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# Research Objective-Interests

- 3D Computer Vision, Machine Learning, 3D Morphable Models, Deep Learning

### Education

### Imperial College London

London, UK

PhD in Computer Science, Department of Computing

Jul 2017 - Jul 2021

- Thesis title: "3D Head Morphable Models and Beyond: Algorithms and Applications"

#### Imperial College London

London, UK

MSc in Machine Learning, Department of Computing

Oct 2015 - Sept 2016

- Dynamical Systems and Deep Learning
- Intelligent Data and Probabilistic Inference

- Computational Neurodynamics
- Advanced Statistical Machine Learning and Pattern Recognition
- Computational Finance
- Thesis title: "Multi-view 3D reconstruction and tracking of non-rigid and deformable surfaces based on depth sensor information"

### Democritus University of Thrace

Xanhti, Thrace

MEng in Production Engineering and Management

Oct 2008 - Sept 2013

- 5 year MEng of Engineering ('Diploma')
- GPA 8.63 on a scale of 10 (first in class)
- Diploma thesis title: "Design and control of a flying robotic platform based on inertial navigation and machine vision information"

# Research Experience

### Huawei Technologies co. Ltd

London, UK

Senior Research Scientist

June 2020 - Present

- Computer Vision Team at R&D Department in Consumer Business Group (CBG)

### **Microsoft Corporation**

Redmond, WA

Research Intern

August 2019 - October 2019

- AI Perception and Mixed Reality Platform Team.

### FaceSoft Ltd.

London, UK

Computer Vision Scientist

April 2018 - July 2019

- Computer Vision/Graphics Scientist specialising in 3D Morphable Models and Machine Learning.

# Intelligent Behaviour Understanding Group (iBUG), Imperial College London

London, UK

Research Assistant

Sept 2016 - Jul 2017

- Build the first existing database for the evaluation of 3DMMs in the wild.
- $-\,$  Applied sensor fusion techniques to 3D reconstruct faces in the wild.
- TeSLA project contributor for an Adaptive Trust-based e-assessment System for Learning

# Laboratory of Robotics and Automation, DUTH

Xanthi, Thrace

External Researcher on ViPED project

Jun 2015 - Sept 2015

- Trained cascade classifiers with HAAR and HOG features for car detection.
- Applied modern tracking techniques such as CMT and TLD for multiple car tracking in video streams.
- Implemented a car lisence plate detection algorithm based on cascade classification and morphology transforms.
- Worked on stereo vision algorithms for robotic applications and object detection techniques based on feature matching. (ORB descriptor)

## Awards and Honors

- Scholarship awarded by the Fulbright foundation in Greece for graduate studies in the in the United States. (Declined: continued graduate studies in the EU) (2015)
- Scholarship awarded by the Greek State Scholarships Foundation (I.K.Y) for ranking first in the Department with an annual GPA of 9.17 out of 10 (2011-2012)
- State Award for being among the first 25% of students entered the Department of Production Engineering and Management (2008)

## Publications

- **S.Ploumpis**, A.Amanatiadis, A.Gasteratos. A stereo matching approach based on particle filters and scattered control landmarks. *Image and Vision Computing* (2015) pp. 13-23.
- J.Booth, E.Antonakos, S.Ploumpis, G.Trigeorgis, Y.Panagakis and S.Zafeiriou. 3D Face Morphable Models "In-the-Wild". CVPR July 2017.
- J.Booth, A.Roussos, E.Ververas, E.Antonakos, S.Ploumpis, Y.Panagakis and S.Zafeiriou. 3D Reconstruction of In-the-Wild" Faces in Images and Videos, TPAMI July 2018.
- S.Moschoglou **S.Ploumpis**, M.Nicolaou, and S.Zafeiriou. Multi-Attribute Probabilistic Linear Discriminant Analysis for 3D Facial Shapes, *ACCV Dec 2018*.
- A.Amanatiadis, E.Karakasis, L.Bampis, **S.Ploumpis**, and A.Gasteratos. ViPED: On-road Vehicle Passenger Detection with Monocular Vision, *Robotics and Autonomous Systems* (2019) pp. 282-290.
- S.Ploumpis, H.Wang, N.Peers, W.Smith and S.Zafeiriou. Combining 3D Morphable Models: A Largescale Face-and-Head Model, CVPR June 2019 (Oral)
- B.Gecer, **S.Ploumpis**, and S.Zafeiriou, GANFIT: Generative Adversarial Network Fitting for High Fidelity 3D Face Reconstruction, *CVPR June 2019*
- G.Bouritsas, S.Bokhnyak, **S.Ploumpis**, S.Zafeiriou and M.Bronstein, Neural 3D Morphable Models: Spiral Convolutional Networks for 3D Shape Representation Learning and Generation, *ICCV 2019*
- S.Moschoglou\*, **S.Ploumpis**\*, M. Nicolaou and S.Zafeiriou, 3DFaceGAN: Adversarial Nets for 3D Face Representation, Generation, and Translation, *IJCV March 2020*
- S.Ploumpis, E.Ververas, E.Sullivan, S.Moschoglou, H.Wang, N.Peers, W.Smith and S.Zafeiriou. Towards a complete 3D morphable model of the human head, TPAMI March 2020
- A.Lattas, S.Moschoglou, B.Gecer, **S.Ploumpis**, V.Triantafyllou, A.Ghosh and S.Zafeiriou, AvatarMe: Realistically Renderable 3D Facial Reconstruction, *CVPR June 2020*
- RA.Potamias, J.Zheng, **S.Ploumpis**, G.Bouritsas, E.Ververas and S.Zafeiriou, Learning to Generate Customized Dynamic 3D Facial Expressions, *ECCV Aug 2020*
- B.Gecer, A.Lattas, S.Ploumpis, J.Deng, A.Papaioannou, S.Moschoglou and S.Zafeiriou, Synthesizing coupled 3d face modalities by trunk-branch generative adversarial networks, ECCV Aug 2020
- B.Gecer, **S.Ploumpis**, I.Kotsia, S.Zafeiriou, Fast-GANFIT: Generative Adversarial Network for High Fidelity 3D Face Reconstruction, *TPAMI May 2021*
- A.Lattas, S.Moschoglou, **S.Ploumpis**, B.Gecer, A.Ghosh and S.Zafeiriou, AvatarMe<sup>++</sup> Facial Shape and BRDF Inference with Photorealistic Rendering-Aware GANs, *TPAMI Dec 2021*
- **S.Ploumpis**\*, S.Moschoglou\*, V.Triantafyllou and S.Zafeiriou, 3D human tongue reconstruction with adversarial surface generation, *CVPR June 2022 (Oral)*
- RA.Potamias, S.Ploumpis and S.Zafeiriou, Neural Mesh Simplification, CVPR Jun 2022
- A.Papaioannou, B.Gecer, S.Moschoglou, **S.Ploumpis** and S.Zafeiriou, MimicME: A Large Scale Diverse 4D Database for Facial Expression Analysis, *ECCV* 2022
- M.Doukas, S.Ploumpis and S.Zafeiriou, Dynamic Neural Portraits, WACV 2023

## Patents

- S.Ploumpis and S.Zafeiriou, Combining three-dimensional Gaussian process morphable models GB2582047A Sept 2020
- S.Ploumpis and S.Zafeiriou, Combining three-dimensional morphable models GB2582010A Sept 2020
- S.Moschoglou, **S.Ploumpis** and S.Zafeiriou, Enhancement of three-dimensional facial scans *GB2581991A* Sept 2020
- A.Lattas, S.Moschoglou, **S.Ploumpis**, S.Zafeiriou, Three-dimensional facial reconstruction *GB2593441A* Sept 2021
- S.Ploumpis, S.Moschoglou, and S.Zafeiriou, 3D tongue reconstruction from single images WO202209610 May 2022

#### Relevant Online Courses

Machine Learning Class, offered by Stanford University (Advanced track)
Artificial Intelligence Class, offered by Stanford University (Basic track)
Synapses, Neurons, Brains, offered by Hebrew University of Jerusalem (Coursera)
Deep Learning, Nanodegree program (Udacity)
Jan - May 2019

#### Technical Skills

-Languages: Python, Matlab, Pytorch, Familiar with: C#, Unity, OpenCV, Basic Linux Programming

## Additional Information

- Fluent in English and Greek, Elementary Spanish
- Affiliations: Intelligent Behavior Understanding Group (iBUG) (https://ibug.doc.ic.ac.uk/)