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RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Computer Vision — semantic understanding, low-cost recognition, active vision
- Machine Learning — scalable learning algorithms, multimodal deep learning
- Data Mining — user intention understanding

EDUCATION

University of Texas at Austin

August 2014 - Present

Ph.D. in Computer Science

- Advisor: Prof. Kristen Grauman
- GPA (0~4 scale): 3.88

National Taiwan University

September 2012 - June 2014

Master in Computer Science

- Thesis: Large Scale Mobile Visual Recognition
- Advisor: Prof. Winston H. Hsu
- GPA (0~4.3 scale): 4.27

National Taiwan University

September 2006 - June 2011

B.S. in Computer Science and Physics

- GPA (0~100 scale): 91.11

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

ACCV 2016 Best Application Paper Award

- Songde Ma Best Application Paper Award of The 13th Asian Conference on Computer Vision

IPPR 2015 Best Thesis Award

- Best Master Thesis Award of Chinese Image Processing and Pattern Recognition Society 2015

Calhoun Graduate Excellence Fellowship

- Doctoral fellowship from UT Austin (2014-2016)

KDD Cup 2013

- Author-Paper Identification Challenge (Track 1) – **1st place** (in 561 teams)
- Author Disambiguation Challenge (Track 2) – **1st place** (in 241 teams)

College Student Research Training Fellowship

- Fellowship for B.S. research from National Science Council

National Taiwan University

- President's Award 4 times (top 5% academic performance in semester)
- Dean's Award (top 10% academic performance at graduation)

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- Yu-Chuan Su, Dinesh Jayaraman, Kristen Grauman
Pano2Vid: Automatic Cinematography for Watching 360° Videos
Asian Conference on Computer Vision 2016 (Oral, accept rate 5%)
- Yu-Chuan Su, Kristen Grauman
Detecting Engagement in Egocentric Video
European Conference on Computer Vision 2016 (Oral, accept rate 1.8%)
- Yu-Chuan Su, Kristen Grauman
Leaving Some Stones Unturned: Dynamic Feature Prioritization for Activity Detection in Streaming Video
European Conference on Computer Vision 2016 (Accept rate 26.6%)
- Yu-Chuan Su, Tzu-Hsuan Chiu, Chun-Yen Yeh, Hsin-Fu Huang, Winston H. Hsu
Transfer Learning for Video Recognition with Scarce Training Data for Deep Convolutional Neural Network
arXiv:1409.4127v2
- Yu-Chuan Su, Tzu-Hsuan Chiu, Yin-Hsi Kuo, Chun-Yen Yeh, Winston H. Hsu
Scalable Mobile Visual Classification by Kernel Preserving Projection over High-Dimensional Features
IEEE Transactions on Multimedia 2014
- Yu-Chuan Su, Tzu-Hsuan Chiu, Yan-Ying Chen, Chun-Yen Yeh, Winston H. Hsu
Enabling Low Bitrate Mobile Visual Recognition – A Performance versus Bandwidth Evaluation
ACM Multimedia 2013 (Oral, accept rate 20%)
- Yu-Chuan Su, Tzu-Hsuan Chiu, Guan-Long Wu, Chun-Yen Yeh, Felix Wu, Winston H. Hsu
Flicker-tag Prediction using Multi-modal Fusion and Meta Information
ACM Multimedia 2013 (Grand Challenge)
- Chen-Wei Tsai, Yu-Chuan Su, Guan-De Li, Jeng-Da Chai
Assessment of Density Functionals with Correct Asymptotic Behavior
Physical Chemistry Chemical Physics 2013
- Yu-Chuan Su, Guan-Long Wu, Tzu-Hsuan Chiu, Winston H. Hsu
Evaluating Gaussian Like Image Representation Over Local Features
International Conference on Multimedia and Expo 2012 (Accept rate 30%)
- Guan-Long Wu, Yu-Chuan Su, Tzu-Hsuan Chiu, Winston H. Hsu
Scalable Mobile Video Question-Answering System with Locally Aggregated Descriptors and Random Projection
ACM Multimedia 2011 (Grand Challenge)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

With Prof. Kristen Grauman

Graduate Research Assistant

August 2014 - Present

Computer Science Department, UT Austin

- Research in computer vision and machine learning
- Attention analysis in ego-centric video
- Feature triage in streaming activity detection
- Virtual camera control in 360° videos

With Prof. Winston H. Hsu

Master Student

July 2012 - June 2014

Computer Science Department, NTU

- Research in multimedia analysis and machine learning
- Mobile-friendly visual recognition
- Deep learning for video event detection using transfer learning

With Prof. Winston H. Hsu

Undergraduate Researcher

July 2010 - August 2011

Computer Science Department, NTU

- Research in multimedia analysis and retrieval
- Video question answering and event detection on mobile devices
- Investigate the properties of gaussian like image representations

With Prof. Jeng-Da Chai

Undergraduate Researcher

August 2009 - August 2011

Physics Department, NTU

- Research in Density Functional Theory and Time Dependent Density Functional Theory
- Develop new long-range corrected functionals using laplacian correction
- Study the properties of different long-range correction schemes
- Implement LB94 model potential on Q-Chem 4.0

WORK EXPERIENCE

Yahoo!

Technical Intern

July 2013 - August 2013

Yahoo! Taiwan

- Work on Yahoo! knowledge graph project with Yahoo! search team