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# **EDUCATION BACKGROUND**

The University of Texas at Austin		GPA: 4.0/4.0	Sep. 2020 – Jun. 2025 (expected)
Ph.D. student, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering			
<b>Fudan University</b>	Rank: 10/189	GPA: 3.66/4.0	Sep. 2016 – Jun. 2020
B.E. in Electronic and Information Science and Technology			
Semester GPA: 3.85/4.0 (2017-2018), 3.94/4.0 (2018-2019)			
Selected to Elite Engineering Program (top 5%)			
University of California, Santa Barbara (Exchange Program)		GPA: 4.0/4.0	Sep. 2018 – Dec. 2018
The College of Engineering Dean's Honors List			

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- o **Z. Xue,** Y. Yang, M. Yang and R. Marculescu, "SUGAR: Efficient Subgraph-level Training via Resource-aware Graph Partitioning," *arXiv preprint*, 2022. [PDF]
- S. Ren, Z. Gao, T. Hua, Z. Xue, Y. Tian, S. He, and H. Zhao, "Co-advise: Cross Inductive Bias Distillation," arXiv preprint,
  2021. [PDF]
- Y. Huang, C. Du, Z. Xue and H. Zhao, "What Makes Multi-Modal Learning Better than Single (Provably)," Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2021. [PDF]
- Y. Yang, Z. Xue, and R. Marculescu, "Anytime Depth Estimation with Limited Sensing and Computation Capabilities on Mobile Devices," *Conference on Robot Learning (CoRL)*, 2021. [PDF]
- Z. Xue, S. Ren, Z. Gao, and H. Zhao, "Multimodal Knowledge Expansion," *International Conference on Computer Vision* (ICCV), 2021. [PDF][website]
- o T. Hua, W. Wang, **Z. Xue** and H. Zhao, "On Feature Decorrelation in Self-Supervised Learning," *International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV)*, 2021. [PDF][website]
- S. Jiao, Z. Xue, X. Chen, and Y. Xu, "Sampling Graphlets of Multi-layer Networks: A Restricted Random Walk Approach,"
  ACM Transactions on the Web (TWEB), 2021. [PDF]

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Multimodal Learning, Self-supervised Learning, General Machine Learning
- o Efficient Deep Learning, Graph Neural Networks

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

# The System Level Design (SLD) Group, The University of Texas at Austin

Research Assistant to Prof. Radu Marculescu, Graph Learning and Edge Computing

Sep. 2021 – present

MARS Lab, Tsinghua University

Research Assistant to Prof. Hang Zhao, Multimodal Learning and Self-supervised Learning

Aug. 2020 – Aug. 2021

Multimedia and Mobile Networking Group (MediaNET), Fudan University

Research Assistant to Prof. Yuedong Xu, Graph Sampling

Apr. 2018 - Jun. 2020

# Prof. Zheng Zhang's research group, University of California, Santa Barbara

Research Assistant to Prof, Zheng Zhang, Bayesian Tensor Learning

Dec. 2018 - Aug. 2019

#### **INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE**

# NLP Algorithm Intern, Ping An Technology

Mar. 2019 – June. 2019

- Investigated state-of-the-art Named Entity Recognition (NER) models and compared their performances;
- o Built, evaluated and improved current NER models for Chinese medical cases;
- Annotated Chinese medical cases and maintained the datasets of medical cases and their annotations.

# **SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS**

- o National Second Prize & Shanghai Division First Prize in 2018 China Undergraduate Mathematical Contest in Modeling;
- Ranked 8/2115 teams in the first round and 13/2116 teams in the second round in 2018 Alibaba Global Scheduling Algorithm Competition;
- o Second Prize of the Scholarship for Outstanding Students at Fudan University in the 2019-2020 academic year;
- o Tung OOCL Scholarship at Fudan University (the First Prize) in the 2017-2018 academic year;
- o Third Prize of the Scholarship for Outstanding Students at Fudan University in the 2016-2017 academic year.

# **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Volunteer of World Artificial Intelligence Conference, Fudan University Deputy Minister of Arts Department, Student Union, Fudan University Sep. 2018 – Sep. 2018

Oct. 2017 – Oct. 2018

#### **SKILLS**

Programing language: Python, MATLAB, C/C++, Linux, Verilog

Language skills: TOEFL108 (R30 L30 S25 W23); GRE327 (Q168 V159 W4.0)