Jung-Chun Liu

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Education _____

National Taiwan University

Sep 2021 - Jun 2023

M.S. in Electrical Engineering, Computer Science Track

- Overall GPA: 3.96/4.0
- Thesis: Automatic Induction of Task Substructures from Expert Demonstrations via Genetic Programming
- Selected Courses: Robotics, Stochastic Control, Introduction to Logic, Advanced Algorithms

National Taiwan University

Sep 2016 - Jun 2021

B.S. in **Electrical Engineering** and **Psychology**

- Dean's list (Top 5% in a class of 188 EE students based on GPA) for one semester
- Overall GPA: 3.76/4.0, last 60 GPA: 3.92/4.0
- Selected Courses:
 - Computer Science: Probability & Statistics, Data Structure & Programming, The Design & Analysis of Algorithms, Introduction to Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning, Genetic Algorithm
 - Cognitive Science: Human Learning & Cognition, Perceptual Psychology, Physiological Psychology, Methods of Psychological Experiments, Psychological Testing

Publications —

- 1. **Jung-Chun Liu**, Chi-Hsien Chang, Shao-Hua Sun, and Tian-Li Yu. "Integrating Planning and Deep Reinforcement Learning via Automatic Induction of Task Substructures." Accepted to *NeurIPS Workshop on Generalization in Planning*, 2023. Also submitted to *International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR)*, 2024. (Score: 5/6/6/8, ranked top 17.73% as of Nov 27).
- 2. Wen-Zhong Fang, Chi-Hsien Chang, **Jung-Chun Liu**, and Tian-Li Yu. "GP with Ranging-Binding Technique for Symbolic Regression." *Proceedings of the Companion Conference on Genetic and Evolutionary Computation (GECCO)*, 563–566, 2023.
- 3. **Jung-Chun Liu** and Tsung-Te Liu. "Multi-Robot Formation Control using Collective Behavior Model and Reinforcement Learning." *IEEE International Symposium on Circuits and Systems (ISCAS)*, 2261–65, 2022.
- 4. **Jung-Chun Liu**, Kuei-An Li, Su-Ling Yeh, and Shao-Yi Chien. "Assessing perceptual load and cognitive load by fixation-related information of eye movements." *Sensors* 22 (3): 1187, 2022.

Research Experiences _____

NTU Robot Learning Laboratory

Sep 2023 - Recent

Research Assistant with Prof. Shao-Hua Sun

- Incorporating Large Language Model into Reinforcement Learning and Program Synthesis
 - Proposed a method to pre-train reinforcement learning agent with the trajectories generated by LLM.
 - Worked on mapping domain-specific language to sensor input for program synthesis using LLM.

Taiwan Evolutionary Intelligence Laboratory

Sep 2021 - Jun 2023

Graduate Student with Prof. Tian-Li Yu

- Automatic Learning Framework with Planning and Deep Reinforcement Learning
 - Proposed a framework to integrate classical planning and DRL for general MDP problems.
 - Designed an approach to induce action models using genetic programming.
 - Outperformed other SOTA methods, including BC-PPO, DQN-RBS, GAIL, and RIDE, and demonstrated the generalizability to learn various tasks.

Explorer of Perception and Attention Lab

Jan 2020 - Aug 2021

Research Assistant with Prof. Su-Ling Yeh

- The Influence of Long-Term Behavior on Robot Acceptance in Human-Robot Interaction
 - Programmed robot behaviors on the Android platform for psychological experiments.
 - Implemented face recognition and expression detection using Keras.

Ganzin Technology

Jun 2020 - Mar 2021

Research Intern with Prof. Su-Ling Yeh and Prof. Shao-Yi Chien

- Workload Research using Eye Tracking Technology
 - Designed the procedure and instructions of psychological experiments.
 - Implemented the interfaces and programs to assess workload using an eye tracker.
 - Collaborated with Explorer of Perception and Attention Lab.

Energy-Efficient Circuits and Systems Lab

Sep 2018 - Aug 2021

Undergraduate Researcher with Prof. Tsung-Te Liu

- Distributed Multi-Robot Formation Control
 - Incorporated collective behavior model and RL for distributed multi-robot formation control.
 - Devised a hardware architecture that reduces the area and power consumption by 12%.
 - Outperformed previous methods in JSSC and ISSCC.
- Energy-Efficient Hardware Design of Elliptic Curve Cryptography
 - Improved the window algorithm of ECC hardware methods which reduces the calculation by 10%.

Honors __

Pan Wen Yuan Foundation Scholarship

May 2023

Dean's list, Top 5% in a class of 188 EE students based on GPA

Sep 2019

Teaching Experiences _____

Cornerstone EECS Design and Implementation

Feb 2021 - Jun 2023

Teaching Assistant

- Taught 72 freshmen to design Arduino autonomous cars using various electronic components.
- Gave speeches to teach students how to write progress reports in the STAR format.
- Built a website to visualize algorithm searches, enhancing students' understanding on algorithm design.

Computer Programming

Sep 2021 - Jan 2022

Teaching Assistant

- Taught 50 freshmen in lab and helped them learn C++ programming.
- Designed the course assignments, exams, and projects.

Leadership & Extracurricular Activities _____

Lighting System Officer

Sep 2019 - Jun 2020

Public Address Team, NTU Student Association

- Managed and arranged the auditorium stage lighting system, including the power system, digital communication networks, and more than 30 stage lighting instruments.
- Trained 15 team members to be proficient in the lighting system.
- Voluntarily provided technical support as a lighting designer for student activities and performances.