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Objective: Seeking Full-Time Computer Vision Roles starting December 2024

EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University

Pittsburgh, PA

Master of Science in Computer Vision (Robotics Institute, School of Computer Science) (GPA: 4.11/4)

Dec 2024

Coursework: Advanced Computer Vision, 3D Vision, Multimodal Learning, Reinforcement Learning, Geometric Methods in Vision

Government College of Engineering, Nagpur

Nagpur, India

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science (GPA: 9.5/10)

Aug 2021

Coursework: Operating Systems, Data Structures & Algorithms, Artificial Intelligence, Databases, Object Oriented Programming

PUBLICATIONS

S Jain*, A Kuthiala*, **PS Sethi**, P Saxena, "StyleSplat: 3D Object Style Transfer with Gaussian Splatting" *NeurIPS* 2024, *Creative AI Track (In review)* [Project Page]

Oct 2024

Introduced the first fast, localized style transfer method for 3D scenes using Gaussian splatting.

PS Sethi*, A Agrawal*, CMS Lezcano*, I Heredia*, "Listen Then See: Video Alignment with Speaker Attention" *Proceedings of CVPR Workshops*, 2024 [Project Page]

Feb 2024

• Developed cross-modal alignment using audio as bridge between video and language, achieving 82.06% SOTA on Social IQ 2.

R Zawar, PS Sethi, R Roy, "Jensen-Shannon Divergence in Safe Multi-Agent RL"

Dec 2023

ICLR, Tiny Paper Track, 2024 [Paper]

• Proposed a safer alternative in MACPO with JS divergence, achieving higher rewards and reduced costs in multi-agent systems.

EXPERIENCE

Apple

Sunnvvale, CA

Computer Vision Research Intern, Vision Pro Team

May 2024 - Aug 2024

- Developed an automated pipeline for immersive environments using SOTA 3D reconstruction for AR/VR applications.
- Led the end-to-end proof of concept development, integrating research-driven optimizations, and created a data capture app.

Wobot Intelligence

New Delhi, India

Computer Vision Engineer-II

Feb 2022 - Aug 2023

• Led a 6 member team to deliver vehicle and person Re-Identification solutions, serving 1M+ cameras and 10,000+ customers.

• Implemented an attribute-based fuzzy search with local and global attention. Further utilized VAE for dimensionality reduction. This approach reduced false IDs by 65% and improved Rank-1 of ReID by 35% in our multi-camera object tracking algorithm.

Solar Industries India Ltd. (Research and Development Lab)

Nagpur, India

Senior Computer Vision Researcher

Aug 2021 - Jan 2022

- Designed the pipeline for product inspection of critical military parts by using a Vision Transformer (ViT) for object detection, achieving 96.5% mAP for detecting 9 such parts. Deployed models using Nvidia Triton for enhanced operational efficiency.
- Developed Overspeeding & ANPR solutions with YOLOv4, PaddleOCR, DeepSORT for tracking & speed calc.

RESEARCH

Debiasing Question Dependency in VQA models (Multimodal Learning)

Advisor: <u>Dr Louis-Philippe Morency</u>, Multicomp Lab

Sep 2024 - Curre

- Addressed VQA bias causing LLM reliance on question cues by designing a late fusion strategy to integrate video & transcript.
- Increased video and transcript dependency by 5% and a 3.5% overall improvement across datasets compared to baselines.

Generalizable Sparse view 3D Object Reconstruction (3D Gaussian Splatting) [Project Page]

Jan 2024 - Current

Advisor: Dr Shubham Tulsiani, Physical Perception Lab

- Developed a single-forward pass network to predict 3D Gaussian attributes for objects in sparse (4-view) and unposed settings.
- Enhanced generalization by using transformer blocks to capture latent 3D representations for scalable 3D modeling.

PROJECTS

GIF Tune (Video Generation) [Project Page]

Feb 2024 - Apr 2024

- Developed GIF-Tune, a one-shot tuning strategy enabling continuous text-to-GIF synthesis from text prompts.
- Enhanced the output using depth-conditioned Stable Diffusion and 3D temporal attention layers from a single text-GIF pair.

SKILLS

Languages and Frameworks: Python, C++, Swift, Bash, SQL; PyTorch, PyTorch3D, TensorFlow, Numpy, OpenCV, Flask **Tools and Platforms:** Docker, Triton, Git, DeepStream, TensorRT, AIMET, AWS, Azure