

# Computer Vision Systems Programming VO Computer Vision: Past, Present, Future

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## **Topics**

Selection of past, present, future CV algorithms and applications



mages from LeCun et al. 1989, Shotton et al. 2011, Taigman et al. 2013

## What is CV?

Make computers understand images and videos

▶ Different levels of understanding

#### CV is hard

► Inverse (ill-posed) problem

Still, CV has been successfully used in a variety of applications

- ► This lecture introduces a few
- More detailed discussion in upcoming lecturers



### 1963: Pose Estimation

Blocks World by Larry Roberts

Edge based pose estimation of polyhedra

Marks the Advent of CV







Image from Roberts' thesis

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