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### Research Interests \_

My research interest is focused on computer vision and how learning techniques allow us to develop systems able to reason about the visual world. The main topics of my research interest include object detection and tracking, semantic segmentation, image captioning, medical imaging, and deep learning techniques for visual recognition problems.

### **Education**

### Rochester Institute of Technology (RIT)

Universidad Nacional de Ingeniería (UNI)

Rochester, New York, U.S.A.

Ph.D. in Imaging Science

Aug. 2019 - May 2024 (expected)

Deep Learning and Computer Vision

Rimac, Lima, Peru

B.S. in Mechatronics Engineering

Mar. 2011 - Dec. 2015

Relevant course work:

Artificial Intelligence, Image Processing, Object Oriented Programming, Research Methodology, Statistics and Probabilities, Linear Algebra, Biology for Engineers, Analysis and Control of Robots, Sensor Technology.

# Experience \_

### **Machine Learning Engineer**

San Isidro, Lima, Peru

**EVERIS PERU SAC** 

May. 2018 - Present

- · Developed a vehicle damage intensity classifier using a deep convolutional neural network with 70 percent of accuracy. Deployed the system using Docker and flask for an insurance company.
- Implemented a recommendation system with implicit feedback based on neural networks and collaborative filtering for 1.5 million of clients and +150K of items.
- Developed a real-time cosmetic product classification app for mobile devices by training a convolutional neural network (MobileNet) with 96 percent of accuracy.
- Applied a face emotion recognition system based on Squeeze-and-Excitation architecture to analyze customer satisfaction.
- · Applied a real-time Multi-Object Tracking system based on YOLOV3 and deep association metrics in order to analyze offices space
- Developed an audio emotion classifier with 70 percent of accuracy by training a deep convolutional neural network on spectrograms. Technologies used: Pytorch, Keras, TensorFlow Lite, Python, OpenCV, Librosa, Docker, PySpark, DVC, Git, GitHub

#### **Research Intern - Lung Nodule Classification**

Malvern, Pennsylvania, U.S.A

SIEMENS HEALTHINEERS

Apr. 2017 - Mar. 2018

- Improved their previous results on lung nodule classification by replacing their 2D approach with a 3D convolutional neural network. My system got 90 percent of sensitivity with 1.45 false positives per patient, reducing FP rate by 2x compared with the previous system.
- · Developed a labeling tool for lung nodule images in order to decrease labeling time and get more labeled training data. Technologies used: Caffe, Python, SimpleITK, Tkinter

### **Research Assistant - Diabetic Retinopathy Detection**

Rimac, Lima, Peru

Universidad Nacional de Ingeniería (UNI)

Jul. 2016 - Mar. 2017

- Trained a convolutional neural network to predict Diabetic Retinopathy cases from digital retina images with 83 percent of accuracy.
- The results were presented at International Conference on Artificial Neural Networks (ICANN 2017) held in Italy. Technologies used: Keras, Python, OpenCV

### **Research Assistant - Simultaneous Localization and Mapping**

Rimac, Lima, Peru

CENTER FOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY AND COMMUNICATIONS (CTIC)

Jan. 2014 - Apr. 2015

- · Developed the perception stage of an autonomous mobile robot simulation by implementing "Particle filter" for position estimation, and "Occupancy Grid Mapping" for map representation.
- · Results were presented at International Symposium on Multibody Systems and Mechatronics (MUSME 2014) held in Mexico. Technologies used: Matlab, Python, ROS, BeagleBone Black

# **Computer Skills**

Languages Python, SQL, C++

**Frameworks** Pytorch, Keras, Caffe, TensorFlow, Scikit Learn, OpenCV, SimpleITK, PySpark

Tools Git, DVC (Data Version Control), Docker, MATLAB, ROS, Power BI, Azure, Google Cloud Platform, Cloudera

Hardware Platforms Arduino, BeagleBone Black, Rasberry Pl

Operating Systems Linux (Ubuntu), Windows

### **Publications** \_

#### **ICANN 2017**

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON ARTIFICIAL NEURAL NETWORKS

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 García, G., Gallardo, J., Mauricio, A., López, J., & Del Carpio, C. (2017, September). Detection of Diabetic Retinopathy Based on a Convolutional Neural Network Using Retinal Fundus Images. In International Conference on Artificial Neural Networks (pp. 635-642).
Springer, Cham.

#### **MUSME 2014**

INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON MULTIBODY SYSTEMS AND MECHATRONICS

2014

• Mauricio, A., Nieves, A., Castillo, Y., Hilasaca, K., Fonseca, C., Gallardo, J., ... & Rodríguez, G. (2015). Multi-robot Exploration and Mapping Strategy in Underground Mines by Behavior Control. In Multibody Mechatronic Systems (pp. 101-110). Springer, Cham.

# **Extracurricular Activity**

#### **Everis Artificial Intelligence group**

San Isidro, Lima, Peru

MEMBER & COORDINATOR

Aug. 2018 - Present

· Delivering internal workshops and presentations on a variety of Machine Learning topics every two weeks.

### Artificial Intelligence research group (GISCIA) - UNI

Rimac, Lima, Peru Mar 2013 - Dec 2016

MEMBER & PRESIDENT AT 2016

• Organizing meetings, seminars and talks introducing undergraduates to research projects in Deep Learning, Computer Vision and

Robotics.

### **Honors & Awards**

- 2019 **Speaker**, Everis "Alimentatec" series Recommendation Systems
- 2018 **Speaker**, Everis Talks webinar series Computer Vision
- 2016 **Research Grant**, Research Institute of the Mechanical Eng. Department (INIFIM)
- 2016 President, Artificial Intelligence and Control Systems Research Group (GISCIA)
- 2014 Travel Grant, Universidad Nacional de Ingenieria Travel Grant to MUSME Symposium
- 2014 Speaker, National Conference of Technology organized by CONCYTEC
- 2013 Travel Grant, Mechanical Engineering Department Travel Grant to XII LARC
- 2013 **Scholarship**, Training course at Digital Manufacturing Center FabLab UNI

# Languages .

**English** Advanced (TOEFL iBT score: 99)

**Spanish** Native Speaker