

# Workshop\_1\_Walkthrough

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## 1 COMPSCI 3315 WORKSHOP

### 2 Green-screen point processing

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#### 2.1 0 - Mount Google Drive to Google Colab (If you use Google Colab for the Workshop)

Give Google Colab the permission to explore and use our Google Drive

```
[1]: # from google.colab import drive
      # drive.mount('/content/drive')
```

Please upload the Workshop 1's images in the directory as shown below:

My Drive

- Colab Notebooks
- workshop1\_imgs

```
[2]: IMG_PATH = "/content/drive/MyDrive/Colab Notebooks/workshop1_imgs"
```

If you use your own computer, please use this line below:

```
[3]: IMG_PATH = "./imgs/"
```

## 2.2 1 - Load libraries

```
[4]: # Matplotlib is for visualization
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
# Numpy is for computation
import numpy as np
# OpenCV (cv2) is for Computer Vision tools
import cv2
# os is for manipulating paths
import os
```

## 3 Additional function to display image by using matplotlib

```
[5]: def display(img, caption=''):
    # Show image using pyplot
    plt.figure()
    plt.imshow(img)
    plt.title(caption)
    plt.axis('off')
    plt.show()
```

```
[6]: def display_with_figsize(img, figsize=(10,10), caption=''):
    # Show image using pyplot with chosen figsize
    plt.figure(figsize=figsize)
    # Convert from BGR to RGB
    plt.imshow(cv2.cvtColor(img, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB))
    plt.title(caption)
    plt.axis('off')
    plt.show()
```

### 3.1 2 - Load the given image

```
[7]: img_name = "12.jpg"
img_file_path = os.path.join(IMG_PATH, img_name)
```

```
[8]: img = cv2.imread(img_file_path)
display_with_figsize(img)
print(img.shape)
```



(480, 852, 3)

### 3.2 3 - Convert image from RGB format to HSV format.

Why we use HSV instead of RGB?

<https://dsp.stackexchange.com/questions/2687/why-do-we-use-the-hsv-colour-space-so-often-in-vision-and-image-processing>

```
[9]: img_hsv = cv2.cvtColor(img, cv2.COLOR_BGR2HSV)
     print(img_hsv[1,1,0])
```

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Reference: <https://www.google.com/url?sa=i&url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.ncl.ucar.edu%2FDocument%2FGraph>

```
[10]: mask1 = img_hsv[:, :, 0] < 52 # the 3rd index in img_hsv: 0 - hue, 1 - saturation, 2 - value
     print(mask1.sum())
```

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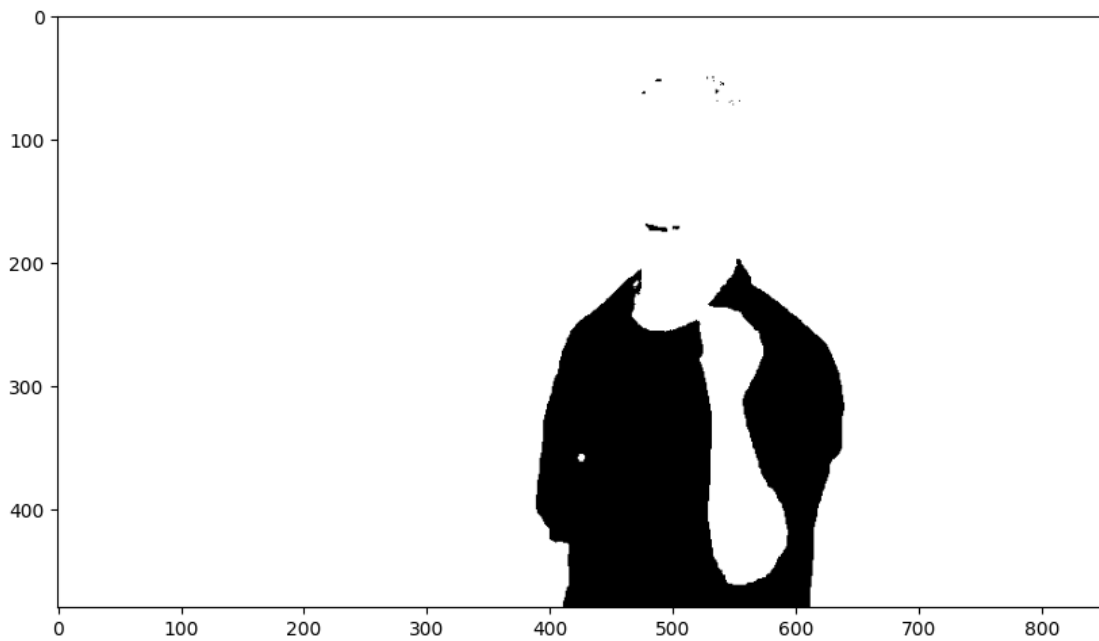
```
[11]: mask1
```

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[11]: array([[ True,  True,  True, ...,  True,  True,  True],
          [ True,  True,  True, ...,  True,  True,  True],
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[ True,  True,  True, ...,  True,  True,  True],
...,
[ True,  True,  True, ...,  True,  True,  True],
[ True,  True,  True, ...,  True,  True,  True],
[ True,  True,  True, ...,  True,  True,  True]])
```

```
[12]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 10))
plt.imshow(mask1, cmap="gray")
```

```
[12]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x7f082b351af0>
```

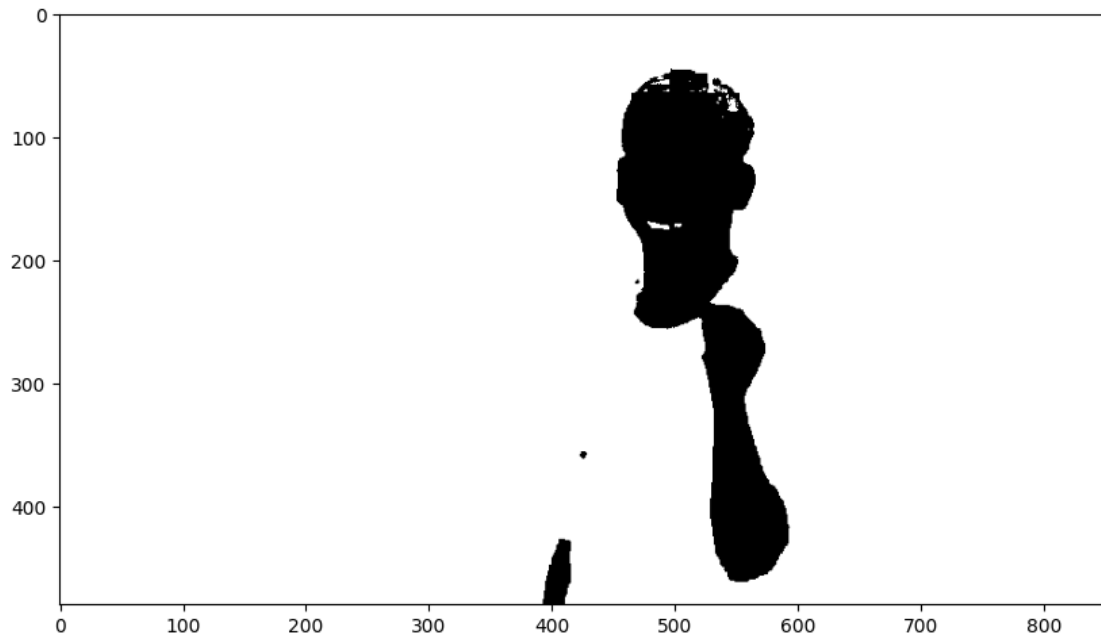


```
[13]: mask2 = img_hsv[:, :, 0] > 35
print(mask2.sum())
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```
[14]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 10))
plt.imshow(mask2, cmap="gray")
```

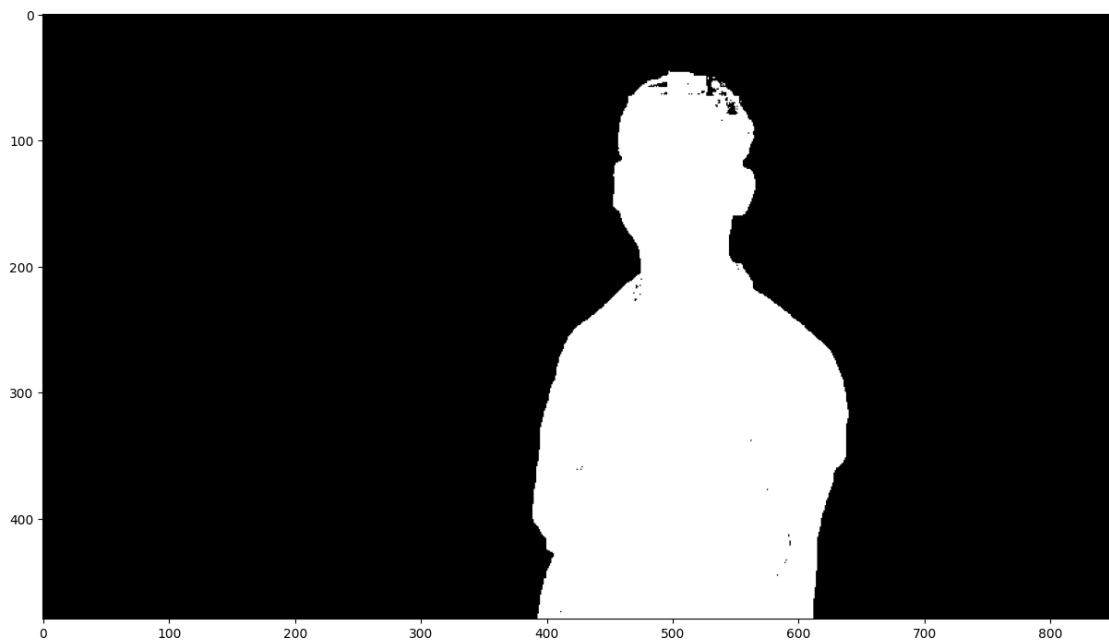
```
[14]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x7f0804083fd0>
```



```
[15]: mask = mask1.astype("int") + mask2.astype("int")  
      human_mask = mask < 2
```

```
[16]: plt.figure(figsize=(15, 15))  
      plt.imshow(human_mask, cmap="gray")
```

```
[16]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x7f07f67ccc10>
```



### 3.3 4 - Morphology

#### 3.3.1 Closing

Section 3.3.3 in Richard Szeliski's Computer Vision: Algorithms and Applications, 2nd edition.

Reference: <https://www.google.com/url?sa=i&url=https%3A%2F%2Fpyimagesearch.com%2F2021%2F04%2F28%2Fmorphological-operations%2F&psig=AOvVaw2w2e-NjT0Q48AjrsVMBmLL&ust=1678865495349000&source=ima>

```
[17]: kernel = np.ones((7, 7), dtype=np.uint8)
      closing = cv2.morphologyEx(np.float32(human_mask), cv2.MORPH_CLOSE, kernel)
      closing = closing.astype(np.uint8)
      # display(closing * 255, "mask")
      plt.figure(figsize=(15, 15))
      plt.imshow(closing, cmap="gray")
```

```
[17]: <matplotlib.image.AxesImage at 0x7f07f674dd30>
```



```
[18]: closing_mask = np.repeat(closing[:, :, np.newaxis], 3, axis=2)
      print(closing_mask.shape)
```

```
(480, 852, 3)
```

```
[19]: segmented_actor = img * closing_mask  
display_with_figsize(segmented_actor, figsize=(15, 15), caption="Segmented_  
↪Actor")
```

Segmented Actor



```
[20]: segmented_actor.shape
```

```
[20]: (480, 852, 3)
```

### 3.4 5 - Compositing (The fun part)

```
[21]: img_name = "underwater.png"  
background = cv2.imread(os.path.join(IMG_PATH, img_name))  
resized_background = cv2.resize(background, (852, 480))  
display_with_figsize(resized_background, figsize=(15, 15))  
resized_background.shape
```



[21]: (480, 852, 3)

```
[22]: segmented_background = (1 - closing_mask) * resized_background  
display_with_figsize(segmented_background, figsize=(15, 15))
```





```
[23]: result = segmented_actor + segmented_background  
display_with_figsize(result, figsize=(15, 15))
```



### 3.5 Extra parts - Post-processing

The result looks kind of lame, right? How about we use Gaussian filter to make it better.

```
[24]: blurred_result = cv2.GaussianBlur(result, (3,3), 0)  
display_with_figsize(blurred_result, figsize=(15, 15))
```



## 4 Some fun results

Note: To make result imaged look good, the original background image should have the same aspect ratio (w:h) as the foreground image (852:480). For example: (852:480), (1278:720), (1704:960), etc. You can use Paint to crop the background images first and use them in this notebook.

```
[25]: def blend(segmented_actor, background, ksize=(3,3), figsize=(10, 10)):
        resized_background = cv2.resize(background, (852, 480))
        segmented_background = (1 - closing_mask) * resized_background
        result = segmented_actor + segmented_background
        blurred_result = cv2.GaussianBlur(result, ksize, 0)
        display_with_figsize(blurred_result, figsize)
```

```
[26]: img_name = "underwater.png"
        background = cv2.imread(os.path.join(IMG_PATH, img_name))
        bg = cv2.imread(os.path.join(IMG_PATH, img_name))
        blend(segmented_actor, bg, ksize=(3,3), figsize=(15, 15))
```



## 5 Results from previous courses

```
[27]: # bg = cv2.imread('bts.jpg')  
      # blend(segmented_actor, bg, ksize=(3,3), figsize=(10, 10))
```

```
[28]: # bg = cv2.imread('avenger.jpg')  
      # blend(segmented_actor, bg, ksize=(3,3), figsize=(10, 10))
```

```
[29]: # bg = cv2.imread('yourname.jpg')  
      # blend(segmented_actor, bg, ksize=(5,5), figsize=(10, 10))
```

```
[30]: # bg = cv2.imread('yibo.jpg')  
      # blend(segmented_actor, bg, ksize=(3,3), figsize=(10, 10))
```

## 6 It's your turn to play with this notebook!

You can find funny foregrounds by searching on Google: “green screen character”, “green screen actor”, “green screen anime”, etc.