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### **EXPERTISE**

• Music information research; Artificial intelligence; Multimedia; Affective computing; Machine learning

### **EDUCATION**

•	<ul> <li>Ph.D., Communication Engineering, National Taiwan University, Taiwan</li> </ul>	2010
	B.S. Electrical Engineering, National Taiwan University, Taiwan	2006

### **WORK EXPERIENCES**

Chief Music Scientist, Taiwan Al Labs	ince 2019/03
• Associate Research Professor, Research Center for IT Innovation, Academia Sinica s	ince 2015/11
Joint-Appointment Associate Professor, CSIE, National Cheng Kung University	2017-2019
Adjunct Associate Professor, CSIE, National Tsing-Hua University	2016
Assistant Research Professor, Research Center for IT Innovation, Academia Sinica	2011-2015
Visiting Scholar (three months), Columbia University, USA	2013
• Visiting Scholar (three months), Music Technology Group, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spair	n 2011
• Second Lieutenant (one year), Communications, Electronics and Information, ROC Army	2010-2011

### **AWARDS & HONORS**

Multimedia Rising Stars Award, IEEE International Conference on Multimedia Expo. (ICME)	2019
Best Associate Editor Service Award, IEEE Transactions on Multimedia	2018
• Best Conference Paper Award, IEEE Multimedia Communications Technical Committee (MMTC)	2015
Best Paper Award, IEEE International Conference on Multimedia Expo. (ICME)	2015
• Young Scholars' Creativity Award, Foundations for the Advancement of Outstanding Scholarship	2015
Ta-You Wu Memorial Research Award, Ministry of Science and Technology	2014
Best Poster Award, IEEE/ACM Joint Conference on Digital Libraries	2014

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### SELECTED RECENT PUBLICATIONS

- "Relative positional encoding for Transformers with linear complexity," ICML 2021.
- "Compound Word Transformer: Learning to compose full-song music over dynamic directed hypergraphs," AAAI 2021.
- "Pop Music Transformer: Beat-based modeling and generation of expressive Pop piano compositions," *ACM Multimedia* 2020.
- "Dilated convolution with dilated GRU for music source separation," IJCAI 2019.
- "Musical composition style transfer via disentangled timbre representations," IJCAI 2019.
- "Score-to-audio music generation with multi-band convolutional residual network," AAAI 2019.
- "Learning to recognize transient sound events using attentional supervision," IJCAI 2018.
- "MuseGAN: Multi-track sequential GAN for symbolic music generation and accompaniment," AAAI 2018.
- "Generating music medleys via playing music puzzle games," AAAI 2018
- "MidiNet: A convolutional GAN for symbolic-domain music generation," ISMIR 2017
- Music Emotion Recognition, CRC Taylor & Francis Books, Feb. 2011.

### **ACADEMIC SERVICES**

Associate Editor of		
IEEE Transactions on Multimedia	2016/9-2019/2	
IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing	2016/11-2019/2	
IEEE Senior Member	since 2017	
Program Chair of		
Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR)	2014	
Guest Editor of		
ACM Transactions on Intelligent Systems and Technology	2015	
IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing	2014	
10K Award Committee Member of		
IEEE International Conference on Multimedia and Expo. (ICME)	2016-2018	

• Tutorial Chair of

Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR)	2021
Unconference Chair of	
Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR)	2017
<ul> <li>External PhD thesis committee member of</li> </ul>	
Hong Kong University of Science and Technology	2015
<ul> <li>Senior PC Member (Meta-reviewer) of</li> </ul>	
AAAI 2022, ISMIR 2021,etc	
Organizer of	
Int. Workshop on Affect and Sentiment in Multimedia, in conjunction with	ACM MM 2015
MediaEval Affect Task: Music in Emotion	2013-2015
MIREX Singing Voice Separation Task	2014-2015
Int. Workshop on Affective Analysis in Multimedia, in conjunction with IEE	E ICME 2013
Taiwanese Workshop on Music Information Retrieval	2012-2014
PROJECTS	
Open DJ Project (II): Automatic EDM Generation	MOST 2020-2022
GenMusic Project: Industrial Al-Powered Music Composition Platform	MOST 2018-2020
Open DJ Project: Al for Automatic and Personalized DJing	MOST 2018-2020
A Unified Framework for Processing and Understanding Heterogeneous Data f	
Recommendation (co-PI)	MOST 2017-2020
<ul> <li>Product Recommendation and Customer Status Prediction</li> </ul>	Cathay 2017-2018
<ul> <li>Online Guitar Transcription: Melody, Chord and Playing Techniques Recognition</li> </ul>	on MOST 2016-2018
<ul> <li>Mobile Music Recommendation using Brain-Computer Interfaces</li> </ul>	MOST 2015-2018
<ul> <li>User-centered Intelligent Music Streaming and Recommendation Platform (III)</li> </ul>	KKBOX Inc., 2017-2019
<ul> <li>User-centered Intelligent Music Streaming and Recommendation Platform (II)</li> </ul>	KKBOX Inc., 2015-2017
<ul> <li>User-centered Intelligent Music Streaming and Recommendation Platform</li> </ul>	KKBOX Inc., 2013-2015
<ul> <li>User Preference Modeling from Listening History &amp; Artist Similarity</li> </ul>	KKBOX Inc., 2012-2013
<ul> <li>Music Recommendation based on Listening Context</li> </ul>	HTC Inc., 2012
<ul> <li>Dictionary-based Music Signal Analysis, Understanding, and Retrieval Aca</li> </ul>	ademia Sinica, 2013-2017
<ul> <li>Automatic Music Recommendation and Retrieval</li> </ul>	MOST 2013-2016
<ul> <li>Dictionary-based Multipitch Estimation of Polyphonic Music</li> </ul>	NSC 2012-2013
Large-scale Music Emotion Recognition System using Social Media	NSC 2011-2012

## TUTORIALS

- Hao-Wen Dong and **Yi-Hsuan Yang**, "Generating Music with GANs: An Overview and Case Studies," *Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR)*, 2019 (link).
- Xiao Hu and **Yi-Hsuan Yang**, "Music Affect Recognition: The State-of-the-art and Lessons Learned," *Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR)*, 2012.

### STUDENT AWARDS

• Shih-Lun Wu, Ssu-Nien Fu's Award (1st Prize), Best Bachelor's Thesis, National Taiwan U	Jniversity 2021
Yi-Hui Chou, 2ne Prize, Best Undergraduate Research, Dept. of EE, NTU	2021
Shih-Lun Wu, 1st Prize, Best Undergraduate Research, Dept. of CSIE, NTU	2020
• Ching-Yu Chiu, Jury's Recommendation Award, 美律電聲論文獎	2021
• Yu-Hsiang Huang, Special Award, 美律電聲論文獎	2020
● Wen-Yi Hsiao, 2ne Prize, 美律電聲論文獎	2018

### PUBLICATIONS (including number of citations indicated in Google Scholar link)

Total citations: 7742; citations of most-cited paper. 555; h-index: 43; i10-index: 150

#### Book

[1] Y.-H. Yang and H. H. Chen, Music Emotion Recognition, CRC Taylor & Francis Books, Feb. 2011.

#### • Proceedings (Edited)

- [2] Meinard Müller, Emilia Gómez, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Computational methods for melody and voice processing in music recordings," Report from Dagstuhl Seminar 19052, 2019.
- [3] Hsin-Min Wang, Yi-Hsuan Yang, and Jin Ha Lee, International Society for Music Information Retrieval Conference, Proceedings, ISMIR, Taipei, Taiwan, 2014.

#### Journal Papers

- [4] Ching-Yu Chiu, Meinard Müller, Matthew E. P. Davies, Alvin Wen-Yu Su, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "An analysis method for metric-level switching in beat tracking," *IEEE Signal Processing Letters* (SPL), accepted for publication.
- [5] Yi-Jen Shih, Shih-Lun Wu, Frank Zalkow, Meinard Müller, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Theme Transformer: Symbolic music generation with theme-conditioned Transformer," *IEEE Transections on Multimedia* (TMM), accepted for publication.
- [6] Juan Sebastián Gomez-Cañón, Estefanía Cano, Tuomas Eerola, Perfecto Herrera, Xiao Hu, Yi-Hsuan Yang, and Emilia Gómez, "Music Emotion Recognition: Towards new robust standards in personalized and context-sensitive applications," *IEEE Signal Processing Magazine*, vol. 38, no. 6, pp. 106-114, Nov. 2021.
- [7] Ching-Yu Chiu, Alvin Wen-Yu Su, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Drum-aware ensemble architecture for improved joint musical beat and downbeat tracking," *IEEE Signal Processing Letters* (SPL), vol. 28, pp. 1100-1104, May 2021.
- [8] Yin-Cheng Yeh, Wen-Yi Hsiao, Satoru Fukayama, Tetsuro Kitahara, Benjamin Genchel, Hao-Min Liu, Hao-Wen Dong, Yian Chen, Terence Leong, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Automatic melody harmonization with triad chords: A comparative study," *Journal of New Music Research*, vol. 50, no. 1, pp. 37-51, 2021.
- [9] E. Zangerle, C.-M. Chen, M.-F. Tsai and Y.-H. Yang, "Leveraging affective hashtags for ranking music

- recommendations," IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing (TAC), vol. 12, no. 1, pp. 78-91, 2021.
- [10] Zhe-Cheng Fan, Tak-Shing T. Chan, Yi-Hsuan Yang, and Jyh-Shing R. Jang, "Backpropagation with N-D vector-valued neurons using arbitrary bilinear products," *IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks* and Learning Systems (TNNLS), vol. 31, no. 7, pp. 2638-2652, 2020.
- [11] T.-W. Su, Y.-P. Chen, L. Su, and Y.-H. Yang, "TENT: Technique-embedded note tracking for real-world guitar solo recordings," *Transactions of the International Society for Music Information Retrieval* (TISMIR), vol. 2, no. 1, pp. 15-28, 2019.
- [12] S.-Y. Chou, J.-S. R. Jang, and Y.-H. Yang, "Fast tensor factorization for large-scale context-aware recommendation from implicit feedback," *IEEE Trans. Big Data* (TBD), vol. 6, no. 1, pp. 201-208, Mar. 2020.
- [13] J.-Y. Liu, Y.-H. Yang, and S.-K. Jeng, "Weakly-supervised visual instrument-playing action detection in videos," *IEEE Transactions on Multimedia* (TMM), vol. 21, no. 4, pp. 887-901, Apr. 2019.
- [14] J. Nam, K. Choi, J. Lee, S.-Y. Chou, and Y.-H. Yang, "Deep learning for audio-based music classification and tagging," *IEEE Signal Processing Magazine* (SPM), vol. 36, no. 1, pp. 41-51, Jan. 2019.
- [15] J.-C. Lin, W.-L. Wei, T.-L. Liu, Y.-H. Yang, H.-M. Wang, H.-R. Tyan, and H.-Y. M. Liao, "Coherent deep-net fusion to classify shots in concert videos," *IEEE Transactions on Multimedia* (TMM), vol. 20, no. 11, pp. 3123-3136, Nov. 2018.
- [16] Y.-H. Chin, J.-C. Wang, J.-C. Wang and Y.-H. Yang, "Predicting the probability density function of music emotion using emotion space mapping," *IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing* (TAC), vol. 9, no. 4, pp. 541-549, Oct.-Dec. 2018.
- [17] Y.-S. Huang, S.-Y. Chou, and Y.-H. Yang, "Pop music highlighter: Marking the emotion keypoints," Transactions of the International Society for Music Information Retrieval (TISMIR), vol. 1, no. 1, pp. 68-78, Sep. 2018.
- [18] Y.-P. Lin, P.-K. Jao, and Y.-H. Yang, "Improving cross-day EEG-based emotion classification using robust principal component analysis," *Frontiers in Computational Neuroscience*, Jul. 2017.
- [19] A. Aljanaki, Y.-H. Yang, and M. Soleymani, "Developing a benchmark for emotional analysis of music," *PLOS ONE*, vol. 12, no. 3, e0173392.doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0173392, Mar. 2017.
- [20] X. Hu and Y.-H. Yang, "The mood of Chinese pop music: Representation and recognition," Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology (JAIST), doi:10.1002/asi.23813, Jun. 2017.
- [21] Y.-A. Chen, J.-C. Wang, Y.-H. Yang, H. H. Chen, "Component tying for mixture model adaptation in personalization of music emotion recognition," *IEEE/ACM Transactions on Audio,* Speech, and Language Processing (TASLP), vo. 25, no. 7, pp. 1409-1420, Jul. 2017. [cover page of the issue]
- [22] X. Hu and Y.-H. Yang, "Cross-dataset and cross-cultural music mood prediction: A case on Western and Chinese pop songs," *IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing* (TAC), vol. 8, no. 2, pp. 228-240, Apr. 2017.
- [23] T.-S. Chan and Y.-H. Yang, "Informed group-sparse representation for singing voice separation," *IEEE Signal Processing Letters* (SPL), vol. 24, no. 2, pp. 156-160, Feb. 2017.
- [24] T.-S. Chan and Y.-H. Yang, "Polar *n*-complex and *n*-bicomplex singular value decomposition and principal component pursuit," *IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing* (TSP), vol. 64, no. 24, pp. 6533-6544, Dec. 2016.

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- [26] P.-K. Jao, L. Su, Y.-H. Yang and B. Wohlberg, "Monaural music source separation using convolutional sparse coding," *IEEE/ACM Transactions on Audio*, Speech, and Language Processing (TASLP), vol. 24, no. 11, pp. 2158-2170, Nov. 2016.
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- [28] C.-Y. Liang, L. Su and Y.-H. Yang, "Musical onset detection using constrained linear reconstruction," IEEE Signal Processing Letters (SPL), vol. 22, no. 11, pp. 2142-2146, Nov. 2015.
- [29] L. Su and Y.-H. Yang, "Combining spectral and temporal representations for multipitch estimation of polyphonic music," *IEEE/ACM Transactions on Audio, Speech, and Language Processing* (TASLP), vol. 23, no. 10, pp. 1600-1612, Oct. 2015.
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#### Conference Papers

- [47] Yen-Tung Yeh, Bo-Yu Chen, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Exploiting pre-trained feature networks for generative adversarial networks in audio-domain loop generation," in *Proc. Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval* Conf. (ISMIR), 2022.
- [48] Yueh-Kao Wu, Ching-Yu Chiu, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Conditional beat-aware drum accompaniment generation in the audio domain using Transformer VQ-VAE," in *Proc. Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conf.* (ISMIR), 2022.
- [49] Chih-Pin Tan, Wen-Yu Su, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Structure-aware music score infilling," in *Proc. Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conf.* (ISMIR), 2022.
- [50] Da-Yi Wu, Wen-Yi Hsiao, Fu-Rong Yang, Oscar Friedman, Warren Jackson, Scott Bruzenak, Yi-Wen Liu, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "SawSing: A DDSP-based singing vocoder via subtractive sawtooth waveform synthesis," in *Proc. Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conf.* (ISMIR), 2022.
- [51] Taejun Kim, Yi-Hsuan Yang, and Juhan Nam, "Joint estimation of fader and equalizer gains of DJ mixers using convex optimization," in Proc. Int. Conf. Digital Audio Effects (DAFx), 2022.
- [52] Yu-Chih Tsai, Tse-Yu Pan, Ting-Yang Kao, Yi-Hsuan Yang, and Min-Chun Hu, "EMVGAN: Emotion-aware music-video common representation learning via generative adversarial networks," in Proc. Int. Joint Workshop on Multimedia Artworks Analysis and Attractiveness Computing in Multimedia, in conjunction with ACM ICMR, 2022.
- [53] Chien-Feng Liao, Jen-Yu Liu, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "KaraSinger: Score-free singing voice synthesis with VQ-VAE using Mel-spectrograms," in *Proc. IEEE Int. Conf. Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing* (ICASSP), 2022.
- [54] Bo-Yu Chen, Wei-Han Hsu, Wei-Hsiang Liao, Marco A. Martínez Ramírez, Yuki Mitsufuji, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Automatic DJ transitions with differentiable audio effects and generative adversarial networks," in *Proc. IEEE Int. Conf. Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing* (ICASSP), 2022.
- [55] Yu-Hua Chen, Wen-Yi Hsiao, Tsu-Kuang Hsieh, Jyh-Shing Roger Jang, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Towards automatic transcription of polyphonic electric guitar music: A new dataset and a multi-loss transformer

- model," in Proc. IEEE Int. Conf. Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP), 2022.
- [56] Fu-Rong Yang, Yin-Ping Cho, Da-Yi Wu, Yi-Hsuan Yang, Shan-Hung Wu, and Yi-Wen Liu, "Mandarin singing voice synthesis with a phonology-based duration model," in *Proc. Asia Pacific Signal and Information Processing Association Annual Summit and Conf.* (APSIPA ASC), 2021.
- [57] Chin-Jui Chang, Chun-Yi Lee, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Variable-length music score infilling via XLNet and musically specialized positional encoding," in *Proc. Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conf.* (ISMIR), 2021.
- [58] Tun-Min Hung, Bo-Yu Chen, Yen-Tung Yeh, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "A benchmarking initiative for audio-domain music generation using the FreeSound Loop Dataset," in *Proc. Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conf.* (ISMIR), 2021.
- [59] Hsiao-Tzu Hung, Joann Ching, Seungheon Doh, Nabin Kim, Juhan Nam and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "EMOPIA: A multi-modal pop piano dataset for emotion recognition and emotion-based music generation," in *Proc. Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conf.* (ISMIR), 2021.
- [60] Juan Gómez-Cañón, Estefania Cano, Yi-Hsuan Yang, Perfecto Herrera, and Emilia Gomez, "Let's agree to disagree: Consensus entropy active learning for personalized music emotion recognition," in *Proc. Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conf.* (ISMIR), 2021.
- [61] Pedro Sarmento, Adarsh Kumar, C. J. Carr, Zack Zukowski, Mathieu Barthet, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "DadaGP: A dataset of tokenized GuitarPro songs for sequence models," in *Proc. Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conf.* (ISMIR), 2021.
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- [64] Taejun Kim, Yi-Hsuan Yang, and Juhan Nam, "Reverse-engineering the transition regions of real-world DJ mixes using sub-band analysis with convex optimization," in *Proc. International Conference on New Interface for Musical Expression* (NIME), 2021.
- [65] Wen-Yi Hsiao, Jen-Yu Liu, Yin-Cheng Yeh, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Compound Word Transformer: Learning to compose full-song music over dynamic directed hypergraphs," in *Proc. AAAI Conf. Artificial Intelligence* (AAAI), 2021 (acceptance rate 21%).
- [66] Joann Ching, Antonio Ramires, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Instrument role classification: Auto-tagging for loop based music," in *Proc. Joint Conference on AI Music Creativity*, 2020.
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- [73] Da-Yi Wu and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Speech-to-singing conversion based on boundary equilibrium GAN," in *Proc. INTERSPEECH*, 2020.
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- [75] Yu-Siang Huang and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Pop Music Transformer: Beat-based modeling and generation of expressive Pop piano compositions," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Multimedia* (MM), 2020.
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- [77] Tsung-Han Hsieh, Kai-Hsiang Cheng, Zhe-Cheng Fan, Yu-Ching Yang, Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Addressing the confounds of accompaniments in singer identification," in *Proc. IEEE Int. Conf. Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing* (ICASSP), 2020.
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