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# RESEARCH INTERESTS

I work on Deep Learning and its applications.

#### **EDUCATION**

## Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA, USA

Aug 2016 - May 2021

- Ph.D. in Machine Learning within School of Computer Science
- Advised by Dr. Ruslan Salakhutdinov
- GPA: 4.15/4.0

# National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan

Aug 2010 - Jun 2014

- B.S. in Electrical Engineering (graduated with Department Honors)
- Department Representative to Receive Undergraduate Diploma
- GPA: 4.17/4.0

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Conference Publications**

- [8] Wei-Yu Chen, Tzu-Ming Harry Hsu, Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai, Yu-Chiang Frank Wang and Ming-Syan Chen. "Transfer Neural Trees for Heterogeneous Domain Adaptation", European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV), 2016.
- [7] Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai, Yi-Ren Yeh and Yu-Chiang Frank Wang. "Learning Cross-Domain Landmarks for Heterogeneous Domain Adaptation", Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR), 2016.
- [6] Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai, Cheng-An Hou, Wei-Yu Chen, Yi-Ren Yeh and Yu-Chiang Frank Wang. "Domain-Constraint Transfer Coding for Imbalanced Unsupervised Domain Adaptation", Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AAAI), 2016.
- [5] Tzu-Ming Harry Hsu, Wei-Yu Chen, Cheng-An Hou, Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai, Yi-Ren Yeh and Yu-Chiang Frank Wang. "Unsupervised Domain Adaptation with Imbalanced Cross-Domain Data", *International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV)*, 2015.
- [4] Yuan-Ting Hsieh\*, Shih-Yen Tao\*, Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai, Yi-Ren Yeh and Yu-Chiang Frank Wang. "Generalized Joint Distribution Adaptation on Heterogeneous Feature Space", *International Conference on Multimedia & Expo (ICME)*, 2016. (\*equal contributions) (Oral Presentation)
- [3] Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai, Yi-Ren Yeh and Yu-Chiang Frank Wang. "Heterogeneous Domain Adaptation with Label and Structure Consistency", International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP), 2016.
- [2] Yao-Hung Tsai\*, Hung-Ming Hsu\*, Cheng-An Hou and Yu-Chiang Frank Wang. "Person-specific Domain Adaptation with Applications to Heterogeneous Face Recognition", *International Conference on Image Processing (ICIP)*, 2014. (\*equal contributions)
- [1] Po-Chen Wu, Yao-Hung Tsai and Shao-Yi Chien. "Stable Pose Tracking from a Planar Target with an Analytical Motion Model in Real-time Applications", *International Workshop on Multimedia Signal Processing* (MMSP), 2014.

# **Journal Publications**

[1] Cheng-An Hou, Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai, Yi-Ren Yeh and Yu-Chiang Frank Wang. "Unsupervised Domain Adaptation with Label and Structural Consistency", *IEEE Transactions on Image Processing (TIP)*, 2016.

#### **Pre-Prints**

[2] Chih-Kuan Yeh, **Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai**, Yu-Chiang Frank Wang. "Generative-Discriminative Variational Model for Visual Recognition", arXiv:1706.02295, 2017.

[1] Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai, Liang-Kang Huang, Ruslan Salakhutdinov. "Learning Robust Visual-Semantic Embeddings", arXiv:1703.05908, 2017.

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

# Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA, USA

• Graduate Research Assistant

Aug 2016 - May 2021

- Researching in Deep Learning and its applications
- Advisor: Dr. Ruslan Salakhutdinov

#### Microsoft Research, Redmond, WA, USA

• Research Intern

May 2017 - Aug 2017

- Working on deep generative models
- Advisor: Dr. Nebojsa Jojic

# Research Center for Information Technology Innovation, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan

• Research Assistant

Aug 2015 - Aug 2016

- Working on projects for person re-identification, domain adaptation, and transfer learning
- Advisor: Dr. Yu-Chiang Frank Wang

# National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan

• Undergrad Student Researcher

Sep 2012 - Jun 2014

- Working on projects for augmented reality and real-time pose tracking
- Advisor: Dr. Shao-Yi Chien

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCES

# Research Center for Information Technology Innovation, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan

• Teaching Assistant

Aug 2015 - Aug 2016

- Providing Deep Learning tutorials/short courses for undergrad/grad students

#### ACADEMIC TALKS

[1] Yao-Hung Hubert Tsai "Learning Visual and Semantic Embeddings for Low-Shot Setting", *Taiwanese Computer Vision Online Meetup*, May 2017.

#### ACADEMIC SERVICES

# Reviewer:

• ICML 2017, NIPS 2017

### Honors & Awards

Government Scholarship to Study Abroad (GSSA), Taiwan Ministry of Education	Sep~2016
Department Undergrad Diploma Representative, National Taiwan University	Jun 2014
Presidential Award (3 times), National Taiwan University  Feb 2011, Sep 2	2012, Feb 2014
Best Tourism App Award, Chunghwa Telecom Hami Apps Competition	Sep 2014
Bronze Medal & Outstanding Paper Award, Altera Innovate Asia FPGA Design Competition	n Sep 2013
Bronze Medal Award, Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company (TSMC) Elite Camp	Sep 2012