

# WANG Pengwei

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## Education

**MSc Robotics** *National University of Singapore*

**Singapore** 08/2023 - Present

GPA 4.78/5.0

**BEng Software Engineering** *Northwestern Polytechnical University*

**Shannxi, China** 09/2019 - 07/2023

GPA 85/100, Project 985 University in China

## Publication

**Beyond Gait: Seamless Knee Angle Prediction for Lower Limb Prosthesis in Multiple Scenarios**

Pengwei Wang, Yilong Chen, Wan Su, Jie Wang, Teng Ma, Haoyong Yu, *IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters*, 10(1), 406-413.

- Proposed a Transformer-based probabilistic model to estimate missing knee angle for prostheses.
- AEPM has improved the prediction accuracy for walking by 24.68%, and can adapt to multiple scenarios beyond walking.

**An enhanced GAN for image generation**

Chunwei Tian, Haoyang Gao, Pengwei Wang, Bob Zhang, *Computers, Materials & Continua*, 80(1), 105-118.

- Work based on the bachelor graduation paper

## Research Experience

**Robust AI: Physical Attack on Autonomous Vehicles Perception System** *Attached Intern*

06/2024 - present

Supervisor: Dr. Liangli Zhen, A\*Star

- Develop physical attack methods against autonomous vehicles' perception system
- Explore the common vulnerability of object detection system towards signs and pedestrians

**Segment ORN of the Jaw by Unsupervised Anomaly Detection (UAD)** *Research Project*

09/2024 - present

Supervisor: Professor Fuh Ying Hsi, Jerry

- Proposed a novel UAD training pipeline that can successfully reconstruct the original teeth shape of the patient
- With a well-trained VQ-GAN, the model can successfully detect the affected part in real-world case
- Implement a pipeline that can process the original CBCT image and finally get 3D printable model.

**Anomaly Detection for Brain TSC based on multi-modal sMRI** *Research Project*

03/2024 - 12/2024

Supervisor: Associate Professor Junsong Zhang, Xiamen University, Doctor Yi Yao, Xiamen Humanity Hospital

- Use representation learning to combine information from multiple MRI scans such as T1, T2-FLAIR.
- Use generative modeling to label the anomaly region in a non-supervised manner.

**Research Assistant for AND Lab Research Assistant** *Part-time Research Assistant*

10/2023 - 06/2024

Supervisor: Associate Professor Wu Haiyan

- Develop software for psychology experiment.
- Analyze experimental results.

**Research on Image Generation Methods Based on CNNs** *Graduation paper*

12/2022 - 06/2023

Supervisor: Associate Professor Tian Chunwei

**Outstanding Graduation Paper/Design Award (Top 5%)**

- A new image generation method based on attention mechanism, generative adversarial networks and a self-designed residual connection.
- A new image generation method based on diffusion and a self-designed loss function based on the importance prior of facial attributes against skin and background.
- A paper based on this project is further under development.

**Intelligent Image Processing Algorithm Software** *Research Assistant*

10/2022 - 01/2023

Supervisor: Associate Professor Tian Chunwei | Funded by Xi'an Microelectronic Technology Institute

- Developed a traditional based algorithm to find moving object from moving camera.
- Developed the interface in C++, called modules from python.
- Object detection model selection, training, and tuning

## Patent

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**An anti-rolling device for double wishbone suspension of FSAE race car** *Utility model patents*

Chinese Patent No: ZL 2020 2 0578250.4

- A T-shape adjustable anti-rolling device for FSAE race car

## Internship

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**Webpage development based on BIM** *Full-time Intern*      **China Three Gorges Corporation** *07/2022 - 08/2023*

- Completed model visualization development based on the BIM (Building Information Modeling) cloud platform.
- Built a webpage for BIM system, including front-end, back-end and database.

## Academic Competitions

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**Formula Student China** *Technical Director*

**Soaring Racing Team, NWPU** *12/2019 - 10/2021*

- Awarded National 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize in 2020-2021 season as Technical Director and Head of Suspension and Steering Group. The group improved rank from 62<sup>nd</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> during three seasons.
- Awarded National 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize in 2019-2020 season as Suspension and Steering Engineer
- **Substantial experience collaborating with and managing teams**, combined with practical knowledge of project and budget management principles applied across multiple projects.

**China Robot Competition, Advanced Vision, 3D Detection** *Team Leader*

*04/2020 - 11/2021*

- In charge of overall architecture design, Model tuning, GUI design and awarded National 3rd Prize.

## Selected Course Projects

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**Improved Visual Foresight for Transporter Networks**

*10/2023-11/2023*

Course: Probabilistic Robotics for Manipulation, Professor Gregory S. Chirikjian

- Research on the rearrangement task in SE(2) of manipulation arms.
- Proposed an improved vision model and achieved a better success rate and progress rate, exceeding existing state-of-the-art benchmarks.

**Recruitment Information Analysis Platform**

*07/2022*

Course: Software System Development

- Responsible for more than half of the development tasks, the final manuscript production, and reporting
- Algorithm development, Front-end design and implementation, model training
- The recruitment information can be displayed in real-time, and job recommendations and salary predictions can be made by inputting professional description text and scoring 94

## Skills

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- **AI:** Familiar with CNNs, VAE, GANs, Diffusion and Transformers (GPT)
- **Programming:** Data Analysis, ML and DL based on Python; Software Development based on Python, Java, or Web; C++, JavaScript
- **Psychology Experiment Development:** Familiar with PsychoPy in Python and Psychtoolbox in MATLAB
- **Documentation:** LaTeX, Microsoft Office, HTML
- **GRE:** Verbal Reasoning and Quantitative Reasoning: 325, Analytical Writing: 3.5