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### SUMMARY

Job intention: **Researcher on Computer Vision and its Applications in Industry.**  
Interested in **Data and Compute Efficient Learning by Adding Inductive Priors.**

### EXPERIENCE

1/2022 - Now      Postdoc, Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands  
Working on pixel-free deep learning and vision for industrial inspection.

### EDUCATION

9/2017-4/2022      PhD, Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands  
Dissertation: [Data-efficient learning of geometric structures from single-view images](#)  
References: [Dr. Jan van Gemert](#) and [Dr. Silvia L. Pinte](#)  
9/2014-6/2017      MEng in Computer Science, Tianjin Univ, China  
9/2010-6/2014      BSc in Physics, Southwest Jiaotong Univ, China

### RESEARCH

1/2022 - Now      **Vision for Industrial Inspection - aircraft engines**  
Generating synthetic data and transfer learning to the real-world.  
Using NeRFs for 3D reconstruction of engine blades from a single video.

3/2021 - 9/2021      **3D mirror plane detection from single-view images**  
Incorporated mirror geometry into learning for data- and compute- efficiency.

3/2020 - 3/2021      **Geometric priors for deep vanishing point detection**  
Investigated perspective geometry: map pixels to spherical point clouds.  
Proposed a detector robust to domain shifts (synthetic - real) / data reduction.

9/2017 - 3/2020      **Deep Hough-Transform line priors (wireframes/traffic lanes)**  
Proposed (Inverse) Hough Transform layers with gradient backpropagation.  
Validated its superiority in small-data regime and in semi-supervised learning.

9/2015 - 1/2016      **Engineering: Multi-view 3D video capture system**  
Implemented real-time 3D display (16 cameras, 30 FPS,  $1920 \times 1080$ ).

### KEY PUBLICATIONS

1. [Deep vanishing point detection: Geometric priors make dataset variations vanish.](#) **Y. Lin**, R. Wiersma, S. Pinte, K. Hildebrandt, E. Eisemann and J. C. van Gemert. CVPR 2022.
2. [Deep Hough-Transform line priors.](#) **Y. Lin**, S. Pinte, and J. C. van Gemert. ECCV 2020.
3. [Investigating transformers in the decomposition of polygonal shapes as point collections.](#) A. Alfieri, **Y. Lin**, and J. C. van Gemert. ICCV-workshop 2021, Best Student Paper.

### SKILLS

Teaching      Seminar Computer Vision by Learning (MSc, 2018-2021)  
Reviewing      CVPR/ICCV/ECCV, IEEE Transactions on Image Processing  
Programming      Python, C++, CUDA (implemented Conv2d from scratch in PyTorch)  
Social      Reporter/editor for school newspaper

### AWARDS

**National Scholarship**      **Ministry of Education, China**      2016

### INTERESTS

Fitness, Formula 1, Premier League, NBA

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