Giulio Zhou

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Education

Carnegie Mellon University (Pittsburgh, PA)

08/2017 - present

PhD, Computer Science

University of California, Berkeley (Berkeley, CA)

08/2012 - 12/2016

Bachelor of Arts, Computer Science

GPA: 3.893 / 4.0

Relevant Coursework: Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Computer Vision, Deep Reinforcement Learning, Probability and Random Processes, Operating Systems, Computer Networking, Database Systems.

Research Experience

Intel Center for Visual Cloud Systems (Advisers: Dave Andersen, Michael Kaminsky)

08/2017 - present

- Work on enabling fine-grained video analysis with minimal human supervision.
- Focus on low-shot learning of object detectors in video using ensembling, model distillation, and tracking.

Real-time Intelligent and Secure Execution (RISE) Lab (Adviser: Joseph Gonzalez) 05/2016 - 12/2016

- Worked on Clipper, a system for online, low-latency machine learning model serving.
- Benchmarked Clipper's RPC system, demonstrating throughput and latency parity with Tensorflow Serving.
- Explored the use of classification and hypothesis testing techniques for online model retraining.

Berkeley Artificial Intelligence Research Lab (Adviser: Stuart Russell)

03/2015 - 12/2016

- Worked on sampling algorithms for Bayesian LOGic (BLOG), an open-universe probabilistic modeling language.
- Implemented a Gaussian Mixture Model (with temporal and spatial constraints) for background subtraction that achieves comparable accuracy to OpenCV's state-of-the-art background subtraction libraries. Submitted as part of DARPA's Probabilistic Programming for Advancing Machine Learning (PPAML) program.

Publications

Clipper: A Low-Latency Online Prediction Serving System

Daniel Crankshaw, Xin Wang, ${\bf Giulio~Zhou},$ Michael J. Franklin, Joseph E. Gonzalez, Ion Stoica.

USENIX Symposium on Networked Systems Design and Implementation (NSDI), 2017.

EDF: Ensemble, Distill, and Fuse for Easy Video Labeling (Under Submission)

Giulio Zhou, Subramanya R. Dulloor, David G. Andersen, Michael Kaminsky.

Scaling Video Analytics on Constrained Edge Nodes (Under Submission)

Christopher Canel, Thomas Kim, **Giulio Zhou**, Conglong Li, Hyeontaek Lim, David G. Andersen, Michael Kaminsky, Subramanya R. Dulloor.

Industry Experience

Google Inc., Google Keyboard (Software Engineer)

03/2017 - 08/2017

- Created infrastructure to support analytics data pipelines and interactive data visualization.
- Automated the generation, management and evaluation of Google Keyboard test sets.

Google Inc., Display Ad Automation (Software Engineering Intern)

05/2015 - 08/2015

• Built a backend pipeline for automated text-to-image matching for internationalized display ads.

Teaching Experience

CS 189/289A, Introduction to Machine Learning (Fall 2016)

CS 61BL, Data Structures and Programming Methodology (Summer 2016)

CS 61B, Data Structures and Algorithms (Spring 2016)

Technical Skills

Programming Languages: Python, Java, C, C++, Rust, LATEX

Software/Frameworks: Caffe, Tensorflow, OpenCV, Apache Spark, Hadoop MapReduce