan, Yukiyasu Domae, Kensuke Harada. Motion Generation for Separating Tangled Objects in Robotic Bin-picking. ISCIE SCI'20.
- [10] **Xinyi Zhang**, Damien Petit, Yukiyasu Domae, Ixchel G. Ramirez-Alpizar, Weiwei Wan, Kensuke Harada. Error Analysis and Adjustment on Randomized Bin-picking. SI2019.
- [11] **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.

PATENTS

[1] 原田研介, 万偉偉, 堂前幸康, **張馨芸**, 森建郎, 吹田和嗣, 五十嵐淳. ワーク取り出し装置、ワーク取り出し方法、プログラム及び制御装置. 特開 2021-186542, 2021/11/16.

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
Kobayashi Foundation (公益財団法人小林財団)	
Best Presentation Award (優秀講演賞)	12/2020
SICE SI2020	

SKILLS

Languages English (proficient), Japanese (fluent), Mandarin (native)

Programming Languages Python (proficient), C++ (proficient), C

Software/Libraries PyTorch, TensorFlow, NVIDIA PhysX, ROS

Other Skills Ubuntu, git, vim