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## EXPERTISE

Music information research; Artificial intelligence; Machine learning; Music generation

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## EDUCATION

- Ph.D., Communication Engineering, National Taiwan University, Taiwan 2010
- B.S., Electrical Engineering, National Taiwan University, Taiwan 2006

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## WORK EXPERIENCES

- **Full Professor**, Dept. Electrical Engineering, National Taiwan University **since 2023/02**
- **Chief Music Scientist**, Taiwan AI Labs **since 2019/03**
- **Associate Research Professor**, Research Center for IT Innovation, Academia Sinica **2015-2023**
- 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, Spain 2011
- Second Lieutenant (one year), Communications, Electronics and Information, ROC Army 2010-2011

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## 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
- Project for Excellent Junior Research Investigators, National Science Council 2013–2016
- Career Development Award, Academia Sinica 2013–2017
- Pan Wen Yuan Research Exploration Award 2013
- First Prize, ACM Multimedia Grand Challenge 2012
- IEEE SPS Young Author Best Paper Award, IEEE Signal Processing Society 2011
- Best Ph.D. Dissertation Award, Graduate Institute of Communication Engineering, NTU 2010
- Best Ph.D. Dissertation Award, TAAI (Taiwanese Association for Artificial Intelligence) 2010
- MediaTek Fellowship 2009
- Microsoft Research Asia (MSRA) Fellowship 2008

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## SELECTED RECENT PUBLICATIONS

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- “MuseMorphose: Full-song and fine-grained piano music style transfer with just one Transformer VAE,” *TASLP* 2023.
- “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.

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## ACADEMIC SERVICES

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- **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
- **External PhD thesis committee member** of
  - Hong Kong University of Science and Technology 2015
- **Senior PC Member (Meta-reviewer)** of
  - 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 IEEE ICME 2013
  - Taiwanese Workshop on Music Information Retrieval 2012–2014

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## PROJECTS

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- Open DJ Project (II): Automatic EDM Generation MOST 2020-2022
- GenMusic Project: Industrial AI-Powered Music Composition Platform MOST 2018-2020
- Open DJ Project: AI for Automatic and Personalized DJing MOST 2018-2020
- A Unified Framework for Processing and Understanding Heterogeneous Data for Intelligent Recommendation (co-PI) MOST 2017-2020
- Product Recommendation and Customer Status Prediction Cathay 2017-2018
- Online Guitar Transcription: Melody, Chord and Playing Techniques Recognition MOST 2016-2018
- Mobile Music Recommendation using Brain-Computer Interfaces MOST 2015-2018
- User-centered Intelligent Music Streaming and Recommendation Platform (III) KKBOX Inc., 2017-2019
- User-centered Intelligent Music Streaming and Recommendation Platform (II) KKBOX Inc., 2015-2017
- User-centered Intelligent Music Streaming and Recommendation Platform KKBOX Inc., 2013-2015
- User Preference Modeling from Listening History & Artist Similarity KKBOX Inc., 2012-2013
- Music Recommendation based on Listening Context HTC Inc., 2012
- Dictionary-based Music Signal Analysis, Understanding, and Retrieval Academia Sinica, 2013-2017
- Automatic Music Recommendation and Retrieval MOST 2013-2016
- Dictionary-based Multipitch Estimation of Polyphonic Music NSC 2012-2013
- Large-scale Music Emotion Recognition System using Social Media NSC 2011-2012

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## TUTORIALS

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- 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.

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## STUDENT AWARDS

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- Yi-Jen Shih, 1st Prize, Bachelor Thesis Award, Dept. of EE, NTU 2022
- Shih-Lun Wu, Ssu-Nien Fu's Award (1st Prize), Best Bachelor's Thesis, National Taiwan University 2021
- Shih-Lun Wu, 1st Prize, Bachelor Thesis Award, Dept. of CSIE, NTU 2021
- Yi-Hui Chou, 2nd Prize, Bachelor Thesis Award, Dept. of EE, NTU 2021
- Shih-Lun Wu, 1st Prize, Bachelor Thesis Award, 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, 2nd Prize, 美律電聲論文獎 2018

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## PUBLICATIONS

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*Total citations: 8559; citations of most-cited paper: 574; h-index: 47; i10-index: 158*

### • 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] Shih-Lun Wu and Yi-Hsuan Yang, “MuseMorphose: Full-song and fine-grained piano music style transfer with just one Transformer VAE,” *IEEE/ACM Transactions on Audio, Speech, and Language Processing (TASLP)*, vol. 31, pp. 1953-1967, May 2023.
- [5] 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)*, vol. 29, 2153-2157, Oct. 2022.
- [6] Yi-Jen Shih, Shih-Lun Wu, Frank Zalkow, Meinard Müller, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, “Theme Transformer: Symbolic music generation with theme-conditioned Transformer,” *IEEE Transactions on Multimedia (TMM)*, accepted for publication.
- [7] 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.

- [8] 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.
- [9] Yin-Cheng Yeh, Wen-Yi Hsiao, Satoru Fukayama, Tetsuro Kitahara, Benjamin Genschel, 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.
- [10] 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.
- [11] 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.
- [12] 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.
- [13] 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.
- [14] 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.
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- [16] 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.
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- [18] 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.
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#### • Conference Papers

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- [51] Chih-Pin Tan, Wen-Yu Su, and Yi-Hsuan Yang, “Melody infilling with user-provided structural context,” in *Proc. Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conf. (ISMIR)*, 2022.
- [52] 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.
- [53] 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.
- [54] 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.
- [55] 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.
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  - [57] 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.
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  - [60] 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.
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  - [62] 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.
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- [74] Jen-Yu Liu, Yu-Hua Chen, Yin-Cheng Yeh and Yi-Hsuan Yang, "Unconditional audio generation with generative adversarial networks and cycle regularization," in *Proc. INTERSPEECH*, 2020.
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