

# CURRICULUM VITAE: YUE SUN

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## EDUCATION

Harvard University Ph.D. Candidate in Applied Mathematics Advisor: Professor Chris H. Rycroft	2020 – present
Harvard University M.E. in Computational Science and Engineering Advisor: Professor Chris H. Rycroft Thesis: <i>A lattice Boltzmann implementation of the reference map technique</i>	2018 – 2020
New York University Shanghai B.S. in Mathematics, <i>Magna Cum Laude</i> Minors in Interactive Media Arts, Urban Design and Architecture Studies	2014 – 2018

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Broadly: computational fluid dynamics, scientific computing, computer graphics, science communication

Specifically: reference map technique, lattice Boltzmann method, parallel computation, data visualization;  
numerical methods for continuum mechanics: fluid–structure interaction, materials of multiple interfaces;  
scientific data analysis: integration of experiment and simulation, data-driven methods for physics;  
mechanical modeling of biological systems: complex suspension, microswimmer locomotion;  
physics-based animation: dynamic bones for secondary animation;  
art and science: artistic stylization of fluid simulation, educational video production

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

DisneyResearch Studios <i>Research Intern</i> , supervisor: Dr. Vinicius C. Azevedo	Zürich, Switzerland Summer 2022
Activision / Raven Software <i>Technical Animation Intern</i> , game credit: “Call of Duty: Black Ops Cold War” <i>Technical Animation Intern</i> , game credit: “Call of Duty: Modern Warfare”	Middleton, WI Summer 2020 Summer 2019
Pearl Studio (formerly Oriental DreamWorks) <i>Production Education Intern</i>	Shanghai, China Summer 2016

## VIDEOS

Y. Sun, Y. L. Lin, N. J. Derr, and C. H. Rycroft, *Settling down: simulations of soft immersed rods with the reference map technique*, APS Division of Fluid Dynamics Gallery of Fluid Motion, V0045 (2021).

([doi:10.1103/APS.DFD.2021.GFM.V0045](https://doi.org/10.1103/APS.DFD.2021.GFM.V0045))

## INVITED SEMINARS

University of Michigan Applied Mathematics Graduate Student AIM Seminar, Virtual March 25, 2022  
*Soft, squishy, submerged: Eulerian simulation of fluid–structure interaction with the lattice Boltzmann method*

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

SIAM Conference on the Life Sciences, Pittsburgh, PA July 11-15, 2022  
*Lattice Boltzmann reference map technique for Eulerian simulation of fluid–structure interaction*

APS Division of Fluid Dynamics Annual Meeting, Phoenix, AZ November 21-23, 2021  
*A fully Eulerian lattice Boltzmann simulation of multi-soft-body fluid–structure interaction*

SIAM Annual Meeting, Virtual July 19-23, 2021  
*A lattice Boltzmann implementation of the reference map technique for fluid–structure interaction*

APS March Meeting, Virtual March 15-19, 2021  
*A lattice Boltzmann based reference map technique for fluid–structure interaction*

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Fellow for five semesters at Harvard University, for three undergraduate and two graduate courses:

<i>Semester</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Instructor</i>
Fall 2022	AM/ES 111: Introduction to Scientific Computing	Dr. Sarah Iams
Spring 2022	AM/ES 115: Mathematical Modeling <sup>‡</sup>	Prof. Zhiming Kuang
Fall 2021	AM 205: Advanced Scientific Computing: Numerical Methods I <sup>†</sup>	Prof. Chris Rycroft
Spring 2020	ES 123: Introduction to Fluid Mechanics and Transport Processes <sup>*§</sup>	Dr. David Sondak
Fall 2019	AM 205: Advanced Scientific Computing: Numerical Methods I	Prof. Chris Rycroft

(\*: served as Head Teaching Fellow, 200-level: graduate courses)

Teaching assistant for one semester at New York University Shanghai:

<i>Semester</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Instructor</i>
Fall 2017	SOCS-SHU 100: Public Speaking in a Leadership Context	Prof. Diane Yu

## AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Certificate of Distinction in Teaching <sup>†‡</sup> <i>Harvard College Office of Undergraduate Education</i>	2022
David B. Heller Innovation Fund Fellowship <i>Harvard John A. Paulson School of Engineering and Applied Sciences</i>	2020 – 2021
Special Commendation Extraordinary Teaching in Extraordinary Times <sup>§</sup> <i>Harvard College Office of Undergraduate Education</i>	2020
Certificate of Special Distinction in Teaching <sup>§</sup> <i>Harvard Institute for Applied Computational Science</i>	2020
IACS Student Scholarship <i>Harvard Institute for Applied Computational Science</i>	2019 – 2020

<i>Phi Beta Kappa Society</i>	2018
<i>Beta Chapter of New York (New York University)</i>	
HiTime Global Scholar	2016 – 2018
<i>New York University Shanghai</i>	
Deans' Undergraduate Research Fund	2016
<i>New York University Shanghai</i>	

## ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Conference session chair	
CP5 Applied Mathematics at SIAM Annual Meeting 2021, Virtual	July 19, 2021
Workshop organizer	
From Notebook to the Cloud	January 21, 2020
<a href="https://github.com/Harvard-IACS/2020-ComputeFest/tree/master/notebook_to_cloud">https://github.com/Harvard-IACS/2020-ComputeFest/tree/master/notebook_to_cloud</a>	
<i>Jointly organized at Harvard IACS ComputeFest 2020, Cambridge, MA</i>	
<i>with Dr. David Sondak, Dylan Randle, Bhaven Patel and Donghun Lee (Harvard IACS)</i>	

## SKILLS

*Languages:* C++, Python, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, MATLAB, Mathematica, JavaScript, C#, Processing  
*Applications:* Maya, Blender, Unity3D, Arduino, Adobe After Effects / Premiere / Photoshop / Illustrator  
*Technologies:* OpenMP, TensorFlow, Maya API, OpenGL, Git, Perforce, gnuplot, PySide, p5.js, PS4 Dev Tools