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CAREER OBJECTIVE

Seeking a position as Software Engineer, Autonomous Driving.

EDUCATION

Penn State University, UP(Aug. 2013-- Dec. 2017)

B.S. in Science, Computational Statistics Minor in Computer Science

KNOWLEDGE SKILLS

Deep Learning	C/C++
Computer Vision	C#(Unity)
Computer Graphics	Java
Data Mining	Python
Linear Algebra, Calculus	Matlab
Parallel Computing	Javascript
AR/VR Product Dev	MySQL
Robotics System	R
Perception Sensors	SAS

WORK EXPERIENCE

(Jan. 2017 -- Dec. 2017)

Software Team- Penn State Augmented Reality Lab

- Work on Microsoft Hololens, HTC Vive to quickly develop demos. (RGB-D camera, Infrared Sensors, C#, C++, Java, JavaScript, Python)

(May. 2016 -- Aug. 2016)

Software Engineer Intern - Journey Tech, Inc. Beijing

- Collaborate with the optics team to continuously improve optical solutions for AR glasses development kit.
- Develop and provide support for VR gaming demos. (C++, OpenCV, C#, Unity3D, Perception Sensors)

(Jan. 2016 -- May. 2016)

Computer Vision Team - PSU Unmanned Aerial Systems

- Develop and test the Computer Vision algorithms for drones.
- Data collection and analysis for ground target detection. (C++, C, Python, Shell Scripting, OpenCV, Odroid XU3, FPGA Board)

(Aug. 2015 -- Jan. 2016)

Embedded System Team - PSU Unmanned Aerial Systems

- Work with sensor technologies such as LiDAR, IMU, Radar, 2D laser scanning rangefinder.

(C++, C, SLAM, Kalman Filter)

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

(Aug. 2016 -- Aug. 2017)

Lead Software Engineer - Penn State AR/VR Lab

(Jan 2016 -- May. 2016)

Lead Data Engineer - PSU Unmanned Aerial Systems

PROJECTS

1. Udacity Self-Driving Car Engineer Nanodegree

- Traffic Sign Classifier: Use CNN and Load project on AWS EC2.
- **Behavioral Cloning**: Apply LeNet and Nvidia CNN model and simulated in Autonomous Mode.
- Advanced Lane Finding: Use OpenCV for camera calibration, distortion coefficient, generate undistored, unwarped frames.
- **Vehicle Detection, Tracking**: Perform HOG feature extraction on labeled training set, and train a Linear SVM classifier.

2. ExplorAR: Interactive Mixed Reality Games for Location Based Modules (Accepted in CHI 2018)

My responsibilities in the team:

- Use ARcore SDK to provide new experience to explore the world with mixed reality 3D objects.
- Embed the real-time GPS with built-in mini map in game to guide the user to destinations in different locations.

3. AI Based Multidimensional Data Visualization On Augmented/Virtual Reality Platforms (2017)

My responsibilities in the team:

- Work on cross platforms including Microsoft Hololens, HTC Vive.
- Enable users to retrieve visualized data and interact with each feature by gesture and voice commands.

4. International Aerial Robotics Competition (2016)

My responsibilities in the team:

- Develop and test the Computer Vision algorithms for aerial vehicle tasks.
- Calibrate the camera lens' angle of view(AOV), and calculated the maximum field of view for corresponding cases.

5. ETWIS: Voice-Command Driven VR Game(2016)

My responsibilities in the team:

- Design the multiplayer game mode with Photon Engine.
- Utilize open-source Speech Recognition package, CMU Sphinx4.

6. Projection Mapping with Kinect (2015) My responsibilities in the team:

- Programm in Java with Kinect to detect the human gestures and movements.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- * 2015 Code PSU, 3rd Prize
- * 2016 Reality Virtually MIT Hackathon, Top 10 Finalist
- * 2017 USens Developer Challenge, Top 10 Finalist
- *2018 explorAR accepted for inclusion in CHI 2018

RELATED COURSEWORK

Robotics: Perception - University of Pennsylvania (Earned Certificate on Coursera)

Neural Networks and Deep Learning - Deep Learning.Al (Earned Certificate on Coursera)

Udacity Self-Driving Car Engineer Nanodegree(Ongoing)