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Education Background

Institute of Computing Technology, Chinese Academy of Sciences

Ph.D. candidate in Computer Applied Technology

Advisor: Prof. Shiguang Shan

2016.09 - present Beijing, China

Nankai University

Artificial Science and Technology Bachelor of Engineering

2012.09 - 2016.07

Tianjin, China

Research Interests

Machine Learning and Computer Vision with applications in Affective Computing (e.g., remote heart rate estimation, and facial action units detection).

Publications

- 1. Xuesong Niu, Shiguang Shan, Hu Han, Xilin Chen. "RhythmNet: End-to-end Heart Rate Estimation from Face via Spatial-temporal Representation." IEEE Transactions on Image Processing (TIP), 2019. (CCF-A)
- 2. Xuesong Niu, Hu Han, Shiguang Shan, Xilin Chen. "Multi-label Co-regularization for Semi-supervised Facial Action Unit Recognition." Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), Vancouver, Canada, 2019. (CCF-A)
- Xuesong Niu, Hu Han, Songfan Yang, Yan Huang, Shiguang Shan. "Local Relationship Learning with Person-specific Shape Regularization for Facial Action Unit Detection." IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), Long Beach, CA, USA, 2019. (CCF-A)
- 4. Xuesong Niu*, Xingyuan Zhao*, Hu Han, Abhijit Das, Antitza Dantcheva, Shiguang Shan, Xilin Chen. "Robust Remote Heart Rate Estimation from Face Utilizing Spatial-temporal Attention." IEEE International Conference on Automatic Face and Gesture Recognition (FG), Lille, France, 2019. (Best Poster Presentation Award)

- **5. Xuesong Niu**, Hu Han, Shiguang Shan, Xilin Chen. "VIPL-HR: A Multi-modal Database for Pulse Estimation from Less-constrained Face Video." Asian Conference on Computer Vision (ACCV), Perth Western Australia, 2018.
- **6. Xuesong Niu**, Hu Han, Jiabei Zeng, Xuran Sun, Shiguang Shan, Yan Huang, Songfan Yang, Xilin Chen. "Automatic Engagement Prediction with GAP Feature." ACM International Conference on Multimodal Interaction (ICMI), Boulder, CO, USA, 2018.
- 7. Xuesong Niu, Hu Han, Shiguang Shan, Xilin Chen. "SynRhythm: Learning a Deep Heart Rate Estimator from General to Specific." International Conference on Pattern Recognition (ICPR), Beijing, China, 2018.
- **8. Xuesong Niu**, Hu Han, Shiguang Shan, Xilin Chen. "Continuous Heart Rate Measurement from Face: A Robust rPPG Approach with Distribution Learning." International Joint Conference on Biometrics (IJCB), 2017.

Awards & Honors

- 1. Best Poster Presentation Award in IEEE FG, 2019
- 2. Second Runner-up Award in EmotiW Student Engagement Prediction Challenge, 2018
- 3. Travel Grant in IEEE FG Doctoral Consortium, 2018
- 4. Excellence Scholarship of ICT, ICT, 2018
- 5. Zhou Enlai Scholarship (Highest award in Nankai University), Nankai University, 2016
- **6.** Baogang Scholarship, 2016
- 7. China National Scholarship, Nankai University, 2014