# Dan Qiao

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#### **EDUCATION**

PhD student, Computer ScienceSep.2022 – PresentChinese University of Hong Kong, ShenzhenShenzhen, ChinaMaster of Science, Automotive EngineeringSep.2018 – Jul. 2021Beijing University of Aeronautics and Astronautics | GPA: 3.6Beijing, ChinaBachelor of Science, Automotive EngineeringSep. 2014 – Jul. 2018Beijing University of Aeronautics and Astronautics | GPA: 3.2Beijing, China

## Internship

#### RA, Computer Science

Chinese Academy of Science, Institute of Automation

## $Sep.2021-June.\ 2022$

Beijing, China

## Publications & Preprints

W. Li, **D. Qiao**, B. Wang, X. Wang, B. Jin, H. Zha\*, Semantically Aligned Task Decomposition in Multi-Agent Reinforcement Learning, Preprint, arXiv:2305.10865. 2023.

**D. Qiao**, J. Zhang\*, Y. Zhang, S. Xiao, H. Chen, Privacy-preserved Fully Decentralized Multi-agent Reinforcement Learning for Networked Social Systems, Draft & Patent. 2022.

**D. Qiao**, G. Wen, Z. Peng\*, Novel Saturated Nussbaum-type Function based Adaptive Distributed Consensus Control of Multi-agent Systems with Unknown Arbitrary Control Directions, Preprint, arXiv:2201.09453. 2021.

S. Yang, Y. Hua, **D. Qiao**, Y. Lian, Y. Pan\*, Y. He, A coupled electrochemical-thermal-mechanical degradation modelling approach for lifetime assessment of lithium-ion batteries, *Electrochimica Acta*, vol. 326, 2020.

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

#### Diffusion Models in Offline MARL (Ongoing)

Diffusion Models, Offline MARL

• Investigating the application of diffusion models to offline MARL to improve ood coordination among agents.

#### Semantically Aligned Task Decomposition in MARL

MARL, Language Model-based Subgoal Generation, Credit Assignment

• Leveraging Pretrained Language Models prompting with Chain of Thought (CoT) to articulate potential task goals and facilitate goal decomposition. Incorporate language-grounded RL to train each agent's goal-conditioned policy with self-reflection mechanism to re-planning.

### Mechanism Design for Social Dilemmas in Multi-agent RL

Sep. 2022 - Sep. 2023

Oct. 2023 – Present

Mixed-motive MARL, Social Welfare, Social Dilemma

• Introducing an indirect reciprocity mechanism into mixed-motive MARL environments to foster enduring cooperation among a large population of anonymous, one-shot interaction, and self-interested agents. Crafting a bottom-up reputation system to uphold collaboration in repeated game scenarios.

Differential Privacy Preserved Decentralized MARL for Social Networked SystemsNov. 2021 – Mar. 2022 Fully Decentralized MARL, Differential Privacy, Social Foundation Systems

• Introduce the Laplace noise-based Differential Privacy technique into the *QD*-Learning to protect the Q-value which may be associated with the agent's privacy information. Provide the theoretical boundary analysis with mean square convergence and expectation convergence of the Q-value.

Nussbaum Functions based Formation Control with Unknown Control Directions July 2020 – Apr. 2021 Unknown Actuator Failures and Nonlinearities, Control Theory

• Propose a novel lemma of Nussbaum-type functions to overcome the limitation of the identical unknown control directions assumptions and control shock. Designed a distributed control algorithm for the consensus problem of multi-agent system with Lyapunov stability analysis.

#### Others

Multi-agent Consensus Control, Opinion Dynamics, Generative Models

### SKILLS & INTEREST

IELTS 6.5 (Reading 7.5 Listening 6.5 Written 6.0 Speaking 6.0), Pytorch Writing blog, Skiing, and Editing video.