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### Current

### Northwestern University

Evanston, IL

Postdoctoral Fellow. Advisor: Professor Ying Wu.

Feb, 2019 - Now

### **EDUCATION**

# Northwestern University

Evanston, IL

Ph.D. in Computer Science

Dec, 2018

Advisor: Professor Ying Wu

Dissertation: Learning Visual Matching From Small-Size Samples

### Tsinghua University

Beijing, China

B.S in Electrical Engineering, Dept.of Automation

June, 2013

#### Interests

- Computer Vision
- Deep Learning
- Metric Learning and Pattern Recognition
- Image/Video Processing, Analysis, and Understanding
- Visual Identification

### EXPERIENCE

### Computational Vision Lab, Northwestern University

Evanston, IL

Postdoctoral Fellow. Advisor: Professor Ying Wu.

Feb, 2019 - Nov, 2020

Research Assistant.

Sep, 2013 - Dec, 2018

Teaching Assistant.

Mar, 2017 – June, 2017 Feb, 2014 – June, 2014

# Microsoft Research

Redmond, WS

Research Intern. Mentor: Dr. Gang Hua.

June, 2018 - Aug, 2018

- Led an objection detection research project.
- Proposed a novel guided conscious-inference model for CNN-based object detection.

# Laboratory of PRIP, Tsinghua University

Beijing, China

Student Research Assistant. Advisor: Professor Jianjiang Feng and Professor Jie Zhou Sep, 2012 – June, 2013

- Designed an automatic vehicle detection system under both the static and dynamic cameras.
- Researched the spectral clustering problem and proposed a novel spectral clustering method.

# Kingdee International Software Group Company Limited

Intern Software Engineer. Advisor: Dr.Dong Liu

Beijing, China June, 2012 – Sep, 2012

- Researched the methods of optimizing the efficiency of PaaS (Platform-as-a-Service).
- Developed an application based on the CloudFoundry.

# Laboratory of CIMS in Dept.of Automation, Tsinghua University

Beijing, China

Student Research Assistant. Advisor: Professor Heming Zhang

Sep, 2011 - June, 2012

- Researched and explored the track irregularity problem.
- Designed and performed simulated experiments to test the influence of different parameters to track irregularity.

### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

# Navy SBIR/STTR Project

Evanston, IL

Leading the project

June, 2017 - June, 2020

- Project Subject: Integrated Learning-based and Regularization-based Super-Resolution for Extreme MWIR Image Enhancement
- Researched the unique properties of mid-wave infrared (MWIR) images and the issues of existing natural image-based super-resolution methods.
- Designed a novel super-resolution method for MWIR images by integrating a deep-learning edge enhanced model with our explicit soft edge regularization prior to generate sharp edged in the super-solved high-resolution results.

# Army Research Office (ARO) Project

Evanston, IL

Leading the project

Sep, 2015 - June, 2016

- Project Subject: Handling Adverse Visual Conditions for Target Tracking and Recognition
- Explored the issues of existing visual target tracking models under the extreme adverse conditions, e.g., rainy, hazy, snowy.
- Researched the unique properties of different adverse weather conditions.
- Designed a learning-based tracker for robust visual target tracking under adverse conditions.

## Samsung GRO Project

Evanston, IL

Leading the project

Sep, 2013 - Dec, 2014

- Project Subject: Single Frame Super Resolution for Ultra High Definition Display
- Researched the model-based and learning-based single-image super resolution methods.
- Designed a novel single-image super-resolution algorithm by integrating both the explicit regularization-based prior and implicit learning-based prior together to handle different regions in the image.

# SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

### Member of the Program Committee (PC):

• The Thirty-Fourth AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2020, 2021

### Area Chairs:

• IEEE International Conference on Multimedia & Expo (ICME), 2020, 2021

### Reviewer for the following conferences:

- European Conf. on Computer Vision (ECCV), 2014,2018,2020
- IEEE Intl Conf. on Computer Vision (ICCV), 2017,2019,2021
- IEEE Conf. on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2014-2021
- British Machine Vision Conference (BMVC), 2019

### Reviewer for the following journals:

• IEEE Trans on Pattern Analysisand Machine Intelligence (IEEE T-PAMI)	$2015 ext{-}present$
• IEEE Trans on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology (IEEE T-CSVT)	$2016 ext{-}present$
• IEEE Trans on Image Processing (IEEE-TIP)	$2017 ext{-}present$
• Computer Vision and Image Understanding (CVIU)	$2018 ext{-}present$
$\bullet$ IEEE Transactions on Information Forensics & Security (IEEE T-IFS)	$2019 ext{-}present$
• International Journal of Computer Vision (IJCV)	$2019 ext{-}present$
• Signal, Image and Video Processing (SIVP)	$2019 ext{-}present$
• Neurocomputing (NEUCOM)	$2020 ext{-}present$

### AWARDS AND HONORS

The National Encouragement Scholarship, Tsinghua University	2009 - 2010
Academic Excellence Award, Tsinghua University	2010 - 2011
Outstanding Graduate Scholarship, Tsinghua University	2012 - 2013
The Murphy Fellowship, Northwestern University	2013 - 2014
Terminal Year Fellowship, Northwestern University	2018

Publications (\*Corresponding Author)

### Published Papers

- 1. Bing Su, **Jiahuan Zhou**\*, and Ying Wu. Linear and Deep Order-Preserving Wasserstein Discriminant Analysis, in IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (T-PAMI), 2020 (\*Corresponding Author)
- 2. **Jiahuan Zhou**, Bing Su, Ying Wu. Online Joint Multi-Metric Adaptation from Frequent Sharing-Subset Mining for Person Re-Identification. in Proceedings of the IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR'20), Seattle, USA, June. 2020.
- 3. Yansong Tang, **Jiahuan Zhou**, Ying Wu, Jiwen Lu, Jie Zhou Uncertainty-aware Score Distribution Learning for Action Quality Assessment. in Proceedings of the IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR'20), Seattle, USA, June. 2020.
- 4. Bing Su, **Jiahuan Zhou** and Ying Wu. Order-preserving Wasserstein Discriminant Analysis. in Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV'19), Seoul, Korea, Oct. 2019.

- 5. Xu Zou, Sheng Zhong, Luxin Yan, **Jiahuan Zhou**\* and Ying Wu. Learning Robust Facial Landmark Detection via Hierarchical Structured Ensemble. in Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV'19), Seoul, Korea, Oct. 2019. (\*Corresponding Author)
- 6. **Jiahuan Zhou** and Ying Wu. Learning Visual Instance Retrieval from Failure: Efficient Online Local Metric Adaptation from Negative Samples. in IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (T-PAMI), 2019.
- 7. Xinzhao Li, Yuehu Liu, Zeqi Chen, **Jiahuan Zhou** and Ying Wu. Fused Discriminative Metric Learning for Low Resolution Pedestrian Detection. in Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Image Processing (ICIP'18), Athens, Greece, Oct. 2018.
- 8. **Jiahuan Zhou**, Nikolaos Karianakis, Ying Wu and Gang Hua. Conscious Inference for Object Detection. 2018.
- Jiahuan Zhou, Bing Su and Ying Wu. Easy Identification from Better Constraints: Multi-Shot Person Re-Identification from Reference Constraints. in Proceedings of the IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR'18), Salt Lake City, USA, June. 2018.
- 10. **Jiahuan Zhou**, Pei Yu, Tang Wei and Ying Wu. Efficient Online Local Metric Adaptation via Negative Samples for Person Re-Identification. in Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV'17), Venice, Italy, Oct. 2017.
- Wei Tang, Pei Yu, Jiahuan Zhou, and Ying Wu. Towards a Unified Compositional Model for Visual Pattern Modeling. in Proceedings of International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV'17), Venice, Italy, Oct. 2017.
- 12. Bing Su, **Jiahuan Zhou**, Xiaoqing Ding and Ying Wu, "Unsupervised Hierarchical Dynamic Parsing and Encoding for Action Recognition" IEEE Transactions on Image Processing, 26.12 (2017): 5784-5799.
- Bing Su, Jiahuan Zhou, Hao Wang and Ying Wu, "Hierarchical Dynamic Parsing and Encoding for Action Recognition", in Proc. European Conf. on Computer Vision (ECCV'16), Amsterdam, Netherlands, Oct. 2016.
- Pei Yu, Jiahuan Zhou and Ying Wu, "Learning Reconstruction-based Gaze Estimation", in Proc. IEEE Conf. on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR'16), Las Vegas, USA, June. 2016.
- 15. **Jiahuan Zhou** and Ying Wu, Finding the Right Exemplars for Reconstructing Single Image Super-Resolution, in Proc. IEEE Intl Conf. on Image Processing (ICIP'16), Phoenix, USA, Sep. 2016. **(Oral)**
- Han Hu, Jiahuan Zhou, Jianjiang Feng and Jie Zhou. Multi-way Constrained Spectral Clustering via Nonnegative Restriction. in Proceeding of Interntional Conference on Pattern Recognition (ICPR'12), Tsukuba, Japan, Nov. 2012. (Oral)

Submitted Manuscripts

- 1. **Jiahuan Zhou**, Pengbo Zhao and Ying Wu. Perceptual Image Quality Assessment from Distortion-Guided Hierarchical Attention, **In Submission**, **(2020)**
- 2. **Jiahuan Zhou**, Gengxing Wang and Ying Wu. PEP-SR: Perceptually Edge-Preserving Single Image Super-Resolution, **In Submission**, (2020)
- 3. **Jiahuan Zhou**, Gengxing Wang and Ying Wu. Unsupervised Deep Embedding Learning from Discriminative Feature Uncertainty Modeling, **In Submission**, (2020)
- Zeqi Chen, Zhichao Cui, Jiahuan Zhou, Yuehu Liu. Mutual Co-teaching with Efficient Triplets Mining for Unsupervised Person Re-Identification, In Submission, (2020)
- Zhijun Zhang, Xu Zou, Jiahuan Zhou, Luxin Yan, Sheng Zhong and Ying Wu. A Grammatical Compositional Model for Video Interactive Action Detection, In Submission, (2020)
- Mingfu Liang, Jiahuan Zhou\*, Xiangyun Zhao and Ying Wu. Mitigate Forgetting for Incremental Learning in Semantic Segmentation, In Submission, (2020) (\*Corresponding Author)
- 7. Gengxing Wang, **Jiahuan Zhou**\* and Ying Wu. Exposing Deep-faked Videos by Anomalous Co-motion Pattern Detection. arXiv preprint arXiv:2008.04848 (2020). (\*Corresponding Author)

### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

### Guest Lecturer, Northwestern University

Fall, 2020

Course: ELEC-ENG 332, Introduction to Computer Vision

Responsibilities: Invited to teach one lecture on my Person Re-Identification research work to graduate students.

### Guest Lecturer, Northwestern University

Winter, 2019

Course: ELEC-ENG 432, Advanced Computer Vision

Responsibilities: Invited to teach one lecture on my Negative Sample Learning research work to graduate students.

### Guest Lecturer, Northwestern University

Winter, 2019

Course: ELEC-ENG 433, Statistical Pattern Recognition

Responsibilities: Invited to teach one lecture of pattern recognition methods to graduate students. Developed and delivered 80-minute lecture with interactive components.

### MENTORING EXPERIENCE

Mentor for Tianqi Wang, Northwestern University Master Student Dec, 2018 - June, 2019 Current Status: Ph.D. Student in University of Florida

Mentor for Jian Xu, Northwestern University Master Student

Dec, 2018 - June, 2020

Current Status: ByteDance Ltd.

Mentor for Yuxiang Guo, Northwestern University Master Student

Sep,2020 - Now

Current Status: Graduate student in the Wu lab