# Sirshapan (Sirsh) Mitra CS (CRCV Lab) PhD Student

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**Research Interests** — 3D Vision, Reasoning and Planning, Vision Language Models, Diffusion Models, Gaussian Splatting, Semi-Supervised Learning, Gait Recognition, Person ReID.

#### Skills

Python Numpy, Pandas, Open-CV, Sklearn, DataViz

General Git, Command Prompt, Slurm, Jupyter, Latex

Deep Learning Pytorch, TensorFlow, CUDA, AWS, SQL

## **Publications**

- AAAI '25 (Accepted) Kumar, Akash, Sirshapan Mitra, and Yogesh Singh Rawat. "Stable Mean Teacher for Semi-supervised Video Action Detection."
- ICCVW '25 (Accepted) Mitra, Sirshapan, and Yogesh Singh Rawat. "GaitCrafter: Diffusion Model for Biometric Preserving Gait Synthesis."
- (*Under Review*) Mitra, Sirshapan, Akash Kumar, and Yogesh Singh Rawat. "GaitX: A simple and generic approach for gait recognition under limited labels."
- (Under Review) Mitra, Sirshapan, Zengyan Wang, Yogesh S Rawat. "GSPro: Progressive Gaussian Splatting for Aerial to Ground View Synthesis."
- (Under Review) Reeshoon Sayera, Akash Kumar, Sirshapan Mitra, Prudvi Kamtam, Yogesh S Rawat. "RobustGait: Robustness Analysis for Gait Recognition."
- *(Under Review)* Zengyan Wang, **Sirshapan Mitra**, Hui Xian Grace Lim, Yogesh S Rawat. "Sky2Ground: A Benchmark for Localization and View Synthesis with Varying Altitude."
- MS Thesis Mitra, Sirshapan. "Semi-Supervised Gait Recognition." (2024).
- ICDCN '22 Das, Suparnakanti, Trishita Dhara, Sirshapan Mitra, and Sudip Kumar Naskar. "Understanding the Robustness in Phoneme Production Mechanism in English and Bengali." In Proceedings of the 23rd International Conference on Distributed Computing and Networking, pp. 273-277. 2022.

## **Major Research Projects**

## Walk-through Rendering from Images of Varying Altitude (WRIVA) by IARPA

Aug 2024 - Present

- Novel view synthesis using Gaussian splatting.

#### Biometric Recognition and Identification at Altitude and Range (BRIAR) by IARPA

Sept 2022 - May 2024

- Worked on the biometric project with large-scale data.
- Achieved 2nd position out of 7 teams.

## Experience

Research Assistant

## **University of Central Florida**

Sep 2022 - May 2024

CRCV Lab

Project: Limited Label Gait Recognition

- Conducted in-depth research on gait models, vision transformers, and diffusion models.
- Benchmarked multiple gait datasets and models to evaluate their performance and applicability and robustness.

Project: Cross-View Gaussian Splatting

- Generating novel ground views using sparse aerial and ground views.
- Used Gaussian Splatting, Stable Diffusion with ControlNet and IP adapters to generate novel ground views.

Project: Human Action and Motion Generation using Diffusion Models

- Employed diffusion models to generate human gait data while preserving gait characteristics.
- Used synthetic models to improve the performance of gait recognition.

#### Defense Research and Development Organization, India

Sep 2019 - Jan 2022

Research Intern

Project: Understanding Robustness in Phoneme Production Mechanism

- Employed Hidden Markov Models and advanced deep learning models like wav2vec to analyze the robustness in phoneme production, utilizing the TIMIT dataset.

## **Education**

PhD in Computer Science, 2024-Present, University of Central Florida, Research Topic: Reasoning and Planning using AI Models MS in Computer Science, 2022-2024, University of Central Florida, Thesis: Semi-Supervised Gait Recognition, GPA: 3.93/4 Bachelor of Engineering, 2017-2021, Jadavpur University, India, GPA: 8.35/10