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EDUCATION

National University of Singapore

Aug. 2021 – Jun. 2025 (expected)

Ph.D. in Computer Science, supervised by Prof. Yang You

Singapore

- Research Achievement Award of NUS

Nanjing University

Sep. 2017 – Jun. 2021

B.S. in Computer Science and Technology, National Elite Program in Computer Science

Jiangsu, China

- **GPA:** 4.61/5.00 (92.2/100, top 2%)

RESEARCH INTEREST

Video Generation: large-scale video generation model, video control and alignment.

Efficient Machine Learning: computation-efficient training (accelerated optimizer, large batch training, incremental training), memory-efficient training, efficient inference.

Large-scale Deep Learning Optimization: optimizer design (faster, robust, memory-efficient, etc.), optimizer explanation, data-model-algorithm connections.

ACADEMIC RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

National University of Singapore (HPC-AI Lab)

May 2019 – Present

Ph.D. student, supervised by Prof. Yang You

Singapore

- Large language model inference acceleration by predicting response length and sequence scheduling.
- Continual learning of vision-language model to prevent zero-shot performance degradation.
- Acceleration of recommendation system training by large batch training.
- Introduce prompt learning for domain generalization with vision transformer.

University of California, Berkeley (iCyPhy, DOP Center)

Apr. 2020 – May 2021

Research intern, supervised by Prof. Alberto Sangiovanni-Vincentelli & Dr. Xiangyu Yue

(remote) CA, US

- Few-shot Domain Adaptation via Self-supervised Learning with Clustering
- Proposed scene-aware learning with better backbones and data augmentations for radar object detection.

INDUSTRY RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

HPC-AI Tech

Mar. 2024 – Present

*Research intern, team lead & first author of the video generation model **Open-Sora** 🌟 17k stars*

Singapore

- Design, develop and train Transformer-based video generation model from scratch.
- Design and develop the data processing pipeline. Incorporate features including rectified flow, temporal VAE, image-conditioned generation, dynamic resolution support, etc.

ByteDance

Jun. 2021 – Jun. 2022

Research intern, in charge of large batch training for click-through rate prediction model

Singapore

- Transformed the asynchronous CTR training model into the large-scale synchronous training framework.
- Deployed CowClip algorithm with batch size 512k and improved the AUC of CTR prediction (**AAAI 2023**).

PUBLICATIONS

1. **Helen: Optimizing CTR Prediction Models with Frequency-wise Hessian Eigenvalue Regularization**
Zirui Zhu, Yong Liu, Zangwei Zheng, Huifeng Guo, Yang You **WWW 2024**
2. **Openmoe: An early effort on open mixture-of-experts language models**
Fuzhao Xue, Zian Zheng, Yao Fu, Jinjie Ni, Zangwei Zheng, Wangchunshu Zhou, Yang You **ICML 2024**
3. **InfoBatch: Lossless Training Speed Up by Unbiased Dynamic Data Pruning**
Ziheng Qin, Kai Wang, Zangwei Zheng, Jianyang Gu, Xiangyu Peng, Daquan Zhou, Yang You **ICLR 2024**
4. **Response Length Perception and Sequence Scheduling: An LLM-Empowered LLM Inference Pipeline**
Zangwei Zheng, Xiaozhe Ren, Fuzhao Xue, Yang Luo, Xin Jiang, Yang You **Neurips 2023**

5. **To Repeat or Not To Repeat: Insights from Scaling LLM under Token-Crisis**
Fuzhao Xue, Yao Fu, Wangchunshu Zhou, Zangwei Zheng, Yang You Neurips 2023
6. **Preventing Zero-Shot Transfer Degradation in Continual Learning of Vision-Language Models**
Zangwei Zheng, Mingyuan Ma, Kai Wang, Ziheng Qin, Xiangyu Yue, Yang You ICCV 2023
7. **A Study on Transformer Configuration and Training Objective**
Fuzhao Xue, Jianghai Chen, Aixin Sun, Xiaozhe Ren, Zangwei Zheng, Xiaoxin He, Yongming Chen, Xin Jiang, Yang You ICML 2023
8. **CAME: Confidence-guided Adaptive Memory Efficient Optimization** Yang Luo, Xiaozhe Ren,
Zangwei Zheng, Xin Jiang, Zhuo Jiang, Yang You Distinguished Paper Award (0.8%), ACL 2023
9. **CowClip: Reducing CTR Prediction Model Training Time from 12 hours to 10 minutes on 1 GPU**
Zangwei Zheng, Pengtai Xu, Xuan Zou, Da Tang, Zhen Li, Chenguang Xi, Peng Wu, Leqi Zou, Yijie Zhu, Ming Chen, Xiangzhuo Ding, Fuzhao Xue, Ziheng Qing, Youlong Cheng, Yang You Distinguished Paper Award (0.1%), AAAI 2023
10. **Prototypical Cross-domain Self-supervised Learning for Few-shot Unsupervised Domain Adaptation**
Xiangyu Yue*, Zangwei Zheng*, Shanghang Zhang, Yang Gao, Trevor Darrell, Kurt Keutzer, Alberto Sangiovanni-Vincentelli CVPR 2021
11. **Scene-aware Learning Network for Radar Object Detection**
Zangwei Zheng, Xiangyu Yue, Kurt Keutzer, Alberto Sangiovanni Vincentelli ICMR-W 2021

SKILLS

Languages Python, C, C++, ~~TeX~~ \LaTeX

Frameworks PyTorch, TensorFlow, Huggingface, OpenCV, Scikit-learn, NumPy