WEI DONG

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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA, USA
PhD in Robotics, Robotics Institute, School of Computer Science

Peking University, Beijing, China
Master of Science, Key Laboratory of Machine Perception, School of EECS

Peking University, Beijing, China
Bachelor of Science, School of EECS

Sept. 2015 - Jul. 2018

Sept. 2011 - Jul. 2015

WORK AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

 $SPG \rightarrow AIML$, Apple with Stephan Richter and Vladlen Koltun

Jul. 2023 - March 2024 \rightarrow Apr. 2024 - present Postdoctoral researcher \rightarrow Research Scientist

· Worked on a photorealistic novel view synthesis

Robot Perception Labs, CMU advised by Michael Kaess

Aug. 2018 - Jun. 2023 PhD Research Assistant

• Worked on efficient, robust, and reproducible GPU-accelerated reconstruction systems

AI Algorithm Group, NVIDIA advised by Anima Anandkumar

May 2022 - Nov. 2022 Research Intern

· Worked on fast monocular indoor scene reconstruction

Intelligent Systems Labs, Intel advised by Vladlen Koltun

May 2019 - Aug. 2021 Research Intern

- · Worked on supervised and self-supervised deep global point cloud registration
- One of the key contributors to the open source project Open3D

Computer Vision and Geometry Group, ETH Zurich

Jul. 2017 - Dec. 2017

co-advised by Vagia Tsiminaki, Martin Oswald, and Marc Pollefeys Summer Student Research Fellow

· Worked on joint appearance reconstruction and texture super-resolution

Key Laboratory of Machine Perception, Peking University advised by Hongbin Zha

Jul. 2015 - Jul. 2018 Graduate Research Assistant

Worked on visual odometry and dense 3D reconstruction

RESEARCH INTEREST

I work on 3D perception, including point cloud registration, dense geometry reconstruction, and photorealistic rendering. It is always interesting to play with the models scanned and reconstructed from the real world.

My research topics include:

- Supervised and self-supervised 3D geometric registration;
- Classical/differentiable geometry and appearance representation and reconstruction;
- Fast, modern, and easy-to-use parallel reconstruction systems.

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

[1] Fast Monocular Scene Reconstruction with Global-Sparse Local-Dense Grids Wei Dong, Chris Choy, Charles Loop, Yuke Zhu, Or Litany, and Anima Anandkumar CVPR 2023

[2] ASH: A Modern Framework for Parallel Spatial Hashing in 3D Perception Wei Dong, Yixing Lao, Michael Kaess, and Vladlen Koltun PAMI, May 2023

[3] Self-supervised Geometric Perception

Heng Yang*, Wei Dong*, Luca Carlone, and Vladlen Koltun CVPR 2021 (oral)

[4] Deep Global Registration

Chris Choy*, Wei Dong*, and Vladlen Koltun *CVPR* 2020 (*oral*)

[5] GPU Accelerated Robust Scene Reconstruction

Wei Dong, Jaesik Park, Yi Yang, and Michael Kaess IROS 2019 (oral)

[6] Joint Multi-view Texture Super-resolution and Intrinsic Decomposition

Vagia Tsiminaki, Wei Dong, Martin R. Oswald, and Marc Pollefeys BMVC 2019 (spotlight)

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

[1] Learned Depth Estimation of 3D Imaging Radar for Indoor Mapping

Ruoyang Xu, Wei Dong, Arkash Sharma, and Michael Kaess IROS 2022

[2] A vision-based sensing framework for adaptive robotic tooling of indefinite surfaces

Özgüç Bertuğ Capunaman, Wei Dong, and Benay Gürsoy Construction Robotics 2022

[3] Map Compressibility Assessment for LiDAR Registration

Ming-Fang Chang, Wei Dong, Joshua Mangelson, Michael Kaess, and Simon Lucey IROS 2021

[4] Compositional Scalable Object SLAM

Akash Sharma, Wei Dong, Michael Kaess ICRA 2021

[5] Surfel-Based Dense RGB-D Reconstruction With Global And Local Consistency

Yi Yang, Wei Dong, Michael Kaess

ICRA 2019

^{*} indicates equal contribution

[6] Continuous-Time Stereo Visual Odometry Based on Dynamics Model

Xin Wang, Fei Xue, Zike Yan, **Wei Dong**, Qiuyuan Wang, Hongbin Zha *ICRA 2019*

[7] Guided Feature Selection for Deep Visual Odometry

Fei Xue, Qiuyuan Wang, Xin Wang, **Wei Dong**, Junqiu Wang, Hongbin Zha *ACCV 2018*

[8] PSDF Fusion: Probabilistic Signed Distance Function for On-the-fly 3D Data Fusion and Scene Reconstruction

Wei Dong, Qiuyuan Wang, Xin Wang, and Hongbin Zha *ECCV 2018*

[9] An Efficient Volumetric Mesh Representation for Real-time Scene Reconstruction using Spatial Hashing

Wei Dong, Jieqi Shi, Weijie Tang, Xin Wang, and Hongbin Zha *ICRA 2018*

[10] Edge Enhanced Direct Visual Odometry

Xin Wang, **Wei Dong**, Mingcai Zhou, Renju Li, and Hongbin Zha *BMVC 2016*

SKILLS

Computer Languages C/C++, Python

Software & Tools CUDA, OpenGL, Metal, LATEX

Languages Chinese (native), English (fluent), Japanese and Korean (basic)

Misc Piano, Calligraphy

SERVICE

Reviewer of ICRA, IROS, RA-L, TRO, CVPR, ECCV, SIGGRAPH, TVCG, IJCV