Bin Liang

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Education

Charles Sturt University

Wagga Wagga, Australia 10/2012 – Present

PhD student

- Research topic: Gesture Recognition with Depth Camera

- Explored efficient methods for the task of human gesture recognition using depth camera.

Taiyuan University of Technology

Taiyuan, China

Master of Engineering, Major in Computer Software and Theory

09/2009 - 07/2012

- Research topic: Video-based Face Retrieval

- Developed a method for face retrieval in video streams.

- Overall GPA: 3.64/4.0; Major GPA: 3.67/4.0; Ranked 1 out of 75

Taiyuan University of Technology

Taiyuan, China

Bachelor of Engineering, Majoring in Computer Science and Technology

09/2005 - 07/2009

- Overall GPA: 3.57/4.0; Major GPA: 3.73/4.0; Ranked 2 out of 89

Research Experience

Gesture Recognition with Depth Camera

Charles Sturt University

PhD Student

10/2012 - Present

- Explored efficient methods for the task of human gesture recognition using depth camera from the perspectives of gesture representation, feature extraction and representation.
- Participated in 2014 Looking at People Challenge, and ranked 11/17 using the proposed multi-modal gesture recognition framework.

Video Based Face Retrieval System (VBFR)

Taiyuan University of Technology

Graduate Student

05/2011 - 07/2012

 Developed a video based face retrieval system named VBFR using Visual C++ and OpenCV based on the proposed approach for face retrieval.

Content Based Video Retrieval System (UltraView)

Taiyuan University of Technology

Graduate Student

03/2010 - 10/2010

Developed a content based video retrieval system named UltraView using Visual C++, Java EE and MySQL based on the proposed method.

RIA Based Video Communication Software

Taiyuan University of Technology

Graduate Student

10/2009 - 07/2010

 Led a team of four undergraduate students to develop RIA based video communication software using Flex and Java EE.

Work Experience

Charles Sturt University

Casual Academic Staff

05/2013 - Present

- Developed and implemented a gesture recognition system based on deep learning techniques.
- Marked students' assignments and examination papers for the course of computer networking.

Taiyuan HeXinZhiCheng Technology Ltd

IT Staff

Taiyuan, China 05/2010 - 05/2011

- Developed commercial softwares, websites, and IT infrastructures.
- Installed, repaired, maintained, and upgraded desktop and notebook computers.

Wuhan XiaoYuan Co., Ltd

Taiyuan, China 04/2010 – 05/2011

Computer Programming Tutor

- Conducted the training course of "C Language Programming".

Certificates, Awards and Scholarships

- 2015 Best Poster at Australian Workshop on Video/Image Coding, Processing, and Understanding (VICPU)
- 2015 Verified Certificate of "Programming Mobile Applications for Android Handheld Systems" authorized by University of Maryland through Coursera
- 2015 Verified Certificate of "Programming Mobile Services for Android Handheld Systems" authorized by Vanderbilt University through Coursera
- 2014 International Association of Pattern Recognition travel stipend
- 2013 International Conference on Multimodal Interaction travel support
- 2012 Charles Sturt University Postgraduate Research Scholarship (CSUPRS) and International Tuition Payment (ITP)
- 2010 National Software Qualification Proficiency Test (Software Designer)
- 2009 Outstanding Graduates of Taiyuan University of Technology
- 2007— Seventh Foxconn Scholarship
- 2005~2009 First Class Scholarship of University ×6

Publications

- **Bin Liang** and Lihong Zheng. "A Survey on Human Action Recognition Using Depth Sensors." In *Digital Image Computing: Techniques and Applications (DICTA), 2015 International Conference on*, pp. 1–8. IEEE, 2015.
- Bin Liang and Lihong Zheng. "Spatio-Temporal Pyramid Cuboid Matching for Action Recognition Using Depth Maps." In *Image Processing (ICIP), 2015 IEEE International Conference on*, pp. 2070–2074. IEEE, 2015.
- **Bin Liang** and Lihong Zheng. "Multi-modal Gesture Recognition Using Skeletal Joints and Motion Trail Model." In *Computer Vision–ECCV 2014 Workshops*, pp. 623–638. Springer International Publisher, 2014.
- **Bin Liang** and Lihong Zheng. "3D Motion Trail Model based Pyramid Histograms of Oriented Gradient for Action Recognition." In *2014 22nd International Conference on Pattern Recognition (ICPR)*, pp. 1952–1957. IEEE, 2014.
- **Bin Liang** and Lihong Zheng. "Three Dimensional Motion Trail Model for Gesture Recognition." In *Proceedings of the IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision Workshops*, pp. 684-691, 2013.

- **Bin Liang**. "Gesture Recognition Using Depth Images." In *Proceedings of the 15th ACM on International conference on multimodal interaction*, pp. 353–356. ACM, 2013.
- **Bin Liang** and Lihong Zheng. "Gesture Recognition from One Example Using Depth Images." *Lecture Notes on Software Engineering*, 1, no. 4 (2013): 339.
- Qiuyong Zhao, **Bin Liang**, and Fu Duan. "Combination of Improved PCA and LDA for Video-based Face Recognition." *Journal of Computational Information Systems* 9, no. 1 (2013): 273-280.
- **Bin Liang**, Fu Duan. "Method for face retrieval in video using SVD and improved PCA." *Computer Engineering and Applications* 11 (2013): 044. (Chinese)
- **Bin Liang**, Wenbing Xiao, and Xiang Liu. "Design of video retrieval system using MPEG-7 descriptors." *Procedia engineering* 29 (2012): 2578-2582.
- Xiaoli Hao, Fu Duan, and Bin Liang. "Dynamic Clustering Algorithm Based on Granular Lattice Matrix Space Model." In *Intelligent Systems and Applications (ISA), 2010 2nd International Workshop on*, pp. 1-4. IEEE, 2010.

Presentations

- (Best Poster) "Multi-modal Spatio-temporal Pyramid Matching for 3D Human Action Recognition". Presented at the Video/Image Coding, Processing, and Understanding workshop, Bathurst, November 2015.
- "Learning Discriminative and Shared Dictionaries for Multi-View Gesture Recognition". Presented at School of Computing and Mathematics, Higher Degree by Research Symposium, Wagga Wagga, October 2015.
- "Action Recognition Using Spatial Temporal Pyramid Matching". Presented at School of Computing and Mathematics, Higher Degree by Research Symposium, Wagga Wagga, October 2014.
- "Gesture Recognition Using Inv-MHI and MHI". Presented at School of Computing and Mathematics, Higher Degree by Research Symposium, Wagga Wagga, October 2013.

Skills

Programming Languages: Java, Python, Matlab, C#, C/C++, PL/SQL, LATEX

Software Tools/Packages: Android Studio, Java EE, Matlab, Visual Studio, OpenCV

Scientific Tools: SciPy, Caffe (Deep Learning Framework)

Operating Systems: Linux (CentOS and Ubuntu), Windows

Database: MS SQL Server, Oracle, MySQL

Interests

Research: Computer vision, pattern recognition, and machine learning

Hobbies: Running (joined in 10km run in 2013, 2014, and 2015 at the events of "Wagga Lake Run and Ride"), drawing, and reading