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EDUCATION

University of Southern California (USC), Los Angeles, CA, USA	08/2021 - Present
PhD in Computer Science	
• Advisor: Prof. Shri Narayanan	
University of Southern California (USC), Los Angeles, CA, USA	08/2021 - Present
MSc in Computer Science	
• Current GPA: 4.0 /4.0	
National Technical University of Athens (NTUA), Athens, Greece	09/2015 - 10/2020
BSc & MEng in Electrical and Computer Engineering (5-year joint degree; 300 ECTS)	
• Cumulative GPA: 9.56 /10.0	
• Major: Computer Science	
• Thesis advisor: <u>Prof. Alexandros Potamianos</u>	

Professional & Research Experience

 Graduate Research assistant, SAIL, USC, Los Angeles, CA, USA Carrying out research in Affective Behavioral Analysis 	05/2021 – Present
 Machine Learning engineer, Behavioral Signals, Los Angeles, CA, USA Worked on speaker diarization in a call center, achieving near-perfect accuracy Worked on feature engineering and modeling of speakers in phone calls Worked on ML model deployment 	12/2020 - 07/2021
 Undergraduate Research assistant, SLP group, NTUA, Greece Carried out research in classification in low-data regimes Developed novel framework for generative Zero-shot Learning 	03/2020 - 11/2020
Research intern, IIT, NCSR Demokritos, GreeceCarried out research in Remote Sensing applications of Computer Vision	10/2019 - 06/2020
 Machine Learning intern, SCiO, Lefkippos Attica Technology Park, Greece Built dataset with relevant features and model for rice cultivation in India 	07/2019 - 08/2019

PAPERS

- **G. Chochlakis**, T. Srinivasan, J. Thomason, S. Narayanan. VAuLT: Augmenting the Vision-and-Language Transformer with the Propagation of Deep Language Representations. Under review (arXiv preprint arXiv:2208.09021)
- T. Srinivasan, T.Y. Chang, L.L.P. Alva, **G. Chochlakis**, M. Rostami, J. Thomason. CLiMB: A Continual Learning Benchmark for Vision-and-Language Tasks. Under review (arXiv preprint arXiv:2206.09059)
- G. Chochlakis, E. Georgiou, A. Potamianos. End-to-end Generative Zero-shot Learning via Few-shot Learning. arXiv preprint arXiv:2102.04379.
- **G. Chochlakis**, E. Panagiotou, L. Grammatikopoulos, E. Charou. Generating Elevation Surface from a Single RGB Remotely Sensed Image using Deep Learning. Remote Sensing, 12(12):2002, June 2020

SKILLS

Languages	English (fluent), Greek (native), French (intermediate), Spanish (basic)
Programming	Python, C/C++, JavaScript, Java, HTML, CSS, SQL
Software Tools	PyTorch, NumPy, Matplotlib, Git, VSCode