

# NIRMAL ELAMON

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## EDUCATION

### Master of Science in Electrical Engineering

North Carolina State University, Raleigh

August 2017 - Present

GPA :3.93/4.0

### Bachelor of technology in Electronics and Communication

Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Amrita University

July 2013-May 2017

GPA:3.7/4.0

## RELEVANT COURSES

• Computer Vision • Design of a robotic computer vision system for autonomous navigation • Practical Deep Learning with PyTorch • Probabilistic Graphical Models for Signal Processing and Computer Vision • Machine Learning • Special Topics in Data Science • Information Theory and Coding • Statistical signal processing • Numerical methods for statistics

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Skills:** Experience in Computer Vision, object detection and tracking, Neural networks, ROS, Rviz, Natural Language Processing, Deep Learning, Linear Classifiers, K-Means Clustering, SVM, logistic regression
- **Software:** Python, OpenCV, C, C++, MATLAB, CUDA, Git, SOLIDWORKS, SketchUp, Octave, ImageJ
- **Libraries:** PyTorch, theano, numpy, scipy, scikit learn, pandas, matplotlib
- **Framework:** Tensorflow, Keras, MXNet

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Computation Sciences and Deep Learning intern at The Jackson Laboratory

Ongoing

- Developing Deep learning algorithms for image segmentation of retinal cells of mice which will be used for extracting valid information like geometry, nuclei position, etc of the cell.

## ACADEMIC PROJECTS

### CFNet based online object tracking using DPM approach

March 2018

Developed a Deformable Part Based model for tracking an object in a video using Correlation filter based siamese convolutional neural network and obtained an accuracy of 96.62%

### Conversion of a mathematical formula to its corresponding LaTeX source using RNN

November 2017

Implemented an IM2LATEX model using TensorFlow for converting the image of a mathematical formula to its corresponding Latex source using Convolutional Neural Network for feature extraction followed by Recurrent Neural Network (RNN) with GRU layers and obtained an accuracy of 81%.

### Respiratory Rate estimation using Hidden Markov Model and Neural Network

November 2017

Developed a Hidden Markov model for estimating the respiratory rate of an individual using real time high-dimensional data and obtained an RMSE of 2.01. Implemented the same model using a Neural Network after dimensionality reduction without the temporal dependencies and obtained an RMSE value of 3.8.

### Face detection using Gaussian distribution, T distribution and Factor Analysis

February 2018

Implemented a probabilistic model that can detect a face in an image using Gaussian distribution, T distribution, mixture of gaussian, mixture of T and Factor Analysis. Compared the efficiency of all these models using ROC curve and Factor Analysis outperformed others

### A Robotic Computer Vision system for Autonomous Navigation

Ongoing

Developing a robotic blimp that can interact with a Husky ground vehicle through ROS messages which can navigate autonomously using NVIDIA JETSON TX2 and Raspberry pi zero

### Image Compression using K-Means Clustering

September 2017

Developed a K-Means Clustering and Vector Quantization method for compressing an image. Evaluated the efficiency of the compressed image using Rate-Distortion analysis and obtained a compression of 11.7% .

### 3-D model reconstruction from a single perspective image

September 2017

Implemented the paper 'Single view Metrology' by developing a model that calculates the 3-D affine measurements from a single perspective view of an image using vanishing points and texture mapping with homographic matrix.

## PUBLICATION

R. K. Megalingam, N. Vignesh, V. Sivanantham, N. Elamon, M. S. Sharath kumar and V. Rajith, "Low cost robotic arm design for pruning and fruit harvesting in developing nations," *2016 10th International Conference on Intelligent Systems and Control (ISCO)*, Coimbatore, 2016, pp. 1-5.