# YONGSHENG MEI

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#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Programming** Python, C, C++, MATLAB, Java, SQL, R, Verilog

Libraries PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, Scikit-Learn, NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, BoTorch

Databases MySQL, PostgreSQL, Microsoft SQL, NoSQL

Tools Vim, Git, Bash, GDB, PyCharm, Jupyter, LATEX, Visual Studio, Altium Designer

#### **EDUCATION**

# The George Washington University (GWU)

Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering, GPA: 4.00

Huazhong University of Science and Technology (HUST)

B.E. in Automation Engineering, GPA: 3.81

Sept. 2019 - Present

Washington, DC, US Sept. 2015 – June 2019

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Wuhan, Hubei, China

## **EXPERIENCE**

Research Assistant

Lab for Intelligent Networking and Computing (LINC), GWU

Sept. 2019 - Present Washington, DC, US

# Topic 1: Bayesian Optimization (BO)

May 2022 - Present

· Led to develop several novel **BO** frameworks for determining local optima with the gradient information for hyperparameter tuning, and estimate arrival intensity with the peak, idle time, and change point detection for doubly stochastic point process.

# Topic 2: Multi-Agent Reinforcement Learning (MARL)

Aug. 2020 – Present

· Led several MARL projects, such as **MAC-PO** and **AccMER**, to develop an optimized prioritized experience replay MARL scheme and data-reuse strategy for MARL acceleration.

#### Topic 3: Multi-modal Medical Image Processing

Feb. 2021 - Dec. 2022

· Led to develop a **multi-modal segmentation model** for brain tumor MRI images via data fusion and attention with extracted correlated common information microstructures among modalities.

### Topic 4: Network Security via Protocol Customization

Sept. 2019 – Aug. 2021

· Led a project, MPD, to develop a reliable application-layer moving target defense model via customized communication protocols with dynamic synchronization and management.

## Visiting Scholar

June 2023 – Aug. 2023

Intelligence Optimization for Networks (ION) Lab, Purdue University

West Lafayette, IN, US

Collaborated with Prof. Christopher Brinton on developing a class-incremental federated learning model, and used the diffusion model as the generative model for the server and clients for better learning performance.

### **Electronic Engineer Student Intern**

Feb. 2017 – Aug. 2017

Electrical and Electronic Technology Innovation Center, HUST

Wuhan, Hubei, China

Led the printed circuit board design and FPGA programming for an adaptive signal filter and won the **Second Prize** of Hubei Province in the 2017 National Undergraduate Electronic Design Contest.

# REPRESENTATIVE PAPERS

- 1. Yongsheng Mei, Mahdi Imani, and Tian Lan, Bayesian Optimization through Gaussian Cox Process Models for Spatio-temporal Data, ICLR, May 2024. [PDF]
- 2. Yongsheng Mei, Hanhan Zhou, Tian Lan, Guru Venkataramani, and Peng Wei, MAC-PO: Multi-Agent Experience Replay via Collective Priority Optimization, AAMAS, 2023. [PDF]
- 3. Yongsheng Mei, Tian Lan, and Guru Venkataramani, Exploiting Partial Common Information Microstructure for Multi-Modal Brain Tumor Segmentation, ICML-ML4MHD, 2023. [PDF]
- 4. Yongsheng Mei, Kailash Gogineni, Tian Lan, and Guru Venkataramani, MPD: Moving Target Defense through Communication Protocol Dialects, SecureComm, 2021. [PDF]