Yuki M. Asano

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Research interests

computer vision, privacy, bias, self-supervision, multi-modal learning (video, audio, text)

Professional Experience

University of Amsterdam

Amsterdam, NL

Oct. 2021 -

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Assistant Professor in Computer Vision and Machine Learning and Science Manager of the QUVA Lab

• Co-supervision of 6 PhD students with C.G.M. Snoek, M. Welling, E. Gavves

EDUCATION

University of Oxford

Oxford, UK

DPhil in Autonomous Intelligent Machines and Systems @ Visual Geometry Group (VGG)

Oct. 2017 - Sep. 2021

- Supervisor: Andrea Vedaldi; Examiners: Philip Torr, Phillip Isola

• Result: 'no corrections' (highest award possible)

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

According to Google scholar, my publications have ≈800 citations and my h-index is 10. *: joint first.

Self-supervised object detection from audio-visual correspondence

T. Afouras*, YM. Asano*, F. Fagan, A. Vedaldi, F. Metze

IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2022. [cited: 10x]

Keeping Your Eye on the Ball: Trajectory Attention in Video Transformers

M. Patrick*, D. Campbell*, YM. Asano*, I. Misra, F. Metze, C. Feichenhofer, A. Vedaldi, JF. Henriques

Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) [Oral], 2021. [cited: 38x]

Support-set bottlenecks for video-text representation learning.

M. Patrick*, PY. Huang*, YM. Asano*, F. Metze, A. Hauptmann, JF. Henriques, A. Vedaldi

International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR) [Spotlight], 2021 [cited: 82x]

Bias Out-of-the-Box: An Empirical Analysis of Intersectional Occupational Biases in Popular Generative Language Models

H. Kirk, Y. Jun, H. Iqbal, E. Benussi, F. Volpin, FA. Dreyer, A. Shtedritski, YM. Asano

Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2021. [cited: 13x]

PASS: An ImageNet replacement for self-supervised pretraining without humans

YM. Asano, C. Rupprecht, A. Zisserman, A. Vedaldi

Neural Information Processing Systems Track on Datasets and Benchmarks (NeurIPS-Data), 2021 [cited: 6x]

Self-labelling via simultaneous clustering and representation learning

YM. Asano, C. Rupprecht, and A. Vedaldi

International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR) [Spotlight], 2020. [cited: 323x]

A critical analysis of self-supervision, or what we can learn from a single image

YM. Asano, C. Rupprecht, and A. Vedaldi

International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2020. [cited: 108x]

Selected Awards and funding

2021 Awarded ELLIS membership

2x Google Academic Research Credits Program (PI, Co-PI), USD2K

2020 AWS Machine Learning Research Award (Co-PI with Christian Rupprecht and PI Andrea Vedaldi), USD80K Qualcomm Innovation Fellowship Winner 2020 (PI), USD40K

SELECTED WORK EXPERIENCE

Facebook AI Research: Intern & Contractor; worked with A. Joulin	Jun. 2020 – Feb. 2021
TransferWise: Machine Learning Intern & Contractor	Mar 2017 – Jan. 2019
Rakuten: Cloud Infrastructure Engineering Intern	Aug. 2015 – Sep. 2015
McKinsey & Company: Fellow Intern	Apr. 2015 – Aug. 2015

SERVICE TO THE ACADEMIC COMMUNITY

Area Chair:

2022 ECCV, NeurIPS, CVIU

Reviewer:

2022 CVPR, ICML, ECCV, IJCV, NeurIPS, ACM Multimedia

 $2021~{\rm CVPR,~(outstanding~reviewer),~NeurIPS~Track~on~Datasets~\&~Benchmarks,}$

TPAMI, IJCV, NeurIPS workshops (3x): SSL Theory and Practice, Pregistration of Experiments, ImageNet PPF 2020 ACCV, NeurIPS workshops (2x): SSL Theory and Practice; Pregistration of Experiments

Organiser:

Self-supervised Learning - What is Next? ECCV'20, ECCV'22