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#### Homepage

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### Languages

■German ■Chinese

Japanese 

English

Spanish (ing...)

## Skills -

#### **Programming Language:**

C/C++, C#, Python, Java, Matlab, R

#### Framework:

OpenCV, Qt, ffmpeg, CUDA, TensorFlow, pyTorch, caffe, chainer

#### Others:

Unity3D, 3DS Max, Blender, SteamVR

#### **About**

Erwin Wu is a Research Assistant Professor at Tokyo Institute of Technology. He received his B.Sc.CS (with Honor) from Shanghai Jiao Tong University and received his M.Eng. and Ph.D. from Tokyo Institute of Technology, and he currently also works at SonyCSL as a research scientist. He is keen on learning different languages and culture, thus already mastered 4 languages. His research interests lies at the intersection of computer vision, vision-based HCI, and mixed reality. He is particularly interested in human pose analysis for sports now.

#### **Education**

| 2019-2022 | <b>Tokyo Institute of Technology</b><br>School of Computing, Department of Cor  | PhD of Computer Science nputer Science |  |
|-----------|---|--|--|
| 2017-2019 | <b>Tokyo Institute of Technology</b><br>School of Computing, Department of Cor  | Master of Engineering nputer Science   |  |
| 2013-2017 | Shanghai Jiao Tong University School of Electronic Information and Electronic Department of Information Security Engi | 3 3,                                   |  |

### **Experience**

| 2022.9 - now        | <b>Tokyo Institute of Technology</b><br>Department of Computer Science                         | Research Assistant Professor                  |
|---------------------|--|---|
| 2022.9 - now        | <b>Sony Computer Science Laboratory</b><br>Research in Hand Pose for Piano Learning            | Researcher                                    |
| 2021.6 -<br>2022.9  | Sony Computer Science Laboratory<br>Research in Hand Pose Estimation supervi                   | Research Internship<br>sed by Furuya Shinichi |
| 2020.4 -<br>2022.9  | Japan Society for the Promotion of Scient<br>Research fellowship for Young Scientists D        |   |
| 2020.7 -<br>2020.10 | <b>Huawei Research Japan</b><br>Research Intern in 3D Vision supervised b                      | Research Internship<br>y Bo Zheng             |
| 2020.1 -<br>2020.4  | Carnegie Mellon University<br>School of Computer Science, The Robotics<br>Advisor: Kris Kitani | Visiting Scholar<br>s Institute               |
| 2017.9 -<br>2020.4  | Japan Science and Technology Agency<br>JST CREST Research Assistant supervised                 | Research Assistant<br>by Hideki Koike         |

### Fellowships & Scholarships

| 2020      | "Gakushin" Fellowship for Young Scientist (DC1) | JSPS                 |
|-----------|---|----------------------|
| 2019      | TSUBAME Doctoral Student Scholarship            | TokyoTech            |
| 2016      | "Star of the Month" Scholarship                 | Shanghai Jiaotong U. |
| 2015-2016 | Scholarship for Excellent Exchange Student      | JASS0                |
| 2013-2017 | Excellent International Student Scholarship (B) | Shanghai             |

## **Other Activities**

| 2018      | Student Volunteer of WISS 2018                                |  |
|-----------|---|--|
| 2016-2017 | 6-2017 President of the International Student Union at SJTU   |  |
| 2015-2016 | Exchange Student at Kyoto University & Ritsumeikan University |  |
| 2014-2015 | Research Project (PRP) at Shanghai Jiao Tong University       |  |
| 2014      | Champion of the SJTU "Hope Cup" soccer tournament 2014        |  |

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# Keywords

Outgoing Talkative HCI AR/VR

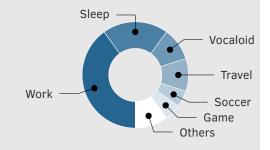
Multilingual Soccer Table Tennis

Future Pose Computer Vision

## Research Interest -



# **Daily**



# Memberships



**ACM Student Member** 

**IEEE Student Member** 

Researcher at JST CREST: https://sites.google.com/site/jstcrestproject/

## **Representative Publications**

| 2022.03 | Skiing, Fast and Slow: Evaluation of Time Distortion for VR Ski<br>Training<br>Matsumoto Takashi, Erwin Wu et al. (AH 2022)                                   |
|---------|---|
| 2021.05 | SPinPong - Virtual Reality Table Tennis Skill Acquisition using Visual, Haptic and Temporal Cues Erwin Wu, Mitski Piekenbrock et al. (TVCG)                   |
| 2020.10 | Back-Hand-Pose: 3D Hand Pose Estimation for Wrist-worn Devices via Dorsum Deformation Analysis Erwin Wu, Ye Yuan et al. (UIST 2020)                           |
| 2020.6  | VR Alpine Ski Training Augmentation using Visual Cues of Leading Skier Erwin Wu, Florian Perteneder, Hideki Koike. (CVPR 2020)                                |
| 2020.3  | FuturePong: Real-time Table Tennis Trajectory Forecasting using Pose Prediction Network Erwin Wu and Hideki Koike. (CHI'20 LBW)                               |
| 2019.11 | How to VizSki: Visualizing Captured Skier Motion in a VR Ski<br>Training Simulator<br>Erwin Wu, Takayuki Nozawa, Florian Perteneder, Hideki Koike. (VRCAI'19) |
| 2019.10 | Opisthenar: Hand Poses and Finger Tapping Recognition by Observing Back of Hand Using Embedded Wrist Camera Hui-Shyong Yeo, Erwin Wu, et al. (UIST'19)        |
| 2019.6  | OmniGlobe: An Interactive I/O System For Symmetric 360-Degree Video Communication Zhengqing Li, Shio Miyafuji, Erwin Wu, et al. (DIS'19)                      |
| 2019.3  | BitoBody: Real-time Human Contact Detection and Dynamic Projection System Erwin Wu, Mistki Piekenbrock, Hideki Koike. (AH'19)                                 |
| 2019.1  | FuturePose - Mixed Reality Martial Arts Training Using Real-Time 3D Human Pose Forecasting with a RGB Camera Erwin Wu and Hideki Koike. (WACV 2019)           |

For a full list of my latest publications, please visit my homepage.

### **Honors & Awards**

| 2022.9  | Best Poster Award                           | 10th JST CREST Symposium      |
|---------|---|-------------------------------|
| 2022.5  | Seiichi Tejima Research Award               | Tokyo Institute of Technology |
| 2022.1  | AIP Network Director Award                  | 7th JST CREST AIP Challenge   |
| 2019.11 | Best Paper Award                            | VRCAI 2019                    |
| 2019.3  | Best Research Demo Runner-up                | IEEE VR 2019                  |
| 2018.12 | Best Poster Award Honorable Mention         | VRST 2018                     |
| 2017    | Outstanding Graduates Award                 | Shanghai Jiao Tong U.         |
| 2016    | Excellent Exchange Program Graduates        | Ritsumeikan U.                |
| 2015    | Excellent International Student of the year | Shanghai Jiao Tong U.         |
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### **Patents**

| 2022 | US Patents, Measurement support device, method and computer program product, US Patent App. 17/066.233. |
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| 2021 | US Patents, Measurement support device, method and computer program product, US Patent App. 63/089.139. |
| 2021 | Japanese Patents, Application Number: 2021-143847   |