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Face Detection and Estimation through a JavaScript Library:
Constrained Local Models Tracker

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Abstract

My topic for the Senior Project in the Spring is based off the research done by Professor Papoutsaki at Pomona College. Her work heavily relies on Computer Vision. A product of her research can be seen in her WebGazer online application (viewable on her personal website), which uses JavaScript to map the user's gaze location to a point on the screen in real-time.

Summary of what the paper will be covering

1. Improving CLM Tracker
2. Uses JS and HTML to track the face
3. MUCT dataset and others
4. "In this paper, we will explore the shortcomings of the library and offer potential improvements to the existing code."

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