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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Probabilistic Learning : Bayesian Modeling, Approximate Inference, Uncertainty Quantification of Deep Models

AI for Science : Surrogate Modeling, Operator Learning, Physical-Informed Machine Learning

Multi-Objective Learning: Multi-Task Learning, Multi-Fidelity Learning, Transfer Learning, Meta Learning

Interactive Machine Learning: Bayesian Optimization, Active Learning, Multi-armed Bandits, Reinforcement Learning

EDUCATION

The University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah

Ph.D. in Computer Science, August 2024

- Thesis: “Efficient Probabilistic Learning and Optimization for Physical Simulations”
- Advisor: Shandian Zhe

University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

M.S. in Mechanical Engineering, December, 2013

South China University of Technology, Guangzhou, Guangdong, China

B.E. in Mechatronics Engineering, June, 2012

PUBLICATIONS

Li, S., Yu, X., Xing, W., Kirby M., Narayan, A., & Zhe, S. (2024). Multi-Resolution Active Learning of Fourier Neural Operators, *The 27th International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS 2024)* . (**Oral presentation**)

Fang, S., Yu, X., Wang, Z., **Li, S.**, Kirby, M., & Zhe, S. (2024). Functional Bayesian Tucker Decomposition for Continuous-indexed Tensor Data, *In Twelfth International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR 2024)* .

Fang, S., Cooley, M., Long, D., **Li, S.**, Kirby, M., & Zhe, S. (2024). Solving High Frequency and Multi-Scale PDEs with Gaussian Processes, *In Twelfth International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR 2024)* .

Wang, Z.*, Fang, S.*, **Li, S.**, & Zhe, S. (2023). Dynamic Tensor Decomposition via Neural Diffusion-Reaction Processes, *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2023)* . (**Spotlight, Top 10%**)

Fang, S., Yu, X., **Li, S.**, Wang, Z., Kirby R., & Zhe, S. (2023). Streaming Factor Trajectory Learning for Temporal Tensor Decomposition, *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2023)*. (Acceptance rate: 26.1%)

Li, S.*, Penwarden, M.*, Kirby, R. M., & Zhe, S. (2023 Jun). Meta Learning of Interface Conditions

for Multi-Domain Physics-Informed Neural Networks. *In International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML 2023)* (to appear). PMLR. (Acceptance rate: 27.9%)

Li, S., Wang, Z., Narayan, A., Kirby, R., & Zhe, S. (2023, April). Meta-Learning with Adjoint Methods. In *International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS 2023)* (pp. 7239-7251). PMLR. (Acceptance rate: 29%)

Li, S., Wang, Z., Kirby, R., & Zhe, S. (2022). Infinite-Fidelity Coregionalization for Physical Simulation. *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2022)*, 35, 25965-25978. (Acceptance rate: 25.6%)

Li, S.*, Phillips, J. M.*, Yu, X., Kirby, R., & Zhe, S. (2022). Batch Multi-Fidelity Active Learning with Budget Constraints. *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2022)*, 35, 995-1007. (Acceptance rate: 25.6%)

Li, S., Kirby, R., & Zhe, S. (2022, June). Decomposing Temporal High-Order Interactions via Latent ODEs. In *International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML 2022)* (pp. 12797-12812). PMLR. (Acceptance rate: 21.9%)

Wang, Z., Xu, Y., Tillinghast, C., **Li, S.**, Narayan, A., & Zhe, S. (2022, June). Nonparametric Embeddings of Sparse High-Order Interaction Events. In *International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML 2022)* (pp. 23237-23253). PMLR. (Acceptance rate: 21.9%)

Li, S., Wang, Z., Kirby, R. & Zhe, S.. (2022). Deep Multi-Fidelity Active Learning of High-Dimensional Outputs . Proceedings of The 25th *International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS 2022)*, Available from <https://proceedings.mlr.press/v151/li22b.html>. (Acceptance rate: 29.2%)

Li, S., Kirby, R., & Zhe, S. (2021). Batch Multi-Fidelity Bayesian Optimization with Deep Auto-Regressive Networks. *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2021)*, 34, 25463-25475. (Acceptance rate: 26%)

Li, S., Xing, W., Kirby, R., & Zhe, S. (2020). Multi-fidelity Bayesian optimization via deep neural networks. *Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2020)*, 33, 8521-8531. (Acceptance rate: 20.1%)

Li, S., Xing, W., Kirby, M., & Zhe, S. (2020). Scalable variational gaussian process regression networks. Proceedings of the Twenty-Ninth *International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI 2020)* Main track. Pages 2456-2462. <https://doi.org/10.24963/ijcai.2020/340> (Acceptance rate: 12.6%)

Yang, T., Fang, S., **Li, S.**, Wang, Y., & Ai, Q. (2020, October). Analysis of multivariate scoring functions for automatic unbiased learning to rank. In Proceedings of the 29th ACM *International Conference on Information & Knowledge Management (CIKM 2020)* (pp. 2277-2280). (Acceptance rate: 21.7%)

WORKSHOP
PAPERS

Li, S., Shi, L., & Zhe, S. (2023, July) Infinite-Fidelity Surrogate Learning via High-order Gaussian Processes. *1st Synergy of Scientific and Machine Learning Modeling @ ICML 2023*

PAPERS IN
SUBMISSION

Zheng Wang, **Shibo Li**, Shikai Fang, Shandian Zhe. *Diffusion-Generative Multi-Fidelity Learning for Physical Simulation*.

ACADEMIC
SERVICES

Program Committee

AAAI 2024
UAI 2024
AISTATS 2024
UAI 2023
AISTATS 2023
UAI 2022
AISTATS 2022
ICMLA 2022

Conference Reviewer

ICRL 2025
NeurIPS 2024
ICML 2024
ICLR 2024
L4DC 2024
NeurIPS 2023
ICML 2023 Workshop SPIGM
NeurIPS 2022
NeurIPS 2022 MetaLearn Workshop
ICML 2022
AISTATS 2021
ICMLA 2021
UAI 2021
AAAI 2020

Journal Reviewer

Journal of Computational Physics
Scientific Reports
Neural Networks

TEACHING

Florida State University

Instructor

- **COP3363 (Fall 2024)**: Introduction to Programming in C++ for Majors

The University of Utah

Teaching Mentorships

- **CS 6350 (Fall 2021)**: Machine Learning
- **CS 6350 (Spring 2021)**: Machine Learning

The University of Georgia

Teaching Assistant, Lab Instructor

- **CSCI 1101 (Fall 2017)**: Introduction to Programming I
- **CSCI 1101 (Spring 2017)**: Introduction to Programming II
- **CSCI 8902 (Fall 2016)**: Decision Making under Uncertainties
- **CSCI 1301(Fall 2015)**: System Programming

APPOINTMENTS

Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL

Assistant Professor

August 2024 - Present

Amazon, Inc., Seattle, WA

Applied Scientist Intern

May, 2022 - August, 2022

In-context few-shots learning with large language/multi-modality models.

Amazon, Inc., Seattle, WA
Applied Scientist Intern
Privacy-preserved learning algorithms.

May, 2021 - August, 2021

Schlumberger-Doll Research, Cambridge, MA
Robotics Research Intern
Force-controlled planning algorithms.

June, 2018 - October, 2018