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Research Grants

Singapore Management University

Towards Building Unified Autonomous Vehicle Scene Representation for Physical AV Adversarial Attacks and Visual Robustness Enhancement (Stage 1a), AI Singapore Robust AI Grand Challenge, AI Singapore , Co-PI (Project Level): XIE Xiaofei, 2023

Trustworthy AI Centre NTU (TAICeN), Cyber Security Agency of Singapore (CSA), Co-PI (Project Level): XIE Xiaofei, SUN Jun, 2023

Automatic non-linear loop summarization and its applications, SMU Internal Grant, Ministry of Education (MOE) Tier 1 , PI (Project Level): XIE Xiaofei, 2021, S\$100,000

Other Institutions

Towards Building Unified Autonomous Vehicle Scene Representation for Physical AV Adversarial Attacks and Visual Robustness Enhancement, AISG, AI Singapore - Robust AI Grand Challenge Co-PI (Project Level): XIE Xiaofei, 2023, SGD2,995,800

TRUSTWORTHY AI CENTRE NTU (TAICeN), NCRP, Cyber Security Agency of Singapore Co-PI (Project Level): XIE Xiaofei, 2022, SGD12,364,100

TEACHING

Courses Taught

Singapore Management University

Undergraduate Programmes :

Enterprise Solution Development

Foundations of Cybersecurity

Postgraduate Research Programmes :

Empirical Research Project 1

Empirical Research Project 2

OTHER ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Consultancy

MetaTrust Labs Pte. Ltd, Nov 2023 - Oct 2025

Media Contributions and Citations

TikTok, A New Political Weapon: Can It Be Moderated?, Channel News Asia, 25 May 2023 https://youtu.be/U6FvLqVtUnE

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

Singapore Management University

Organize a hacking workshop for VJC students, Hacking Workshop for VJC Students, Dec 2022

Organized a professor team and competed against the student teams on hard coding problems. , SCIS DAY and Tic Tac Code, Oct 2022

EXTERNAL SERVICE – PROFESSIONAL

Conference Local Chair, Local Chair, ATVA and PRDC, 2023 - Present

Committee Member, ESEC/FSE SRC & Artifacts 2023, ISSRE 2023, MSR 2023, ASE 2023, ICSE Posters Track 2023 ICCV 2023, ICLR 2023, PRDC 2023, 2023

Guest Editor, IEEE TDSC Special Issue "SI-Reliability and Robustness in AI-Based Cybersecurity Solutions", 2022 - Present

Workshop Organizer, Machine Learning Techniques for Software Quality Evaluation (MaLTeSQuE), 2022

Editor Associate Editor, Frontiers in Computer Science, 2022 - Present

Workshop Organizer, AI and Software Testing/Analysis (AISTA), 2022

Reviewer Conference Paper, International Symposium on Software Reliability Engineering (ISSRE), 2022

Project sponsor, ICSE SCORE 2023, 2022 - Present

Presenter Keynote Address, SEAIS, 2022

Reviewer Conference Paper, ASE ACM Student Research Competition, ESEC/FSE Artifacts, ICCV, AAAI, ICLR, SETTA, 2022 - Present

Reviewer Journal Article, TDSC, TSE, TOSEM, JSS, ACM Computing Surveys, 2022 - Present

Editor Associate Editor, Frontiers in Big Data, 2021 - 2022

EXTERNAL SERVICE – PUBLIC SECTOR AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Committee Member, Artificial Intelligence Technical Committee, Artificial Intelligence Technical Committee, 2023 - Present

Discussant, AISG Grant Call Workshop on Misinformation Discrimination, AISG , 2022