ELAD HOFFER

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Born in Israel, 11 October 1986

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PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Computer Vision, Signal Processing

WORK EXPERIENCE

2013–Present Visual Algorithms and Neural Networks, CVG

Intel Researching and developing Deep Learning capabilities for computer-vision

tasks. Part of the Algorithms team in Intel's Computer-Vision Group.

2011-2013 Emulation student, Network Division

Intel Created FPGA prototypes and automation scripts for emulation of network

devices.

2005-2009 Commanding Officer, Artillery Corps

IDF Rank: Captain (Reserve duty)

Served as a battery commander (artillery), leading 90 soldiers.

Currently serves on active reserve duty.

EDUCATION

2014-Present Technion, Israel Institute of Technology

MSc Electrical Engineering

Research: Deep Learning of Representations

Description: My research explores the machine learning technique known as "Deep Learning" which uses artificial neural networks to learn useful data

representations.

Advisor: Prof. Nir Ailon

2010-2014 Technion, Israel Institute of Technology

BSc Electrical Engineering

GPA: 90 · Cum Laude

Specialized in Computer Engineering, Signal Processing.

Final Project: Real-Time Movie Subtitles Extraction - using image processing

and computer-vision techniques.

2004 High-school "Itzhak Rabin", Gan-Yavne

Graduated with honors

Studied Computer Science and Physics Final Project: Handwriting Recognition.

PUBLICATIONS

December

Deep metric learning using Triplet network

ICLR 2015 Workshop contirbution

Programming

In this paper we propose the deep triplet network model, which aims to learn useful representations by distance comparisons. We demonstrate using various datasets that our model learns a better representation than that of its immediate competitor, the Siamese network, and discuss future possible usage as a framework for unsupervised learning.

Authors: Elad Hoffer, Nir Ailon

COMPUTER SKILLS

Environments Linux, Microsoft Windows, Microsoft Office

Other Torch ML-library, Open-CV, LATEX, FPGA synt. (Altera, Xilinx)

OTHER INFORMATION

Awards 2010-2013 · Dean's honor list - Technion Electrical Engineering Dept.

C++, Matlab , Lua ,python, Perl, Erlang, Verilog

Languages Hebrew · Native

English · Fluent

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