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# RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Continual Learning in Machine Learning Theory
- Multimodal Learning
- Speech and Audio Signal Processing
- AI for Health

# **EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND**

Beijing Jiaotong University (BJTU, "211") GPA:87/100 Master's degree Sep.2021 - Present M.Eng in Computer Information and Technology (Supervised by: Prof. Man-gui Liang)
 Relevant Coursework: C programming, advanced programming, Python programming, microcomputer principles, etc.

Beijing Jiaotong University (BJTU, "211") GPA:3.81/4.0 Bachelor's degree Sep.2017 - Jun.2021
 Bachelor Thesis: "Using Deep Learning for Multi-modal Emotion Classification" (Supervised by: Prof. MingQiang Zhu)
 Relevant Coursework: Probability Theory, Calculus, Linear Algebra, Numerical Computation, Stochastic Process, Matrix Analysis

Machine learning: Machine Learning, Pattern Recognition, Data Mining, etc.

# INSTITUTIONS& ASSOCIATIONS

• International Speech Communication Association (General Membership)

Apr.2023 - Present

• Chinese Association for Artificial Intelligence - Metaverse Committee (General Membership) D

Dec.2022 - Present

# PUBLICATIONS AND WORKING PAPER

## • Published:

- 1. **Zhang, X**., Yi, J., Tao, J., Wang, C., Zhang, C. "Do You Remember? Overcoming catastrophic forgetting with Regularized Adaptive Weight Modification". Fortieth International Conference on Machine Learning, ICML 2023. [Paper][Code][Slides].
- 2. **Zhang, X**., Yi, J., Tao, J. et al., "What to Remember: Self-Adaptive Continual Learning with Radian Weight Modification". The 38th Annual AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence, AAAI 2024. [Paper][Code]
- 3. **Xiaohui Zhang**, Jaehong Yoon, Mohit Bansal, Huaxiu Yao, Multimodal Representation Learning by Alternating Unimodal Adaptation. The IEEE / CVF Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition Conference, CVPR 2024 (Accepted) [Paper][Code]
- 4. **Zhang, X**., Yi, J., Tao, J. et al. "Adaptive Fake Audio Detection with Low-Rank Model Squeezing". International Joint Conferences on Artificial Intelligence, IJCAI 2023 Workshop on Deepfake Audio Detection and Analysis. [Paper].
- 5. **Zhang, X**., Liang, M., Tian, Z., Yi, J. and Tao, J. "TST: Time-Sparse Transducer for Automatic Speech Recognition". International Conference on Artificial Intelligence 2023, CICAI 2023 [Paper].
- 6. **Zhang, X.**, Yi, J., Tao, J. and Zhu, J. "The Elastic Orthogonal Weight Modification for Synthetic Audio Detection in Continual Learning". Journal of Computer Research and Development (Accepted).
- 7. Wang, C., He, J., Yi, J., Tao, J., Zhang, C. **Zhang, X**. "Multi-Scale Permutation Entropy For Audio Deepfake Detection". 2024 IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech, and Signal Processing, ICASSP 2024 (Accepted)
- 8. Wang, C., Yi, J., **Zhang, X**. et al. "Low-rank Adaptation Method for Wav2vec2-based Fake Audio Detection". IJCAI 2023 Workshop on Deepfake Audio Detection and Analysis.[Paper].
- 9. Yi, J., Tao, J., Fu, R., Yan, X., Wang, C., Wang, T., Zhang, C., **Zhang, X**. et al. "ADD 2023: the Second Audio Deepfake Detection Challenge". IJCAI 2023 Workshop on Deepfake Audio Detection and Analysis. [Paper].
- 10. Zhang Z, **Zhang X**, Guo M, et al. "A Multilingual Framework Based on Pre-training Model for Speech Emotion Recognition". 2021 Asia-Pacific Signal and Information Processing Association Annual Summit and Conference (APSIPA ASC). IEEE, 2021: 750-755. [Paper].
- 11. Lin S, **Zhang X**, Guo M, et el. Research on audio-video based emotion recognition methods [J]. Signal processing, 2021, 37(10): 1889-1898.

#### • Submitted:

1. **Zhang, X.**, Yi, J., Tao, J., Wang, C., "Robust continuous learning benchmark for multimodal deepfake detection". IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (TPAMI).

2. Yi, J., Tao, J., Wang, C., **Zhang, X**. and Zhao, Y. "Deepfake Audio Detection: A Survey". IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (TPAMI).

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

#### 1. Multimodal Emotion Recognition Project

2020 - 2021

SATLab Laboratory, Department of Electronics, Tsinghua University

- Research Objective: Develop a vehicular multimodal emotion analysis system that includes speech, image, and EEG.
- Independently undertook the development of the mid-term speech emotion recognition system; participated in the construction of the multi-modal dataset and the deployment and operation of the fusion recognition model.
- ➤ Primarily researched and implemented modality fusion and participated in the planning and collection of the early-stage dataset. Proposed a framework for emotion recognition from speech, image, and EEG under three fusion strategies and published 2 papers.

# 2. The competition for Alzheimer's disease detection at NCMMSC 2021

2020 - 2021

SATLab Laboratory, Department of Electronics, Tsinghua University

- Research Objective: Provide a baseline system for the Alzheimer's disease Detection competition at the National Conference on Man-Machine Speech Communication (NCMMSC 2021)
- > Undertook the design, development, and release of the Alzheimer's disease detection system.
- Proposed an Alzheimer's speech detection system based on the HGFM model.

# 3. Forged Audio and Video Detection with Continual Learning Project

2023 - Present

State Key Laboratory of Multimodal Artificial Intelligence Systems, Institute of Automation, Chinese Academy of Sciences

- Research Objective: Design a robust, scalable system for the generation and identification of forged audio and video.
- Independently undertook the research and development of the incremental training of the audio identification model and passed the mid-term acceptance successfully.
- Integrated different incremental learning methods according to the characteristics of the identification model, and compared them with the direct fine-tuning method, highlighting the good identification effect of the continual learning method when facing new forgery algorithms.

# 4. DADA 2023 Workshop at IJCAI 2023. Jointly held by Tsinghua University, Institute of Automation of the Chinese Academy of Sciences, and CUHK (Shenzhen) 2023 - Present

State Key Laboratory of Multimodal Artificial Intelligence Systems, Institute of Automation, Chinese Academy of Sciences

- Research Objective: Provide a baseline system for the forged segment localization problem in Track 2 of the DADA 2023 competition.
- Prepared the dataset for Track 2, researched, and provided a baseline system for locating forged segments in forged speech, and provided a test metric calculation code and script.
- We specifically optimized the structure of the LCNN to successfully solve the problem of segment localization.

#### **AWARDS/HONORS**

| 1. First Class Master's Academic Scholarship at BJTU    | Jan. 2024 |
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| 2. Third Class Master's Academic Scholarship at BJTU    | Jan. 2023 |
| 3. First Class Master's Academic Scholarship at BJTU    | Nov. 2021 |
| 4. Second Class Academic Excellence Scholarship at BJTU | Dec. 2019 |
| 5. Outstanding Student Award at BJTU                    | Dec. 2019 |
| 6. Second Class Academic Excellence Scholarship at BJTU | Dec. 2018 |
| 7. Outstanding Student Award at BJTU                    | Dec. 2018 |
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8. Second Prize, 10<sup>th</sup> National College Mathematics Competition, Popularization Committee of Chinese Mathematical Society Nov. 2018

9. Second Prize, 29th Beijing College Student Mathematics Competition, Beijing Mathematical Society (BMS) Nov. 2018

## **SKILLS**

• Continuous Learning Method, Apparatus, and Electronic Device for Generating Speech Discrimination Models