

ASSIGNMENT OF BACHELOR'S THESIS

Title: Car chasing simulation in Carla

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Instructions

- *Get familiar with the literature on
- a) physics simulation systems for autonomous driving,
- b) autonomous driving for other vehicles (or trajectory) tracking,
- c) 3d detection of objects in a vehicle surrounding.
- *In Carla, create a scenario with two vehicles: follower, follower. The follower will be driven by an automatic agent on a pre-programmed trajectory. The follower will have an on-board stereo-camera.
- *Design and test an algorithm controlling the follower to track the other vehicle and keep the predefined distance as close as possible. The input will be
- a) 3D position of the followee,
- b) detection of the followee in the camera image,
- c) raw camera image.
- In cases (a-b) evaluate the algorithm with both exact and perturbed data.
- *(Optional). Test the algorithm on the RC platform developed in the department of cybernetics FEE. The followee (another manually driven RC car) can be equipped with a special target to ease the perception part of the problem.

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