Feng (Jeff) Liang

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EDUCATION

• The University of Texas at Austin Austin, United States

Ph.D. of ECE, advised by Prof. Diana Marculescu Aug. 2021 - Feb. 2025

• Tsinghua University Beijing, China

M.Eng of EESept. 2016 - Jun. 2019

 Huazhong University of Science and Technology Wuhan, China B.Eng of EE Sept. 2012 - Jun. 2016

Research Interests

• Generative AI: Image/video generative models and their applications.

• Vision-Language Models: Open-world perception models, multimodal LLMs.

Industrial Experience

Senior Research Scientist

 Meta Generative AI Menlo Park. United States

• Working on Meta's next-generation media foundation models.

• Meta Generative AI (Llama Applied) Menlo Park, United States

Research Scientist Intern: Work with Dr. Peizhao Zhang May 2024 - Nov. 2024

• Published a paper in CVPR'25 on multi-concept video personalization (Movie Weaver), extending Meta's MovieGen video generation model to multi-concept personalization!

April 2025 - Present

• Meta Generative AI (Media Foundation) Menlo Park, United States Research Scientist Intern; Work with Dr. Bichen Wu May 2023 - Dec. 2023

- o Published two papers in CVPR'24 on efficient video-to-video synthesis (FlowVid and Fairy), achieving state-of-the-art results with significantly faster processing speeds.
- Published follow-up work StreamV2V in ICLR'25, enabling real-time video-to-video for stream input.
- Meta Reality Labs (Mobile Vision) Burlingame, United States May 2022 - Dec. 2022 Research Scientist Intern; Work with Dr. Bichen Wu

• Published a paper in CVPR'23 on Open-Vocabulary Segmentation (OVSeg), which ranked in the top 2%

most influential papers among 2,359 accepted papers.

• SenseTime Research Beijing, China AI Researcher: Work with Prof. Wanli Ouyang Jun. 2019 - Aug. 2021

• Published a paper in ICLR'22 on Data-Efficient CLIP (DeCLIP), which ranked in the top 3% most influential papers among 945 accepted papers.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Authored 20+ top-tier publications with 1,500+ citations. See full publications on Google Scholar.

- "Movie Weaver: Tuning-Free Multi-Concept Video Personalization with Anchored Prompts" Feng Liang, Haoyu Ma, Zecheng He, Tingbo Hou, Ji Hou, Kunpeng Li, Xiaoliang Dai, Felix Juefei-Xu, Samaneh Azadi, Animesh Sinha, Peizhao Zhang, Peter Vajda, Diana Marculescu. CVPR'25. Multi-concept personalization for MovieGen.
- "Looking Backward: Streaming Video-to-Video Translation with Feature Banks" Feng Liang, Akio Kodaira, Chenfeng Xu, Masayoshi Tomizuka, Kurt Keutzer, Diana Marculescu. ICLR'25. >450 GitHub stars
- "FlowVid: Taming Imperfect Optical Flows for Consistent Video-to-Video Generation" Feng Liang, Bichen Wu, Jialiang Wang, Licheng Yu, Kunpeng Li, Yinan Zhao, Ishan Misra, Jia-Bin Huang, Peizhao Zhang, Peter Vajda, Diana Marculescu. CVPR'24, Highlight (Top 10% accepted papers).

• "Open-Vocabulary Semantic Segmentation with Mask-adapted CLIP" **Feng Liang**, Bichen Wu, Xiaoliang Dai, Kunpeng Li, Yinan Zhao, Hang Zhang, Peizhao Zhang, Peter Vajda, Diana Marculescu. **CVPR'23**, **Top 2% most influential papers.**

AI Competitions

• National College Students AI Competition – Championship in Big Data Tech. Guangdong, China Tsinghua University, Team Leader

Jan. 2018 – Apr. 2018

• Junction 2018 - Challenge Winner in Intelligent Infrastructure Track
Tsinghua University, Vision Developer

Helsinki, Finland Nov. 2018

Selected Honors & Awards

• MLCommons ML and Systems Rising Stars

• Qualcomm Innovation Fellowship Finalist

• UT Austin Engineering Fellowship

• Excellent Student Leader

• National Scholarship

MLCommons; 2024 Qualcomm; 2024

UT Austin; 2021 & 2023 Tsinghua University; 2018

Ministry of Education; 2014 & 2015

Additional Information

• English Proficiency: TOEFL iBT: 110 (R30 L30 S23 W27)

- Programming Skills: Python(proficient), C++(familiar), C(basic)
- Deep Learning Framework: Pytorch(proficient), TensorFlow(familiar), Caffe(basic)
- Leadership: President of Graduate Union of the Department of Microelectronics and Nanoelectronics at Tsinghua University(2017-2018)