

# Zhenglang Weng

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## EDUCATION

### University of Science and Technology of China (USTC)

Hefei, Anhui, China

School of the Gifted Young, Senior Year

Sep. 2022 - Present

- **Major:** Electronic Information Engineering    **Overall GPA:** 4.03/4.3    **Ranking:** 1/149
- **Relevant Courses:** Digital Signal Processing (97), Signal and System (92), Electrodynamics (98), Linear Algebra (95), Equations of Mathematical Physics A (96), Statistical Signal Analysis and Processing (95)
- **Standardized Test:** TOEFL: 111 (Reading: 30, Listening: 30, Speaking: 23, Writing: 28)

### University of Chicago

Chicago, Illinois, USA

Computer Science Summer Research Program

Jul. 2025 - Aug. 2025

## PUBLICATION

- [1] Jianshu Zhou, Junda Huang, Honghao Guo, **Zhenglang Weng**, Boyuan Liang, Ian Zhang, Qiguang He\*, Masayoshi Tomizuka\*, *Embodied Origami Robots: Bridging Physical and Computational Intelligence for Adaptive Manipulation and Locomotion*, Submitted to Advanced Science.
- [2] Yifan Zou, Matthew Jeung, **Zhenglang Weng**, Willa Yunqi Yang, Ken Nakagaki\*, *TorquePods: Multi-Module Coordinated Flywheel-based Haptic Toolkit for Advanced Haptic Design*, Submitted to CHI.
- [3] Jiawen Yao, Yifan Zou, Alan Pham, **Zhenglang Weng**, Chi Wang, Liang He, Ken Nakagaki\*, *Mass.mov: Towards Movement-based Interactive Material using 'Mass with Constraints'*, Submitted to CHI.

## PROJECT EXPERIENCES

### In-hand Assembly using Dual Dexterous Compliant Hand

Advisor: Dr. Jianshu Zhou — University of California at Berkeley (Remote)

Sep. 2025 ~ Present

- Configured a full training pipeline in Isaac Lab, implementing the robot's URDF, designing the assembly task's observation/action space and reward function to enable RL policy learning for in-hand part assembly.
- Implemented a simulation for the compliance of a pneumatic-driven dexterous hand in Isaac Sim.
- Developing an algorithm that integrates haptic data to accomplish in-hand dexterous assembly.

### Vision-Language Prompted Action Generation with Conditional Flow Matching

Undergraduate Graduation Thesis | Advisor: Prof. Jiahu Qin — USTC

Oct. 2025 ~ Present

- Developing an algorithm pipeline utilizing generated videos as training data for action generation based on conditional flow-matching.
- Successfully implemented FoundationPose, a state-of-the-art 6D object pose estimation framework from RGB images.

### Visual Guided Cube Recognition and Robotic Arm Manipulation

Course Project for System and Control Experiment III | Advisor: Prof. Fei Zhang — USTC

Sep. ~ Nov. 2025

- Implemented an eye-in-hand vision system to detect blocks and estimate their 6-DoF poses.
- Determined optimal grasp orientations based on visual feedback and executed block picking and stacking by integrating manually annotated path points.

### Multi-Module Coordinated Flywheel-based Haptic Toolkit for Advanced Haptic Design

Advisor: Prof. Ken Nakagaki — University of Chicago

Jul. ~ Aug. 2025

- Elaborated a compact, custom PCB for a novel modular haptic interface system based on flywheel actuation.
- Implemented Bluetooth communication protocol that reduces latency by 90%.
- Derived theoretical force-torque transformation formulas and implemented real-time measurement for technical evaluation using a 6-DOF Force/Torque sensor.

**Four-wheeled Mecanum Wheel Robot with Pneumatic Gripper**

Advisor: Prof. Huichun Ye — USTC

Mar. ~ Aug. 2023

- Designed and constructed the robot, incorporating cylinders for efficient stair climbing.
- Employed AprilTag to locate and navigate the robot to assigned locations visually.
- Developed custom PCBs for comprehensive robot control and programmed the MCU to optimize robot control.

**HONORS AND AWARDS**

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Special Scholarship for Elite Class in Information Technology   USTC	Nov. 2025
Virtue Cultivation and Public Devotion Scholarship   USTC	Apr. 2024
Outstanding Undergraduate Scholarship-Gold Prize (Top 3%)   USTC	Nov. 2024
Scholarship Issued by JAC&NIO Enterprise (Top 2%)   USTC	Nov. 2023
Contemporary Undergraduate Mathematical Contest in Modeling (1 <sup>st</sup> in Anhui, Second Prize National)	Dec. 2023
Robogame Robot Championship (Second Prize)   USTC	Nov. 2023

**TEACHING EXPERIENCES**

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Teaching Assistant for Computer Programming A	Fall, 2024
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Assisted in the teaching of the C programming language. Thoroughly reviewed various uses of pointers in C.</li><li>• Utilized an online openjudge platform to facilitate program assessments.</li></ul>	

**SKILLS**

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**Programming Language:** C, C++, MATLAB, Python, Verilog HDL  
**Software:** GeoGebra, Mathematica, SolidWorks, Altium Designer, Fusion360, ROS, IsaacSim, IsaacLab  
**Hardware:** Heat gun, Soldering station, Bambu Lab, PPG, EDFA, Optical Attenuator, UR Robot

**LEADERSHIP & EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

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**Class Representative for Academics**  
**Member of the USTC Ballroom Dance Association**  
**Volunteer of the USTC Science and Technology Opening Week (2023 & 2024)**