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PhD in Physics

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## Education

University Education:

PhD in Physics (HKUST)

GPA: 10.29/12.0, Aug 2013

**Mphil in Physics (HKUST)** 

GPA: 10.29/12.0, Aug 2010

BSc in Math. & Phys. (HKUST)

GPA: 10.08/12.0, Jun 2008

Other Trainings:

**Specialization in Deep** 

Learning (DeepLearning.AI)

Completion: 14 Feb 2021

**Specialization in Natural** 

**Language Processing** 

(DeepLearning.AI)

Completion: 2 May 2021

### **Profile**

 A Quantitative Scientist Working on Computational Neuroscience

Researches include Mathematical Models and Data Analysis



# **Working Experience**

**Assistant Professor** CityUHK 02/2022 – Present

Duties: Teaching and Research

**Staff Scientist** OIST 04/2019 - 01/2022

Duties: Mathematical Modeling, Teaching, and Data Analysis

**Research Scientist** RIKEN CBS 04/2015 – 03/2019

Duties: Mathematical Modeling and Data Analysis

**Postdoctoral Fellow** HKUST 10/2013 – 03/2015

**Duty: Mathematical Modeling** 

## X Skills

Computer Skills:

OS: Windows and Linux

Computer Languages: C++,

python (numpy, scipy,

Tensorflow, nest), SQL, R, Bash,

HTML, Latex, gnuplot, etc.

**Computational Skills:** 

Simulations, Machine

Learning, Deep Learning,

Natural Language Processing

Other Skills: Fault Diagnosis

### Mathematical Skills:

Differential Equations, Algebra, Statistics, Numerical Methods

### Languages:

### **Chinese**

Cantonese Native
Mandarin Fluent
English Fluent
Japanese Intermediate

### **Achievements**

Research Fund:

**Agency:** JSPS (Japan) **Project ID:** 19K16885

**Amount:** 4,290,000 JPY **Duration:** Apr 2019 - Mar 2023

Notable Awards:

Department Research Award (2013), HKUST

Best TA (2011), HKUST

 Young Researchers Forum Best Project Presentation Award (2011), The 3rd International Conference on Cognitive Neurodynamics

### Publications:

<u>Twenty-two</u> academic papers: <u>One</u> Review, <u>15</u> Original Research Articles, <u>six</u> Notable Conference Proceedings (<u>Four</u> in NIPS, a top AI Conference)

# Selected Publications

Discrete-attractor-like tracking in continuous attractor neural networks

First-authored. Physical Review Letters 122 018102 (2019)

Perisaccadic receptive field expansion in the lateral intraparietal area

Co-first-authored. Neuron 90(2) 400-409 (2016)

**Delay Compensation with Dynamical Synapses** 

First-authored. NIPS2012, Spot-light Presentation

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