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## Education

### Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University (XJTLU); University of Liverpool

Suzhou, China; Liverpool, UK

BEng in Digital Media Technology

Sept 2018 - July 2022

- First-Class Honours Degree
- GPA: 3.79 (1/50)
- **Courses:** Principles of Computer Games Design, Final Year Project (Synthesis of Multi-Camera Video Datasets via Computer Graphics), Computer Graphics, Data structures, Advanced OO Programming, Human-Centric Computing, Linear Algebra, Calculus

## Publication

- Q. Ren et al., A Decision-Making Model Using Machine Learning for Improving Dispatching Efficiency in Chengdu Shuangliu Airport, Complexity, 6626937.

## Work Experience

### Original Force, Ltd.

Nanjing, China

Technical Artist Intern (45h+/week)

Feb 2022 - May 2022

- Provided technical support for the development of the CG animation "A Record of a Mortal's Journey to Immortality" (1 billion + views).
- **Shader and Rendering:** Coded pipeline tools for the highlight of eyeball material; waterline effect with displaced waves, FFT ocean and shallow water simulation; physically-based simulation of mechanical effects in Niagara particle system and Blueprint.
- **Visual Effects:** Designed and implemented visual effects of smoke, and volumetric clouds in 3D Maya, houdini and EmberGen.
- **Tools:** UE4 & 5, blueprint, 3D Maya, Niagara, Houdini, EmberGen.

### Epusu Software Co.

Suzhou, China

Unity Develop Intern (40h+/week)

Sep 2021 - Dec 2021

- Responsible for the interactive program development, testing and operation, and maintenance in Unity 3D.
- **Shader Graph:** Synthesize interactive particles moving based on the touch position in VFX particle system.
- **Tools:** Unity 3D, C#, VFX (visual effect graph)

### Orientsoft Software Technology Co., Ltd.

Chengdu, China

Data Analysis Intern (40h+/week)

Apr 2020 - Aug 2020

- **Data Collection and Visualization:** Used Scrapy framework to crawl data, conducted sampling and processed the data via Jupyter Notebook, built support vector machine (SVM) classifier and visualized the data in matplotlib.
- **Tools:** Python, Scrapy, Matplotlib, SVM

## Research Experience

### Synthesis of Multi-Camera Video Datasets via Computer Graphics (FYP)

Suzhou, China

Researcher | XJTLU CG lab | Advisor: Ming Xu

Jan 2021 - Now

- **Best Performance in Final Year Project**
- **Modelling and Programming:** Modelled 3 virtual environments and 100+ pedestrian models to synthesize multi-view video datasets in Unity3D. Programmed and designed behavior patterns of pedestrian models in Unity 3D.
- **Verification:** Localized the pedestrians and verified the geometric relationships between multiple camera views via Mask\_RCNN, Joint Occupancy Likelihood (JOL) and Repulsive Spatial Sparsity (RSS).

### The Effect of Resolution in Distant Target Selection and Navigation Task in VR Games

Suzhou, China

Researcher | XJTLU x-CHI VR lab | Advisor: Haining Liang

Jul 2022 - Now

- **Modelling and Programming:** Modelled the First Person Shooting game scene and implemented the code of shooting and target selecting in Unity 3D.

## Related Projects

### 2D Chinoiserie Two-Person-Game

Suzhou, China

Technical Artist | Game Designer

Feb 2022 - May 2022

- Applied GLSL and Shader Graph to conduct rendering, covering multiple level layouts and layered visuals; optimized the game design to enhance the player experience, covering mechanics, feedback, pacing and interface.
- Built an array of computer graphics features based on Unity, covering 2D scene composer, terrain editor, and various graphics features related to lightening and shadow, shaders and materials.

## Doomsday Survival 3D Game

Suzhou, China

Individual Project

Mar 2022 - Jun 2022

- Utilized CharacterController to control monsters and player movement; used Navmeshagent to set the pathfinding system; build the scene and modify the rendering pipeline.

## Optical Illusion 2.5D Game

Suzhou, China

Programmer | CG Designer | Game Designer

Mar 2022 - Jun 2022

- Modelled the scene in each stage; implemented Shader to realize 3D perspective effect; implemented the interactive animation in each stage.

## Awards

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2022	<b>Best Overall Academic Performance (1/50)</b> , XJTU	China
2022	<b>2021/22 Best Performance in Final Year Project (1/50)</b> , XJTU	China
2021	<b>University Academic Excellence Award (top 5%)</b> , XJTU	China
2019	<b>First Prize in Jiangsu Province (top 10%)</b> , CUMCM (China Undergraduate Mathematical Contest in Modeling)	China
2019	<b>4th Prize</b> , XJTU Innovation and Entrepreneurship Competition	China

## Conferences

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**Invited guest** APEC Women Leadership Forum 2019

**Invited guest** 17th IEEE International Conference on integrated circuit (IC) Design and Technology

## Skills

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**Programming** Unity, UE 4/5, Java, C/C++, C#, OpenGL, Python, PHP, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, SQL.

**English** Professional proficiency (IELTS 7 (6.5) | GRE 322)

**Chinese** Native proficiency

**References available upon request.**