# ZHIJIE YANG

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#### **EDUCATION**

Technical University of Munich

October 2020 - Present

M.Sc. in Computer Science (Informatik)

Department of Informatics (Fakultät für Informatik)

August 2017 - July 2020

Grade: 2.0

ShanghaiTech University
B.Eng. in Computer Science and Technology

School of Information Science and Technology

ShanghaiTech University

August 2016 - July 2017

B.S. in Bioscience

School of Life Science and Technology

#### RESEARCH PROJECTS

# Towards Generation and Evaluation of Comprehensive Mapping Robot Datasets[1][2]

This project consists of building an autonomous robot system with various heterogeneous sensors to precept the surroundings and generating datasets for SLAM algorithm benchmarks and experiments. Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Sören Schwertfeger <sup>i</sup>.

## Mapping with Reflection – Detection and Utilization of Reflection in 3D Lidar Scans[4]

This project aimed at detecting the reflecting surfaces with 3D Lidar and used it to map the backside of objects. Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Sören Schwertfeger <sup>i</sup>.

### 3D Object Detection with a Self-supervised Lidar Scene Flow Backbone[3]

Advisor: Emec Ercelik M.Sc. ii; Supervisor: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Alois Knoll. iii

## Self-supervised Backbone Training

Advisor: Emec Ercelik M.Sc. ii, Dr. Ekim Yurtsever iv; Supervisor: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Alois Knoll. iii

# Transformer-based Point Cloud Semantic Segmentation

Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Matthias Nießner.  $^{\rm v}$ 

#### TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

Modeling and Analysis: SOLIDWORKS

Programming Languages: C, C++, Python, MATLAB, RISC-V and Heidenhain Machine Learning Tools: PyTorch, PyTorch Lightning, NumPy, SciPy, TensorFlow

Systems: Robot Operating System (ROS) and Linux

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

# School of Information Science and Technology

Research assistant

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August 2020 - January 2021 January 2019 - June 2019

Teaching assistant for Computer Architecture I

ihttps://robotics.shanghaitech.edu.cn/people/soeren

<sup>&</sup>quot;https://www.in.tum.de/i06/people/emec-ercelik-msc/

iii https://www.in.tum.de/i06/people/prof-dr-ing-habil-alois-knoll/

ivhttps://people.engineering.osu.edu/people/yurtsever.2

vhttps://niessnerlab.org/members/matthias\_niessner/profile.html

Zhijie Yang July 12, 2022

Teaching assistant for Operating System I

September 2019 - January 2020

Teaching assistant for Intro. to Information Science and Technology B

February 2020 - July 2020

Stereye Co., Ltd.

April 2019 - January 2021

Internship as R & D engineer for sensor drivers in ROS (Python and C++).

SenseTime March 2021 - September 2021

Autonomous driving system research intern. DevOps (Dev: Python and C++; Ops: Docker, Jenkins, etc.) for ROS-based test platform middle-ware.

Shanghai AI Lab

September 2021 - May 2022

Computer vision research intern for dataset evaluation.

#### AWARDS

## RoboCup Rescue China

· The third prize. April 2018

· The first prize. April 2019

Challenge Cup Shanghai Final

· The first prize. May 2019

Merit Student of Academic Year 2017-2018

Merit Student of Academic Year 2018-2019

November 2018

November 2019

#### **SERVICES**

## Shanghai Metro Volunteer

Since September 2014

· more than 400 hours service time.

# LANGUAGES

Chinese MandarinNative SpeakerEnglishProficient SpeakerTOEFL: 102, Reading 27, Listening 28, Speaking 23, Writing 24as of June 2019GRE: 322, Verbal 155, Quantitative 167, Writing 3.5as of November 2019

German A2

## **Publications**

- [1] Hongyu Chen et al. "Advanced mapping robot and high-resolution dataset". In: Robotics and Autonomous Systems (2020), p. 103559. ISSN: 0921-8890. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.robot. 2020.103559. URL: http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0921889020303997.
- [2] Hongyu Chen et al. Towards Generation and Evaluation of Comprehensive Mapping Robot Datasets. In Workshop on Dataset Generation and Benchmarking of SLAM Algorithms for Robotics and VR/AR, 2019 IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA). 2019. arXiv: 1905.09483 [cs.RO]. URL: https://arxiv.org/abs/1905.09483.
- [3] Emeç Erçelik et al. "3D Object Detection with a Self-supervised Lidar Scene Flow Backbone". In: arXiv preprint arXiv:2205.00705 (2022). Accepted as an oral paper in ECCV 2022.
- [4] Xiting Zhao, Zhijie Yang, and Sören Schwertfeger. "Mapping with Reflection Detection and Utilization of Reflection in 3D Lidar Scans". In: 2020 IEEE International Symposium on Safety, Security, and Rescue Robotics (SSRR). 2020, pp. 27–33. DOI: 10.1109/SSRR50563.2020.9292595.