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Education

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

2014

Graduated *Magna Cum Laude*

Minor in Digital Media

University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL

Honors

Boeing Scholarship (2013), Epsilon Pi Epsilon (2012 – 2013), Burnett Honors College Student (2010 – 2013), UCF Gold Pegasus Scholar (2010 – 2013), Dean's List (2010 – 2012), Society for Information Management Scholarship (2011 – 2012), Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) Fellow (2012), President's List (2011 – 2014).

Research

E.G. Ortiz, **A. Wright**, B.C. Becker, and M. Shah. "Face Recognition in Movie Trailers via Mean Sequence Sparse Representation-based Classification". IEEE Conf. on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2013.

- This work addresses the difficult problem of identifying a video face track while rejecting unknown individuals. We employ a large database of still images from the Internet to perform complete video face recognition from face tracking to face track identification.

Work Experience

(references available upon request)

Software Development Engineer in Test, Cloud & Enterprise, Microsoft

July 2014

- Accepted position with focus on creating software to extend automation infrastructure.
- Responsible for building and maintaining automation systems, debugging and isolating problems in the code base and executing creative tests to ensure software quality.

Software Development Engineer in Test Intern, Business Server Tools, Microsoft

2013

- Developed internal testing tools to aid in product development and release.
- Responsible for gathering specifications, building a completely new tool and deploying the tool for use internally.

Research Assistant, CRCV, University of Central Florida

2012 – 2013

- REU Computer Vision Research.
- Developed a novel video face recognition algorithm and pipeline for publication.
- Gained team development experience with PhD student.

Teaching Assistant, Junior Knights, University of Central Florida

2011 – 2012

- Assisted in teaching an introduction to programming course to high school students.