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RESEARCH INTEREST

Computer Vision, Deep Learning, Multimodal Understanding, Vision-language Models, Generative AI

EDUCATION

Tufts University, MA, USA

Sep. 2021 - Present

Ph.D. Electrical and Computer Engineering

GPA: 4.0/4.0

Advisor: Prof. Karen Panetta

Relevant Coursework (grades): Computer Vision (A+), Software Engineering (A+), Machine-centric programming in C/C++ (A+).

Tufts University, MA, USA

Sep. 2021 - May 2023

MS. Electrical and Computer Engineering

GPA: 3.92/4.0

Advisor: Prof. Karen Panetta

Relevant Coursework (grades): Machine Learning (A+), Statistical Pattern Recognition (A), Operating Systems (A+), Computer Engineering (A)

Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-ife, Nigeria

Sep. 2014 - Dec. 2019

B.Sc. Electronic and Electrical Engineering

GPA: 4.31/5.0 (class rank: top 6% in Class of 135)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Tufts University, MA, USA

Sep. 2021 - present

Graduate Research Assistant - Vision & Sensing Systems Laboratory

- Curating an image-text pair, and eye-tracking dataset toward multimodal learning for text-based object detection tailored to the field of transportation.
- Working on synthetic image-text data generation techniques using diffusion models for vision and transformer-based models for text.
- Exploring diffusion models (repository) and working on applying them in image enhancement.
- Developed an animal pose estimation algorithm based on High-Resolution network (HRNet) and Vision Transformer (ViT) architectures using semi-supervised learning techniques. Curating an accompanying animal pose estimation dataset.
- Developed a semantic segmentation algorithm for post-disaster building damage assessment using satellite imagery.
- Developed a deep learning-based vehicle speed and traffic density estimation algorithm (repository).
- Developed a real-time machine learning weight estimation framework utilizing data from shoe insoles, motivated by the rapid weight gain due to high-fluid retention health conditions in the elderly.

Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife

Apr. - Jun 2017

Undergraduate Research Assistant

- Performed Verification and Validation of Physical Layouts using Electric-VLSI Design Package.

PUBLICATIONS

Conference Papers & Presentations

- Oludare, V., Kezebou, L., **Jinadu, O.**, Panetta, K. and Agaian, S., 2022, May. Attention-based two-stream high-resolution networks for building damage assessment from satellite imagery. In *Multimodal Image Exploitation and Learning 2022* (Vol. 12100, pp. 224-239). SPIE
- **Jinadu, O.**, Oludare, V., Rajeev, S., Kezebou, L., Panetta, K. and Agaian, S., 2023, June. Instant-level vehicle speed and traffic density estimation using deep neural network. In *Multimodal Image Exploitation and Learning 2023* (Vol. 12526, pp. 125-138). SPIE.

- **Jinadu, O.**, Rajeev, S., Panetta, K. and Agaian, S. An Impact Study of Deep Learning-based Low-light Image Enhancement in Intelligent Transportation Systems . In Multimodal Image Exploitation and Learning 2024 (Vol. 13033, pp. 154-171). SPIE. Project Github repository.

Journal Papers

- Sanghavi, F., **Jinadu, O.**, Oludare, V., Panetta, K., Kezebou, L. and Roberts, S.B., 2023. An Individualized Machine Learning Approach for Human Body Weight Estimation Using Smart Shoe Insoles. Sensors, 23(17), p.7418.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

KPMG, Nigeria

Jan. - Jul. 2021

Experienced Data Scientist / ML Engineer

- Developed a customer recommendation system using unsupervised machine learning and data anonymization techniques.
- Developed a robotic process automation pipeline that extracts information daily and makes key decisions based on the information, eliminating the need for human intervention.
- Developed a model that tracks company staff utilization, revenue generated by staff, team, and department in real-time.

KPMG, Nigeria

Mar. 2020 - Jan. 2021

Data Scientist / ML Engineer

- Developed a COVID-19 Risk assessment tool with machine learning algorithms.
- Worked on Twitter (X) sentiment analysis models for clients to optimize marketing strategies and improve customer satisfaction by monitoring brand perception.
- Developed a COVID-19 Model to track daily infection trends and monitor its impact on the Nigerian Economy.

SOFTWARE & PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

Computer Languages

Python, C, C++, CUDA, MATLAB

Software & Tools

PyTorch, TensorFlow, OpenCV, Singularity(HPC), Scikit-image.

Others

Git, Jira, PowerBI, LaTeX, UiPath.

HONOR & AWARDS

- School of Engineering Outstanding Academic Scholarship Award - Tufts University Mar. 2024.
- KPMG's Q1 Signals Repository Global Hackathon (3rd Place Winners) – Led the KPMG Nigeria team. -value: \$500 Feb. 2021.
- Petroleum Technology Development Fund (PTDF) National Scholarship - cumm value: \$10,000 2016 - 2019
- Chevron/NNPC Joint Venture National Scholarship Merit Award - cumm value: \$2,000 2015 - 2019
- Three top Students in Applied Electricity, Command Day Secondary School 2011.

LEADERSHIP & EXTRACURRICULAR

- IEEE-HKN (Eta Kappa Nu) Board of Governors member - 2024 Student Governor.
- Journal Reviewer for IEEE Transactions on Artificial Intelligence.
- Journal Reviewer for IEEE Transactions on Systems, Man and Cybernetics: Systems.
- Reviewer for 2022 Virtual IEEE International Symposium on Technologies for Homeland Security.
- Supervising Computer Science and Data Science Tufts Seniors on their final year capstone projects.
- Societies: IEEE, NSBE, Black in AI (BAI), SPIE.