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## Education

### Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

PH.D. STUDENT IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Cambridge, MA

Sep. 2017 - Now

### National Taiwan University (NTU)

B.S.E. IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING AND B.S. IN PHYSICS

Taipei, Taiwan

Sep. 2011 - Jun. 2016

**GPA** Overall (3.99 / 4.00), Last 60 units (3.99 / 4.00)  
**Overall rank** 1 / 190

## Skills

**Programming** Python + TensorFlow, Docker, C / C++, MATLAB, Java, HTML / CSS / JS  
**Languages** Mandarin Chinese (Native), Taiwanese (Native), English (Fluent), Spanish (Intermediate)

## Publications

### CONFERENCE PAPER

- [1] **3D-Aware Scene Manipulation via Inverse Graphics.** Tzu-Ming Harry Hsu\*, Shunyu Yao\*, Jun-Yan Zhu, Jiajun Wu, Antonio Torralba, William T. Freeman, Joshua B. Tenenbaum, to be presented at *NIPS* 2018
- [2] **Transfer Neural Trees for Heterogeneous Domain Adaptation.** Wei-Yu Chen, Tzu-Ming Harry Hsu, Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai, and Yu-Chiang Frank Wang, in *ECCV* 2016.
- [3] **Unsupervised Domain Adaptation With Imbalanced Cross-Domain Data.** Tzu-Ming Harry Hsu, Wei-Yu Chen, Cheng-An Hou, Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai, Yi-Ren Yeh, and Yu-Chiang Frank Wang, in *ICCV* 2015.
- [4] **Connecting the dots without clues: Unsupervised domain adaptation for cross-domain visual classification.** Wei-Yu Chen, Tzu-Ming Harry Hsu, Cheng-An Hou, Yi-Ren Yeh and Yu-Chiang Frank Wang, in *ICIP* 2015.
- [5] **Robust Motion Artifact Reduction of Photoplethysmographic Signal with Trajectory Space Circular Model.** Tzu-Ming Harry Hsu, Wei-Yu Chen, Kuan-Lin Chen, Mong-Chi Ko, You-Cheng Liu, An-Yeu Andy Wu, in *ICASSP Signal Processing Cup* 2015.

## Honors & Awards

### GROUP

- 2015 **Silver Medal Award**, Altera Innovate Asia FPGA Design Competition Wu Han, China  
• Ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> among 20 teams with self-designed PCB integration
- 2015 **10<sup>th</sup> Place**, ICASSP Signal Processing Cup  
• Ranked 10<sup>th</sup> globally in sports heartbeat detection with an error of 4.89 beats per minute (BPM)

### INDIVIDUAL

- 2011 - 14 **Presidential Award (5 times)**, Department of Electrical Engineering, NTU  
• Awarded per semester to the top 5% students
- 2011 **World's 1<sup>st</sup> Place and Gold Medal Award**, International Physics Olympiad (IPhO) Bangkok, Thailand  
• Ranked 1<sup>st</sup> in both theory section and experiment section among 500 national representatives from over 80 countries
- 2008 **Gold Medal Award**, International Junior Science Olympiad (IJSO) South Korea

## Research Experiences

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### Clinical Decision Making Group

PH.D. STUDENT OF PROF. PETER SZOLOVITS

CSAIL, MIT  
Jul. 2018 - Now

- **Unsupervised Machine Learning for Healthcare**
  - Align clinical imaging data and radiology reports with representation learning.

### Computer Vision Group

CSAIL MIT  
Feb. 2018 - Now

- **3D Inverse-Graphics**
  - Develop vision as inverse-graphics for 3D scene understanding.

### Signal Kinetics Lab

RESEARCH ASSISTANT OF DR. FADEL ADIB

Media Lab, MIT  
Sep. 2017 - Jan. 2018

- **Agent Co-localization via Cellular Network**
  - Construct Bayesian model based on LTE channel estimation and locate agents in an area simultaneously.

### Multimedia and Machine Learning Lab

INTERN STUDENT UNDER THE INSTRUCTION OF DR. YU-CHIANG FRANK WANG

CITI, Academia Sinica, Taiwan  
Apr. 2014 - Jun. 2016

- **Deep Learning for Feature Transformation**
  - Build specific neural networks on target tasks to properly transform images to feature vectors, allowing recognition, neighbor querying, and possibly other tasks to be done.
- **Deep Learning for Heterogeneous Domain Adaptation**
  - Transfer knowledge across different feature domains and build classifiers above the transferred knowledges
  - An algorithm is proposed to transfer classifiers to a different dimensional space with deep neural network
- **Unsupervised Domain Adaptation with Imbalanced Cross-domain Data**
  - Information of labeled source-domain data is transferred to the unlabeled target-domain, which may be with imbalanced labels
  - An algorithm is proposed to combine sub-domain level classifiers to identify better source data applicability
- **Unsupervised Domain Adaptation with Balanced Cross-domain Data**
  - A set of labeled source-domain data is used to construct classifier for the unlabeled target-domain data
  - An algorithm is proposed to address source-target mismatch and project them to a common space
- **External Review**
  - Review papers as external reviewer for ICCV, ECCV, AAAI, and IJCAI

### Access IC Lab

INTERN STUDENT UNDER THE INSTRUCTION OF DR. AN-YEU ANDY WU

National Taiwan University  
Sep. 2014 - Jun. 2015

- **Noise Removal of Photoplethysmographic (PPG) Signals**
  - Remove noises in PPG signals induced by motions by decorrelating the PPG with accelerometer signal
  - An algorithm is proposed to project the signal into a complex plane, in which a temporal filter will be performed, followed by ensemble voting for the optimal beat counts

### Laboratory for Applied Logic and Computation in System Design (ALCom Lab)

INTERN STUDENT UNDER THE INSTRUCTION OF DR. JIE-HONG ROLAND JIANG

National Taiwan University  
Jul. 2013 - Jun. 2014

- **Compressed Sensing**
  - Compress the data perceived by a sensor array using less data storage than what it used to consume
- **Mathematical Neural models**
  - Establish a time-continuous model of human neurons to simulate the biological effects at stimulus and message passing

## Work & Teaching Experiences

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### Digital Drift Corporation

BACKEND ENGINEER

Taipei, Taiwan  
Mar. 2016 - Aug. 2017

- **Deep Neural Networks for Image Interpretation**
  - Build deep models for cuisine images using TensorFlow on multi-GPU machines, providing a backend with an API