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EDUCATION

The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK), Ph.D. in Computer Science and Engineering. 08/2016 - Present Advisor: Prof. Pheng-Ann Heng & Prof. Chi-Wing Fu Expected graduation date: 07/2020 Research interests: Computer Vision, Deep Learning.

South China University of Technology (SCUT), B.Eng. in Computer Science and Technology. 09/2012 - 07/2016 GPA: 3.95/4.0 (*Rank* 1^{st} in All-English-Teaching Union Class)

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PUBLICATIONS

- Direction-aware Spatial Context Features for Shadow Detection
 Xiaowei Hu, Lei Zhu, Chi-Wing Fu, Jing Qin, and Pheng-Ann Heng
 IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2018 (Oral, acceptance rate: 2.06%)
- [2] Recurrently Aggregating Deep Features for Salient Object Detection Xiaowei Hu, Lei Zhu, Jing Qin, Chi-Wing Fu, and Pheng-Ann Heng AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2018 (Spotlight)
- [3] SINet: A Scale-insensitive Convolutional Neural Network for Fast Vehicle Detection Xiaowei Hu, Xuemiao Xu, Yongjie Xiao, Hao Chen, Shengfeng He, Jing Qin, and Pheng-Ann Heng IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Transportation Systems (T-ITS), accepted for publication, 2018
- [4] R³Net: Recurrent Residual Refinement Network for Saliency Detection Zijun Deng*, Xiaowei Hu*, Lei Zhu, Xuemiao Xu, Jing Qin, Guoqiang Han, and Pheng-Ann Heng (*joint 1st authors) International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI), 2018
- [5] Deep Attentional Features for Prostate Segmentation in Ultrasound Yi Wang, Zijun Deng, Xiaowei Hu, Lei Zhu, Xin Yang, Xuemiao Xu, Pheng-Ann Heng, and Dong Ni International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI), 2018
- [6] AGNet: Attention-Guided Network for Surgical Tool Presence Detection Xiaowei Hu, Lequan Yu, Hao Chen, Jing Qin, and Pheng-Ann Heng Deep Learning in Medical Image Analysis and Multimodal Learning for Clinical Decision Support, pp.186-194, 2017
- [7] Direction-aware Spatial Context Features for Shadow Detection and Removal Xiaowei Hu, Chi-Wing Fu, Lei Zhu, Jing Qin, and Pheng-Ann Heng IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (TPAMI) (Under Review)
- [8] Saliency-aware Texture Smoothing
 Lei Zhu*, Xiaowei Hu*, Chi-Wing Fu, Jing Qin, and Pheng-Ann Heng (*joint 1st authors)
 IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics (**TVCG**) (Under Review)
- [9] Bi-directional Feature Pyramid Network with Recurrent Attention Residual Modules for Shadow Detection Lei Zhu, Zijun Deng, **Xiaowei Hu**, Chi-Wing Fu, Xuemiao Xu, Jing Qin, and Pheng-Ann Heng European Conference on Computer Vision (**ECCV**), 2018 (Under Review)

HONORS AND AWARDS

Hong Kong Ph.D. Fellowship (Highest scholarship for students studying in Hong Kong)	2016 - 2020
Top 10 Outstanding Students at SCUT ($\underline{Rank} \ 1^{st}$, highest award for students at SCUT)	2016
Google Excellence Scholarship (1 of 58 winners in China)	2015
Tencent Outstanding Scholarship (the only undergraduate winner at SCUT)	2015
National Scholarship (Highest national wide scholarship for undergraduate students in China)	2013
Gold Award of Pan-Pearl-River-Delta University IT Project Competition in China	2016
First Prize and Best Practical Award of University IT Project Competition in Guangdong Province	2016
First Prize of Adolescents Science & Technology Innovation Contest in Hebei Province	2011