Carlos Gálvez

PERSONAL INFORMATION

DATE OF BIRTH

December 29th 1991

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Spanish

EXPERIENCE

APR 2017 - PRESENT

Software Developer - Perception at Zenuity, Sweden

Design and implementation of a fast prototyping vehicle platform to accelerate the development of self-driving cars. CAN/FlexRay/Ethernet vehicle interfacing. Software containerization using Docker. Continuous integration and automatic testing of software components in virtual environments. DrivePX 2 setup and deployment.

ROS-based real-time visualization.

Aug 2015 - Apr 2017

Software Developer - Sensor Fusion at VOLVO CAR CORPORATION, Sweden

Development of algorithms for sensor data fusion, including lidar, radar and camera, in the context of Volvo Cars' autonomous driving project Drive Me. Experience in high-perfomance computing, safety-critical code as well as the ISO 26262 standard.

Agile development and continuous integration workflow.

JUN 2014 - JUL 2014

Research Engineer at Computer Vision and Active Perception Lab, KTH, Sweden Development of an autonomous robot to perform 3D mapping with RGBD cameras in hardly accesible environments. Based on ROS, OpenCV and PCL.

OCT 2012 - OCT 2013

Fellowship at SIGNALS AND SYSTEMS DEPARTMENT, ETSIT-UPM, Spain

Development of a vision-based parking occupancy estimation system, using OpenCV and Qt libraries. Involved in the national project Ciudad 2020, related to smart cities. Scientific paper published at IET-ITS [2].

EDUCATION

OCT 2016 - PRESENT

Self-Driving Car Engineer Nanodegree

Deep Learning, Computer Vision, Sensor Fusion, Localization and Mapping, Control.

Aug 2013 - Jun 2015

Systems, Control and Robotics, MSc

KTH ROYAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, Stockholm, Sweden. Master's Thesis on Sensor Fusion for Autonomous Driving [1]. Advisor: Prof. John Folkesson, Examiner: Prof. Patric Jensfelt.

GPA: A.

Aug 2013 - Jun 2015

Civilingenjörsutbilding, MSc Electrical Engineering

KTH ROYAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, Stockholm, Sweden.

Jul 2014 - Aug 2014

Tohoku University Engineering Summer Programme (TESP)

TOHOKU UNIVERSITY, Sendai, Japan.

Lectures and seminars related to Robotics. Project: lidar-based obstacle avoidance.

SEP 2009 - JUN 2015

Telecommunication Engineering, (5-year programme, MSc accredited by ABET)

E.T.S.I. TELECOMUNICACIÓN, UNIVERSIDAD POLITÉCNICA DE MADRID, Spain.

GPA: 9.20/10.0.

PROJECTS

JAN 2017 - FEB 2017	Vision-based lane marking and vehicle detection for autonomous driving . Application of Computer Vision and Machine Learning techniques.
DEC 2016 - JAN 2017	Behavioral cloning for autonomous driving. Application of Convolutional Neural Networks to predict steering angle from images.
Nov 2016 - Dec 2016	Traffic sign recognition using Deep Learning. Achieved 95.8% accuracy on test set.
Mar 2015 - Jun 2015	Face detector. Image-based, combining Adaboost and Deep Learning.
OCT 2014 - DEC 2014	Maze exploration robot. Control, 3D object recognition, mapping, localization and planning.
SEP 2012 - JAN 2013	Augmented Reality mobile application. Real-time visual tracking and control of robots.
SEP 2011 - JAN 2012	Adversarial learning through genetic algorithms. Predator-prey robot learning simulation.

HONOURS AND AWARDS

2015	Winner of the robot contest for the course <i>Robotics and Autonomous Systems</i> .
2009 - 2013	Extraordinary Academic Performance Scholarship (Madrid Government).
2009	Highest Honours in High School. Best academic record (GPA: 10.0/10.0).

LANGUAGES

SPANISH: Mothertongue
ENGLISH: Fluent TOEFL iBT: 110/120, September 2012 (Spain)
SWEDISH: Advanced CEFR: B2, June 2015 (Sweden)

COMPUTER SKILLS

PROFICIENT | C/C++, Python, Docker, MATLAB & SIMULINK, OpenCV, PCL, ROS.

INTERMEDIATE | Java, CMake, OpenGL, OpenCL, CUDA, Qt, Bash, Git, Gerrit, 上上X, Linux.

BASIC | HTML, CSS, JavaScript, J2EE, SQL, Android, ASM, VHDL.

GitHub repository: https://github.com/carlosgalvezp

INTERESTS

Travelling, photography, hiking, cycling, reading, movies, music. Learning through online courses (MOOC): Coursera, Udacity, edX, etc.

PUBLICATIONS

- [1] **C. Gálvez.** "Grid-Based Multi-Sensor Fusion for On-Road Obstacle Detection: Application to Autonomous Driving". M.S. Thesis. KTH, Computer Vision and Active Perception, CVAP, 2015.
- [2] **C. Gálvez**, J. Torres, and J. M. Menéndez. "Vacant parking area estimation through background subtraction and transience map analysis". In: *IET Intelligent Transport Systems* 9.9 (2015), pp. 835–841.