

YUDA FAN

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EDUCATION

Shanghai Jiao Tong University

Sep. 2016 - Jun. 2020

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science, ACM Honor Class

GPA: 3.92/4.30, 90.3/100 (Rank 6/38)

ETH Zürich

Sep. 2021 -

Master of Science in Computer Science, D-INFO

Direct Doctorate Program in Computer Science

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

MVIG, Shanghai Jiao Tong University

Jul. 2018 - Jun. 2020

Research Assistant to Prof. Cewu Lu

Shanghai, China

- **CyberPanda:** A novel universal robotic arm simulator with photorealistic visual feedback; Integrate the remote procedure call system, rendering pipeline and physics engine in the platform. Empower users to construct scene, collect data and conduct simulation. *Undergraduate Thesis*
- **3D Real Embodied Dataset and Transferable Active Grasping:** Improve the viewpoint optimization strategy to get a more reliable grasping algorithm with a better success rate. *ICRA 2020*

Visiting Students, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Sep. 2019 - Dec. 2019

Research Assistant to Prof. Bin Hu

Urbana, IL

- **Efficient Estimation of Lipschitz Constant of Recurrent Neural Networks:** Utilize semidefinite programming to efficiently estimate the upper bound of Lipschitz Constant of RNNs.

Meituan - Sankuai Technology Co., Ltd.

Jul. 2020 - Feb. 2021

Machine Learning Architecture Group

Beijing, China

- **AutoVision:** A platform to automatically conduct neural architecture search, model compression and hyperparameters optimization.
- **Memory-Efficient Neural Architecture Search:** Propose a training scheme to eliminate the performance collapse in memory-efficient fashion. *Awarded with the highest level patent in 2020.*

CADMO, ETH Zürich

Sep. 2021-

Emo Welzl's Group

Zürich, Switzerland

- **Unique Sink Orientation and USO Polytope:** Study the combinatorial structure of all the USOs of the same cube, and characterize the symmetric difference map between any ordinary USO and the uniform USO. Figure all the affine transformations under which the USO polytope remain the same.
- **Hidden Points and Hidden Vertices in Class of Polygons:** Prove that the hidden point problem is in $\exists\mathbb{R}$, and the VC-dimension of visible area set system is bounded by the logarithm of the number of reflex vertices.

Introduce novel techniques such as convex/reflex chains and continuous visibility graph, and find solutions for spiral polygons, funnel polygons, pseudo-triangles, fan-shaped polygons, and staircase polygons. Propose the first approximation scheme for hidden points in polygon with holes.

PUBLICATIONS

Xiangyu Chen*, Zelin Ye*, Jiankai Sun, **Yuda Fan**, Fang Hu, Chenxi Wang, and Cewu Lu, *Transferable Active Grasping and Real Embodied Dataset*, ICRA 2020.

Xiaoxing Wang*, Xiangxiang Chu*, **Yuda Fan**, Zhexi Zhang, Junchi Yan, *ROME: Robustifying Memory-Efficient NAS via Topology Disentanglement and Gradients Accumulation*, ICCV 2023

AWARDS & HONORS

Outstanding Graduate of Shanghai Jiao Tong University	<i>Jul. 2020</i>
The First Prize Scholarship at Shanghai Jiao Tong University	<i>2016-2018</i>
2017 Rong Chang Scholarship	<i>Oct. 2017</i>
1st Runner Up, ACM-ICPC 2017-2018 Hua-Lien Regional Contest	<i>Nov. 2017</i>
1st Runner Up, ACM-ICPC 2021-2022 Swiss Subregional, Individual	<i>Nov. 2021</i>
Gold Medal 19th place, ACM-ICPC 2017-2018 Asia ECL Final	<i>Dec. 2017</i>
Gold Medal 6th place, ACM-ICPC 2017-2018 Xi'an Regional Contest	<i>Oct. 2017</i>
Gold Medal 9th place, ACMICPC 2016-2017 Myanmar Regional Contest	<i>Dec. 2016</i>
Gold Medal 9th place, CCPC 2017 Hangzhou Regional Contest	<i>Nov. 2017</i>
Gold Medal 7th place, ACM-ICPC 2016-2017 Xi'an Invitation Contest	<i>May. 2017</i>

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Problem Setter: CCF NOI 2019, CCPC 2018, ICPC EC Final 2021

Contest Coordinator: ICPC Swiss Subregional 2022, 2023

Competitive REL Judge: Pro Tour Barcelona, Preliminary PTQ, Regional PTQ

Broadcast Talent: ITSL 2021, TS Chinese Open Cup 2020, TS Chinese Master 2021

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Lecturer & TA CS477 Combinatorics (Spring 2020)

PROGRAMMING PROFICIENCY

Expert: Pascal

Efficient: C, C#, Python