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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2015 – PRESENT	PRHLT Research Center, Universitat Politècnica de València. <i>Superior technician.</i>
2014 – 2015	PRHLT Research Center, Universidad Politécnica de Valencia. <i>Student researcher.</i>

EDUCATION

2015 – PRESENT	PHD CANDIDATE. Universitat Politècnica de Valencia.
2014 – 2015	MSC in ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, PATTERN RECOGNITION AND DIGITAL IMAGING. Universitat Politècnica de Valencia. GPA: 9.2/10.
2008 – 2014	BSC in COMPUTER ENGINEERING. Universitat Politècnica de Valencia. GPA: 7.5/10.

LANGUAGES

SPANISH	Mother tongue.
CATALAN	Full professional competence.
ENGLISH	Advanced (Cambridge Advanced English Certificate).
GERMAN	Beginner.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages	Python, Java, C++, UNIX shell scripting, Matlab, Haskell.
Machine Learning Libraries	Tensorflow, PyTorch, Theano, Keras, Scikit-learn, Moses.
Other	L ^A T _E X, Office, Git, Subversion.

OPEN SOURCE LIBRARIES

NMT-Keras	Fully-fledged neural machine translation toolkit.
ABiViRNet	Neural video captioning.
sentence-selectionNN	Neural sentence classifiers, for data selection.
VIBIKNet	Visual question answering.
TMA	Egocentric video captioning with extended context.

SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEES

Served as reviewer for several journals, including: Information Processing & Management, Machine Translation, Language Resources and Evaluation.

PUBLICATIONS

1. **Álvaro Peris** and Francisco Casacuberta. “Active Learning for Interactive Neural Machine Translation of Data Streams”. In *Proceedings of the 22nd Conference on Computational Natural Language Learning (CoNLL)*, pp. 151–160, 2018.
2. Marc Bolaños, **Álvaro Peris** and Francisco Casacuberta, Sergi Soler y Petia Radeva. “Egocentric Video Description based on Temporally-Linked Sequences”. In *Journal of Visual Communication and Image Representation*, vol. 50 pp. 205-216, 2018.
3. Mara China-Ríos, **Álvaro Peris** and Francisco Casacuberta. “Are Automatic Metrics Robust and Reliable in Specific Machine Translation Tasks?”. In *Proceedings of the 21st Annual Conference of the European Association for Machine Translation (EAMT)*, pp. 89–98, 2018.
4. **Álvaro Peris** and Francisco Casacuberta. “NMT-Keras: a Very Flexible Toolkit with a Focus on Interactive NMT and Online Learning”. *The Prague Bulletin of Mathematical Linguistics*, vol. 111 pp. 113-124, 2018.
5. **Álvaro Peris** and Francisco Casacuberta. “Online Learning for Effort Reduction in Interactive Neural Machine Translation”. In *arXiv:1802.03594*, 2018.
6. **Álvaro Peris**, Luis Cebrián and Francisco Casacuberta. “Online learning for neural machine translation post-editing”. In *arXiv:1706.03196*, 2017.
7. **Álvaro Peris**, Mara China-Ríos, and Francisco Casacuberta. “Neural Networks Classifier for Data Selection in Statistical Machine Translation”. In *The Prague Bulletin of Mathematical Linguistics*, vol. 108, pp. 283–294, 2017.
8. Mara China-Ríos, **Álvaro Peris** and Francisco Casacuberta. “Adapting Neural Machine Translation with Parallel Synthetic Data”. In *Proceedings of the Conference on Machine Translation (WMT)*, pp. 138–147, 2017.
9. **Álvaro Peris**, Miguel Domingo and Francisco Casacuberta. “Interactive Neural Machine Translation”. In *Computer Speech & Language*, vol. 45, pp. 201–220, 2017.
10. Francisco Casacuberta and **Álvaro Peris**. “Traducción automática neuronal”. In *Revista Tradumàtica*, vol- 15, pp. 66–74, 2017.
11. Marc Bolaños, **Álvaro Peris**, Francisco Casacuberta and Petia Radeva. “VIBIKNet: Visual Bidirectional Kernelized Network for Visual Question Answering”. In *Proceedings of the 8th Iberian Conference on Pattern Recognition and Image Analysis (IbPRIA)*, pp. 372–380, 2017.
12. Miguel Domingo, **Álvaro Peris** and Francisco Casacuberta. “Segment-based interactive-predictive machine translation”. In *Machine Translation Journal*, vol. 31 pp. 163–185, 2017.
13. Miguel Domingo, **Álvaro Peris** and Francisco Casacuberta. “Interactive-Predictive Translation based on Multiple Word-Segments”. In *Proceedings of the European Association for Machine Translation (EAMT)*, pp. 282–291, 2016. **Best paper award.**
14. **Álvaro Peris**, Marc Bolaños, Petia Radeva, and Francisco Casacuberta. “Video Description using Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Networks”. In *Proceedings of the 25th ICANN*, vol 2, pp. 3–11. 2016.
15. **Álvaro Peris** and Francisco Casacuberta. “A Bidirectional Recurrent Neural Language Model for Machine Translation”. In *Sociedad Española para el Procesamiento del Lenguaje Natural (SEPLN)*, vol. 55, pp. 109-116, 2015.