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## Research Interests

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### Computer Vision and Uncertainty-aware Learning

Cross-view Object Matching, Novel View Synthesis and Analysis, 2D/3D Alignment

## Academic Qualifications

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2017.1 - 2021.8	Ph.D. in Software Engineering, University of Technology Sydney, Australia (Advisor: Prof. Yi Yang)
2012.9 - 2016.7	B.S. in Computer Science and Technology, Fudan University, China (Advisor: Prof. Xiangyang Xue)

## Work Experience

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2023.12 - Present	Assistant Professor, University of Macau, Macau SAR, China
2021.9 - 2023.12	Postdoc Research Fellow, National University of Singapore, Singapore (Advisor: Prof. Tat-seng Chua and Prof. Angela Yao)
2022.8 - 2023.4	Adjunct Scientist at Sea AI Lab, Singapore
2020.3 - 2020.5	Research Intern, Baidu Research, China
2018.7 - 2018.12	Research Intern, Nvidia Research, USA

## Research Awards & Recognition & Competitions

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### Awards

2021	IEEE Circuits and Systems Society Outstanding Young Author Award (1 recipient world-wide) (500 USD) <a href="#">[Link]</a>
2021	Zhejiang Lab's International Talent Fund for Young Professionals (30,000 CNY)
2021	UTS Chancellor's Award List ( <i>University-wide best PhD dissertations award</i> )
2020	UTS Vice-Chancellor's Conference Fund
2020	UTS AAIL Student Best Paper Award
2020	IEEE ICME Outstanding Reviewer Award
2013 - 2016	Four-time First-class Scholarship at Fudan University
2013	EMC Corp. Scholarship

### Chapter

Invited Chapter for the book *The Boundaries of Data* [\[Link\]](#)

### Competitions

AICity Challenge: Language-based Vehicle Retrieval Challenge, Rank 1st / 15 teams	CVPR 2021
AICity Challenge: Vehicle Re-identification Challenge, Rank 2nd / 51 teams	CVPR 2021
Evoked Expressions from Videos (EEV) Challenge, Rank 2nd / 11 teams	CVPR 2021
AICity Challenge: Vehicle Re-identification Challenge, Rank 1st / 64 teams	CVPR 2020
AICity Challenge: Vehicle Re-identification Challenge, Rank 4th / 84 teams	CVPR 2019
VisDA: Semi-Supervised Domain Adaptation Challenge, Rank 4th / 57 teams	ICCV 2019
US Patent Application: Image identification using neural networks (No: US2020/0302176A1)	

## Teaching Record

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2024 CISC3021-001 Multimedia Forensics and Security @ University of Macau  
2024 CISC7404-001 Special Topics in Artificial Intelligence @ University of Macau  
2025 CISC7202-001 Tools for Machine Learning @ University of Macau

## Professional Services

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Workshop Chair	Multimedia Object Re-ID (MORE), ACM ICMR 2024
Workshop Chair	Capturing the World from a New Perspective (UAVM), ACM MM 2023,2024
Workshop Chair	Deep Multimodal Learning for Information Retrieval (MMIR), ACM MM 2023,2024
Session Chair	Responsible, Responsive, and Robust Multimedia Retrieval, ICME 2022
Area Chair	IEEE AVSS 2024, ACM MM 2024, ACM MM 2025, ICASSP 2025, IJCNN 2025
Senior PC	IJCAI 2021, AAAI 2024
Guest Editor	ACM TOMM Special Issue <a href="#">[Link]</a>
Reviewer	TPAMI, IJCV, TIP, TMM, TCSVT, CVPR, ICCV, ECCV, and ACM MM

## Recent Keynote & Invited Presentations

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Keynote speaker at AICity Challenge @ CVPR 2020 <a href="#">[Link]</a> and CVPR 2021 <a href="#">[Link]</a>	
Tutorial speaker at Multimedia Content Understanding in Harsh Environments @ ACM MM 2022 <a href="#">[Link]</a>	
Tutorial speaker at Cross-view Geo-localization: Current Challenges and Future Frontiers @ WACV 2025 <a href="#">[Link]</a>	
2023.04: Data-centric Learning	The University of Sheffield
2023.04: Data-centric Learning	Nanyang Technological University
2023.02: Learning from Imagining for Computer Vision	City University of Hong Kong
2021.08: Data. Data! How to deal with Data Scarcity?	Fudan University
2021.07: Scene Understanding from Aerial View.	Zhejiang University
2021.01: Visual Matching: From Re-identification to Geo-localization.	Fudan University
2020.12: Image Generation for Robust Image Retrieval.	Alibaba Inc.
2020.11: A Multi-view Multi-source Benchmark for Drone-based Geo-localization. <a href="#">[Link]</a>	UTS
2020.08: Drone is coming	UT Austin

## Publications

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*Summary.* As of 1 May 2025, 55 papers have been published in top venues such as TPAMI, IJCV, TIP, TIFS, TNNLS, TMM, CVPR, ICCV, ECCV and ACM MM. 9 papers are selected as ESI Highly Cited Paper. Google Scholar Citations = **11,600**, H-index = **35**.

### Refereed Journals

1. A Discriminatively Learned CNN Embedding for Person Re-identification.  
ACM Transactions on Multimedia Computing, Communications, and Applications (**TOMM**), 2018.  
**Zhedong Zheng**, Liang Zheng, Yi Yang (**ESI Highly Cited Paper, Cited by 1000+ times**)
2. Pedestrian Alignment Network for Large-scale Person Re-identification.  
IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology (**TCSVT**), 2019.  
**Zhedong Zheng**, Liang Zheng, Yi Yang (**ESI Highly Cited Paper, Cited by 500+ times**)
3. VehicleNet: Learning Robust Visual Representation for Vehicle Re-identification.  
IEEE Transactions on Multimedia (**TMM**), 2020.  
**Zhedong Zheng**, Tao Ruan, Yunchao Wei, Yi Yang, Tao Mei
4. Dual-Path Convolutional Image-Text Embedding with Instance Loss.  
ACM Transactions on Multimedia Computing, Communications, and Applications (**TOMM**), 2020.  
**Zhedong Zheng**, Liang Zheng, Michael Garrett, Yi Yang, Mingliang Xu, Yi-Dong Shen (**ESI Highly Cited Paper, Cited by 500+ times**)

5. Rectifying Pseudo Label Learning via Uncertainty Estimation for Domain Adaptive Semantic Segmentation.  
International Journal of Computer Vision (**IJCV**), 2021.  
**Zhedong Zheng**, Yi Yang (**ESI Highly Cited Paper, Cited by 500+ times**)
6. Parameter-Efficient Person Re-identification in the 3D Space.  
IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems (**TNNLS**), 2022.  
**Zhedong Zheng**, Xiaohan Wang, Nenggan Zheng, Yi Yang (**ESI Highly Cited Paper**)
7. Adaptive Boosting for Domain Adaptation: Towards Robust Predictions in Scene Segmentation.  
IEEE Transactions on Image Processing (**TIP**), 2022.  
**Zhedong Zheng**, Yi Yang
8. U-turn: Crafting Adversarial Queries with Opposite-direction Features.  
International Journal of Computer Vision (**IJCV**), 2022.  
**Zhedong Zheng**, Liang Zheng, Yi Yang, Fei Wu
9. Multi-pseudo Regularized Label for Generated Samples in Person Re-Identification.  
IEEE Transactions on Image Processing (**TIP**), 2018.  
Yan Huang, Jinsong Xu, Qiang Wu, **Zhedong Zheng**, Zhaoxiang Zhang, Jian Zhang
10. Camstyle: A Novel Data Augmentation Method for Person Re-identification.  
IEEE Transactions on Image Processing (**TIP**), 2018.  
Zhun Zhong, Liang Zheng, **Zhedong Zheng**, Shaozi Li, Yi Yang (**ESI Highly Cited Paper, Cited by 700+ times**)
11. Bayesian Query Expansion for Multi-camera Person Re-identification.  
Pattern Recognition Letters, 2018.  
Yutian Lin, **Zhedong Zheng**, Hong Zhang, Chenqiang Gao, Yi Yang
12. Improving Person Re-identification by Attribute and Identity Learning.  
Pattern Recognition (**PR**), 2019.  
Yutian Lin, Liang Zheng, **Zhedong Zheng**, Yu Wu, Zhilan Hu, Chenggang Yan, Yi Yang (**ESI Highly Cited Paper, Cited by 900+ times**)
13. Thorax Disease Classification with Attention Guided Convolutional Neural Network.  
Pattern Recognition Letters, 2020.  
Qingji Guan, Yaping Huang, Zhun Zhong, **Zhedong Zheng**, Liang Zheng, Yi Yang
14. Unsupervised Eyeglasses Removal in the Wild.  
IEEE Transactions on Cybernetics (**TCYB**), 2020.  
Bingwen Hu, **Zhedong Zheng**, Ping Liu, Wankou Yang, Mingwu Ren
15. Each Part Matters: Local Patterns Facilitate Cross-view Geo-localization.  
IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology (**TCSVT**), 2021.  
Tingyu Wang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Chenggang Yan, Jiyong Zhang, Yaoqi Sun, Bolun Zheng, Yi Yang (**ESI Highly Cited Paper**)
16. Soft Person Re-identification Network Pruning via Block-wise Adjacent Filter Decaying.  
IEEE Transactions on Cybernetics (**TCYB**), 2021.  
Xiaodong Wang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Yang He, Fei Yan, Zhiqiang Zeng, Yi Yang
17. SPG-VTON: Semantic Prediction Guidance for Multi-pose Virtual Try-on.  
IEEE Transactions on Multimedia (**TMM**), 2022.  
Bingwen Hu, Ping Liu, **Zhedong Zheng**, Mingwu Ren
18. Joint Representation Learning and Keypoint Detection for Cross-view Geo-localization.  
IEEE Transactions on Image Processing (**TIP**), 2022.

Jinliang Lin, **Zhedong Zheng**, Zhun Zhong, Zhiming Luo, Shaozi Li, Yi Yang, Nicu Sebe

19. Align and Tell: Boosting Text-video Retrieval with Local Alignment and Fine-grained Supervision  
IEEE Transactions on Multimedia (**TMM**), 2022.

Xiaohan Wang, Linchao Zhu, **Zhedong Zheng**, Mingliang Xu, Yi Yang (**ESI Highly Cited Paper**)

20. Self-supervised Point Cloud Representation Learning via Separating Mixed Shapes.  
IEEE Transactions on Multimedia (**TMM**), 2022.

Chao Sun, **Zhedong Zheng\***, Xiaohan Wang, Mingliang Xu, Yi Yang (\*: Corresponding Author)

21. DMRNet++: Learning Discriminative Features with Decoupled Networks and Enriched Pairs for One-Step Person Search.

IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (**TPAMI**), 2022.

Chuchu Han, **Zhedong Zheng**, Kai Su, Dongdong Yu, Zehuan Yuan, Changxin Gao, Nong Sang, Yi Yang

22. Progressive Local Filter Pruning for Image Retrieval Acceleration

IEEE Transactions on Multimedia (**TMM**), 2023.

Xiaodong Wang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Yang He, Fei Yan, Zhiqiang Zeng, Yi Yang

23. Multi-View Consistent Generative Adversarial Networks for Compositional 3D-aware Image Synthesis  
International Journal of Computer Vision (**IJCV**), 2022.

Xuanmeng Zhang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Daiheng Gao, Bang Zhang, Yi Yang, Tat-Seng Chua

24. Jointly Harnessing Prior Structures and Temporal Consistency for Sign Language Video Generation  
ACM Transactions on Multimedia Computing, Communications, and Applications (**TOMM**), 2024.

Yucheng Suo, **Zhedong Zheng**, Xiaohan Wang, Bang Zhang, Yi Yang

25. Actively Discovering New Slots for Task-oriented Conversation

Transactions on Audio, Speech and Language Processing (**TASLP**), 2024.

Yuxia Wu, Tianhao Dai, **Zhedong Zheng**, Lizi Liao

26. Multiple-environment Self-adaptive Network for Aerial-view Geo-localization

Pattern Recognition (**PR**) 2024.

Tingyu Wang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Yaoqi Sun, Chenggang Yan, Yi Yang, Tat-Seng Chua

27. Self-ensembling depth completion via density-aware consistency

Pattern Recognition (**PR**) 2024.

Xuanmeng Zhang, **Zhedong Zheng\***, Minyue Jiang, Xiaoqing Ye (\*: Corresponding Author)

28. StepNet: Spatial-temporal Part-aware Network for Sign Language Recognition.

ACM Transactions on Multimedia Computing, Communications, and Applications (**TOMM**), 2024.

Xiaolong Shen, **Zhedong Zheng**, Yi Yang

29. Collaborative group: Composed image retrieval via consensus learning from noisy annotations.

Knowledge-Based Systems (**KBS**), 2024

Xu Zhang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Linchao Zhu, Yi Yang

30. High Fidelity Makeup via 2D and 3D Identity Preservation Net.

ACM Transactions on Multimedia Computing, Communications, and Applications (**TOMM**), 2024.

Jinliang Liu, **Zhedong Zheng**, Zongxin Yang, Yi Yang

31. Learning Cross-view Geo-localization Embeddings via Dynamic Weighted Decorrelation Regularization

IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing (**TGRS**), 2024.

Tingyu Wang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Zunjie Zhu, Yuhan Gao, Yi Yang, Chenggang Yan

32. Scale Up Composed Image Retrieval Learning via Modification Text Generation

IEEE Transactions on Multimedia (**TMM**), 2025.

Yinan Zhou, Yaxiong Wang, Haokun Lin, Chen Ma, Li Zhu, **Zhedong Zheng**

33. CAMEL: Cross-modality Adaptive Meta-Learning for Text-based Person Retrieval  
Transactions on Information Forensics & Security (**TIFS**), 2025.

Hang Yu, Jiahao Wen, **Zhedong Zheng**

### Refereed Conferences

1. Unlabeled Samples Generated by GAN Improve the Person Re-identification Baseline in vitro.  
IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision (**ICCV**), 2017. (Spotlight Oral)

**Zhedong Zheng**, Liang Zheng, Yi Yang (**Cited by 2400+ times**) [\[Video\]](#)

2. Joint Discriminative and Generative Learning for Person Re-identification.

IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (**CVPR**), 2019. (Oral)

**Zhedong Zheng**, Xiaodong Yang, Zhiding Yu, Liang Zheng, Yi Yang, Jan Kautz (**Cited by 900+ times**) [\[Video\]](#)

3. University-1652: A Multi-view Multi-source Benchmark for Drone-based Geo-localization.  
ACM Multimedia (**ACM MM**), 2020.

**Zhedong Zheng**, Yunchao Wei, Yi Yang [\[Video\]](#)

4. Unsupervised Scene Adaptation with Memory Regularization in vivo.

International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (**IJCAI**), 2020.

**Zhedong Zheng**, Yi Yang

5. Macro-Micro Adversarial Network for Human Parsing.

European Conference on Computer Vision (**ECCV**), 2018.

Yawei Luo, **Zhedong Zheng**, Liang Zheng, Tao Guan, Junqing Yu, Yi Yang

6. Camera Style Adaptation for Person Re-identification.

IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (**CVPR**), 2018.

Zhun Zhong, Liang Zheng, **Zhedong Zheng**, Shaozi Li, Yi Yang

7. Real-World Automatic Makeup via Identity Preservation Makeup Net.

International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (**IJCAI**), 2020.

Zhikun Huang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Chenggang Yan, Hongtao Xie, Yaoqi Sun, Jianzhong Wang, Jiyong Zhang

8. Decoupled and Memory-Reinforced Networks: Towards Effective Feature Learning for One-Step Person Search.

The AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (**AAAI**), 2021.

Chuchu Han, **Zhedong Zheng**, Changxin Gao, Nong Sang, Yi Yang

9. Multi-View Consistent Generative Adversarial Networks for 3D-aware Image Synthesis

IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (**CVPR**), 2022.

Xuanmeng Zhang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Daiheng Gao, Bang Zhang, Pan Pan, Yi Yang

10. Are Binary Annotations Sufficient? Video Moment Retrieval via Hierarchical Uncertainty-based Active Learning

IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (**CVPR**), 2023.

Wei Ji, Renjie Liang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Wenqiao Zhang, Shengyu Zhang, Juncheng Li, Mengze Li, Tat-Seng Chua

11. Context-aware Pretraining for Efficient Blind Image Decomposition

IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (**CVPR**), 2023.

Chao Wang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Ruijie Quan, Yifan Sun, Yi Yang

12. Learnable Pillar-based Re-ranking for Image-Text Retrieval  
ACM SIGIR (**SIGIR**), 2023.  
Leigang Qu, Meng Liu, Wenjie Wang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Liqiang Nie, Tat-Seng Chua
13. PiPa: Pixel-and Patch-wise Self-supervised Learning for Domain Adaptative Semantic Segmentation.  
ACM Multimedia (**ACM MM**), 2023.  
Mu Chen, **Zhedong Zheng**, Yi Yang, Tat-Seng Chua
14. Towards Unified Text-based Person Retrieval: A Large-scale Multi-Attribute and Language Search Benchmark.  
ACM Multimedia (**ACM MM**), 2023.  
Shuyu Yang, Yinan Zhou, **Zhedong Zheng**, Yaxiong Wang, Li Zhu, Yujiao Wu
15. Composed Image Retrieval with Text Feedback via Multi-grained Uncertainty Regularization.  
International Conference on Learning Representations (**ICLR**), 2024.  
Yiyang Chen, **Zhedong Zheng**, Wei Ji, Leigang Qu, Tat-Seng Chua
16. Towards Natural Language-Guided Drones: GeoText-1652 Benchmark with Spatial Relation Matching.  
European Conference on Computer Vision (**ECCV**), 2024.  
Meng Chu, **Zhedong Zheng**, Wei Ji, Tingyu Wang, Tat-Seng Chua
17. Approaching Outside: Scaling Open-world 3D Object Detection from 2D Scene.  
European Conference on Computer Vision (**ECCV**), 2024.  
Ruiyang Zhang, Hu Zhang, Hang Yu, **Zhedong Zheng**
18. Depth-Aware Blind Image Decomposition for Real-World Adverse Weather Recovery.  
European Conference on Computer Vision (**ECCV**), 2024.  
Chao Wang, **Zhedong Zheng**, Ruijie Quan, Yi Yang
19. Transferring to Real-World Layouts: A Depth-aware Framework for Scene Adaptation.  
ACM Multimedia (**ACM MM**), 2024. (Oral)  
Mu Chen, **Zhedong Zheng**, Yi Yang
20. From Data Deluge to Data Curation: A Filtering-WoRA Paradigm for Efficient Text-based Person Search.  
ACM Web Conference (**WWW**), 2025.  
Jintao Sun, Hao Fei, Gangyi Ding, **Zhedong Zheng**
21. Ctrl-U: Robust Conditional Image Generation via Uncertainty-aware Reward Modeling.  
International Conference on Learning Representations (**ICLR**), 2025.  
Guiyu Zhang, Huan-ang Gao, Zijian Jiang, Hao Zhao, **Zhedong Zheng**
22. Coarse-to-Fine Cross-modality Generation for Enhancing Vehicle Re-Identification with High-Fidelity Synthetic Data.  
IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (**ICRA**), 2025  
Leyang Jin, Wei Ji, Tat-Seng Chua, **Zhedong Zheng**

## Open Source

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Codes and models for my published papers are available on my GitHub: <https://github.com/layumi> (8,000 stars and 2,000 followers)