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# **Professional Summary**

A machine learning researcher with hands-on expertise in developing **CUDA** kernels and advanced **quantization** and **compression** techniques for large language models, achieving **faster inference** and **reduced memory** usage. Skilled in deploying *optimized* **Transformers** and **State Space Models** across **edge** and **cloud** platforms, with proven gains in *speed* and *efficiency*. Passionate about transforming research innovations into scalable, production-ready AI systems.

## **Education**

# The University of Texas at Austin (UT)

Sep. 2021 - 2026 (anticipated)

Ph.D. in electrical and computer engineering

Affiliation: Energy-Aware Computing Group (EnyAC)

Research Direction: Efficient fine-tuning, model quantization, and computer vision

Advisor: Prof. Diana Marculescu

### **National Taiwan University (NTU)**

Sep. 2016 - Sep. 2018

M.S. in computer science (GPA: 3.87/4.3)

Affiliation: NVIDIA-NTU AI Lab

Research Direction: 3D vision and computer vision

Thesis title: A Unified Point-Based Framework for 3D Segmentation

Advisor: Prof. Winston Hsu

ETH Zurich Jan. 2015 - Sep. 2015

Undergraduate exchange student (2 nominees in NYCU CS college)

#### **National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University (NYCU)**

Sep. 2011 - Sep. 2015

B.S. in computer science (GPA: 4.08/4.3, rank 2/32) Program of computer and electrical engineering

# **Industrial Experience**

# Software Engineering Intern, Rivian, Palo Alto CA, USA

Jun. 2023 – Aug. 2023

• Neural Architecture Search (NAS) for 3D object detection

#### Research Scientist Intern, Amazon, Seattle (Remote), USA

May 2022 - Nov. 2022

- Image synthesis and generation for shoe virtual try-on with diffusion models
- The intern project was accepted in Amazon Machine Learning Conference (AMLC) as a long presentation: Shoe-ViTON: Detail-Preserving Virtual Shoe Try-On with Dual Conditional Diffusion Models.

#### Deep Learning Engineer, XYZ Robotics, Shanghai, China

Jun. 2019 - May 2021

• Develop production-level deep learning vision systems on logistic robots

- Deploy a deep learning pipeline (data uploading, downloading, labeling, and model training) on products with two team members
- Develop a multi-modal (image, depth, and normal) segmentation model for predicting picking areas on the objects
- Synthesize training data with Blender for unseen items to improve the model's generalization

# **Academic Experience**

## Graduate Research Assistant, UT, Texas, USA

Aug. 2021 – Now

Research Direction: Efficient fine-tuning, model quantization, and computer vision

# Research Assistant, NTU AI Research Center, Taipei, Taiwan

Oct. 2018 – Apr. 2019

Research Direction: 3D Vision and computer vision

# Master Student, NTU, Taiwan, Taipei

Sep. 2016 - Sep. 2018

3D point cloud semantic segmentation

- Proposed to optimize 2D image and 3D structural features in a unified point-based framework
- Our method was one of the top performing methods on ScanNet benchmark in 2018
- Second Place at the ScanNet benchmark and invited talk at ScanNet Indoor Scene Understanding Challenge workshop in CVPR 2019
- The work was published at 3DV 2019

#### 3D shape retrieval

- Proposed a cross-domain framework for image to 3D shape retrieval
- Proposed a new feature aggregation method to encode a 3D shape
- Our method has won second place at SHREC17 RGB-D to CAD retrieval competition in 2017
- The work was published at 3DV 2018

#### Netizen style commenting bot

- Proposed NetiLook dataset which contains 300K posts (photos) with 5M comments
- Fused the topic model with the commenting bot to generate netizen style comments
- The work was published at The Web Conference 2018

## **Honors and Awards**

- Engineering fellowship from The University of Texas at Austin graduate school, 2021
- Second place at ScanNet benchmark competition and invited talk at ScanNet Indoor Scene Understanding Challenge workshop in CVPR 2019
- Second place at SHREC17 RGB-D to CAD retrieval competition, 2017
- Taiwan Ministry of Education exchange scholarship, 2014
- Pan Wen-Yuan Foundation undergraduate scholarship (3 nominees in NCTU EE/CS), 2014
- Academic achievement award (for students at the top 5% in the class), 2014
- Research creativity award from the National Science Council, Taiwan, 2014

# **Programming Skills**

- Programming Language: Python, C/C++, CUDA
- Deep Learning Frameworks: Pytorch, Tensorflow, MXNet, ONNX
- Deep Learning Platforms: Nvidia Jetson Series, Google Edge TPU, Intel Neural Compute Stick

- CUDA Libraries: CUTLASS, cuBLAS, cuSPARSE, PTX
- Vision/Robotic Libraries: Robot Operating System (ROS), Point Cloud Library (PCL), OpenCV
- Development Tools: Docker, Cmake, PyLint, Pytest, MyPy, Google Test, Git
- Web Language: HTML, JQuery, Java Script, CSS
- Web Framework: Django, Bootstrap, React
- 3D Rendering Tools: Blender

#### References

- **Diana Marculescu**, Professor and Chair, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at The University of Texas at Austin
- Lizy Kurian John, Professor, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at The University of Texas at Austin
- Winston Hsu, Chief Technology Officer (CTO) and Vice President for MobileDrive (富智捷), Director of NVIDIA-NTU AI Lab; Professor, Department of Computer Science and Information Engineering, National Taiwan University, Taiwan
- Kai-Chiang Wu, Professor, Department of Computer Science, National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University, Taiwan
- Peter Kuan-Ting Yu, Chief Technology Officer (CTO) at XYZ Robotics, Shanghai, China

### Full Publications (\* Equal contribution)

#### Peer-Reviewed Conference Papers

- [C1] Chiang, H. Y., Chang, C. C., Frumkin, N., Wu, K. C., Abdelfattah, M. S., & Marculescu, D. (2025). Quamba2: A Robust and Scalable Post-training Quantization Framework for Selective State Space Models. In Proceedings of the Forty-Second International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML), Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
- [C2] Chiang, H. Y.\*, Chang, C. C.\*, Frumkin, N., Wu, K. C., & Marculescu, D. (2025). Quamba: A Post-Training Quantization Recipe for Selective State Space Models. In Proceedings of the Thirteenth International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), Singapore.
- [C3] Yang, Y., Chiang, H. Y., Li, G., Marculescu, D., & Marculescu, R. (2024). Efficient Low-Rank Backpropagation for Vision Transformer Adaptation. In Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 36, New Orleans, Louisiana, USA.
- [C4] Chiang, H. Y., Frumkin, N., Liang, F., & Marculescu, D. (2023). MobileTL: On-Device Transfer Learning with Inverted Residual Blocks. In Proceedings of the AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 37(6), pp. 7166–7174, Washington, DC, USA. (Oral)
- [C5] Chiang, H. Y., Lin, Y. L., Liu, Y. C., & Hsu, W. H. (2019). A Unified Point-Based Framework for 3D Segmentation. In Proceedings of the 2019 International Conference on 3D Vision (3DV), pp. 155–163, IEEE, Québec City, Québec, Canada.
- [C6] Lee, T., Lin, Y. L., Chiang, H. Y., Chiu, M. W., Hsu, W., & Huang, P. (2018). Cross-Domain Image-Based 3D Shape Retrieval by View Sequence Learning. In Proceedings of the 2018 International Conference on 3D Vision (3DV), pp. 258–266, IEEE, Verona, Italy. (Oral)
- [C7] Lin, W. H., Chen, K. T., Chiang, H. Y., & Hsu, W. (2018). Netizen-Style Commenting on Fashion Photos: Dataset and Diversity Measures. In Companion Proceedings of The Web Conference 2018 (WWW), pp. 395–402, Lyon, France.

- [W1] Menn, D., Liang, F., Chiang, H. Y., & Marculescu, D. (2025). Similarity Trajectories: Linking Sampling Process to Artifacts in Diffusion-Generated Images. In Proceedings of the Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision Workshop (WACVW) on Image/Video/Audio Quality in Computer Vision and Generative AI, Tucson, Arizona, USA.
- [W2] Yang, Y., Chiang, H. Y., Li, G., Marculescu, D., & Marculescu, R. (2024). Cache and Reuse: Rethinking the Efficiency of On-Device Transfer Learning. In Proceedings of the IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition Workshop (CVPRW) on Efficient Deep Learning for Computer Vision, pp. 8040–8049, Seattle, Washington, USA.
- [W3] Liu, C. H., Han, Y. S., Sung, Y. Y., Lee, Y., Chiang, H. Y., & Wu, K. C. (2021). FOX-NAS: Fast, On-Device and Explainable Neural Architecture Search. In Proceedings of the IEEE/CVF International Conference on Computer Vision Workshop (ICCVW) on Low-Power Computer Vision, pp. 789–797, Virtual.
- [W4] Hua, B. S., Truong, Q. T., Tran, M. K., Pham, Q. H., Kanezaki, A., Lee, T., Chiang, H. Y., ... & Yeung, S. K. (2017). SHREC'17: RGB-D to CAD Retrieval with ObjectNN Dataset. In Proceedings of the Eurographics Workshop on 3D Object Retrieval, pp. 25–32, Lyon, France.

#### Peer-Reviewed Workshop Papers (No Published Proceedings)

- [W5] Chi, T. Y., Chiang, H. Y., Chang, C. C., Huang, N. C., Wu, K. C., & Marculescu, D. (2024). QuaterMap: Efficient Post-Training Activation Pruning for Visual State Space Models. In 3<sup>rd</sup> Workshop on Efficient Systems for Foundation Models in Forty-Second International Conference on Machine Learning (ICMLW), Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
- [W6] Chi, T. Y., Chiang, H. Y., Chang, C. C., Huang, N. C., & Wu, K. C. (2024). V"Mean"ba: Visual State Space Models Only Need 1 Hidden Dimension. In Workshop on Machine Learning for Systems at Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPSW), Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
- [W7] Chiang, H. Y., & Marculescu, D. (2024). SCAN-Edge: Finding MobileNet-Speed Hybrid Networks for Commodity Edge Devices. In 5th Workshop on Practical Machine Learning for Limited/Low Resource Settings at International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLRW), Vienna, Austria.
- [W8] Lee, K. Y., Huang, H. F., Chiang, H. Y., Lee, H. C., Hsu, W. H., & Chen, W. C. (2019). Metadata-Augmented Neural Networks for Cross-Location Solar Irradiation Prediction from Satellite Images. In 5th Workshop on Mining and Learning from Time Series at the Conference on Knowledge Discovery and Data Mining (KDDW), Anchorage, Alaska, USA.

#### Technical Reports (No Published Proceedings)

[T1] Liu, Y. C., Huang, Y. K., Chiang, H. Y., Su, H. T., Liu, Z. Y., Chen, C. T., Tseng, C. Y., & Hsu, W. H. (2021). Learning from 2D: Contrastive Pixel-to-Point Knowledge Transfer for 3D Pretraining. arXiv preprint arXiv:2104.04687. (105 citations)