

## Families in the Wild (FIW)

### Large-Scale Kinship Image Database and Benchmarks

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#### Problem Formulation

- Automatic kinship recognition is a challenging feat
- Pre-existing datasets do not properly represent true data distributions
- Many factors are still undiscovered by the machine vision community
- Research has not yet reached reality, i.e., technology has not matured enough to address real world problems and data

**Goal: Build and Benchmark a Large-scale Kinship Dataset to best support the task of kinship recognition**

#### FIW Database

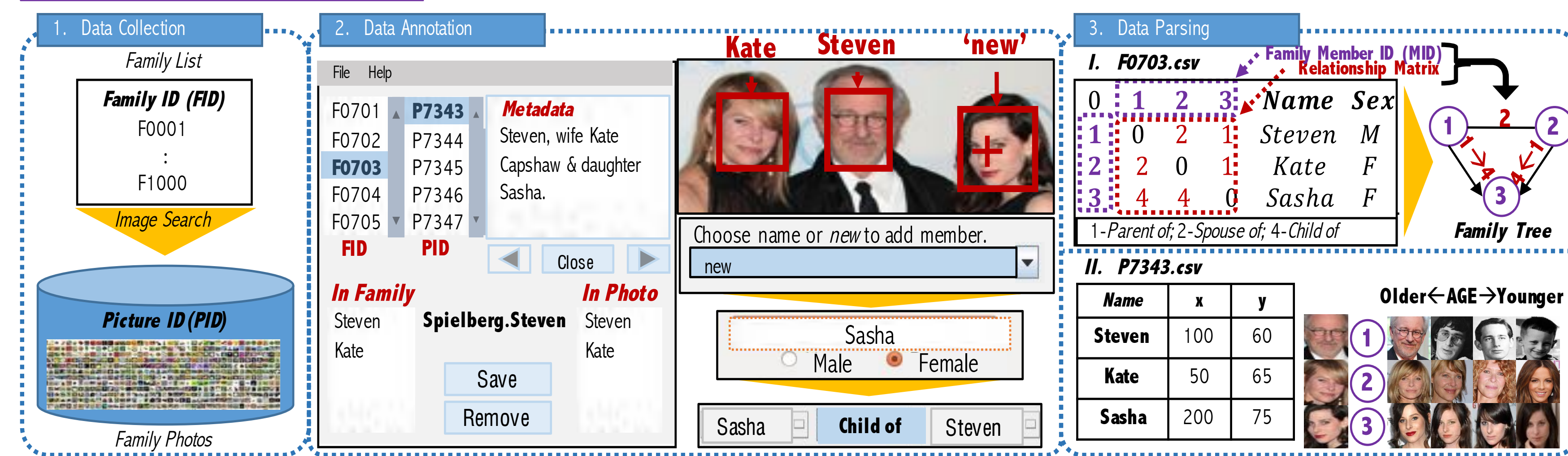


Fig 1 Process to build FIW (1) *Data Collection*: list of candidate families & photos were collected (2) *Data Annotation*: label tool to mark complex relationships for 1,000 families (3) *Post-Processing*: parsed two label-types generated by tool for verification & recognition.

- Much larger, spanning with depth and breadth (i.e., multiple generations & samples per subject)
- Quality images taken in the wild
- Abundance of full family trees; many more pair-wise samples than pre-existing datasets (i.e., far outdoes our predecessors)
- Serves multi-task purposes supported by laboratory style evaluations & benchmarked results

Table 2 Image Pair Count Comparison

| Type  | KFW-II | Siblin<br>g Face | Group<br>Face | Family<br>101 | FIW<br>(Ours) |
|-------|--------|------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| B-B   | --     | 232              | 40            | --            | 86,000        |
| S-S   | --     | 211              | 32            | --            | 86,000        |
| SIBS  | --     | 277              | 53            | --            | 75,000        |
| F-D   | 250    | --               | 69            | 147           | 45,000        |
| F-S   | 250    | --               | 69            | 213           | 43,000        |
| M-D   | 787    | --               | --            | 148           | 44,000        |
| M-S   | 101    | --               | 70            | 184           | 37,000        |
| GF-GD | --     | --               | --            | --            | 410           |
| GF-GS | --     | --               | --            | --            | 350           |
| GM-GD | --     | --               | --            | --            | 550           |
| GM-GS | --     | --               | --            | --            | 770           |
| Total | 1,000  | 720              | 395           | 607           | 418,060       |

Table 1 Comparison of FIW with related datasets.

| Dataset       | No. Family | No. People | No. Faces | Age Vary | Family Structure | Highlights  |
|---------------|------------|------------|-----------|----------|------------------|---|
| CornellKin    | 150        | 300        | 300       | ✗        | ✗                | Parent-child pairs.   |
| UB KinFace-I  | 90         | 180        | 270       | ✓        | ✗                | Parent-child pairs at various ages.   |
| UB KinFace-II | 200        | 400        | 600       | ✓        | ✗                | Parent-child pairs at various ages.   |
| KFW-I         | --         | 1,066      | 1,066     | ✗        | ✗                | Parent-child pairs.   |
| KFW-II        | --         | 2,000      | 2,000     | ✗        | ✗                | Parent-child pairs.   |
| TSKinFace     | 787        | 2,589      | --        | ✓        | ✓                | 2 parents-child for tri-verification.   |
| Family101     | 101        | 607        | 14,816    | ✓        | ✓                | Family structured, variations in age and ethnicity.                                       |
| FIW(Ours)     | 1,000      | 10,676     | 30,725    | ✓        | ✓                | 1,000 family trees, providing both depth & breadth, plus multi-task evaluation offerings. |

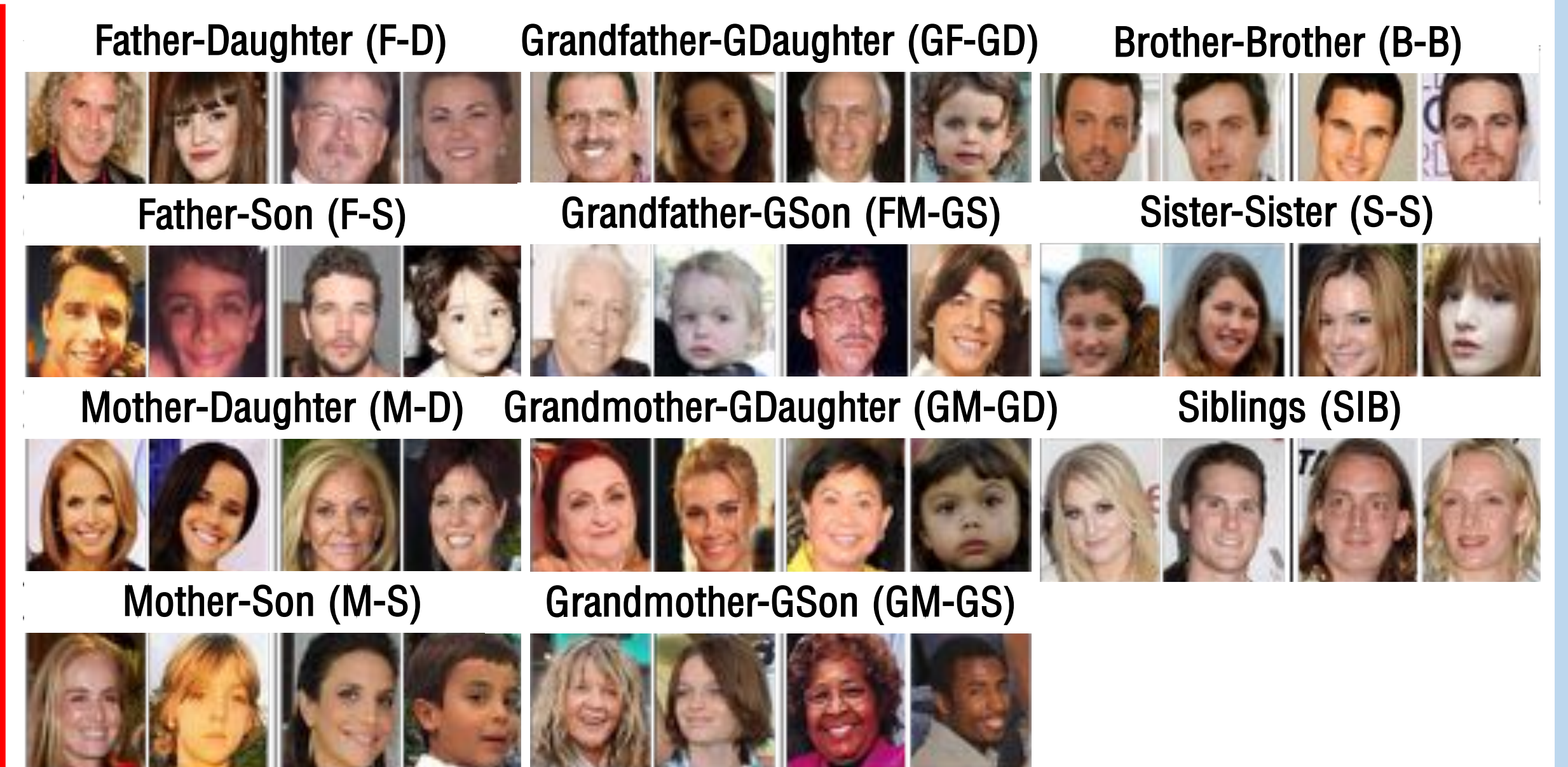


Fig 2 Sample pairs for the 11 kinship relations provided by the FIW database.

#### Benchmarks

- Top accuracies for each task resulted from fine-tuning the VGG-Face model.



Fig 4 Fine-tuned CNN for Kinship Verification

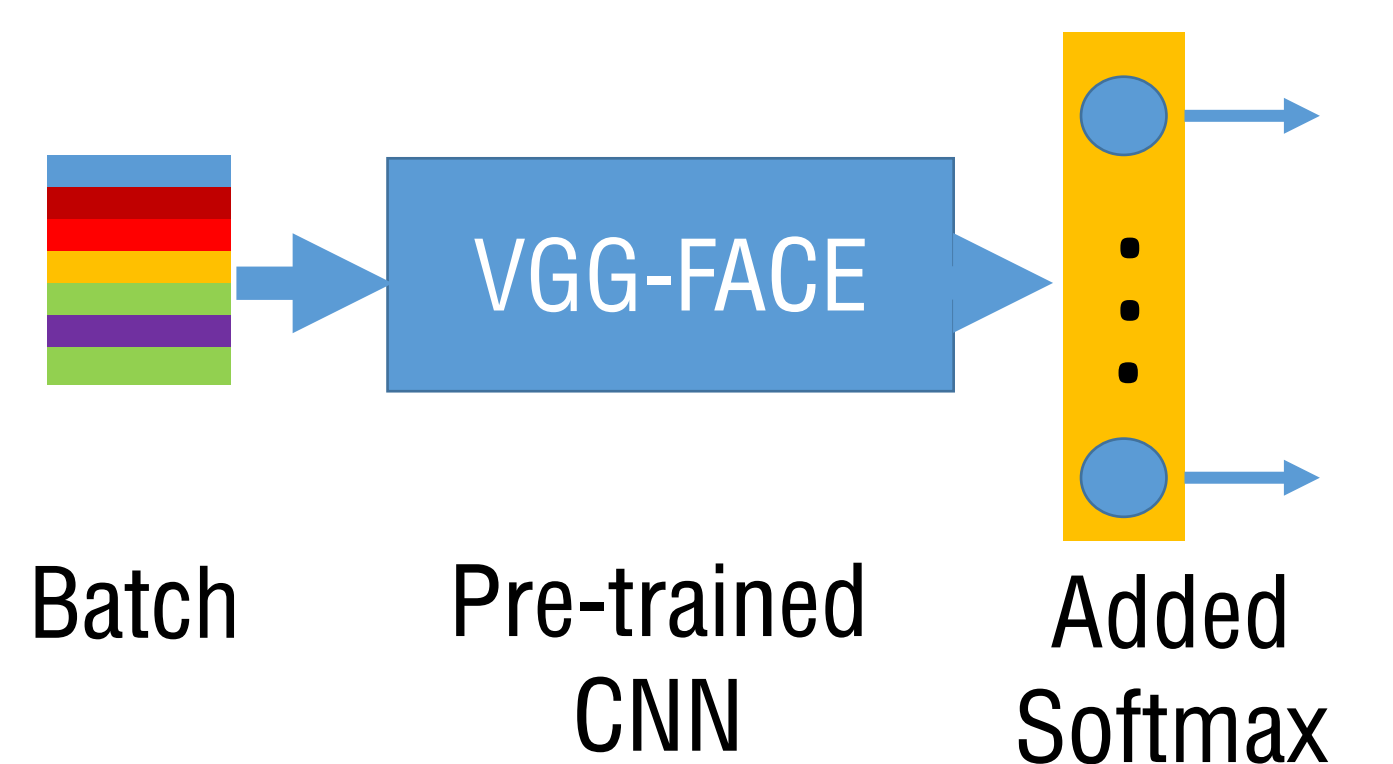


Fig 5 Fine-tuned CNN for Family Recognition

Table 3 Verification scores for 5-fold experiment.

|       | HOG  | LBP  | VGG-Face | Fine-Tuned |
|-------|------|------|----------|------------|
| F-D   | 56.1 | 55   | 64.4     | 69.4       |
| F-S   | 56.5 | 55.3 | 63.4     | 68.2       |
| M-D   | 56.4 | 55.4 | 66.2     | 68.4       |
| M-S   | 55.3 | 55.9 | 64       | 69.4       |
| SIBS  | 58.7 | 57.1 | 73.2     | 74.4       |
| B-B   | 50.3 | 56.8 | 71.5     | 73         |
| S-S   | 57.4 | 55.8 | 70.8     | 72.5       |
| GF-GD | 59.3 | 58.5 | 64.4     | 72.9       |
| GF-GS | 66.9 | 59.1 | 68.6     | 72.3       |
| GM-GD | 60.4 | 55.6 | 66.2     | 72.4       |
| GM-GS | 56.9 | 60.1 | 63.5     | 68.3       |
| Avg.  | 57.7 | 56.8 | 66.9     | 71         |

Table 4 Family recognition results, 5-fold experiment.

| Fold | VGG-Face | Fine-Tuned |
|------|----------|------------|
| 1    | 9.6      | 10.9       |
| 2    | 14.5     | 14.8       |
| 3    | 11.6     | 12.5       |
| 4    | 12.7     | 14.8       |
| 5    | 13.1     | 13.5       |
| Avg. | 12.3     | 13.3       |

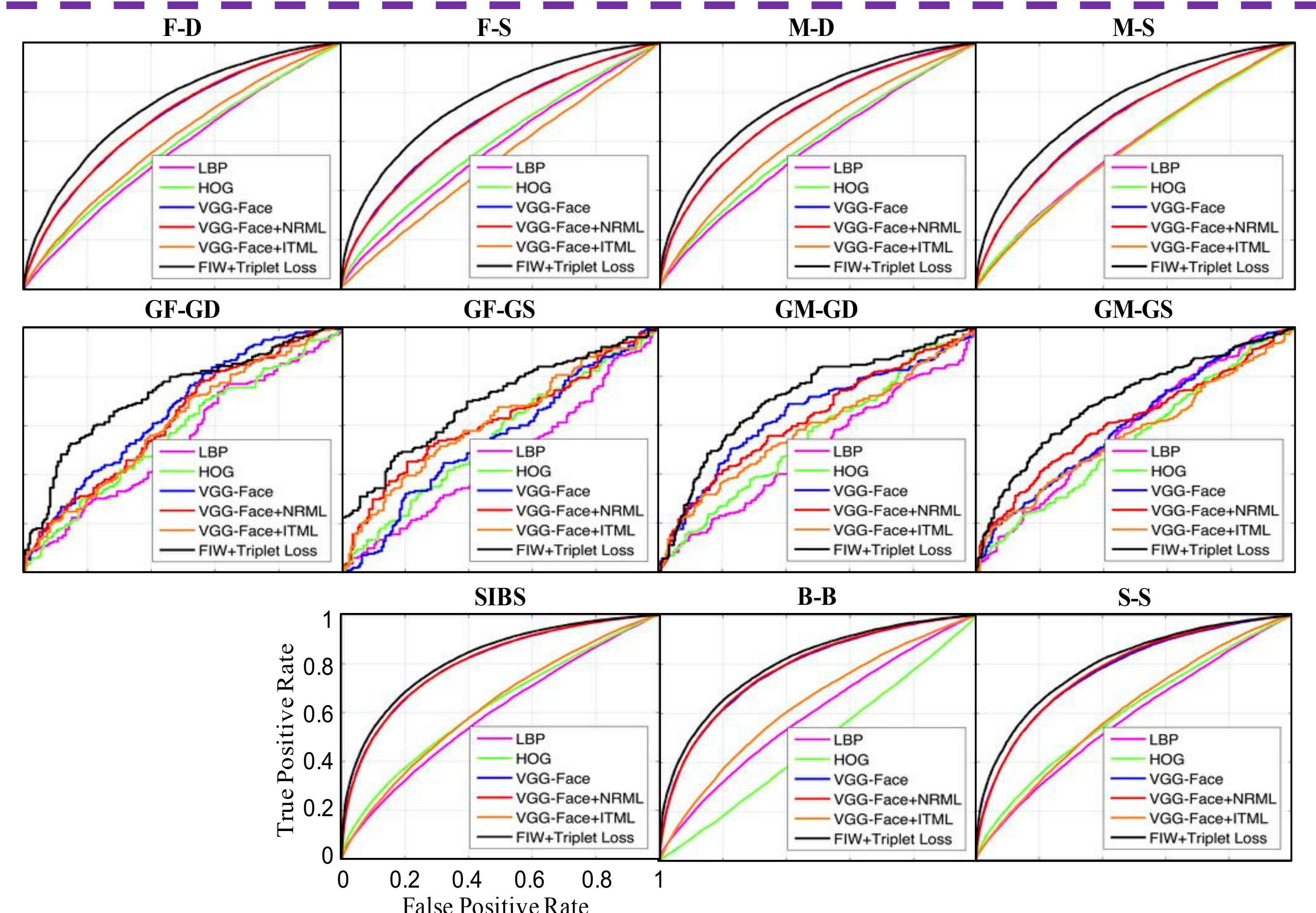


Fig 6 Relationship specific ROC curves depicting performance of each method.

#### Discussion

##### Dataset

- Finish project page with data, labels, features, source code, & CNN models

##### Evaluations

- Release additional benchmarks
  - Search & retrieval (missing child); fine-grain categorization (build family trees), & more

##### Better results

- Further investigation of deep learning techniques for these problems

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