Weikai Huang

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EDUCATION

University of Washington, Seattle Seattle, WA

Bachelor of Science (with Honors), Major in Computer Science, Minor in Applied Math and Stats (Overall GPA: 3.93) 2023-2025
Advisor: Prof. Ranjay Krishna (ranjaykrishna.com), Jieyu Zhang (jieyuz2.github.io) and Zixian Ma (zixianma.github.io)
Related Course: CSE599J: Data-centric Machine Learning (grad), CSE599G1: Deep Learning (grad)
CSE546: Machine Learning (grad), CSE547: Natural Language Processing (grad)
CSE455: Computer Vision, CSE473: Artificial Intelligence

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- **Multimodal Language Models, Text-to-Image/Video/3D Models, 2D/3D Segmentation and Detection, Synthetic Data Generation, Model Benchmarking, Embodied/Agentic AI**

PUBLICATIONS (* INDICATES EQUALLY CONTRIBUTION)

- **Generate Any Scene: Evaluating and Improving Text-to-Vision Generation with Scene Graph Programming**
  Ziqi Gao*, Weikai Huang*, Jieyu Zhang, Aniruddha Kembhavi, Ranjay Krishna
  Arxiv

- **ProVision: Programmatically Scaling Vision-centric Instruction Data for Multimodal Language Models**
  Jieyu Zhang, Le Xue, Linxin Song, Jun Wang, Weikai Huang, Manli Shu, An Yan, Zixian Ma, Juan Carlos Niebles, silvio savarese, Caiming Xiong, Zeyuan Chen, Ranjay Krishna, Ran Xu.
  Arxiv

- **Task Me Anything**
  Jieyu Zhang, **Weikai Huang***, Zixian Ma*, Oscar Michel, Dong He, Tanmay Gupta, Wei-Chiu Ma, Ali Farhadi, Aniruddha Kembhavi, Ranjay Krishna
  NeurIPS 2024

- **m&m's: A Benchmark to Evaluate Tool-Use for Multi-Step Multi-Modal Tasks**
  Zixian Ma, **Weikai Huang**, Jieyu Zhang, Tanmay Gupta, Ranjay Krishna
  ECCV 2024

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

UW CSE RAIVN Lab & Allen Institute of AI (AI2) Oct 2023 – Present
Research Assistant (Advised by: Prof. Ranjay Krishna, PhD students Jieyu Zhang and Zixian Ma) *Seattle, WA*

- *m&m's (ECCV 2024)*
  - *Creating a multi-step and executable tool-use benchmark for AI agents.*
  - *Implement over 20 tool interfaces or APIs, including image processing, segmentation, captioning tools, web search, location search APIs, and more for AI agents.*
  - *Implement the human annotation pipeline and interface for high-quality data annotation.*
- *Task Me Anything (NeurIPS 2024)*
  - *Designed a programmatic benchmark generation engine capable of generating over 750 million Visual Question Answering (VQA) questions tailored to user needs for multimodal language models (MLMs).*
  - *Implement unified inference interfaces for over 20 MLMs and run large-scale experiments on over 100 GPUs at the AI2 and UW Hyak clusters.*
  - *Implement 3D images/videos generation and rendering pipeline with Blender.*
- *Generate Any Scene (In preparation for CVPR 2025)*
  - *Designing programmatic scene graphs & prompts generation engine that can both evaluate and improve text-to-vision models.*
  - *Conducted experiments on over 30 text-to-image, text-to-video, and text-to-3D models across five metrics.*
  - *Finetuning Stable Diffusion 1.5 with LoRA under DreamSync and DreamBooth method*
- *InstructVerse (In preparation for CVPR 2025)*

- *Building a programmatic pipeline that generates billion-scale visual instruction data to improve multimodal language models' visual reasoning capability from any images.*
- *Fine-tuning LLaVA 1.5 and achieve over 10% of performance increase in CVBench.*
- *Implement program-based instruction generation pipeline and process over millions of images with CV models like SAM and Depth Anything.*

UW CSE Interactive Intelligence (I2) Club   Oct 2023 – Dec 2023
Research Lead   *Seattle, WA*

- *Leading the Microsoft AutoGen MathGPT Project.*
- *Enhancing GPT-4's ability to solve math problems with Microsoft's multi-agent framework.*
- *Project selected for presentation on the UW CSE I2 Club's official website as a major research initiative.*

AWARD

- **2024 UW CSE John and JoAnne Wisniewski Endowed Scholarship 2024 (2 out of 2000 CS undergrads)**   UW CSE
- **2023-2024 UW Annual Dean's List**   University of Washington
- **First Prize, National Olympiad in Informatics in Provinces 2021**   China Computer Federation (CCF)

SERVICES

- **Research Assistant:** UW RAIVN Lab & Allen Institute of AI (AI2)   PI: Prof. Ranjay Krishna
- **Organizer:** Synthetic Data for Computer Vision Workshop @ CVPR 2024   CVPR2024
- **Hoster:** 2024 UW CSE Education Panel   UW CSE

SKILLS

- **Languages and Tools**: Python, C++, Java, Docker, Bash, Git, LaTeX, Blender.
- **DL Libraries**: PyTorch, Transformers, Huggingface Trainer, Peft, Accelerator, DeepSpeed, Flash-attn, Bitsandbytes.
- **Techniques**: Distributed training and model evaluation on clusters, Large scale data processing, Data analysis.
- **Languages**: English, Chinese.