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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Image Processing, Computer Vision, Machine Learning.

EDUCATION

National Taiwan University (NTU)

B.S. in Electrical and Engineering

Cumulative GPA: 3.88 / 4.30; last-60 GPA: 4.10 / 4.30

Taipei, Taiwan

September 2015 - July 2019

PUBLICATIONS

- C. J. Ho, C. C. Chan, and H. H. Chen, "AF-Net: A Convolutional Neural Network Approach to Phase Detection Autofocus," accepted by *IEEE Transactions on Image Processing*, doi: 10.1109/TIP.2019.2947349 [PDF]
- C. J. Ho and H. H. Chen, "On the Distinction between Phase images and Two-View Light Field for PDAF of Mobile Imaging," accepted by *Electronic Imaging*, 2020 [PDF]
- C. C. Chan, M. Calderon-Delgado, C. J. Ho, M. Y. Lin, J. W. Tjiu, S. L. Huang, and H. H. Chen, "Detecting Mice Squamous Cell Carcinoma from Sub-Micron OCT Images by Deep Learning," *IEEE Transactions on Medical Imaging* (In preparation)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Multimedia Processing and Communications Lab, NTU

Taipei, Taiwan

Full-time Research Assistant (with Prof. Sheng-Lung Huang and Prof. Homer H. Chen)

July 2019 - present

Research topic: *Deep Learning Analysis of Optical Coherence Tomography (OCT) Imaging*

- Demonstrated the importance of cellular-level information. The paper is in preparation.
- Improved the classification accuracy by 10% with regularization and modified architecture.
- Further analyzed the pathological features via model interpretation.

Multimedia Processing and Communications Lab, NTU

Taipei, Taiwan

Undergraduate Research Assistant (with Prof. Homer H. Chen)

September 2017 - June 2019

Research topic: *Phase Detection Autofocus (PDAF)*

- Demo: Comparison between AF-Net and iPhone7. [Youtube Link]
- Proposed a novel autofocus approach that finds the in-focus position in three lens movements regardless of noise. This work will appear in *IEEE Transactions on Image Processing*.
- Argued the difference between phase images and two-view light field for PDAF. This work will appear in *Electronic Imaging 2020*.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Department of Electrical and Engineering, NTU

Taipei, Taiwan

Teaching Assistant (with Prof. Chien-Mo Li)

2018 Spring and 2019 Spring

EE1006: Cornerstone EECS Design and Development

- Designed the final project for freshmen students with 7 professors from different fields.
- Instructed 8 teams of students in implementing the self-driving car and searching algorithm.

HONORS & AWARDS

- 1st prize in NTUEE Undergraduate Innovation Award** *September 2019*
○ Awarded out of all undergraduate research assistants in NTUEE.
- 6th place in AI Rush 2019 (100 teams attended)** *August 2019*
○ On behalf of Taiwan to attend the Asia-wide AI contest held by LINE and Naver.
- College Student Research Scholarship** *July 2018 - April 2019*
○ Funded by Ministry of Science and Technology.
- College Student Research Creativity Award** *July 2019*
○ Ranked top 10 % in 2000 funded projects.
- 1st place in the final project contest of Computer Vision course (graduate level)** *January 2019*
○ Generated accurate depth map in realistic scenes under challenging conditions.
- 1st place in the final project contest of Digital System Design course** *June 2018*
○ Achieved the lowest AT value (Area × time) of the pipelined MIPS design in the contest.

SELECTED TERM PROJECTS

- A Survey of Optimization in Deep Neural Network** *June 2019*
○ Analyze how to guarantee the convergence rate of a deep neural network through over-parameterization.
- Breakout AI** *January 2019*
○ Automatically clear the breakout stage regardless of the randomness.
- Flyback Circuit** *January 2019*
○ Implement a flyback circuit to achieve DC-DC and AC-DC power transformation.
- Object Detection** *June 2018*
○ Implement a Siamese network with specific training schedules to deal with few-shot learning.
- Chinese QA** *January 2018*
○ Implement the FastQA model to select the key sentence from text written in Chinese.

SELECTED COURSES TAKEN

Computer Vision	<u>Computer Vision: from recognition to geometry</u> <u>Deep Learning for Computer Vision</u>
Artificial Intelligence	<u>Mathematical Principles of Machine Learning</u> , <u>Machine Learning</u> , <u>Introduction to Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning</u>
Mathematics	<u>The Design and Analysis of Algorithms</u> , <u>Convex Optimization</u> <u>Discrete Mathematics</u>
Hardware	<u>Digital System Design</u> , <u>Integrated Circuit Design</u> <u>Electrical Engineering Lab (digital Circuit)</u> , <u>Power Electronics Laboratory</u>

Underlined courses are at graduate level

KEY SKILLS

Programming Language	Python, C++, Verilog, Matlab, Latex
Frameworks	Pytorch, OpenCV
Natural Language	Chinese (native speaker), English (fluent)