

# Wei-Chun Huang

✉ whuang288@wisc.edu ☎ +1 608-471-3887 🏠 whuang288alex.github.io

## Education

University of Wisconsin-Madison

B.S. in Computer Science and Data Science

Sep. 2020 - Dec. 2024

Cumulative GPA: 3.97 / 4.0

## Skills

Languages	Python, Java, JavaScript, C++, C, SQL, MATLAB, HTML, CSS
Technologies	PyTorch, React Native, Android Studio, Linux, GCP, AWS, SQLite3, MongoDB, Express.js, React.js, Node.js
Courses	Deep Learning, Computer Vision, Applied NLP, Operating Systems, Algorithms (Honors), Artificial Intelligence (TA), Database Systems (TA)

## Experience

### Python Developer

Niedenthal Emotions Lab

April 2023 - present

- Evaluated the level of synchrony within a social group with **object detection models** in collaboration with Social Psychologists.
- Utilized model-generated coordinates and **optical flow** to analyze the movement patterns of **268** individuals in a marching band.
- Built a customized COCO dataset from drone footage using **Labelbox** and optimized the annotation process with model-assisted labeling.

### Research Assistant

Advisor: Prof. Timothy Rogers

Jan. 2023 - present

- Developed models that achieve **out-of-domain generalization** and increased robustness to **adversarial attacks** with semantic vectors.
- Conducted **representation similarity analysis** to examine the individual differences between model layers and architectures.
- Utilized wandB to visually communicate hyper parameter searches and model performance analysis with other researchers.
- Built a Python pipeline that streamlined the interactions with **large language models**, resulting in increased productivity for psychologists.

### Research Assistant

Advisor: Prof. Yin Li

Jan. 2023 - present

- Streamlined the **video feature extraction** pipeline for **temporal action localization** tasks.
- Built a repository that can extract features from various video datasets with mainstream models such as i3d, slowfast, egovlp, etc.
- Optimized the code to employ **throughput computing** and work on larger batch sizes, resulting in an **80%** reduction in running time.
- Customized an iterable-style dataset to better distribute workload across subprocesses and enhance video decoding efficiency.

### Engineering Intern

Zebra Technologies

Jun. 2022 - Sep. 2022

- Developed an **Android application** that assists hardware engineers in testing the touch screens of the Zebra Touch Computer Series.
- Designed and implemented the ghost-touch-detecting feature and the path-replay feature, which help to increase labor efficiency.
- Worked collaboratively with the engineering team to iteratively improve the UI design and functionality of the application, ensuring that it meets the specific needs and requirements of the team.

## Projects

### AI Image Generator

- Developed a **Full Stack AI application** that can create customized images based on user-provided text inputs.
- Utilized OpenAI's DALL-E API for image generation and implemented the backend with **Node.js**.
- Built the frontend of the application with **React.js** and utilized the **Tailwind** framework to build applications efficiently.
- Utilized **MongoDB** to facilitate CRUD operations and host the images on **Cloudinary** for efficient storage.
- Deployed the server side of the application on Render and the client side on an **AWS** server.

### Dev Job Board

- Developed a **cross-platform mobile application** with **React Native** and **J-Search API**, providing users with a convenient tool for job-search.
- Created custom hooks to dynamically fetch updated developer job posts from various platforms such as LinkedIn, Indeed, Glassdoor, etc
- Implemented the job searching and filtering feature that allows users to easily search and refine job listings based on specific criteria, enhancing the overall user experience.