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**EDUCATION** 

#### Doctoral degree study (PhD)

2018 - Present

Computer Graphics, Faculty of Electrical Engineering, Czech Technical University in Prague. Dissertation Thesis: Example-based Style Transfer.

#### Master degree study (MSc)

2016 - 2018

Computer Science, Faculty of Information Technology, Czech Technical University in Prague. Master Thesis: Digital Image Processing and Image Stylization.

#### Bachelor degree study (BSc)

2012 - 2015

Computer Science, Faculty of Information Technology, Czech Technical University in Prague. Bachelor Thesis: Architecture design and implementation of a large software system.

High school 2004 - 2012

Mathematics, Physics, and Descriptive Geometry specialization, Gymnasium of Christian Doppler.

Professional EXPERIENCE

Intern Research Scientist, Samsung Research America, California 4/2020 - PresentResearch & Development. Research on image-to-image and video-to-video translation neural networks.

#### Intern Research Scientist, Snap Inc., Los Angeles, California

7/2019 - 10/2019

Research & Development. Research of new techniques on training generative adversarial networks for style transfer tasks; focused on a scenario where a minimal amount of data is available, and an interactive response is required. Furthermore, developing a shader-based real-time stylization for human portraits.

## Remote Collaboration, Adobe Research, USA

9/2017 - 12/2019

Research & Development. Remote collaboration on several research projects, publications, and tech transfer project. Computer graphics; patch-based style transfer; neural-network-based style transfer.

Intern Research Scientist, Adobe Research, Seattle, Washington. 7/2018 - 10/2108Research & Development. Combining neural-network-based and patch-based style transfer methods. Chunk-based style transfer method with a focus on real-time performance.

#### Intern Research Scientist, Adobe Research, San Jose, California 9/2017 - 12/2107

Research & Development. Guiding patch-based style transfer method using convolutional neural networks, image harmonization, and histogram optimization. Integrating developed style transfer method into Adobe Photoshop.

Software Architect and Developer, Dynavix, Prague, Czechia 5/2014 – 9/2017

Software Architecture & Development. The navigation application for smartphones, tablets, and PND devices. C++, Java (Android), JavaEE, Objective-C (iOS), C#.

Software Developer, World of Warcraft game server, Prague, Czechia 2/2013 – 5/2014

Software & Database Development. The World of Warcraft game server. Extending game mechanics, scripting artificial intelligence, data-mining. C++, C#.

#### **Publications**

- O. Texler, D. Futschik, M. Kučera, O. Jamriška, Š. Sochorová, M. Chai, S. Tulyakov, and D. Sýkora: Interactive Video Stylization Using Few-Shot Patch-Based Training. [To appear] In *ACM Transactions on Graphics* 39(4) (SIGGRAPH 2020, August 2020)
- O. Texler, D. Futschik, J. Fišer, M. Lukáč, J. Lu, E. Shechtman, and D. Sýkora: Arbitrary Style Transfer Using Neurally-Guided Patch-Based Synthesis. In Computers & Graphics (Elsevier, January 2020)
- O. Jamriška, Š. Sochorová, **O. Texler**, M. Lukáč, J. Fišer, J. Lu, E. Shechtman, and D. Sýkora: **Stylizing Video by Example.** In *ACM Transactions on Graphics* 38(4):107 (SIGGRAPH 2019, Los Angeles, California, July 2019)
- O. Texler, J. Fišer, M. Lukáč, J. Lu, E. Shechtman, and D. Sýkora: Enhancing Neural Style Transfer using Patch-Based Synthesis. In *Proceedings of the 8th ACM/EG Expressive Symposium*, pp. 43–50 (Expressive 2019, Genoa, Italy, May 2019)
- D. Sýkora, O. Jamriška, O. Texler, J. Fišer, M. Lukáč, J. Lu, and E. Shechtman: StyleBlit: Fast Example-Based Stylization with Local Guidance. In *Computer Graphics Forum* 38(2):83–91 (Eurographics 2019, Genoa, Italy, May 2019)
- O. Texler and D. Sýkora: Example-Based Stylization of Navigation Maps on Mobile Devices. In *Proceedings of the 22nd Central European Seminar on Computer Graphics.*, (CESCG 2018, Smolenice, Slovakia, 2018)

COMPUTER
SCIENCE &
PROGRAMMING
SKILLS

#### Academic / Research & Development

4 years of conducting research and publishing of scientific papers.

#### Computer Graphics / Computer Vision

4 years of academic and practical experience (shaders, CUDA, OpenCV).

#### Deep Learning / Convolutional Neural Networks / GANs

2 years of practical and theoretical experience (PyTorch, NumPy, SciPy).

#### Software Architecture & Development

6 years of practical experience.

# C/C++11/14

Proficient. 7 years of practical experience.

## Java, Android

Proficient. 6 years of experience in Java; 5 years of experience in Android.

## Python

Advanced. 2 year of practical experience; machine learning, data-science.

# C#, Objective-C

Intermediate. 2 years of practical experience.

STUDENT CTU in Prague:

SUPERVISION A. Moravcová (MSc), A. Sternwaldová (MSc)

NATIONAL Czech language: Native speaker

Language: English language: Fluent
Russian language: Beginner