

# Pattern Mini-Project Zetona

This Python code uses **OpenCV**, **NumPy**, **Matplotlib**, and **MTCNN** (Multi-task Cascaded Convolutional Networks) to detect faces in two images, filter them by confidence and size, and visualize the results.

Let's break it down step by step:

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## ◆ Imports

```
import cv2 # For image loading and basic operations
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```
import numpy as np # Not used in this code, but often needed for array operations
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```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt # For displaying images
```

```
from mtcnn.mtcnn import MTCNN # For face detection using a pre-trained MTCNN model
```

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## ◆ Function: draw\_faces\_with\_mtcnn()

### Purpose:

Detects faces in an image using MTCNN, filters them based on:

- **Confidence level** (how sure the model is that it found a face)
- **Minimum face size**

### Parameters:

- **image**: Input image (expected in BGR format as from OpenCV)
- **confidence\_threshold**: Minimum confidence required to consider a detection valid (default is 0.90)
- **min\_face\_size**: Minimum width/height for a detected face to be accepted (default is 30 pixels)

### Code:

```
rgb = cv2.cvtColor(image, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB) # Convert from BGR (OpenCV) to RGB (MTCNN expects RGB)
```

```
detector = MTCNN() # Instantiate face detector
```

```
faces = detector.detect_faces(rgb) # Detect faces in image
```

### Loop through detected faces:

```
for face in faces:
```

```
    x, y, w, h = face['box'] # Bounding box of the face
```

```
    confidence = face['confidence'] # Detection confidence
```

```
    if confidence >= confidence_threshold and w >= min_face_size and h >= min_face_size:
```

```
        filtered_faces.append(face)
```

```
        cv2.rectangle(rgb, (x, y), (x + w, y + h), (0, 0, 255), 2) # Draw a red rectangle around the face
```

### Return:

- The RGB image with rectangles drawn
  - The number of valid faces detected
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#### ◆ Image Input

```
image1_path = "C:/Users/maryam/Desktop/LVL 4, Semester 2/Pattern Recognition/Project/team.jpg"
```

```
image2_path = "C:/Users/maryam/Desktop/LVL 4, Semester 2/Pattern Recognition/Project/team2.jpg"
```

#### ◆ Read Images

```
img1 = cv2.imread(image1_path)
```

```
img2 = cv2.imread(image2_path)
```

#### ◆ Check for successful loading

```
if img1 is None or img2 is None:
```

```
    print("One or both images could not be loaded.")
```

#### ◆ Detect and Annotate Faces

```
img1_with_faces, count1 = draw_faces_with_mtcnn(img1)
```

```
img2_with_faces, count2 = draw_faces_with_mtcnn(img2)
```

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### ◆ Visualization using Matplotlib

```
fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(14, 7)) # Create two side-by-side plots
```

```
# Display first image
```

```
axes[0].imshow(img1_with_faces)
```

```
axes[0].set_title(f"Faces in image1: {count1}")
```

```
axes[0].axis('off')
```

```
# Display second image
```

```
axes[1].imshow(img2_with_faces)
```

```
axes[1].set_title(f"Faces in image2: {count2}")
```

```
axes[1].axis('off')
```

```
plt.tight_layout()
```

```
plt.show()
```

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### ◆ Summary

This script:

1. Loads two images.
2. Uses the MTCNN face detector.
3. Filters faces based on confidence and size.
4. Draws bounding boxes around valid faces.
5. Displays the results side-by-side with the count of detected faces.