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Work Experience

- 01/2023- PhD researcher, NCT Dresden
 - Present **Topic:** Generation of training data for surgical applications
 - Surgical video synthesis with diffusion models for rare complications
 - Adversarial diffusion approach for reducing Sim2Real domain gap in surgical applications

05/2022- Master thesis student, Helmholtz Zentrum Dresden

11/2022 Topic: Equivaraint neural networks for image segmentation

 Investigation on group equivariant neural networks(GCNN) to reduce data dependency in segmentation tasks

05/2021- Machine learning Student Intern, Helmholtz Zentrum Dresden

- 04/2022 Investigation on GAN model evaluation and robustness studies on ML model
 - Assessment on evaluation of generated images via GAN models and its application to detect adversarial examples

Education

- 01/2023 Doctorate, Generative modelling, TU Dresden, Germany
- 10/2019– **Master of Science**, *Computational Material Science*, TU Bergakademie, Freiberg 12/2022 Grade 1.4 (German grading system)
 - **Specialization:** Deep learning, Image classification & segmentation

Contributions & Publications

09/2024 Synthesizing multi-class surgical images with anatomy-aware diffusion models

Accepted at Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV), https://arxiv.org/abs/2410.07753

- 08/2024 Generating surgical images with latent consistency diffusion models Article in European Conference on Computer Vision workshop (ECCVw), https://arxiv. org/abs/2408.09822
- 02/2024 Exploring semantic consistency in unpaired image translation Journal article in International Journal of Computer Assisted Radiology and Surgery (IJCARS), https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s11548-024-03079-1
- 07/2022 Equivariant neural networks for image segmentation Contribution talk given at Swiss Equivariant Learning workshop, https://www.hzdr.de/ publications/Publ-34917
- 06/2022 Detection of adversarial samples a geometrical approach The research work conducted during internship available as preprint, https://arxiv. org/abs/2206.08738
- 12/2021 Geometric identification of adversarial samples, *Helmholtz AI* Contribution talk at ML symposium(HZDR), https://zenodo.org/record/5788483