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EDUCATION

Master of Science, Computer Science

Aug 2022 - May 2024 Salt Lake City, UT

University of Utah GPA: 3.95/4.0

Thesis: Towards a fully automated framework for statistical shape modelling from images.

Relevant Coursework: Computer Vision, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Natural Language Processing,

Advanced Image Processing, Graduate Algorithms, Operating Systems

Bachelor of Technology, Engineering Physics

Aug 2015 – May 2019

Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee

Roorkee, India

SKILLS

Python	C#	Kotlin	TensorFlow	Git	Matlab	CSS
C++	Java	SQL	OpenCV	Unity	AWS	React
\mathbf{C}	Javascript	PyTorch	Docker	Blender	HTML	

WORK EXPERIENCE

Machine Learning Engineer

Oct 2021 – Aug 2022

Reliance Jio Infocomm

- Developed an iterative optimization method for estimating 3D body shape and pose from a Multi-View RGB setup. Enhanced body shape estimates by 30% using differential rendering.
- Led the design of character scene interaction models, enabling agents to execute basic human motions based on input control signals.
- Increased dataset scalability by 40% and reduced manual annotations by developing a Blender module for synthetic data generation for 3D vision tasks utilizing Blender's Python API.

Software Engineer - Computer Vision

Jun 2019 – Sep 2021

AjnaLens

- Facilitated seamless development on the AjnaLens AR Headset by developing a cross-platform Unity SDK featuring robust SLAM integration, enhanced visual rendering, and efficient input handling.
- Enhanced Spatial Mapping capabilities of the AR Headset by contributing to the development of a mesh-based reconstruction module from depth data.
- Extending the capabilities of AR Headset for spatial understanding and monocular RGB based 6D object pose estimation.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Graduate Research Assistant

Aug 2022 - July 2024

Scientific Computing and Imaging Institute, University of Utah

- Developed a deep learning architecture for Multi-Object Statistical Shape Modelling from 3D Volumetric Images, distinguished as the first to offer correspondences in image space.
- Conducted a comprehensive study to explore the effectiveness of semi-supervised and unsupervised segmentation methods, alongside foundational segmentation models, for Statistical Shape Modeling.
- Designed a deep learning framework for Shape Localization and Statistical Shape Modelling from 3D Volumetric Images, resulting in increased Shape Modelling accuracy by 15%.

Research Assistant

Jun 2020 - Jan 2022

Multimodal Perception Lab, IIIT Bangalore

- Constructed an image to image translation model based on pix2pixHD, using Pose Heatmap as intermediate pose representation for sign transfer (pose) between different subjects.
- Formulated an approach to enhance hand outputs by introducing a dedicated hand generator, considering the motion continuity, and incorporating a refinement network to optimize structural integrity.

Fundamental of Text Processing

Department of Biomedical Informatics, University of Utah

• Assisted professor in leading discussion sections, designing assignments and grading class participation for the graduate level course on Natural Language Processing in Biomedical domain.

PUBLICATIONS

- Janmesh Ukey, Tushar Kataria, and Shireen Y. Elhabian. MASSM: An end-to-end deep learning framework for multi-anatomy statistical shape modeling directly from images, arXiv preprint arXiv:2403.11008 (Accepted ShapeMI, MICCAI)
- J. Ukey and S. Elhabian. Localization-aware deep learning framework for statistical shape modeling directly from images. In *Medical Imaging with Deep Learning*, 2023
- Krishna S*, Janmesh U*, Jayagopi D. "GAN Based Indian Sign Language Synthesis",12th *Indian Conference on Computer Vision, Graphics and Image Processing* (ICVGIP), Jodhpur, India, December 2021.
- J. S. K. Patibandla, S. K. Adhikary and J. Ukey, "Augmented Reality for Assistive Maintenance and Real-Time Failure Analysis in Industries," 2020 2nd *International Conference on Innovative Mechanisms for Industry Applications* (ICIMIA), Bangalore, India, 2020, pp. 149 153.

PROJECTS

Scene Text Recognition

Fall 2023

guided by - Prof. Vivek Srikumar, Associate Professor, University of Utah

- Aim Developing a Deep Learning framework to extract text from images.
- Designed a neural network architecture that utilizes a Vision Transformer as an encoder and LSTM as a decoder for scene text recognition.
- Designed a neural network architecture that utilizes a Vision Transformer as encoder and a pretrained language model (BERT-Mini) as decoder for scene text recognition.

Road Object Detection

Spring 2023

guided by - Prof. Tolga Tasdizen, Professor, SCI Institute, University of Utah

- Aim Implement Road Object Detection for Autonomous Vehicle Navigation.
- Developed a two-stage Faster R-CNN-based neural network architecture for object detection and evaluated the performance across different backbones.
- Developed a one-stage Retina-Net based neural network architecture for object detection and evaluated the performance across different backbones.

High Performance Computing

Jan 2019 - April 2019

 $guided\ by\ -\ Prof.\ Arumugam\ Paramasivan,\ Associate\ Professor,\ IIT\ Roorkee$

- Aim Explore how parallel computation can help in solving complex physics problems.
- Designed an algorithm based on Nilsson Model, to calculate single energies of a particle as a function of deformation.
- Used OpenMPI and python parallelisation modules to explore various ways of computing in parallel and decrease the computational time of the complex Nilsson Model problem.
- Investigated the performance of different parallel algorithms for Nilsson Model problem on different machines (Intel Xeon 64 cores, Intel i9 8 cores and Intel i5 4 cores).

Spring 2024