Honglin Chen

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Research Interests

My research interests mainly focus on computer graphics, especially on numerical optimization and its applications on visual computing problems, e.g. physics-based simulation, geometry processing and computer animation.

Education

| Sep 2019-Jan 2021 | MSc in Computer Science Department of Computer Science University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada |
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| | Advisor: Prof. David I.W. Levin |
| Sep 2015-Jun 2019 | B.Eng. in Computer Science and Technology College of Computer Science & Technology Zhejiang University , Hangzhou, China GPA: 3.89/4.0 |
| Sep 2017-Dec 2017 | Exchange Student Department of Computer Science University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada |

Publication

- Honglin Chen, Hsueh-Ti Derek Liu, Alec Jacobson, David I.W. Levin. Chordal Decomposition for Spectral Coarsening. ACM Transactions on Graphics (SIGGRAPH Asia), 2020.
- Ty Trusty, Honglin Chen, David I.W. Levin. The Shape Matching Element Method: Direct Animation of Curved Surface Models. In Submission.

Work Experience

| Aug 2021 <i>(Expected)</i> | Research Intern |
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| Feb 2021 | NVIDIA Toronto Artificial Intelligence Lab, NVIDIA |
| Nov 2018-May 2019 | Research Intern Internet Graphics Group, Microsoft Research Asia Project: Soft Pneumatic Robot <i>Mentor: Dr. Yizhong Zhang</i> |

Research Experience

| Present | Research Assistant |
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| Sept 2019 | Dynamic Graphics Project Lab, University of Toronto |
| | Advisor: Prof. David I.W. Levin |
| Apr 2018-Jun 2019 | Undergraduate Research Intern |
| | State Key Lab of CAD&CG, Zhejiang University |
| | Project: Embedded Deformation Advisor: Prof. Jin Huang |
| Jul-Sep 2018 | Summer Research Intern |
| | Multimedia and Interactive Computing Lab, Nanyang Technological |
| | University Draiget, Interactive Material Design Advisor, Draf Jianmin Zhang |
| | Project: Interactive Material Design Auvisor: Prof. Julinin Zheng |

Honors and Scholarships

| University of Toronto Tuition Fellowship | 2019-2021 |
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| First Class Academic Scholarship(Top 5% in Academic Performance) | 2016 |
| Distinctive Student Awards | 2016 |
| Scholarship of the Government of Zhejiang Province | 2016 |
| Scholarship of Arts and Athletics | 2016, 2017 |
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Invited Talks

| 1. | Toronto Geometry Colloquium | Nov 2020 |
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| | Chordal Decomposition for Spectral Coarsening. | |

Teaching

| • Substitute Lecturer, University of Toronto: CSC2521 Seminar in Geometry and Animation | Instructor: Alec Jacobson | Fall 2020 |
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| • Teaching Assistant, University of Toronto: | | |
| CSC2521 Seminar in Geometry and Animation | Instructor: Alec Jacobson | Fall 2020 |
| CSC2549/417 Physics Based Animation | Instructor: David I.W. Levin | Fall 2020 |
| CSC2504/418 Computer Graphics | Instructor: Sarah Kushner | Summer 2020 |
| CSC2504/418 Computer Graphics | Instructor: David I.W. Levin | Winter 2020 |
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Selected Courses

- Geometry Processing Physics-Based Animation Convex Optimization
- Matrix Calculations Seminar in Geometry and Animation I & II
- Numerical Analysis Matrix Theory Advances in Computer Graphics

Language & Skills

| Programming Skill: | C++(primary language): familiar with Eigen, Libigl, CMake |
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| | Matlab(familiar) Git(familiar) |
| | Python(good) OpenGL and GLSL(good) Latex(good) OpenCV(good) |
| | Assembly Language(average) Erlang(average) CUDA C(limited) |
| Graphics Software: | Blender(familiar) MeshLab(familiar) Maya(average) |
| | Adobe Illustrator(familiar) Photoshop(familiar) |
| Languages: | English(fluent) Mandarin(native) |