

# GURKIRT SINGH

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## EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE

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<b>Borealis AI, Canada</b> Research Intern; Supervised by Greg Mori & Leonid Sigal	<i>Feb. 2019 - May 2019</i>
<b>Disney Research, USA</b> R&D Lab Associate (Research Intern); Supervised by Leonid Sigal & Andreas Lehrmann	<i>Feb. 2017 - Jul. 2017</i>
<b>Oxford Brookes University, UK</b> Ph.D in Computing and Maths; Supervised by Fabio Cuzzolin	<i>Sep. 2015 - Nov. 2019</i>
<b>Siemens Corporate Research, India</b> Research Engineer	<i>Oct. 2013 - Aug. 2015</i>
<b>INRIA, France</b> Research Intern promoted to Research Engineer; Supervised by Radu Horaud & Georgios Evangelidis	<i>Feb. 2013 - Sept. 2013</i>
<b>Institut Polytechnique de Grenoble, France</b> MSc in Informatics at ENSIMAG; Supervised by Radu Horaud & Georgios Evangelidis	<i>Sep. 2012 - Jun. 2013</i>
<b>University of Edinburgh, UK</b> Research Intern; Supervised by Bob Fisher	<i>Jan. 2010 - May 2010</i>
<b>VIT University, Vellore, India</b> B.Tech; Supervised by Bob Fisher & Arulmozhivarman Pachiyappan	<i>Aug. 2006 - May 2010</i>

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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**Computer Vision**      Causal Representation Learning, Video Feature Learning,  
Spatiotemporal Action Detection, Action Prediction

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

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### **An End-to-End Baseline for Video Captioning**

Silvio Olivastri, **Gurkirt Singh** and Fabio Cuzzolin

*Preprint arXiv: 1904.02628, 2019*

### **Recurrence to the Rescue: Towards Causal Spatiotemporal Representations**

**Gurkirt Singh** and Fabio Cuzzolin

*Preprint arXiv: 1811.07157, 2018*

### **Action Detection from a Robot-Car Perspective**

**Gurkirt Singh\***, Stephen Akrigg\*, Valentina Fontana\*, Manuele Di Maio, Suman Saha, Fabio Cuzzolin

*Preprint arXiv: 1807.11332, 2018*

### **TraMNet - Transition Matrix Network for Efficient Action Tube Proposals**

**Gurkirt Singh**, Suman Saha and Fabio Cuzzolin

*Asian Conference on Computer Vision (ACCV), 2018*

### **Online Real-time Multiple Spatiotemporal Action Localisation and Prediction**

**Gurkirt Singh**, Suman Saha, Michael Sapientza, Philip Torr and Fabio Cuzzolin

*International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV), 2017*

### **AMTnet: Action-Micro-Tube Regression by end-to-end Trainable Deep Architecture**

Suman Saha, **Gurkirt Singh** and Fabio Cuzzolin

*International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV), 2017*

### **Deep Learning for Detecting Multiple Space-Time Action Tubes in Videos**

Suman Saha, **Gurkirt Singh**, Michael Sapientza, Philip Torr and Fabio Cuzzolin

*British Machine Vision Conference (BMVC), 2016*

### **Skeletal Quads: Human action recognition using joint quadruples**

Georgios Evangelidis, **Gurkirt Singh**, Radu Horaud

*International Conference on Pattern Recognition Vision (ICPR), 2014*

### **Incremental Tube Construction for Human Action Detection**

Harkirat Behl, Michael Sapienza **Gurkirt Singh**, Suman Saha, Fabio Cuzzolin and Philip Torr  
*British Machine Vision Conference (BMVC), 2018*

### **Predicting Action Tubes**

**Gurkirt Singh**, Suman Saha and Fabio Cuzzolin  
*Anticipating Human Behavior (ECCV Workshop), 2018*

### **Untrimmed Video Classification for Activity Detection: Submission to ActivityNet Challenge**

**Gurkirt Singh** and Fabio Cuzzolin,  
*ActivityNet challenge (CVPR workshop) 2016*

### **Continuous Gesture Recognition from Articulated Poses**

Georgios Evangelidis, **Gurkirt Singh**, Radu Horaud  
*Chalearn Looking at People (ECCV workshop), 2014*

## **CONTESTS & CHALLENGES**

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<b>Charades-2017:</b> Acton Recognition and Segmentation tasks (Rank: 2/10 and 3/6)	2017
<b>ActivityNet-2017:</b> Classification tasks (Rank 3/29)	2017
<b>ActivityNet-2016:</b> Classification and Detection tasks (Rank 10/24 and 2/6)	2016
<b>Chalearn 2014:</b> Looking at People Challenge (Gesture Detection Task Rank 7/17)	2014

## **SKILLS**

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**Programming:** Python, Matlab, C/C++, Lua

**Deep Learning Platforms:** PyTorch, Torch, Caffe, TensorFlow

**Libraries:** Numpy, Scipy, Scikit-Learn, OpenCV, Eigen, Kinect SDK

**Operating Systems:** Linux, macOS, Windows

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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<b>Machine Learning:</b> Teaching Assistant (Postgraduate)	2018
<b>Computer Vision and Machine Learning:</b> Guest lecturer (Postgraduate)	2016, 2017, 2018
<b>Understanding Programming:</b> Lab Assistant (Undergraduate)	2015, 2016

## **REVIEWER**

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Best reviewer award ICCV 2019

TPAMI 2017, 2018, ICCV 2019, CVPR 2018, BMVC 2019, and IJCIA 2017, 2018, 2019

## **MORE INFORMATION**

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