Ming-Yu Liu

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Research

- Interest: Computer vision, machine learning, natural language processing, robotics, and artificial intelligence.
- Expertise: Semantic scene labeling, object detection, image segmentation, depth upsampling, template matching, object pose estimation, deep learning, supervised learning, unsupervised learning, and reinforcement learning.

Awards

- R&D 100 Award, 2014
- University of Maryland, Teaching Fellowship, 2011

Publications

• Recursive context propagation network for semantic scene labeling

Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS), 2014

A. Sharma, O. Tuzel, Ming-Yu Liu

• Learning to rankd 3D features

European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV), 2014

O. Tuzel, Ming-Yu Liu, Y. Taguchi, A. Raghunathan

• Joint Geodesic Upsampling of Depth Images

IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2013

Ming-Yu Liu, O. Tuzel, Y. Taguchi

• Entropy Rate Clustering: Cluster Analysis via Maximizing a Submodular Function subject to a Matroid Constraint

IEEE Transaction on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence (TPAMI), 2013

Ming-Yu Liu, O. Tuzel, S. Ramalingam, R. Chellappa

• Model-Based Vehicle Pose Estimation and Tracking in Videos Using Random Forests

IEEE International Conference on 3D Vision (3DV), 2013

M. Hödlmoser, B. Micusik, M. Pollefeys, Ming-Yu Liu, M. Kampel

• Fast Object Detection and Pose Estimation in Heavy Clutter for Robotic Bin-Picking

International Journal of Robotics Research (IJRR) 2012

Ming-Yu Liu, O. Tuzel, A. Veeraraghavan, Y. Taguchi, T. Marks, R. Chellappa

Voting-Based Pose Estimation for Robotic Assembly Using a 3D Sensor

IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), 2012

C. Choi, Y. Taguchi, O. Tuzel, Ming-Yu Liu, S. Ramalingam

• A Grassmann Manifold-based Domain Adaptation Approach

International Conference on Pattern Recognition (ICPR), 2012

J. Zheng, Ming-Yu Liu, R. Chellappa, P. Phillips

Classification and Pose Estimation of Vehicles in Videos by 3D Modeling within Discrete-Continuous Optimization

International Conference on 3D Imaging, Modeling, Processing, Visualization and Transmission (3DIMPVT), 2012

M. Hödlmoser, B. Micusik, Ming-Yu Liu, M. Pollefeys, M. Kampel

• Entropy Rate Superpixel Segmentation

IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2011

Ming-Yu Liu, O. Tuzel, S. Ramalingam, R. Chellappa

• Fast Directional Chamfer Matching

IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2010

Ming-Yu Liu, O. Tuzel, A. Veeraraghavan, R. Chellappa

• Pose Estimation in Heavy Clutter using a Multi-Flash Camera IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), 2010 Ming-Yu Liu, O. Tuzel, A. Veeraraghavan, R. Chellappa, A. Agrawal, H. Okuda

Patents

• Granted: US8428363 B2

• Application: US20140219547, US20130156262

Services

- **Reviewer**: IEEE Transaction on Image Processing, IEEE Signal Processing Letters, Journal of Computer Vision and Image Understanding,
- Technical committee member: IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), IEEE
 International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV), European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV),
 IEEE Internal Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), Conference on Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI)

Education

• University of Maryland College Park, Maryland

Electrical and Computer Engineering, Ph.D.

College Park, MD, USA

2006 - 2012

- Dissertation: Discrete optimization methods for segmentation and matching.
- Adviser: Rama Chellappa

• National Chiao Tung University Communication Engineering, B.A.

Hsinchu, Taiwan

1999 - 2003

Experiences

• Mitsubishi Electric Research Laboratories (MERL)

Cambridge, MA

2012 - present

Member of Research Staff

- Conducted original research in the field of computer vision, robotics, and machine learning.

- Researched and developed robotic bin picking systems for factory automation.
- Researched and developed commercial perception systems for autonomous driving.
- Researched and developed commercial image recognition systems for satellite image analysis.
- Launched products: MELFA-3D vision

• Intel Innovation Center

Taipei, Taiwan

2005 - 2006

Software Engineer

- Developed embedded systems for smart TV applications using Intel X-Scale Arm processor and Linux.

Parachute Troop, Army

Taiwan 2003 – 2005

Officer, Second Lieutenant

Conducted military training and communication equipment maintenance.

Core Programming Skills

Languages: C, C++, Matlab, Python,

Libraries: OpenCV, Caffe, EIGEN, Coin-OR,

Hobbies

Snowboarding, Tennis, Basketball, Chinese Kungfu