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Areas of Expertise

Computer Vision, Deep Learning, Remote Sensing, Medical Imaging, Multimodal Integration

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1 Education

2005–2010 Ph.D. in Computer Science Washington University in St. Louis

Adviser: Robert Pless, Ph.D.

Thesis: Calibrating and Using the Global Network of Outdoor Webcams

1995–1999 B.S. in Computer Science (Minor in Mathematics) University of Missouri

Summa Cum Laude with Honors

2 Appointments and Affiliations

Active

| 2022– | Dept. of Computer Science & Engineering, Washington University St. Louis, MO |
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| Affiliated Faculty 2022– | Division of Computational & Data Sciences, Washington University St. Louis, MO |
| Affiliated Faculty 2022– | Imaging Science Program, Washington University St. Louis, MO |

Affiliated Faculty Electrical and Systems Engineering, Washington University 2023 -St. Louis, MO **Affiliated Faculty** AI for Health Institute, Washington University 2023 -St. Louis, MO **Associate Faculty** Taylor Geospatial Institute 2022 -St. Louis, MO **Faculty Scholar** Center for the Environment, Washington University 2023 -St. Louis, MO **Biodiversity Fellow** Living Earth Collaborative 2022-St. Louis, MO **Technical Consultant / Owner / Founder** Multidomain Vision Research, LLC 2019-present St. Louis, MO

Prior Professor (with Tenure) Dept. of Computer Science, University of Kentucky 2021-2022 Lexington, KY **Director of Graduate Studies (Data Science)** Dept. of Computer Science, University of Kentucky 2020-2022 Lexington, KY Institute for Biomedical Informatics, University of Kentucky Member 2017-2022 Lexington, KY **Associate Professor (with Tenure)** Dept. of Computer Science, University of Kentucky 2016-2021 Lexington, KY **Co-Department Chair (interim)** Dept. of Computer Science, University of Kentucky 2019-2020 Lexington, KY **Affiliated Faculty** Center for Visualization and Virtual Environments, University of Kentucky 2010-2019 Lexington, KY **Visiting Research Scientist (sabbatical)** Orbital Insight, Inc. 2017-2018 Mountain View, CA **Assistant Professor** Dept. of Computer Science, University of Kentucky 2010-2016 Lexington, KY **Computer Vision Research Intern** ObjectVideo, Inc. 2008 Reston, VA **Graduate Research Assistant** Dept. of Computer Science & Engineering, Washington University 2005-2010 St. Louis, MO

3 **Awards**

- Highlighted Reviewer Recognition (top 8%) [ICLR 2022]
- Outstanding Reviewer Recognition [BMVC 2021]
- Outstanding Reviewer Recognition (top 10%) [NeurIPS 2020]
- Outstanding Reviewer Recognition [ICCV 2019]

- University of Kentucky, College of Engineering Dean's Award for Excellence in Research [2018]
- Google Faculty Research Award [2018]
- Outstanding Reviewer Recognition [CVPR 2017]
- National Science Foundation CAREER Award [2016]
- Google Faculty Research Award [2016]
- Best Student Paper Award at Applied Imagery Pattern Recognition [2009]
- Ph.D. Forum Prize at the ACM/IEEE International Conference on Distributed Smart Cameras [2009]
- Best Talk Award for the Doctoral Student Seminar, Department of Computer Science, the Washington University in St. Louis, [Fall 2006]

4 Publications

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- [5] A. Dhakal, A. Ahmad, S. Khanal, S. Sastry, and N. Jacobs, *Sat2Cap: Mapping fine-grained textual descriptions from satellite images*, Jul. 2023. arXiv: 2307.15904 [cs.CV].

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 - * Industry: \$199,107
 - * Foundation: \$159,000
 - * Internal: \$45,315 (only includes competitively awarded funds)

This excludes a \$28,861,434 NIH CTSA grant, on which I don't deem my contribution essential to the success of this award.

Grants (awarded/active)

1. Learning-Based Visual Event Demarcation

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Co-PI(s)/Co-I(s): Anderson Rocha (UNICAMP)

Sponsor: Global Incubator Seed Grant (WashU Internal Funding)

Total Award: \$25,000 Duration: 2022–2023 2. WATCH: Wide Area Terrestrial Change Hypercube

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: Kitware / Intelligence Advanced Research Projects Activity (IARPA)

Total Award: \$305,941.48 (Phase 1); \$851,489 (Phase 1–3) Duration: 2020–2022 (Phase 1); 2020–2024 (Phase 1–3)

3. Measures of Information via Representation Learning

PI: Luis Sanchez-Giraldo

Co-PI(s)/Co-I(s): Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: Department of Defense (DEPSCoR)

Total Award: \$582,376 Duration: 2021–2024

4. GeoSearch: Image-based Geolocation using Rank Aggregated Hash Index (Phase 2, direct)

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: Blue Halo / National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA)

Total Award: \$250,000 Duration: 2021-2023

5. Spatio-Temporal Association and Curve Kernel Networks (STACKNet)

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: Blue Halo / MDA

Total Award: \$483,000 (Phase 1 and 2)

Duration: 2020-2023

6. Geolocalization Pipeline for Ground Level Images

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: Blue Halo / National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA)

Total Award: \$19,944 (Phase 1), \$249,988 (Phase 2), \$153,261 (Phase 3, Year 1)

Duration: 2018-2022

Grants (completed)

1. NURI: Semantic Representations for Multi-Viewpoint Multimodal Geolocation

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: Johns Hopkins University, Applied Physics Laboratory / National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency

(NGA)

Total Award: \$196,000 (base)

Duration: 2020-2022

2. R01: Ex vivo single molecule tools to analyze membrane receptor dynamics

PI: Christopher Richards

Co-PI(s)/Co-I(s): Jim Pauly, Ahmed Abdel-Latif, David Heidary, Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: National Institutes of Health (NIH)

Total Award: \$1,510,803

Duration: 2021–2022 (my role ended when I left the University of Kentucky)

3. UL1: Kentucky Center for Clinical and Translational Science

PI: Philip A. Kern

Co-PI(s)/Co-I(s): **Nathan Jacobs** and many others Sponsor: National Institutes of Health (NIH)

Total Award: \$28,893,663

Duration: 2021–2022 (my role ended when I left the University of Kentucky)

4. CCT: Context and Colorization for Tracking (Phase 2)

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: Intelligent Automation Inc. / Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA)

Total Award: \$200,000 Duration: 2020–2021

5. Video to Feature Data Association and Geolocation

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: Novateur Research Solutions / National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA)

Total Award: \$29,503 (Phase 1), \$149,883 (Phase 2)

Duration: 2018-2021

6. CAREER: Learning and Using Models of Geo-Temporal Appearance

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: National Science Foundation (NSF)

Total Award: \$499,426 Duration: 2016–2021

7. R01: Monomeric G-proteins and Cardioprotection from Heart Failure

PI: John Satin

Co-PI(s)/Co-I(s): Douglas Andres, Ahmed Abdel-Latif, Nathan Jacobs, Peter Kekenes-Huskey

Sponsor: National Institutes of Health (NIH)

Total Award: \$1,575,279 Duration: 2016–2020

8. Group Travel Grant for the Doctoral Consortium to be Held in Conjunction with IEEE Conference on Computer

Vision and Pattern Recognition

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: National Science Foundation (NSF)

Total Award: \$22,500 Duration: 2019–2020

9. DLALA: Deep Learning for Airborne LiDAR Analysis

PI: **Nathan Jacobs**Sponsor: Orbital Insight
Total Award: \$104,927
Duration: 2019–2020

10. Listening to Markets: A Temporal Convolutional Net (TCN) Analysis of Conservatism in Company Reporting

PI: Dan Stone

Co-PI(s)/Co-I(s): Nathan Jacobs, Mark Lauersdorf, Hong Xie

Sponsor: University of Kentucky

Total Award: \$33,315 Duration: 2018–2019

11. Calibrated Pose Regression Networks

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: The Design Knowledge Company / Air Force Research Lab (Wright-Patterson AFB)

Total Award: \$155,700 (Phase 3)

Duration: 2018-2019

12. Group Travel Grant for the PhD Forum to be Held in Conjunction with IEEE Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: National Science Foundation (NSF)

Total Award: \$13,625 Duration: 2018–2019

13. ASER Multi Center Review of Blunt Splenic Trauma: Optimal CT Diagnosis, Characterization

PI: James Lee (Radiology)

Co-PI(s)/Co-I(s): David Nickels, Nathan Jacobs, Emily Slade

Sponsor: American Society of Emergency Radiology

Total Award: \$5,000 Duration: 2018–2019

14. Mechanism of a Novel Stable Compensatory Cardiac Hypertrophy Model

PI: Jonathan Satin

Co-PI(s)/Co-I(s): Douglas Andres, Nathan Jacobs, Moriel Vandsburger

Sponsor: American Heart Association

Total Award: \$154,000 Duration: 2016–2018

15. NIP: GeoLookbook: Modeling Worldwide Human Visual Appearance

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA)

Total Award: \$299,204 Duration: 2014–2018

16. Crossview ConvNets for Near/Remote Sensing

PI: **Nathan Jacobs** Sponsor: Google Total Award: \$46,209 Duration: 2016–2017

17. WALDO: Wide Area Localization of Depicted Objects

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: Object Video / Intelligence Advanced Research Projects Activity (IARPA)

Total Award: \$373,395 Duration: 2012–2016

18. CSSG: ContextualEyes: A Context-Aware Surveillance System

PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA)

Total Award: \$743,131 Duration: 2011–2015

19. Image-Net: Discriminatory Imaging and Network Advancement for Missiles, Aviation, and Space

PI: Brent Seales

Co-PI(s)/Co-I(s): Ken Calvert, James Griffioen, Jane Hayes, Nathan Jacobs, Victor Marek, Thomas Seigler,

Suzanne Smith, Miroslaw Truszczynski, Ruigang Yang

Sponsor: United States Army Space and Missile Defense Command / United States Army Forces Strategic

Command

Total Award: \$2,092,905 Duration: 2011–2012

Donations

1. Google Cloud Compute Research Credits
Sponsor: Google
Amount/Value: \$5,000
PI: Nathan Jacobs
Date: Aug 2018

2. *NVIDIA Titan X GPU*Sponsor: NVIDIA
Amount/Value: \$778
PI: **Nathan Jacobs**Date: Oct 2016

3. AWS Research Education Grant PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: Amazon Amount/Value: \$5,000 Date: Jul 2015

4. NVIDIA Tesla K40 GPU PI: Nathan Jacobs

Sponsor: NVIDIA Amount/Value: \$3,900 Date: Dec 2014

6 Talks

- 1. "Learning to Map Anything, Anywhere, Anytime" (keynote), Nov 2023, The International Conference on Digital Image Computing: Techniques and Applications (DICTA), Port Macquarie, Australia
- 2. "Learning to Map Anything, Anywhere, Anytime" (keynote), Oct 2023, ACM Multimedia Workshop (UAVs in Multimedia: Capturing the World from a New Perspective), Ottawa, Canada
- 3. "A Cost-Sensitive Approach To Dimensionality Reduction for Multispectral Imagery", Jul 2023, International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Pasadena, CA
- 4. "Explorations in Self-Supervised Learning for Change Detection", Jul 2023, International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Pasadena, CA
- 5. "Toward Dynamic Multimodal Remote Sensing: From Buildings and Populations to Soundscapes and Aesthetics", Apr 2023, Living Earth Collaborative, Washington University, St. Louis, MO
- 6. "Domain-Inspired Deep Learning for Computer Vision, Remote Sensing, and Medical Imaging", Oct 2022, Imaging Science Seminar, Washington University, St. Louis, MO
- 7. "Computer Vision for Multimodal Remote Sensing", Aug 2022, WashU Geospatial Working Group Research Workshop, Washington University, St. Louis, MO
- 8. "A Structure-Aware Method for Direct Pose Estimation", Jan 2022, IEEE Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV), Waikoloa Village, HI
- 9. Panelist for "Non-Traditional Careers in Computer Science" Nov 2021, ACM-W, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY
- 10. "Mapping the Visual World Using Webcams, Cell Phones, and Satellites", Oct 2021, Washington University in St. Louis, MO
- 11. "Learning Geo-Temporal Scene Models from Webcams, Cell Phones, and Satellites" (Keynote), Oct 2021, International Workshop on Distributed Smart Cameras, an ICCV Workshop (virtual)
- 12. "Mapping the Visual World Using Webcams, Cell Phones, and Satellites", Dec 2020, University of Campinas, Unicamp, Brazil (virtual)
- 13. "Exploring the Intersection of Localization, Mapping, and Image Understanding" (Keynote), Aug 2020, ECCV Workshop on Long-Term Visual Localization (virtual)
- 14. "Deep Convolutional Neural Networks: Foundations to Frontiers (a 2-day short course)", Mar 2020, Brazilian Space Agency (INPE), Sao Jose dos Campos, Brazil

- 15. "What, Where, and When: Mapping the World Using Webcams, Cell Phones, and Satellites", Mar 2020, Brazilian Space Agency (INPE), Sao Jose dos Campos, Brazil
- 16. "Learning to Map Visual Appearance", Feb 2020, Keeping Current Seminar, University of Kentucky (Computer Science), Lexington, KY
- 17. "Learning to Map Visual Appearance", Jan 2020, Wageningen University, Netherlands
- 18. "What, Where, and When: Mapping the World Using Webcams, Cell Phones, and Satellites", Nov 2019, University of Kentucky (Forestry), Lexington, KY
- 19. "Learning to Map the Visual World", Jul 2019, Wright State University, Dayton, OH
- 20. "Understanding Places Using Ground-Level and Overhead Views" (Keynote), May 2019, Kentucky Geological Society (Annual Symposium), Lexington, KY
- 21. "Understanding Places Using Ground-Level and Overhead Views", Feb 2019, Notre Dame University, South Bend, IN
- 22. "A Generative Model of Worldwide Facial Appearance" (Keynote), Jan 2019, Workshop on Demographic Variations in Performance of Biometric Algorithms, Waikoloa Village, HI
- 23. "A Generative Model of Worldwide Facial Appearance", Jan 2019, IEEE Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision, Waikoloa Village, HI
- 24. "A Weakly Supervised Approach for Estimating Spatial Density Functions from High-Resolution Satellite Imagery", Nov 2018, ACM SIGSPATIAL, Seattle, WA
- 25. "Understanding Places Using Ground-Level and Overhead Views", Oct 2018, Commonwealth Computational Summit, Lexington, KY
- 26. "GeoLookbook: Modeling Worldwide Human Visual Appearance (Year 4)", Sep 2018, National Academy of Sciences (IC Academic Research Symposium), Washington, DC
- 27. "Understanding Places Using Ground-Level and Overhead Views", Aug 2018, Oak Ridge National Lab, Oak Ridge, TN
- 28. "WhatGoesWhere: Predicting Object Distributions from Above", Jul 2018, IGARSS, Valencia, Spain
- 29. "Building World Models for Situated Training and Planning", May 2018, Air Force Science and Technology 2030 Workshop, Bloomington, IN
- 30. "Recent Advances in Image Understanding", May 2018, DASC, Lexington, KY
- 31. "(Tutorial) Recent Advances in Deep Learning: Fusing Overhead and Ground-Level Views for Remote Sensing", April 2018, USGIF Annual Symposium, Tampa, FL
- 32. "Understanding Places Using Ground-Level and Overhead Views", Feb 2018, CVPR Area Chair Meeting, Toronto, Canada
- 33. "GeoLookbook: Modeling Worldwide Human Visual Appearance (Year 3)", Sep 2017, National Academy of Sciences (IC Academic Research Symposium), Washington, DC
- 34. "GPU Accelerated Computer Vision, Remote Sensing, and Machine Learning", Aug 2017, Kentucky Geological Service, Lexington, KY
- 35. "Fusing Overhead and Ground-Level Imagery to Improve Scene Understanding", Jul 2017, Planet, San Francisco, CA

- 36. "Learning about When and Where from Imagery", Jun 2017, Orbital Insight, Mountain View, CA
- 37. "(Tutorial) Recent Advances in Deep Learning: Fusing Overhead and Ground-Level Views for Remote Sensing", Jun 2017, USGIF Annual Symposium, San Antonio, TX
- 38. "How Computers See People (extended)", May 2017, CCTS Biomedical Informatics Seminar Series, Lexington, KY
- 39. "Understanding Places Using Ground-Level and Overhead Views", May 2017, Midwest Vision Meeting, Chicago, II.
- 40. "How Computers See People", Feb 2017, Suds'n'Science Speaker Series, West Sixth Brewing, Lexington, KY
- 41. "Learning about When and Where from Imagery", Feb 2017, University of Missouri, Department of Computer Science
- 42. "Localization, Mapping, and Image Understanding", Feb 2017, USGIF Machine Learning Symposium
- 43. "Deep Convolutional Neural Networks: Concepts and Examples (in Computer Vision", Nov 2016, University of Kentucky, Society of Industrial and Applied Mathematics
- 44. "Crossview Convolutional Networks", Oct 2016, Applied Imagery and Pattern Recognition, Washington, D.C.
- 45. "GeoLookbook: Modeling Worldwide Human Visual Appearance (Year 2)", Sep 2016, National Academy of Sciences (IC Academic Research Symposium), Washington, DC
- 46. "Deep Convolutional Neural Networks: Concepts and Examples", Jul 2016, University of Kentucky: Systems Biology and Omics Integration Seminar
- 47. "Crossview Methods for Localization and Mapping", Jun 2016, IEEE CVPR Workshop on "Vision from Satellite to Street" (invited talk)
- 48. "A Fast Method for Estimating Transient Scene Properties", Mar 2016, Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision, Lake Placid, NY
- 49. "Novel Cues for Geocalibration", Feb 2016, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN
- 50. "Novel Cues for Camera Geocalibration", Jan 2016, Uber Advanced Technology Center, Pittsburgh, PA
- 51. "Novel Cues for Geocalibration: Cloudy Days, Rainbows, and More", Oct 2015, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA
- 52. "Using Geotagged Internet Imagery to Understand the World", Sep 2015, Université Laval, Quebec City, Canada
- 53. "face2gps: Estimating Geographic Location from Facial Features", Sep 2015, International Conference on Image Processing, Quebec City, Canada
- 54. "GeoLookbook: Modeling Worldwide Human Visual Appearance", Sep 2015, National Academy of Sciences (IC Academic Research Symposium), Washington, DC
- 55. "Exploring the Geo-Dependence of Human Face Appearance", Mar 2014, Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision, Steamboat Springs, CO
- 56. "Estimating Cloudmaps from Outdoor Image Sequences", Mar 2014, Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision, Steamboat Springs, CO
- 57. "Scene Geometry from Several Partly Cloudy Days", Oct 2013, International Conference on Distributed Smart Cameras, Palm Springs, CA

- 58. "Unlocking the Potential of the Global Network of Outdoor Webcams", Apr 2013, Rochester Institute of Technology
- 59. "Geo-temporal Computer Vision: Applications to the NGA", Nov 2011, National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency
- 60. "Geo-temporal Computer Vision: Applications to the Army", Oct 2011, Army Research Lab
- 61. "Localizing, Calibrating, and Using Thousands of Outdoor Webcams", Feb 2011, University of North Carolina—Charlotte
- 62. "Using Clouds Shadows to Infer Scene Structure and Camera Calibration", Jun 2010, CVPR, San Francisco, CA
- 63. "Passive Vision and The Power of Collective Imaging", Apr 2010, Object Video Inc., Reston, VA
- 64. "Localizing, Calibrating, and Using Thousands of Outdoor Webcams", Apr 2010, University of Kentucky
- 65. "Time-Lapse Vision: Localizing, Calibrating, and Using Thousands Outdoor Webcams", Apr 2010, Google, Mountain View, CA
- 66. "Passive Vision and The Power of Collective Imaging", Jan 2010, Google, Mountain View, CA
- 67. "Incorporating Domain Constraints in Urban Vehicle Tracking", Nov 2010, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO
- 68. "Compressive Sensing and Differential Image-Motion Estimation", Mar 2010, ICASSP, Dallas, TX
- 69. "The Global Network of Outdoor Webcams: Properties and Applications", Nov 2009, ACM GIS, Seattle, WA
- 70. "Passive Vision: The Global Webcam Imaging Network", Oct 2009, AIPR, Washington, DC
- 71. "Calibrating and Using the Global Network of Outdoor Webcams", Aug 2009, ICDSC, Italy
- 72. "Adventures in Archiving and Using Three Years of Webcam Images", Jun 2009, CVPR Workshop on Internet Vision, Miami, FL
- 73. "Recent Work: Webcams and Grooves", Aug 2009, Object Video, Reston, VA
- 74. "Location-Specific Models for Tracking", Jan 2008, WMVC, Copper Mountain, CO
- 75. "Using natural cues to geo-locate and geo-orient distributed cameras", Jan 2008, VISN, Copper Mountain, CO
- 76. "Foreground Modeling: The Shape of Things That Came", Feb 2007, WMVC, Austin, Texas

7 Service

University Service

- Washington University in St. Louis (2022–present)
 - 2023-present: Director of PhD Admissions, Department of Computer Science & Engineering
 - 2023-present: Faculty Advisor, WashU Robomaster Club
 - 2023-present: Faculty Technology Advisory Committee, James McKelvey School of Engineering
 - 2022-present: Leadership Team, Geospatial Working Group
 - 2022-present: Research Council, Taylor Geospatial Institute
 - 2023-present: Faculty Search Committee, Imaging Science Program

- 2023-present: Curriculum Committee, Imaging Science Program
- 2022-present: Faculty Search Committee, Computer Science & Engineering Department
- 2022-2023: Strategic Planning Steering Committee, James McKelvey School of Engineering
- University of Kentucky (2010–2022)
 - 2021–2022: Institute for Biomedical Informatics: Steering Committee
 - 2019–2022: Computer Science Department: Executive Committee
 - 2019–2022: College of Engineering: Master Planning/Space Committee
 - 2018–2019, 2020–2022: College of Engineering: Research Advisory Committee
 - 2020–2022: College of Engineering: Graduate Studies Team
 - 2013-2017, 2018-2022: Computer Science Department: Faculty Search Committee
 - 2020–2021: Computer Science Department: Chair Search Committee
 - 2020: College of Engineering: Recruiting Advisory Committee
 - 2018-2019: University Senate (Academic Facilities Committee, Technology Committee)
 - 2017: Member (Information Technology Task Force for Research Enablement and Outreach)
 - 2015-2016: Computer Science Department: ABET Committee
 - 2010-2012, 2015-2016: Computer Science Department: Media and Outreach
 - 2013: Center for Visualization and Virtual Environment: Director Search Committee
 - 2013: Computer Science Department: Chair Search Committee
 - 2012–2013: Computer Science Department: Curriculum Development Committee
 - 2012–2013, 2015: Engineering Day (oral presentation and/or software demonstration)

Professional Service

- Senior/Lead Area Chair:
 - IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR) [2024]
 - European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV) [2024]
- · Area Chair:
 - IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR) [2018, 2019, 2021, 2023]
 - IEEE/CVF International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV) [2023]
 - European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV) [2022]
 - IEEE/CVF Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV) [2014, 2022, 2023]
- Organizing Committees:
 - Industrial/Government Relations Chair: IEEE/CVF Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV) [2024]
 - IEEE/ISPRS Workshop on Large Scale Computer Vision for Remote Sensing Imagery (EARTHVISION) [2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023]
 - Doctoral Consortium Co-Chair: IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR) [2017, 2019, 2024]

- Doctoral Consortium Chair: IEEE/CVF Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV)
 [2018, 2022]
- Video Proceedings Chair: IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)
 [2015]
- IEEE Workshop on Motion and Video Computing (WMVC) [2011]

• Guest Editor:

- ISPRS Journal of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing [2024], Special Issue "Vision Language Models for Remote Sensing Analysis and Interpretation"
- IEEE Journal of Selected Topics in Applied Earth Observations and Remote Sensing (J-STARS) [2021],
 Special Issue "Integrating User Generated Contents for Remote Sensing Applications"
- Elsevier Computer Vision and Image Understanding (CVIU) [2019], Special Issue "Computer Vision for Remote Sensing"

· Panelist:

 Roundtable Discussion at 1st Workshop on Computer Vision for Earth Observation (CV4EO) Applications 2024 (Hosted as part of IEEE/CVF Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV) 2024)

· Session Chair:

- IEEE International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium (IGARSS) [2020,2023]
- IEEE/ISPRS Workshop on Large Scale Computer Vision for Remote Sensing Imagery (EARTHVISION)
 [2019]
- IEEE/CVF Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV) [2016, 2019, 2022, 2024]
- IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR) [2018]
- IEEE/ACM International Conference on Distributed Smart Cameras [2013]

• Reviewing for Journals:

- IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing [2020]
- ISPRS Journal of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing [2020]
- IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence [2011, 2011, 2012, 2018, 2019]
- ISPRS Journal of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing [2019]
- IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing [2017]
- IEEE Transactions on Multimedia [2011, 2016]
- Elsevier Computer Vision and Image Understanding [2010, 2013, 2016×2]
- IEEE Transactions on Computational Imaging [2016]
- IEEE Journal on Selected Topics in Remote Sensing [2015]
- Springer Machine Vision and Applications [2014]
- IEEE Sensors [2014]
- Elsevier Image and Vision Computing [2013]
- IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology [2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011]
- IEEE Computer Graphics and Applications [2010]
- IEEE Transactions on Aerospace and Electronic Systems [2010]

- Elsevier Computers and Electronics in Agriculture [2010]
- Cartography and Geographic Information Science [2010]
- Program Committee / Reviewer for:
 - Conferences
 - * International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR) [2022]
 - * IEEE/CVF Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV) [2021,2024]
 - * IEEE International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium (IGARSS) [2020]
 - * British Machine Vision Conference (BMVC) [2020]
 - * IEEE/CVF Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR) [2006–2017, 2020]
 - * European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV) [2010, 2014, 2020]
 - * Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) [2010–2012, 2020]
 - * AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI) [2020]
 - * IEEE/CVF International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV) [2007, 2009, 2019, 2021]
 - * Asian Conference on Computer Vision (ACCV) [2010, 2016]
 - * IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA) [2016]
 - * International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML) [2012]
 - * IEEE International Conference on Advanced Video and Signal-Based Surveillance (AVSS) [2010]
 - Workshops
 - * ICLR Workshop on Machine Learning for Remote Sensing [2023]
 - * IEEE/ISPRS Workshop on Large Scale Computer Vision for Remote Sensing Imagery (EARTHVI-SION) [2017, 2019, 2020]
 - * CVPR Workshop on Photogrammetric Computer Vision [2019]
 - * CVPR Workshop on DeepGlobe Satellite Challenge [2018]
 - * ACM International Workshop on Geotagging and Its Applications [2013]
 - * ICCV Workshop on Computer Vision for Converging Perspectives [2013]
 - * IEEE Workshop on Applications of Computer Vision [2012–2013]
 - * ECCV Workshop on Visual Analysis and Geo-Localization of Large-Scale Imagery [2012]
 - * ACM Workshop on Geotagging and Its Applications in Multimedia [2012]
 - * IEEE Workshop on Motion and Video Computation [2009–2011]
- Reviewing for Funding Agencies:
 - Panelist for NSF Information and Intelligent Systems Division [2019]
 - Panelist for NSF Information and Intelligent Systems Division [2018]
 - Panelist for NSF Information and Intelligent Systems Division [2017]
 - Panelist for NSF Division of Industrial Innovation and Partnerships [2016]
 - Panelist for NSF Information and Intelligent Systems Division [2016]
 - Panelist for NSF Information and Intelligent Systems Division [2015]
 - External reviewer for NSF Information and Intelligent Systems Division [2015]
 - External reviewer for Fonds de recherche du Quebec [2014]
- Advisory Committee for:
 - 1st Workshop on Computer Vision for Earth Observation (CV4EO) Applications 2024 (Hosted as part of IEEE/CVF Winter Conference on Applications of Computer Vision (WACV) 2024)

Memberships

- Senior Member: Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
- Full Member: British Machine Vision Association and Society for Pattern Recognition
- Affiliate Member: International Association of Pattern Recognition

8 Teaching and Mentoring

Courses Taught

The following list summarizes the traditional, classroom courses I have taught:

- Computer Vision, CSE 559a, [S2023], Washington University in St. Louis
- Machine Learning, CS 460g, [F2012, F2013, F2014, F2016, F2018, F2019], University of Kentucky
- Computer Vision, CS 636, [S2011, S2013, S2017], University of Kentucky
- Learning-Based Methods for Computer Vision, CS 585/685, [S2015], University of Kentucky
- Advanced Topics in Computer Science: Machine Learning, CS 685, [S2012], University of Kentucky
- Intermediate Topics in Computer Science: Computational Photography, CS 585, [F2010, F2011], University of Kentucky
- Theory of Computation, CECS 341, [F2002], University of Missouri

The following list summarizes the independent study courses (UKy CS 395 or 612) I have supervised:

- F2019, "Applied Deep Learning"
- S2019, "Applied Deep Learning" (×5)
- F2018, "Applied Deep Learning" (×5)
- S2018, "Applied Deep Learning" (×4)
- F2017, "Applied Deep Learning"
- F2016, "Applied Deep Learning" (×6)
- S2016, "Applied Deep Learning: Understanding Urban Areas"
- S2015, "Understanding Real-Estate Imagery"
- F2014, "Recent Techniques in Machine Learning" (×4)
- F2014, "Learning-Based Methods for Background Subtraction"
- F2014, "A Novel Approach for Category-Level Object Detection from Partial Pose Estimation of Symmetric Objects"
- S2013, "Extracting Geo-Temporal Image Appearance Patterns from Flickr Imagery"
- S2013, "Automatic Camera Calibration Methods"
- S2013, "Deep-Learning Architectures for Computer Vision"
- F2012, "Automatic Image Geolocalization"
- S2012, "Image Calibration using Natural Scene Variations"
- F2011, "Practical Methods in Crowd Sourcing"

Mentoring

Postdoctoral Scholars

1. Adeel Ahmad (Ph.D. Geomatics, University of Punjab–Lahore)
Research Focus: Remote Sensing, Deep Learning, Land-Use Modeling

2. Benjamin Brodie (Ph.D. Mathematics, University of Kentucky) Dates: 2020–2022

Research Focus: Change Detection, Object Tracking, Re-Identification, Metric Learning

Employment: Research Scientist, Blue Halo

Ph.D. Students

1. Paul Mihail [co-chair w/ Judy Goldsmith] Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: Visualizing and Predicting the Effects of Rheumatoid Arthritis on Hands

Date: May 2014

Employment: Associate Professor, Computer Science, Valdosta State University

2. Mohammad T. Islam Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: Analyzing the Geo-Dependence of Human Face Appearance and Its Applications

Date: Jul 2016

Employment: Associate Professor, Computer Science, Southern Connecticut State University

3. Hamid Hamraz Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: Computational Forest Modeling using Airborne Remote Sensing LiDAR

Date: Apr 2018

Employment: Computational and Data Scientist, Microsoft

4. Scott Workman Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: Leveraging Overhead Imagery for Localization, Mapping, and Understanding

Date: Apr 2018

Employment: Research Scientist, DZYNE Technologies

5. Menghua "Ted" Zhai Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: Deep Probabilistic Models for Camera Geo-Calibration

Employment: Computer Vision Engineer, MatrixTime (startup)

Date: Dec 2018

6. Zach Bessinger Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: Modeling and Mapping Location-Dependent Human Appearance Date: Dec 2018

Employment: Senior Applied Scientist, Zillow

7. Tawfiq Salem Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: Learning to Map the Visual and Auditory World

Date: Jul 2019

Employment: Visiting Assistant Professor, Computer and Information Technology, Purdue University

8. Gongbo Liang Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: Clinical-Inspired Multi-Modal Deep Learning Medical Imaging Analysis

Date: Oct 2020

Employment: Assistant Professor, Computer Science, Eastern Kentucky University

9. Usman Rafique [co-chair w/ Samson Cheung] Degree: Ph.D., Electrical Engineering
Title: Weakly Supervised Learning for Multi-Image Synthesis Date: Jul 2021

Employment: Research Scientist, Kitware Inc.

10. Hunter Blanton Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: Revisiting Absolute Pose Regression Date: Aug 2021

Employment: Senior Computer Vision Engineer, Yembo (startup)

Dates: 2023-present

11. Connor Greenwell Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: Probabilistic Cross-Domain Representation Learning

Employment: Senior R&D Engineer, Kitware Inc.

12. Yu Zhang Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science Title: Multimodal Domain Generalization

Date: Mar 2023

Date: Jun 2022

13. Xin Xing [co-chair w/ Ai-Ling Lin] Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Date: Nov 2023 Title: Structured Attention for Image Analysis

14. Subash Khanal Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: TBD Date: Jun 2024 (est)

15. Oscar Skean [co-chair w/ Luis Sanchez-Giraldo] Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science Title: TBD [Information-Theoretic Metric Learning] Date: May 2024 (est)

16. Aayush Dhakal Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: TBD Date: May 2026 (est)

17. Lydia Reader [co-chair w/ Ross Hammond] Degree: Ph.D., Computational & Data Sciences

Title: TBD Date: May 2026 (est)

18. Srikumar Sastry Degree: Ph.D., Imaging Science Title: TBD Date: May 2027 (est)

19. Michael Lanier [co-chair w/ Yevgeniy Vorobeychik] Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Title: TBD Date: May 2027 (est)

20. Zhexiao Xiong Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Date: May 2027 (est) Title: TBD

Visiting Ph.D. Students

1. Patrick Tutzauer (University of Stuttgart) Dates: Fall 2017

Topic: Geospatial Trajectory Modeling

Dates: 2018-2019 2. Raian Vargas Maretto (INPE, Brazil)

Topic: Deforestation Detection

3. Rafael Padilha (UNICAMP, Brazil) Dates: 2019-2020

Topic: Image Forensics

4. Alex Levering (Wageningen University) Dates: 2022-2023

Topic: Landscape Quality Assessment

Masters Students

1. Feiyu Shi Degree: MS, Computer Science

Title: Principal Component Analysis For Multi-size Images Date: Dec 2013

Employment: Senior Software Engineer, Microsoft

Degree: MS, Computer Science 2. Ryan Baltenberger

Title: Estimating Transient Scene Attributes Using Deep Convolutional Neural Networks Date: May 2016

Employment: Computer Vision Research Engineer, Badger Technologies

3. William "Derek" Jones [co-chair w/ Sally Ellingson] Degree: MS, Computer Science

Title: Scalable Feature Selection and Extraction with Applications in Kinase Polypharmacology Date: May

2018

Employment: Research Data Scientist, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, ATOM

4. Weilian "William" Song Degree: MS, Computer Science

Title: Image-Based Roadway Assessment using Convolutional Neural Networks

Employment: Ph.D. student, Simon Fraser University

5. Armin Hadzic Degree: MS, Computer Science

Title: Estimating Free-Flow Speed with LiDAR and Overhead Imagery

Date: May 2020

Employment: Machine Learning Research Scientist, DZYNE Technologies

6. David Jones Degree: MS, Computer Science

Title: Intensity Harmonization for Airborne LiDAR

Date: May 2021

Employment: Machine Learning Engineer, Kinetic Vision

7. Jacob Birge Degree: MS, Computer Science

Title: A Cost-Sensitive Approach To Multimodal Fusion Date: Dec 2021

Employment: UPS

8. Alex Greene Degree: MS, Computer Science

Title: Using Aerial Imagery to Estimate Ground-level Object Distributions Date: May 2023

9. Alex Wollam Degree: MS, Computer Science

Title: Exploring Sequential Outdoor Panorama Synthesis with Diffusion Models

Date: Jul 2023

10. Hongzhang Wang Degree: MS, Computer Science

Title: Monocular Depth Estimation Date: Dec 2023

11. Nia Hodges Degree: MS, Engineering Data Analytics & Statistics
Title: Wide-Area Image Localization Date: May 2024

12. Meichuan Yin Degree: MS, Computer Science

Title: BirdSat++ Date: May 2024

Undergraduate Research Students

1. Jim Knochelmann Dates: 2011–2012

Title: User-Tools for Aerial Image Registration

2. Kyle Kolpek Dates: 2012

Title: Aerial Image Registration

3. Noora Aljabi Dates: 2013

Title: Using Flickr to Map Phenological Trends

4. J. David Smith Dates: 2013–2015

Title: User-in-the-loop Camera Calibration

5. Angelo Stekardis Dates: 2014–2015

Title: Understanding Facial Expressions

6. Ryan Baltenberger Dates: 2012–2015

Title: Understanding Outdoor Scene Appearance

Date: May 2019

7. Connor Greenwell Dates: 2014-2016 Title: Interactive Methods for Aerial Imagery Understanding 8. Sam Davidson Dates: 2016-2017 Title: Applications of Generative Adversarial Networks to Social Media Imagery Dates: 2018 9. Aaron Mueller Title: Deep Learning for Educational Data Dates: 2016-2019 10. Weilian Song Title: Applications of Deep Convolutional Neural Networks to Geometric Computer Vision 11. Yuhan Long Dates: 2019 Title: Deep Learning for Medical Imaging 12. Thomas Barber Dates: 2019 Title: Deep Learning for Remote Sensing 13. Sean Grate Dates: 2019-2020 Title: Deep Learning for Point Clouds 14. Shashank Bhatt Dates: 2020-2022 Title: Multi-Object Tracking 15. Evan Bolton Dates: 2021 Title: Generating Synthetic Training Data using a Game Engine Dates: 2021-2022 16. Julia Stekardis Title: Large-Scale Image Geo-Localization 17. Gareth Walker Dates: 2022 Title: Remote Sensing for Social Good Dates: 2022 18. Matthew Mitchell Title: Remote Sensing for Social Good Dates: 2020-2022 19. Cohen Archbold Title: Automatic Real-Estate Price Estimation **High School Research Students** 1. Ryan Baltenberger Dates: 2011-2012 Title: Gesture-Based User Interaction with the Microsoft Kinect 2. Alex Lucas Dates: 2014-2013 Title: Evaluation of Automatic Face Detection Methods 3. Andrew Tapia Dates: 2014-2015 Title: Estimating Surface Reflectivity Dates: 2016-2017 4. Andrew Albrecht Title: Mapping Social Media Imagery 5. C. J. Labianca Dates: 2016-2017 Title: Evaluation of Optimization Algorithms for Deep Convolutional Neural Networks Dates: 2017-2018 6. Ryan Landry Title: RRADCL: Rapid Roadway Assessment with Deep Convolutional Learning

7. Cohen Archbold Dates: 2017–2018

Title: Photo-Geolocation using Convolutional Neural Networks

8. Nicole Wong Dates: 2019–2020

Title: Learning-Based View Synthesis

9. Chris Wang Dates: 2019–2021

Title: Multimodal Medical Imaging for Alzheimer's Disease Classification

10. William Greenlee Dates: 2021–2022

Title: Deep Learning for Computer Vision

11. Krishna Bhatraju Dates: 2021–2022

Title: Deep Motion Estimation

Graduate Committees (as regular member or external examiner)

1. Edwin Prem Kumar Sathiyamoorthy Degree: M.S., Electrical Engineering

Role: member Date: Mar 2011

Title: Global Change Reactive Background Subtraction

2. Ju Shen Degree: Ph.D., Electrical Engineering

Role: member Date: May 2014

Title: Computational Multimedia for Video Self Modeling

3. Hasan Sajid Degree: M.S., Electrical Engineering

Role: member Date: Jul 2014

Title: A Universal Background Subtraction System

4. Chenxi Zhang Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2014

Title: Depth-assisted Image Segmentation, Enhancement and Visualization

5. Mao Ye Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2014

Title: 3D Reconstruction and Motion Analysis of Deformable Objects with Consumer Depth Cameras

6. Yan Huang Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2014

Title: Novel Computational Methods for Transcript Reconstruction and Quantification using RNA-SEQ Data

7. Shaoceng Wei Degree: Ph.D., Statistics

Role: outside examiner Date: May 2015

Title: Multi-state Models for Interval Censored Data with Competing Risk

8. Bo Fu Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: May 2015

Title: Towards Intelligent Telerobotics: Visualization and Control of Remote Robot

9. Harikrishnan Unnikrishnan Degree: Ph.D., Electrical Engineering

Role: member Date: Dec 2015

Title: Analysis of Vocal Fold Kinematics using High Speed Video

10. Sean Karlage Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Date: May 2016

Title: Diachronic Volume Registration for Analysis of Antiquities

Role: member

11. Hasan Sajid Degree: Ph.D., Electrical Engineering

Role: member Date: Jul 2016

Title: Robust Background Subtraction for Moving Cameras and their Applications in Ego-vision Systems

12. Stanley Rosenbaum Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2016

Title: A method for presenting volume and color of 3D objects via audio for the visually impaired

13. DhiShankar Bhattacharya Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Apr 2017

Title: Analyzing Sybil Attacks and Similar Phenomena in Twitter Data

14. Wesley Hough Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: outside examiner Date: May 2017

Title: On Independence, Matching, and Homomorphism Complexes

15. Qingguo Xu Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: May 2017

Title: 3D Body Tracking using Deep Learning

16. Xiaofei Zhang Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Jul 2017

Title: Mammogram and Tomosynthesis Classification Using Convolutional Neural Networks

17. Yajie Zhao Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2017

Title: 3D Human Face Reconstruction and 2D Appearance Synthesis

18. Po-Chang Su Degree: Ph.D., Electrical Engineering

Role: member Date: Dec 2017

Title: Real-time Capture and Rendering of Physical Scene with an Efficiently Calibrated RGB-D Camera Net-

work

19. Anthony Rios Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Jun 2018

Title: Deep Neural Networks for Multi-Label Text Classification: Application to Coding Electronic Medical

Records

20. Ethan Welty (University of Colorado–Boulder)

Degree: Ph.D., Environmental Studies

Role: member Date: Jul 2018

Title: High-Precision Photogrammetry for Glaciology

21. Yannick Hold-Geoffroy (Laval University, Quebec, CA) Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Aug 2018

Title: Learning Geometric and Lighting priors from Natural Images

22. Nkiruka Uzuegbunam Degree: Ph.D., Electrical Engineering

Role: member Date: Oct 2018

Title: Self-Image Multimedia Technologies for Feedforward Observational Learning

23. Nam Vo (Georgia Institute of Technology)

Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: May 2019

Title: Image Geolocalization with Deep Learning

24. Jinping Zhuge Degree: Ph.D., Math Role: outside examiner Date: May 2019

Title: Boundary layers in periodic homogenization

25. Ryan Zembrodt Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: May 2019

Title: Open-World Story Generation with Sequence-to-Sequence and Hierarchical Recurrent Encoder-Decoder

Models

26. Jonathan Dingess Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: May 2019

Title: Epsilon-Superposition and Truncation Dimension in Average and Probabilistic Settings for Infinite-Variate

Linear Problems

27. Genghis Goodman Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Jul 2019

Title: A Machine Learning Approach to Artificial Floorplan Generation

28. Xinxin Zuo Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Oct 2019

Title: Depth Enhancement and Surface Reconstruction with RGB-D sequence

29. Sifei Han Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2019

Title: Text Mining Methods for Analyzing Online Health Information and Communication

30. Shivangi Srivastava (Wageningen University, Netherlands) Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member

Title: Mapping of urban landuse and landcover with multiple sensors: joining close and remote sensing with

deep learning

31. Raian Maretto (National Institute for Space Research)

Degree: Ph.D., Geoinformation Science

Role: member Date: Feb 2020

Title: Deep Learning techniques applied to classification of Remote Sensing Images

32. Kyle Helfrich Degree: Ph.D., Math

Role: member Date: Apr 2020

Title: Orthogonal Recurrent Neural Networks and Batch Normalization in Deep Neural Networks

33. Subash Khanal Degree: M.S., Electrical Engineering

Role: member Date: May 2020

Title: Mispronunciation Detection and Diagnosis in Mandarin Accented English Speech

34. Narjes Bozorg Degree: Ph.D., Electrical Engineering

Role: member Date: Nov 2020

Title: Articulatory-Wavenet: Deep Autoregressive Model for Acoustic-to-Articulatory Inversion

35. Céline Portenier (University of Bern)

Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: external referee Date: May 2021

Title: High-resolution snow cover retrieval using public webcams

36. Ahmed Nassar (IRISA, Université Bretagne Sud, Vannes)

Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: external referee Date: May 2021

Title: Learning to map street-side objects using multiple views

Date: Feb 2020

37. Alireza Shirvani Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Aug 2021

Title: Personality and Emotion for Virtual Characters in Strong-story Narrative Planning

38. Sajad Javadinasab Hormozabad Degree: Ph.D., Civil Engineering

Role: member Date: Nov 2021

Title: Artificial Intelligence and Soft Computing in Smart Structural Systems

39. Chengxi Li Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Mar 2022

Title: Supporting Stylized Language Models using Multi-Modality Features

40. Tarannum Shaila Zaman Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Apr 2022

Title: An Automated Framework to Debug System-Level Concurrency Failures

41. David Adeniji Degree: Ph.D., Mechanical Engineering

Role: member Date: Apr 2022

Title: Establishing a Digital Process Twin for Aerospace Alloy Machining using In-situ Process Characterization and Physics Embedded Machine Learning Models

42. Eike Jens Hoffmann (Technical University of Munich) Degree: Ph.D., Data Science in Earth Observation

Role: reviewer Date: Oct 2022

Title: Predicting Building Functions on Large Scale by Fusing Social Media and Remote Sensing Data

43. Arnab Sarkar Degree: Ph.D., Physics

Role: member Date: Aug 2022

Title: Understanding the Physics of Galaxy Clusters Out to their Virial Radii and Beyond

44. Yuan Liu Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2022

Title: Skeleton-Based Analysis of Melt Networks

45. Aiden McIlraith Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2022

Title: Spatial Transcriptome Visualizer

46. Zhou Chu Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2022

Title: Adapting at time series machine learning models to a real informatics pipe

47. Zihao Zou Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2022

Title: Deep Model-Based Architectures using Explicit Regularizers for Computational Imaging

48. Ashutosh Timilsina Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Apr 2023

Title: Peer-to-peer Energy Trading in Smart Residential Environment with User Behavioral Modeling

49. Nan Huang Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Apr 2023

Title: Toward Continuous Regularizer for Imaging Inverse Problems

50. Md Selim Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Apr 2023

Title: Deep Learning Models for CT Image Standardization

51. Di Huang Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Apr 2023

Title: Deep Neural Networks for Infant Pose Estimation

52. Peizhen Tong Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Apr 2023

Title: Adversarial Patch Attacks on Deep Reinforcement Learning

53. David Sarpong Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: May 2023

Title: Adversarial Defenses against Interpolation Attacks on Semi-Supervised Learning Systems

54. Yihang Xu Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: May 2023

Title: Real-Time Action Segmentation in a Smart Kitchen System

55. Stephen Parsons Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Jul 2023

Title: Hard-Hearted Scrolls: A Noninvasive Method for Reading the Herculaneum Papyri

56. Brian Chao Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Aug 2023

Title: Adversarial Attacks on AI Systems in Medical Applications

57. Chang Ti Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2023

Title: Handwritten Digit Recognition Web Plugin

58. Emma McMillian Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2023

Title: Convolutional Neural Networks for Hyperspectral Image-to-Image Microscopy Translation

59. Fiona Xu Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Dec 2023

Title: Adversarial Attack on Graph Embeddings from Text Dataset

60. Md Sultan Al Nahian Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: Value Aligned AI Agent with Explainability

61. Sidrah Liaqat Degree: Ph.D., Electrical Engineering

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: Model-based Deep Learning Techniques for Detecting Behaviors Related to Autism Spectrum Disorder

from Video

62. Minoo Hosseinzadeh Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: TBD

63. Sheng-Chieh Lin Degree: Ph.D., Physics

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: TBD

64. Seth Parker Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: TBD

65. Gustavo Gratacós Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: TBD

66. Pan Xiao Degree: Ph.D., Imaging Science

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: Text and Image Representation Learning for Radiology Image Analysis

67. Christoph Gerhardt (Technische Universität Ilmenau) Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: Outdoor Appearance Transfer

68. Weijie Gan Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: Deep Learning-based Computational Imaging

69. Hao Liu Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: Graph Neural Networks in Limited Data Regimes: Exploring Few-Shot and Zero-Shot Learning

70. Junlin Wu Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: TBD

71. Rachel Badzioch (Notre Dame University) Degree: Ph.D., Biological Sciences

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: Detecting Visual Features in Permafrost

72. Yiwen Ju Degree: Ph.D., Computer Science

Role: member Date: TBD

Title: Implicit Surface Reconstruction

73. Kyle Montgomery Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Apr 2024

Title: TBD

74. Joshua Tang Degree: M.S., Computer Science

Role: member Date: Apr 2024

Title: TBD

Oral Qualifying Exam Committees

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| Yuanhaur Chang | TBD | Ning Zhang |
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