

# PHAN THANH DANH

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## EDUCATION

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### **Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering**

September 2018 - September 2022

Ho Chi Minh City University of Technology and Education

GPA: 7.97/10 - 3.16/4

Thesis: 9.8/10 (Self-driving Golf Car using Deep Learning and Multisensor Fusion)

## REWARDS & HONORS

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- **Best Paper Award** in The International Workshop on Intelligent Systems (First author) . 08.2022
- **Best Student Paper Award** in the 6th International Conference on Green Technology and Sustainable Development (First author) . 06.2022
- **Top 3 AWS Build on Vietnam, 2021 National Finale.** . 09.2021
  - . Solve problems of companies using Amazon Web Services
- **Top 8/over 100** of National Digital Race- “ Driverless”, hosted by FPT Corporation and the Vietnam Television (VTV). 12.2020
  - . Simulate, debate related methods, optimize, and deploy algorithms on a 1/7 car model.
- Participate in **final round** in UIT Car Racing 2020. 09.2020
  - . Simulate a self-driving car using visual clues to achieve checkpoints.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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### **Student Leader at Intelligent System Laboratory**

11.2020 - Present

*Ho Chi Minh City University of Technology and Education, Vietnam*

- . Manage research activities to exchange knowledge related to AI.
- . Host weekly seminars with Lab's Directors and lectures.
- . Support, and provide training for academic contests at the university.
- . Assist Seniors (Ph.D. and Master students) to complete their thesis with several simple tasks.

### **Contestant in “Digital Race 2019-2020: Driverless” Competition**

09.2019 - 12.2020

*FPT Corporation and Vietnam Television*

- . Used image processing and deep learning techniques for lane and traffic sign detection.
- . Controlled a virtual autonomous car using Robot Operating System (ROS).
- . Deployed algorithms to 1/7 car model.

### **Undergraduate Research Projects**

11.2020 - Present

*Research of Interest: Autonomous Vehicle, Smart Traffic Systems, Computer Vision*

- . **Sophomore:**
  - . Leader of the SPK-TWOLAB team and got the Top 8 of the National Digital Race- “ Driverless”. Videos: [Video 1](#) and [Video 2](#)
- . **Junior:**
  - . Implement small projects for subjects: Designing an app, a website, embedding systems (RTOS, Linux).

- Designing a solution for companies using available AWS engines and winning Top 3 AWS (Amazon Web Services) Build on Vietnam, 2021 National Finale.

Video: [Video](#)

#### · Senior:

- Project: A Method Between Vehicle Counting and Motion Estimation for Traffic Congestion Identification.
  - Using double RANSAC with multiple variables of traffic status to identify levels of traffic congestion
  - Writing academic journal (Preparing to submit)
- Thesis: Self-driving Golf Car using Deep Learning and Multisensor Fusion (9.8/10).
  - Constituting mechanical ideas for converting a golf car to an autonomous one comprising of dismantling details to plan a reasonably mechanical design.
  - Finding solutions to enhance perceptions of a self-driving car.
  - Writing international academic papers.

Video1: [Video 1](#) and Video2: [Video 2](#) and Video3: [Video 3](#)
- \* There are some intuitive mini-projects that are listed on my own website:
  - Github: <https://github.com/Oliverbihop?tab=repositories>
  - Youtube: <https://bit.ly/ThanhDanh>
  - Website: <https://bit.ly/ThanhDanhsites>

## SKILLS

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### Technical and Computers Skills

Embedding programming: Arduino, STM32, Jetson TX2.  
 Operating System: Windows, Linux (Ubuntu).  
 Programming Language: Python, C/C++.

### Framework & library

Tensorflow, Pytorch, Scikit-learn, OpenCV

### Language Proficiency

English: IELTS 6.5.  
 Reading and writing technical, academic documents.

## PUBLICATION

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- [1] **Thanh-Danh Phan**, Minh-Thien Duong, and My-Ha Le “A Fusion Method Between Vehicles Counting and Motion Estimation for Traffic Congestion Identification”. (Preparing to submit).
- [2] Tran-Nhat-Minh Ta\*, **Thanh-Danh Phan\***, and My-Ha Le “A Light-weight Multitask Model Utilizing Mutual Features ”, 2023 International Conference on System Science and Engineering, July 2023. (Under review).
- [3] **Thanh-Danh Phan\***, Tan-Thien-Nien Nguyen\*, Minh-Thien Duong, Chi-Tam Nguyen, Hong-Phong Ly, and My-Ha Le “Sensor Fusion of Camera and 2D LiDAR for Self-Driving Automobile in Obstacle Avoidance Scenarios”, 2022 The International Workshop on Intelligent Systems, August 2022. (**Best Paper Award**)
- [4] **Thanh-Danh Phan\***, Tan-Thien-Nien Nguyen\*, Minh-Thien Duong, Chi-Tam Nguyen, Hoang-Anh Le, and My-Ha Le “A Steering Strategy for Self-Driving Automobile Systems Based on Lane-Line Detection”, 2022 6th International Conference on Green Technology and Sustainable Development, July 2022. (**Best Student Paper Award**).

[5] Minh-Thien Duong, **Thanh-Danh Phan**, Nghe-Nhan Truong, Manh-Cuong Le, Truong-Dong Do, Van-Binh Nguyen, and My-Ha Le “An Image Enhancement Method for Autonomous Vehicles Driving in Poor Visibility Circumstances”, 2022 6th International Conference on Green Technology and Sustainable Development, July 2022.

[6] **Thanh-Danh Phan**, Hoang-Hai-Nam Nguyen, Ngoc-Hien-Duc Le, Thanh-Sang Nguyen, Minh-Thien Duong, and My-Ha Le “Steering Angle Estimation for Self-driving Car Based on Enhanced Semantic Segmentation ”, 2021 International Conference on System Science and Engineering, August 2021.

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## REFERENCES

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