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RESEARCH AREAS OF INTEREST

Accessibility, Human-Al Interaction, Computer Vision, Machine Learning, Human-Robot Interaction

EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University - School of Computer Science

Pittsburgh, PA

Ph.D. in Human-Computer Interaction

(beginning) 08/2022 - current

Advised by Dr. Patrick Carrington

Carnegie Mellon University - School of Computer Science

Pittsburgh, PA

B.S. in Artificial Intelligence, Minor in Human-Computer Interaction

08/2018 - 05/2022

- Graduated with Phi Beta Kappa and University Honors

PUBLICATIONS / AWARDS

Published / Accepted Work (*-denotes equal contribution)
2022

[C3] Rich Screen Reader Interactions for Accessible Data Visualization	EuroVIS 2022
J. Zong*, C. Lee*, A. Lundgard*, JW Jang , D. Hajas, A. Satyanarayan	(Accept Rate: 24%)

- Honorable Mention (Top 5% of accepted submissions)

2021

[C2] Say It All: Feedback for Improving Non-Visual Presentation Accessibility	CHI 2021
Y.H. Peng, JW Jang , J. Bigham, A. Pavel	(Accept Rate: 26%)
[C1] Explorations of Designing Spatial Classroom Analytics with Virtual Prototyping	LAK 2021
JW Jang*, J. Lee*, V. Echeverria, L. Lawrence, V. Aleven	(Accept Rate: 31%)

Awards

Phi Beta Kappa Inductee	S2022
Senior Leadership Recognition Award	S2022
University Presidential Scholarship (\$125K 4-Year Academic Scholarship)	F2018 - S2022
School of Computer Science - Dean's List with High Honors	S2019 - S2022
Red Robot Hackathon - General Motors Best Robot Award	Oct 2018

RESEARCH POSITIONS

Carnegie Mellon University - AXLE Lab F2021 -	Current
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Graduate Research Assistant with Dr. Patrick Carrington

Massachusetts Institute of Technology - CSAIL

Summer 2021

Research Assistant with Dr. Arvind Satyanarayan (MiT Visualization Group)

Carnegie Mellon University - HCII Summer Research Program

Summer 2020 - F2020

REU Research Assistant with Dr. Vincent Aleven

Carnegie Mellon University - Big Lab

S2020 - F2020

Research Assistant under Drs. Amy Pavel and Jeffrey P. Bigham

RECENT WORK / EXPERIENCE

Carnegie Mellon University - Human-Computer Interaction Institute

F2021

Teaching Assistant for 05-499 / 05-899 (Accessibility)

Carnegie Mellon University - School of Computer Science

F2019 - S2020

Teaching Assistant for 15-122 (Principles of Imperative Computation)

Carnegie Mellon University - CREATE Lab (EarthTime / AI & Humanity Archive)

Summer 2019

Web Backend / Frontend / Design Intern - Supervised by Dr. Illah Nourbakhsh

Prior to CMU

Ministry of Health and Welfare - Republic of South Korea

Jun 2016 - Jul 2018

Special Task Force (Advisory to the Minister on Accessible Technology)

Community Chest of Korea

Mar 2013 - May 2016

Team Lead / Social Worker for Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing Causes

SERVICE / EXTRACURRICULARS

SCS4Accessibility, co-Lead + co-Founder F2021 - current

ABLE CMU (Disability Advocacy / Social Awareness Group), VP + Founding Member F2019 - current

Accessibility Research Reading Group (Led/Presented 2 Sessions) S2020 - current

SCS4ALL, Lead Mentor for Under-Upperclassmen Mentorship Program F2018 - current

CMU PRISM (LGBTQ+ Advocacy Group) F2018 - current

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

Past Coursework

AI / ML Computational Photography, Computer Vision, Deep/Reinforcement Learning,

Machine Learning

HCI Accessibility, Privacy and Security, Interaction Design, Human-Robot Interaction,

Cognitive Psychology

CS Fundamentals Computer Systems, Regression Analysis, Statistical Inference, Probability Theory,

Multivariate Calculus, Linear Algebra, Algorithms Analysis, Imperative/Functional

Programming, Data Structures

SKILLS

Code Proficient: Python, C, C++, JS/TypeScript, HTML+CSS, SML, LaTeX

Familiar: ROS, Swift, Java, R, Matlab, SQL (learner), Django (learner), OCaml

Software Frameworks OpenCV, Git, PyTorch (learner), TensorFlow (learner), Scikit-learn, Jupyter, R

Packages / Apps Stata, Photoshop, Lightroom, Final Cut Pro X, WordPress

Languages English (fluent), Korean (fluent), ASL (beginner), CASE/PSE (beginner)