

# Tools Used



**scikit-video**  
video processing in python



**NumPy**



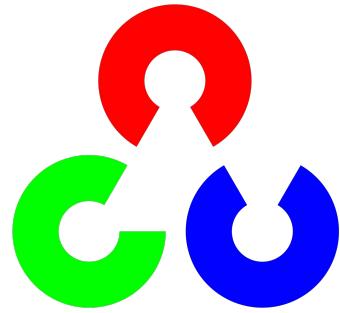
**Streamlit**

**P Y T H O N**

 **Keras**



**TensorFlow**

 **OpenCV**



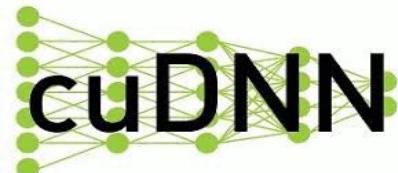
**pillow**



**python**



**NVIDIA.<sup>®</sup> CUDA**

 **cuDNN**

 **dlib**

 **matplotlib**

# Image Creation with Generative Adversarial Networks

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September 15, 2020

# Sub Projects

## Neural Style Transfer

- Functional style transfer app

## StyleGAN Encoder

- Proof of concept face blending app

## Face Swap

- Functional face swap app

Neural Style Transfer

StyleGAN Encoder

Face Swap



# Neural Style Transfer

# Neural Style Transfer



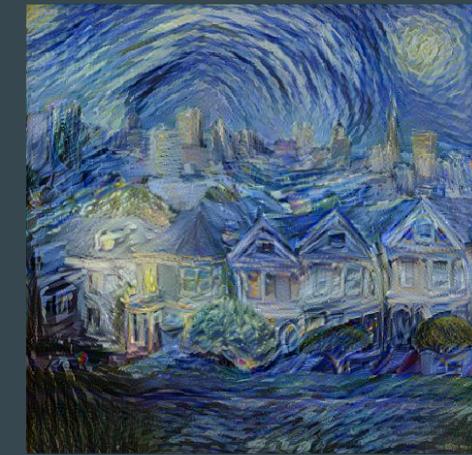
# StyleGAN Encoder

[https://medium.com/@build\\_it\\_for\\_fun/neural-style-transfer-with-swift-for-tensorflow-b8544105b854](https://medium.com/@build_it_for_fun/neural-style-transfer-with-swift-for-tensorflow-b8544105b854)



Content

# Face Swap



Result

Style

## Total Loss Function

$$\mathcal{L}_{total}(\vec{p}, \vec{a}, \vec{x}) = \alpha \mathcal{L}_{content}(\vec{p}, \vec{x}) + \beta \mathcal{L}_{style}(\vec{a}, \vec{x})$$

Content of final image → similar to content image

Style of final image → similar to style image

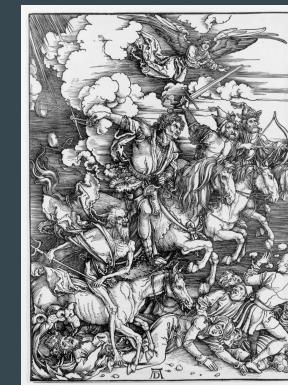
Goal: minimize loss

## Training Data:

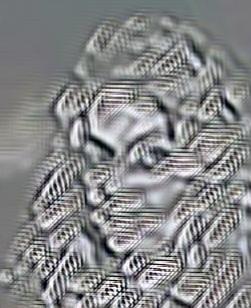
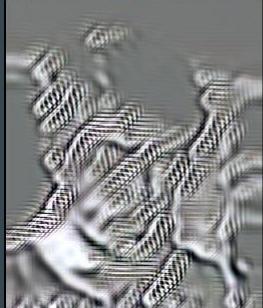
Flickr Faces HQ Dataset - 168,000 aligned faces

Stop at 10,000 iterations

Some pictures used as “styles” to train on:



# Detail



400 iterations

10,000 iterations



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2000 iterations





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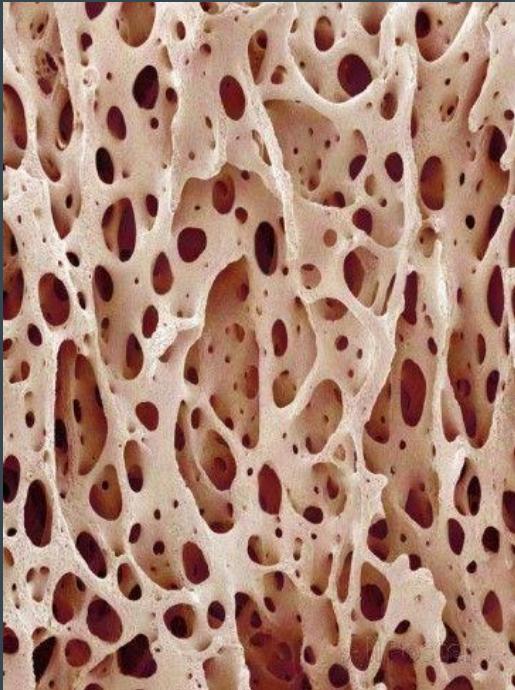
8,000 iterations

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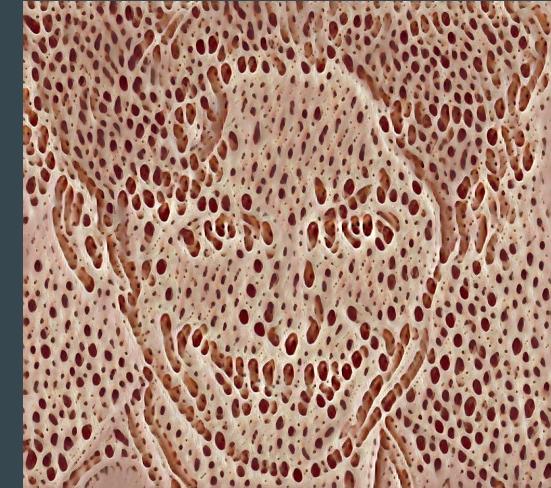
$\lambda_{\text{style}} = 1e10$ 

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12,000 iterations

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# Neural Style Transfer



# StyleGAN Encoder



# Face Swap



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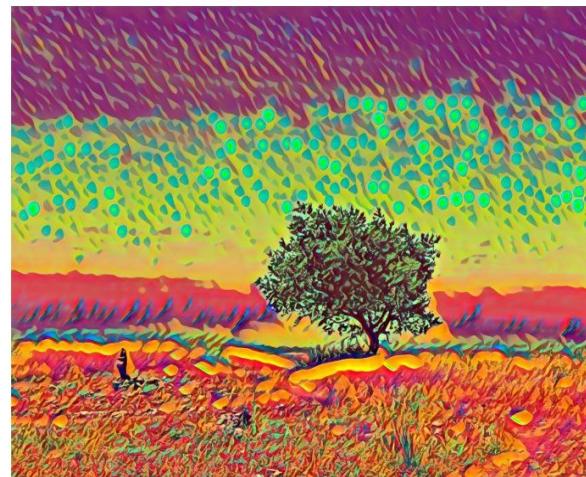
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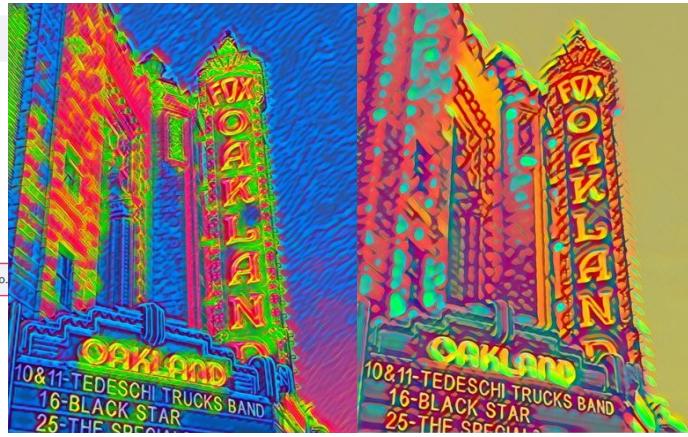
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# StyleGAN Encoder

## Training Data:

Flickr Faces HQ Dataset - 168,000  
aligned faces

LSUN - Cars, Churches, Cats,  
Horses

- Perceptual loss function
- L1 Penalty on latent vectors



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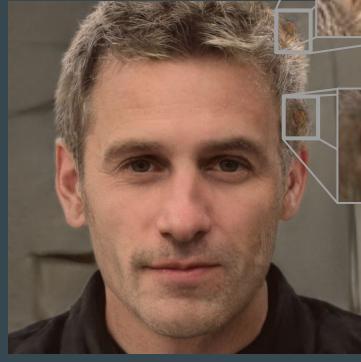
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# Combining Latent Representations



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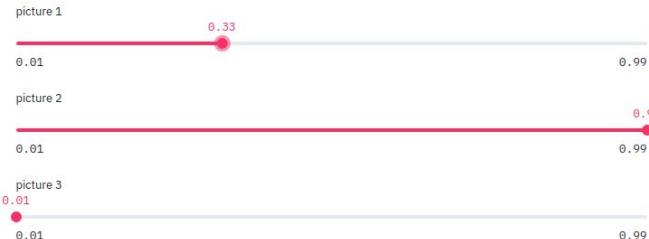


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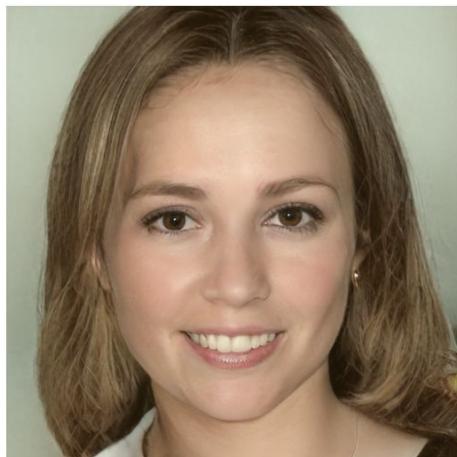


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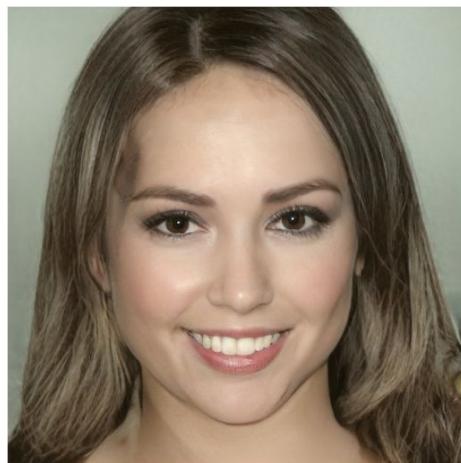
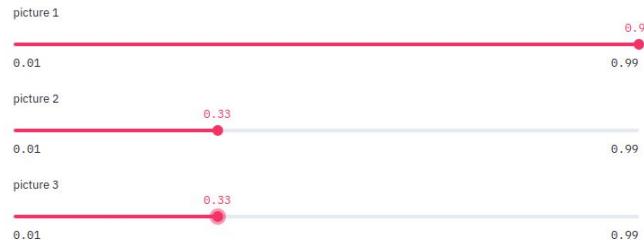


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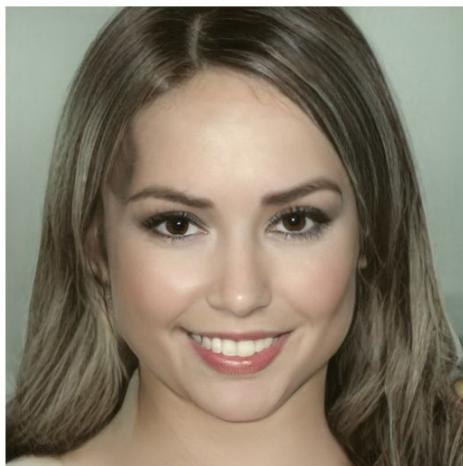
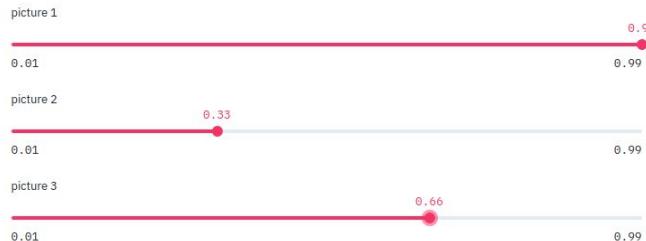


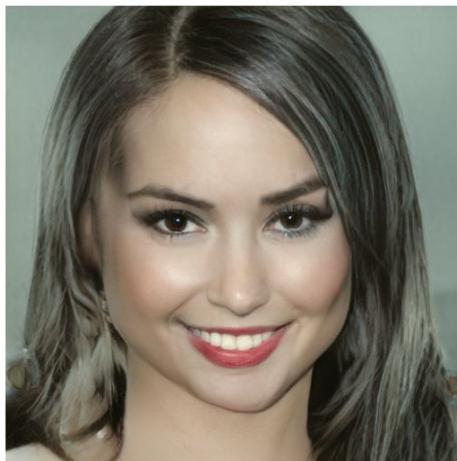
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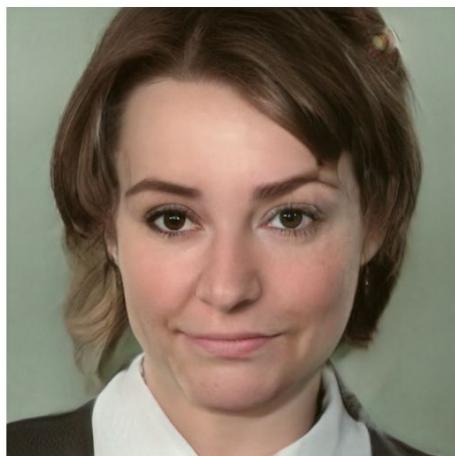
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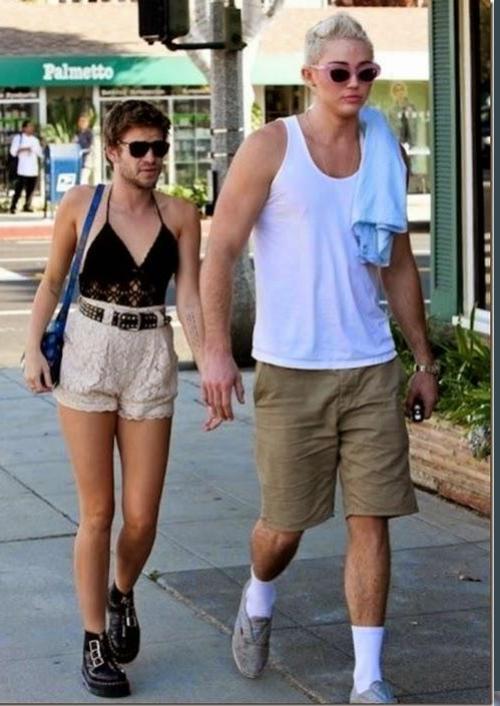


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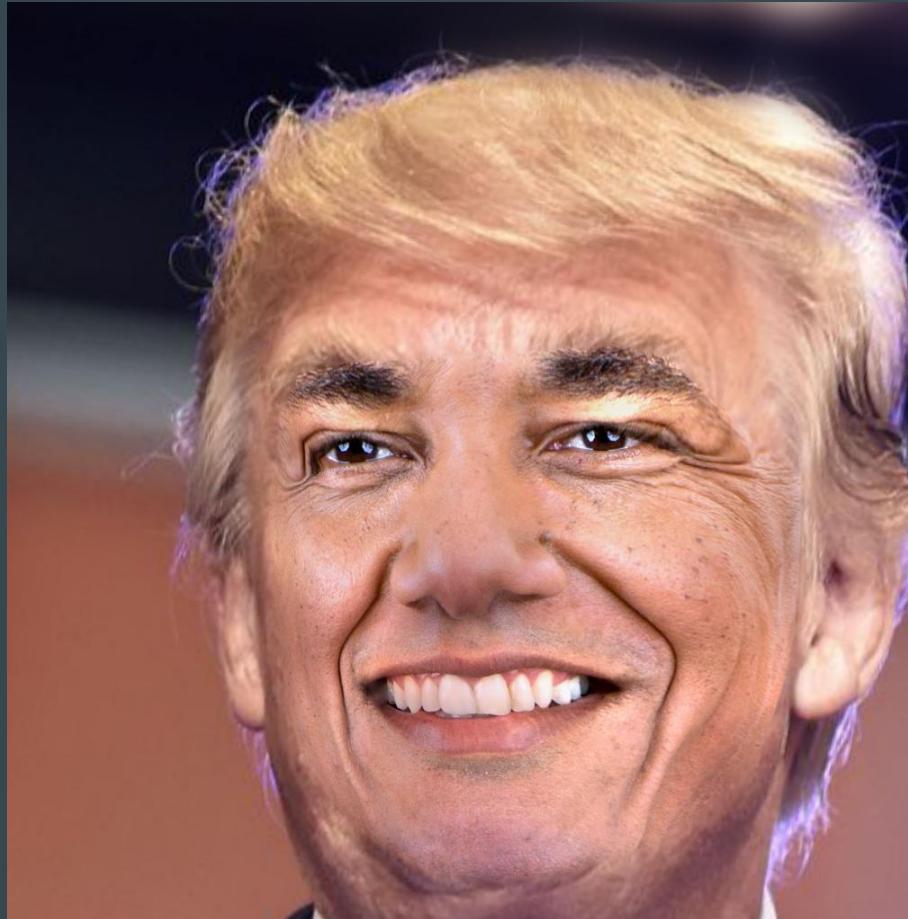
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Face Swap









## Face Swap Steps

1. Detect and align faces from both images using facial landmarks
2. Warp the face from the source image to fit the aligned face in the destination image
3. Perform color correction and blur boundary edges

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Swap Faces



Swap Faces

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# Future Work

## Add Upload Functionality

- Add functionality for uploading your own images to the StyleGAN Encoder App

## Host Apps

- Create a personal website with all three apps

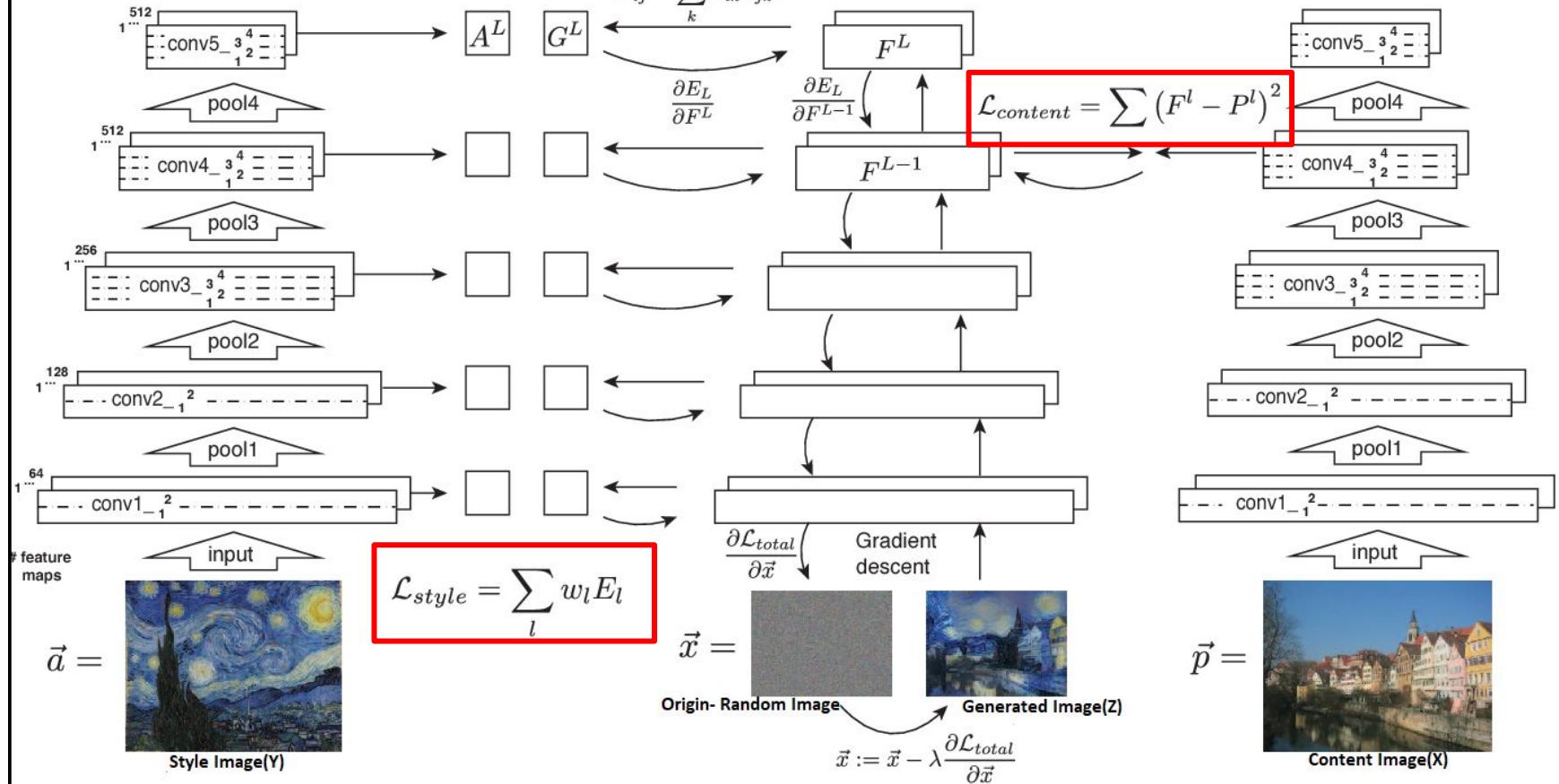
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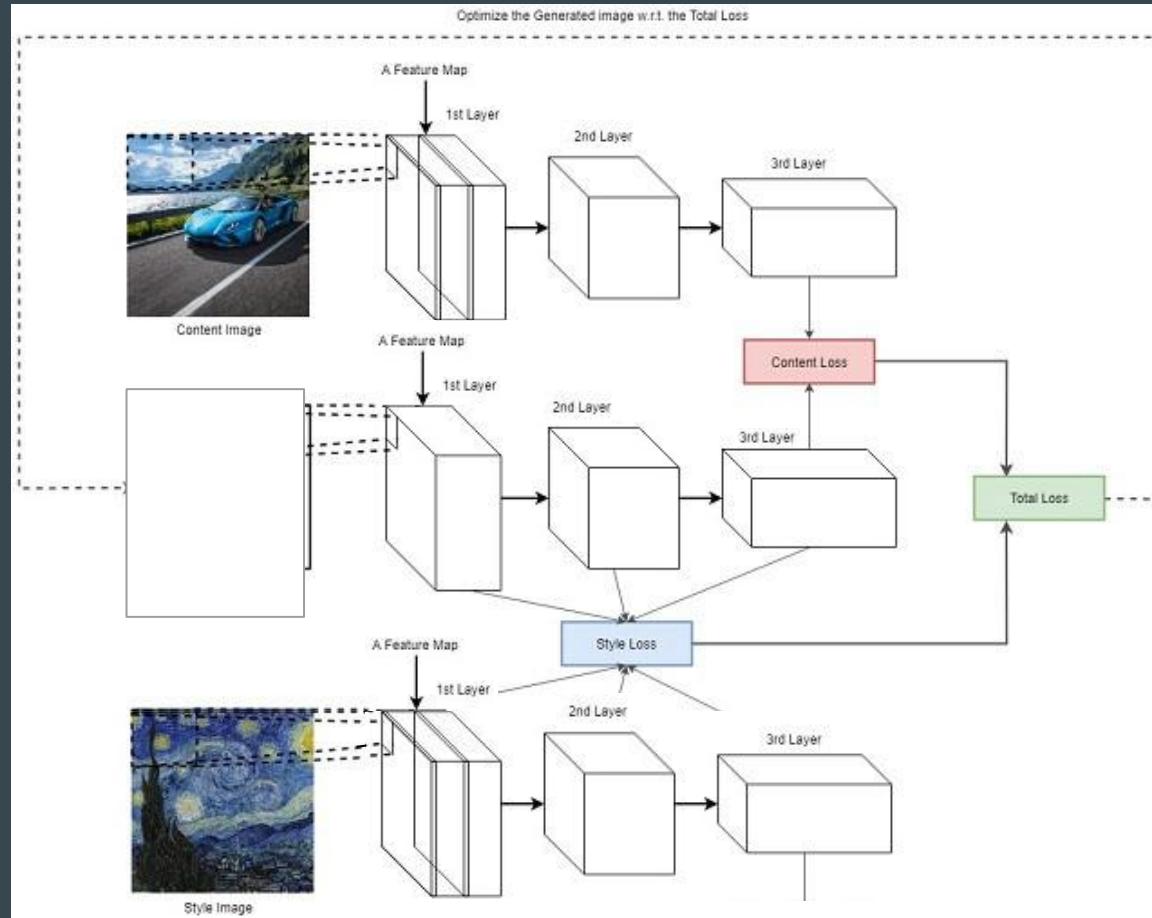


# Appendix

$$E_L = \sum (G^L - A^L)^2$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{total} = \alpha \mathcal{L}_{content} + \beta \mathcal{L}_{style}$$





# Training



# StyleGAN Encoder

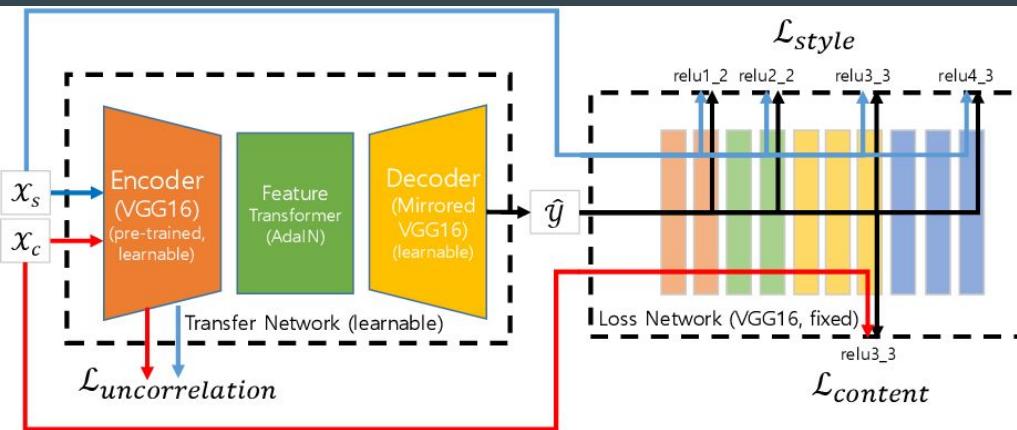


Image transformation tasks: a system receives some input image and transforms it into an output image.

A previously used approach: per-pixel loss function. Scenario: shifted by one pixel: per-pixel says its much different, even tho its not

New approach: perceptual loss function - instead of differences between pixels, based on differences between high-level image feature representations extracted from CNN. Images are generated by minimizing a loss function.

Uses perceptual loss function to compare high level differences like content and style discrepancies between two images.

The perceptual loss function works by summing all the squared errors between all the pixels and taking the mean Johnson et al. (2016).

# Steps in Face Swap

## Detect Faces

Uses OpenCV to locate faces.

1. Upsamples image
2. Loops over 68 facial landmarks and converts them to a 2-tuple of (x, y) coordinates

Uses ----- to detect faces. If more than one face is visible in the picture, it puts a red box around each face and you click on the face you want.

## Face Swap

3d warp... ?

Generates a mask over the face coordinates, this is the area that will be swapped

Shrink mask

Poisson blending

Calculates triangular affine matrices

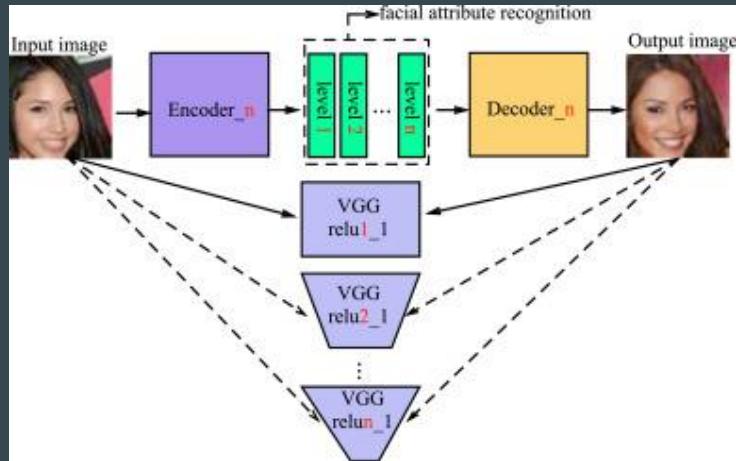
Uses bilinear interpolation to place the source face onto the destination head

## Finishing Touches

Optionally performs color correction, makes the result look much more natural

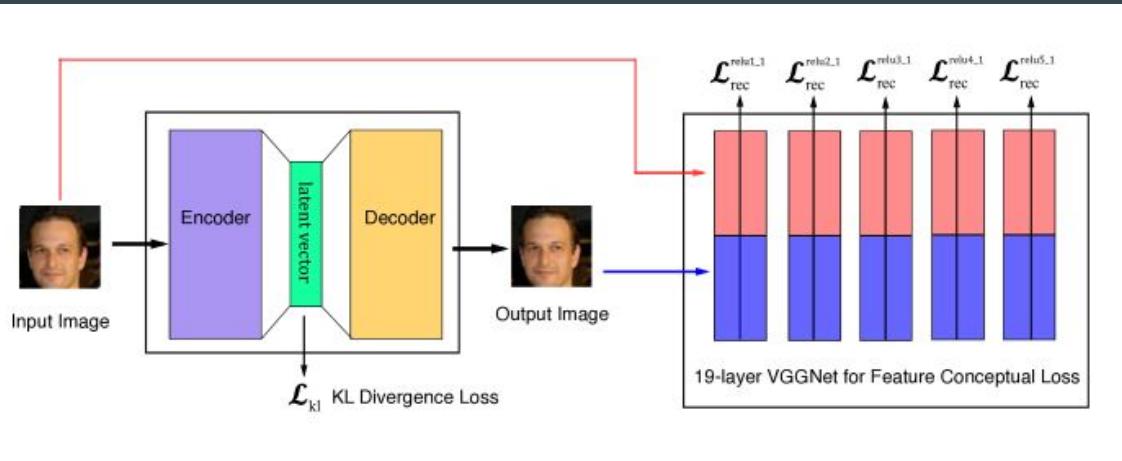
Uses Gaussian blur to smooth the edges between boundary of source face & destination head using a normal distribution for a clean looking transition





## About StyleGAN Encoding

- Image transformation - receive an image, transform into output image
- Per-pixel loss functions are not ideal for image recreation
- We want to compare high level features regardless of their location in the image... Perceptual Loss!
- Uses direct optimization for latent representation
- Uses a facial identity loss function to preserve identity features (usually facial identity is lost in latent representations)



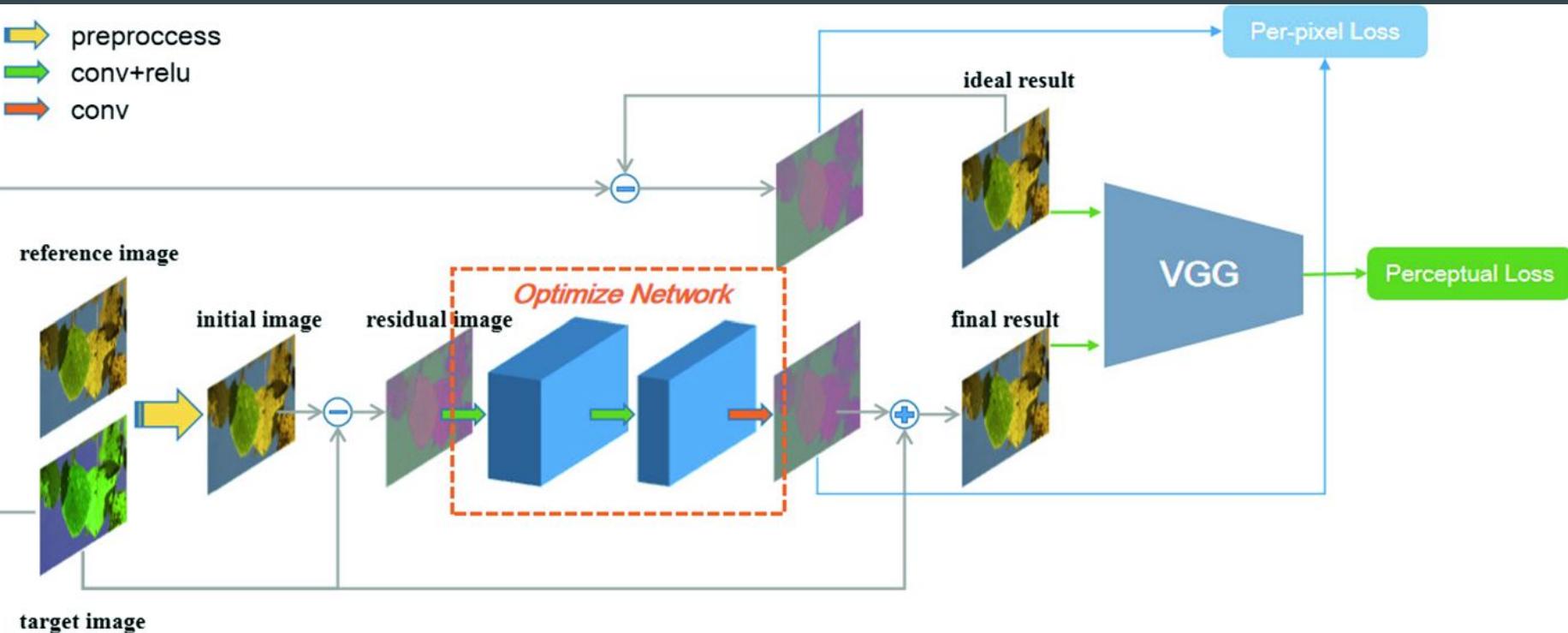
Uses VGG16, StyleGAN2

Trained on ResNet (also an option to train on EfficientNet)

Loss functions:

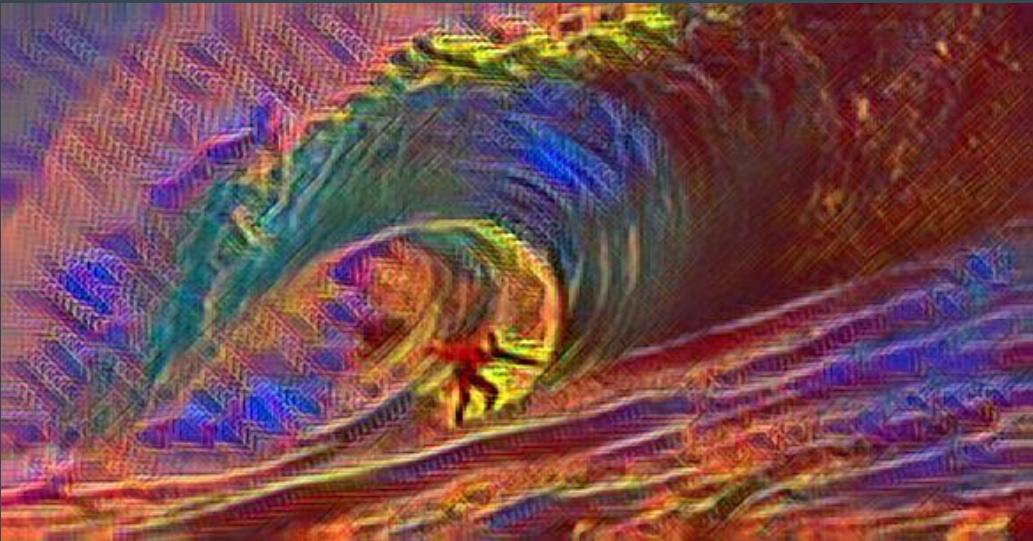
- VGG
- logcosh
- MS-SIM
- LPIPS (default)

yellow arrow: preprocess  
green arrow: conv+relu  
orange arrow: conv





6,000 iterations



2,000 iterations



10,000 iterations

Starry Night is most commonly used because it has good style properties





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Style



Result

# Neural Style Transfer

## Hyperparameters (default values listed)

epochs: 1  
batch\_size: 4  
 $\lambda_{\text{content}}$ : 1e5  
 $\lambda_{\text{style}}$ : 1e10  
learning\_rate: 0.001  
checkpoint\_interval: 1000  
sample\_interval: 500

<https://github.com/jcjohnson/fast-neural-style>

## Training

FFHQ faces dataset. Sample of 20,000 pictures from entire set of ~168,000. Usually stopped training around 10,000 as further improvements from here were minimal.

Here are some of the pictures used as “styles” to train on:

