

# YIWEN LU

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## EDUCATION

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<b>Ph.D. student, Control Science and Engineering, Tsinghua University</b>	Aug 2020 -
Advisor: Yilin Mo; GPA: 3.98/4 (rank 3/86)	
<b>B.E., Automation, Tsinghua University</b>	Aug 2015 - Jul 2020
GPA: 3.77/4 (rank 17/173)	
<b>Visiting student, Computer Science, University of Notre Dame</b>	Jun 2018 - Sep 2018

## PUBLICATIONS AND PREPRINTS

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1. **Y.Lu**, Y.Mo. Almost Surely Rate-Optimal Regret Bound for Adaptive LQR. *In preparation*.
2. **Y.Lu**, Y.Mo. Ensuring the Safety of Uncertified Linear State-Feedback Controllers via Switching, *2022 IEEE Conference on Decision and Control (CDC)*, 2022, Accepted. [arxiv:2205.08817](https://arxiv.org/abs/2205.08817)
3. B.Yang, **Y.Lu**, X.Yang, Y.Mo. A Hierarchical Control Framework for Drift Maneuvering of Autonomous Vehicles, *2022 International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA)*, 2022.
4. **Y.Lu**, B.Yang, Y.Mo. Two-timescale Mechanism-and-Data-Driven Control for Aggressive Driving of Autonomous Cars, *2021 China Automation Congress (CAC)*, 2021.
5. Y.Zhang, **Y.Lu**, D.Zhang, L.Shang, and D.Wang. RiskSens: A Multi-view Learning Approach to Identifying Risky Traffic Locations in Intelligent Transportation Systems Using Social and Remote Sensing, *IEEE International Conference on Big Data*, 2018.

## RESEARCH

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Interests: adaptive linear-quadratic control, robotics control.

### Safe and Efficient Design for LQ Adaptive Control

- Designed a switching controller for linear state-feedback control ensuring that the system is always closed-loop stable even if the feedback gain is destabilizing.
- Quantified the upper bound of LQ cost under the designed switching controller.
- Proofed a new *almost surely* rate-optimal regret bound for LQ adaptive control by applying the switching design.

### Adaptive Control for RC Car Drift Maneuvering

- Designed planning, control and online system identification modules on a mini racing car platform.
- Achieved state-of-the-art performance in tracking 8-shaped drifting paths via data-driven control and primitive-based motion planning.

## AWARDS & HONORS

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Tsinghua University Laboratory Contribution Award	2022
Tsinghua University Academic Excellence Scholarship	2018
Tsinghua University Technology Innovation Scholarship	2016, 2017, 2018
Finalist Award in Mathematical Contest in Modeling	2017

## TEACHING

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TA, Convex Optimization (Tsinghua University, graduate)	2021
TA, Introduction to Intelligent Networked Systems (Tsinghua University, undergraduate)	2020

## SKILLS

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<b>English Proficiency</b>	TOEFL: 111 (Reading: 30, Listening: 29, Speaking: 23, Writing: 29) GRE: Verbal: 165, Quantitative: 168, Writing: 4.0
<b>Programming Languages</b>	Python, Julia, MATLAB, C++