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FAIR Labs, Meta AI

EXPERIENCE

Meta AI, Menlo Park, USA

- Senior Research Scientist (FAIR Labs) 2022.8 ~ present
- Research Scientist (FAIR Labs) 2021.8 ~ 2022.8
- Research Intern 2020.5 ~ 2021.5

Microsoft, Redmond, USA

- Research Intern 2017.6 ~ 2017.8

MediaTek, Taipei, Taiwan

- Senior Software Engineer 2010.9 ~ 2014.5

EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, USA

- Ph.D. in Computer Science: Language and Information Technologies 2016.8 ~ 2021.7
- M.S. in Computer Science: Language and Information Technologies 2014.8 ~ 2016.7
 - Rank: 1/40, Top 1%, GPA: 4.21 /4.33
 - Advisor: Alexander G. Hauptmann

National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan

- M.S. in Computer Engineering 2003.9 ~ 2007.6
 - Rank 3/127, Top 2%, GPA: 4.00/4.00
- B.S. in Electrical Engineering 2003.9 ~ 2007.6
 - GPA: 3.87/4.00

PUBLICATION

(Selected)

- “The Llama 3 herd of models (Llama3),” Llama 3 Team.
- “Chameleon: Mixed-modal early-fusion foundation models,” Chameleon Team (Joint first author).
- “VoiceCraft: Zero-Shot Speech Editing and Text-to-Speech in the Wild,” P. Peng, Po-Yao Huang, D. Li, A. Mohamed, D. Harwath. ACL 24.
- “Dinov2: Learning robust visual features without supervision,” Dinov2 Team. JMLR Jan 24.
- “Altogether: Image Captioning via Re-aligning Alt-text,” H Xu, Po-Yao Huang, XE Tan et al., EMNLP 24.
- “Demystifying clip data (MetaCLIP),” H. Xu, S. Xie, X. Tan, Po-Yao Huang, R. Howes, V. Sharma, S. Li, G. Ghosh, L. Zettlemoyer, C. Feichtenhofer, ICLR 24.
- “SeamlessM4T-Massively Multilingual & Multimodal Machine Translation,” Seamless Team. Nature.
- “Hiera: A Hierarchical Vision Transformer without the Bells-and-Whistles,” C Ryali, YT Hu, D Bolya, C Wei, H Fan, PY Huang, et al. ICML 23.
- “Diffusion Models as Masked Autoencoders,” C. Wei, K. Mangalam, Po-Yao Huang, Y. Li, H. Fan, H. Xu, H. Wang, C. Xie, A. Yuille, C. Feichtenhofer, ICCV 23.
- “CiT: Curation in Training for Effective Vision-Language Data,” H. Xu, S. Xie, Po-Yao Huang, L. Yu, R. Howes, G. Ghosh, L. Zettlemoyer. ICCV 23.
- “MAViL: Masked Audio-Video Learners,” Po-Yao Huang, V. Sharma, H. Xu, C. Ryali, H. Fan, Y. Li, S. Li, G. Ghosh, J. Malik, C. Feichtenhofer. NeurIPS 23.
- “Masked Autoencoders that Listen,” Po-Yao Huang, H. Xu, J. Li, A. Baevski, M. Auli, W. Galuba, F. Metze, C. Feichtenhofer. NeurIPS 22.
- “Video Pivoting Unsupervised Multi-Modal Machine Translation,” M. Li, Po-Yao Huang, X. Chang, J. Hu, Y. Yang, A. Hauptmann. IEEE T-PAMI 22.

- “On adversarial robustness of large-scale audio visual learning,” J. Li, S. Qu, X. Li, Po-Yao Huang, F. Metze. ICASSP 22 (Best Student Paper).
- “Multilingual Multimodal Pre-training for Zero-Shot Cross-Lingual Transfer of Vision-Language Models,” Po-Yao Huang*, M. Patrick*, J. Hu, G. Neubig, F. Metze, A. Hauptmann, NAACL 21.
- “Cm3: A causal masked multimodal model of the internet,” A. Aghajanyan, Po-Yao Huang, C. Ross, V. Karpukhin, H. Xu, N. Goyal, D. Okhonko, M. Joshi, G. Ghosh, M. Lewis, L. Zettlemoyer
- “Videoclip: Contrastive pre-training for zero-shot video-text understanding,” H. Xu, G. Ghosh, Po-Yao Huang, A. Aghajanyan, F. Metze, L. Zettlemoyer, C. Feichtenhofer. EMNLP 21.
- “Support-set bottlenecks for video-text representation learning,” M. Patrick*, Po-Yao Huang*, Y. Asano*, F. Metze, A. Hauptmann, J. Henriques, A. Vedaldi. ICLR 21.
- “Self-supervised Deep Correlation Tracking,” D. Yuan, X. Chang, Po-Yao Huang, Q. Liu, Z. He, IEEE TIP 21.
- “Space-time crop & attend: Improving cross-modal video representation learning,” M. Patrick*, Po-Yao Huang*, I. Misra, F. Metze, A. Vedaldi, Y. Asano, J. F Henriques. ICCV 21.
- “Argus: Efficient activity detection system for extended video analysis,” W. Liu*, G. Kang*, Po-Yao Huang*, et al. WACV 20.
- “Unsupervised Multimodal Neural Machine Translation with Pseudo Visual Pivoting,” Po-Yao Huang, J. Hu, X. Chang, A. Hauptmann. ACL 20.
- “Annotation Efficient Cross-Modal Retrieval with Adversarial Attentive Alignment,” Po-Yao Huang, G. Kang, W. Liu, X. Chang, A. Hauptmann, ACM MM 2019.
- “Multi-Head Attention with Diversity for Learning Grounded Multilingual Multimodal Representations,” Po-Yao Huang, X. Chang, A. Hauptmann. EMNLP 19.
- “Attention-based Multimodal Neural Machine Translation,” Po-Yao Huang, F. Liu, S. Shiang, C. Dyer. WMT 16

PATENT

- A. Hauptmann, Po-Yao Huang, P. Sahin, “Multi-model Monitoring and Coaching System to Promote Proper Asthma Inhaler Technique” U.S. Patent, 62/708,345, Aug 2019
- A. Hauptmann, L. Jiang and Po-Yao Huang, “Large-Scale Video Content Retrieval System Through Text Query.” U.S. Patent, 15/769,233, Oct 2018

PROJECT

- [FAIR Labs] Multimodal Large Language Model: Develop the generative causal masked multimodal models (Chameleon) which are trained on large-scale structured multi-modal documents containing both web-crawled text and image tokens.
- [FAIR Labs] Multimodal Self-Supervised Learning: Self-supervised representation learning from audio spectrograms, video, text. Recent project Audio-MAE sets new state-of-the-art performance on six audio and speech classification tasks. [Demo](#), [IEEE Spectrum News coverage](#).
- [CMU] Recognition of Activities in Extended Video (ActEV/DIVA): Developing video analysis system detecting activities in surveillance scenarios.

SERVICE

- Reviewer: NAACL, EMNLP, ACL, EMNLP, ICLR, ACM MM
- Area Chair: ACM MM, NAACL

HONOR & AWARD

- 1st Place in TRECVID-ActEV challenge 2020
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- 1st Place in TREC-Incident Streams challenge 2019
- 2nd Place in Kinetics-800 Action Recognition Challenge in ActivityNet 2019
- 1st Place in ActEV 2019 challenge in ActivityNet 2019
- 2nd Place in TRECVID-AVS (Ad-hoc Video Search) challenge 2018
- 5th Place in Moment in Time Challenge 2018
- 2nd Place in Google Youtube 8M Challenge 2017
- Siebel Scholar 2016 (Top CS/Business students in top graduate schools worldwide)