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"The classic problems of computational vision: reconstruction recognition (re)organization."

Have you ever used computer vision? How? Where?

Think-Pair-Share

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How? Where?

Reconstruction? Recognition? (Re)organization?

Think-Pair-Share

Laptop: Biometrics auto-login (face recognition, 3D), OCR

Smartphones: QR codes, computational photography (Android Lens Blur, iPhone Portrait Mode), panorama construction (Google Photo Spheres), face detection, expression detection (smile), Snapchat filters (face tracking), Google Tango (3D reconstruction), Night Sight (Pixel)

Web: Image search, Google photos (face recognition, object recognition, scene recognition, geolocalization from vision), Facebook (image captioning), Google maps aerial imaging (image stitching), YouTube (content categorization)

VR/AR: Outside-in tracking (HTC VIVE), inside out tracking (simultaneous localization and mapping, HoloLens), object occlusion (dense depth estimation)

Motion: Kinect, full body tracking of skeleton, gesture recognition, virtual try-on

Medical imaging: CAT / MRI reconstruction, assisted diagnosis, automatic pathology, connectomics, endoscopic surgery

Industry: Vision-based robotics (marker-based), machine-assisted router (jig), automated post, ANPR (number plates), surveillance, drones, shopping

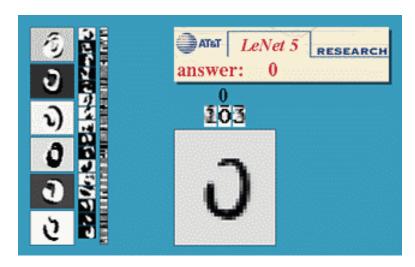
Transportation: Assisted driving (everything), face tracking/iris dilation for drunkeness, drowsiness, automated distribution (all modes)

Media: Visual effects for film, TV (reconstruction), virtual sports replay (reconstruction), semantics-based auto edits (reconstruction, recognition)

Optical character recognition (OCR)

Technology to convert images of text into text

If you have a scanner, it probably came with OCR software



Mail digit recognition, AT&T labs http://www.research.att.com/~yann/



License plate readers

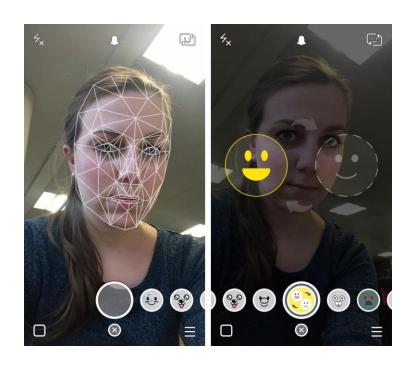
*S*WAYGO

Live Camera Translation



Face detection





- Almost all digital cameras detect faces
- Snapchat face filters







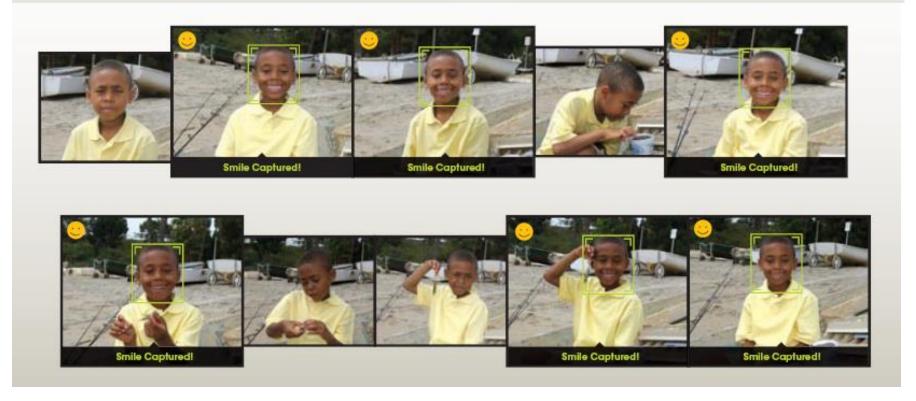




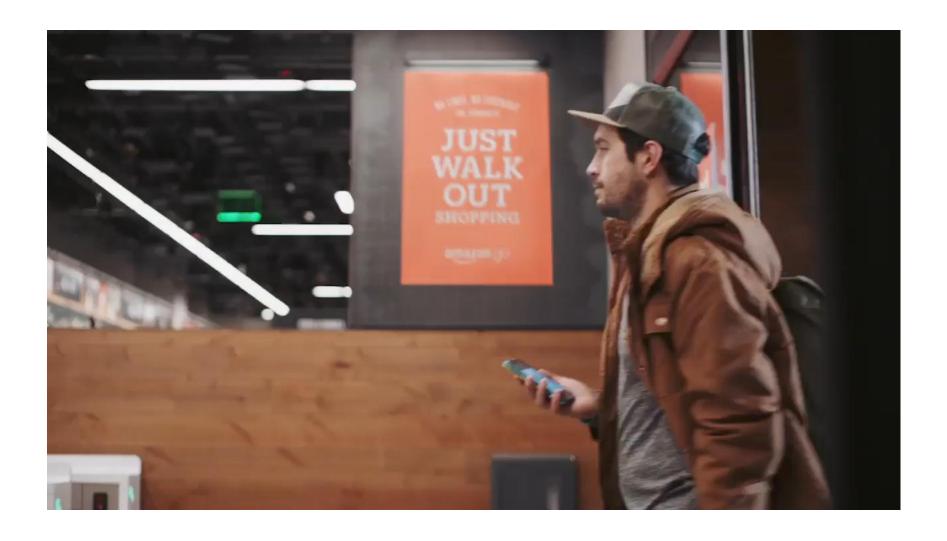
Smile detection

The Smile Shutter flow

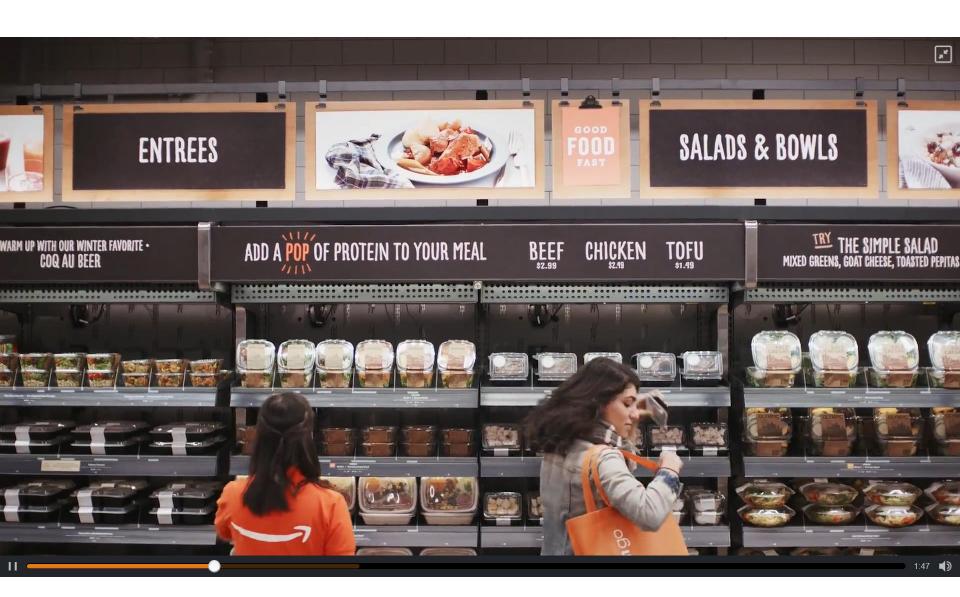
Imagine a camera smart enough to catch every smile! In Smile Shutter Mode, your Cyber-shot® camera can automatically trip the shutter at just the right instant to catch the perfect expression.



Object recognition (in supermarkets)

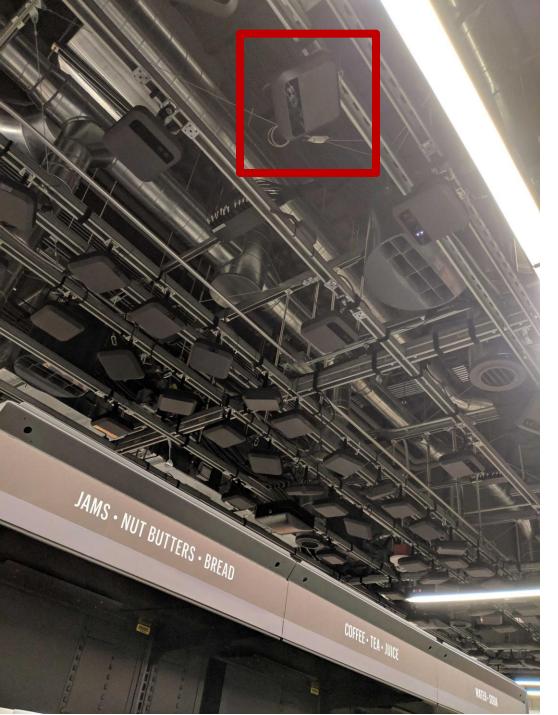


How does it work? Think-Pair-Share



How does it work?

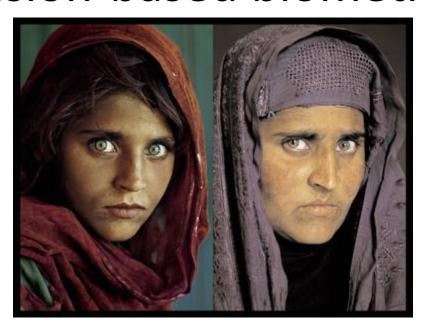




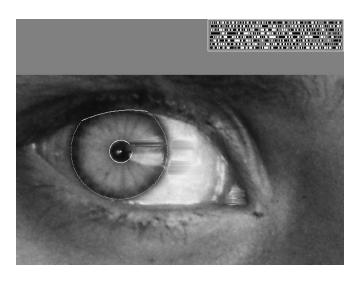


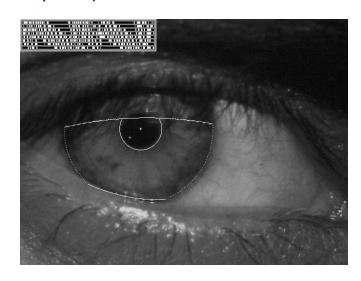
Thanks to Vivek Ramanujan

Vision-based biometrics

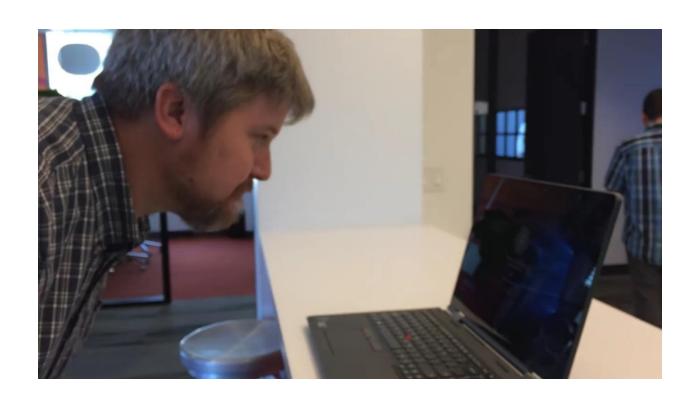


"How the Afghan Girl was Identified by Her Iris Patterns" Read the <u>story</u> (<u>Wikipedia</u>)





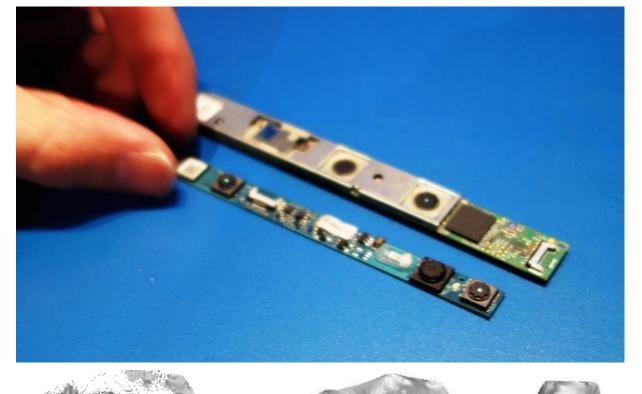
Facial login without a password...

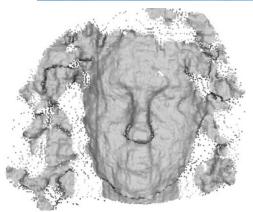


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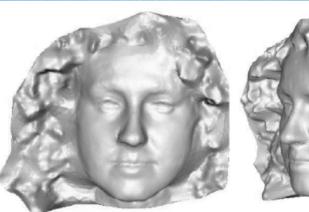


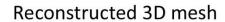
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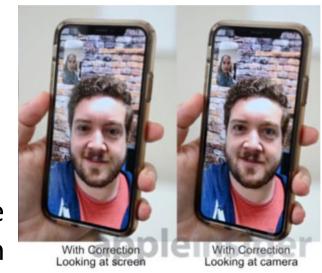


Video call eye gaze correction

Kuster et al., SIGGRAPH Asia 2012

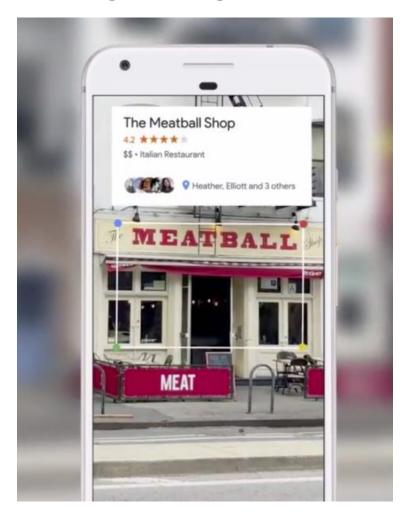
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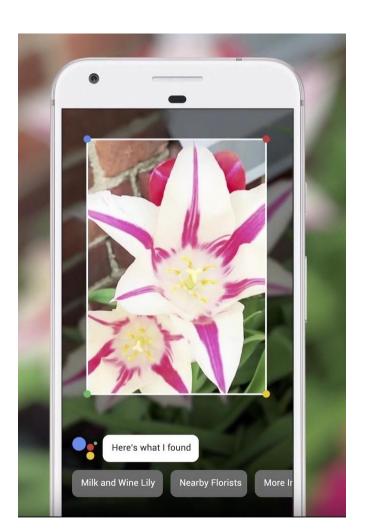
Apple FaceTime Attention Correction



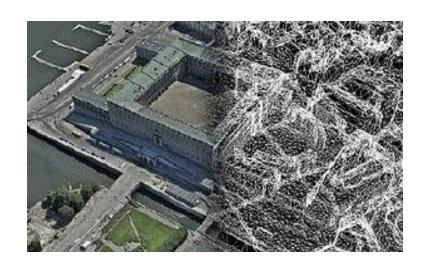
Object recognition (in mobile phones)

e.g., Google Lens

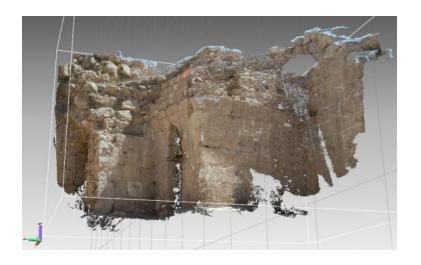




3D from images





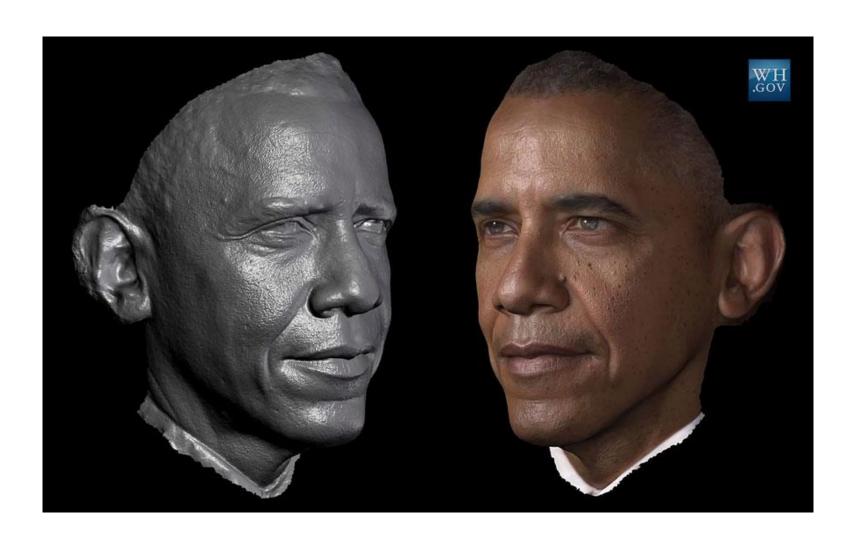




Building Rome in a Day: Agarwal et al. 2009









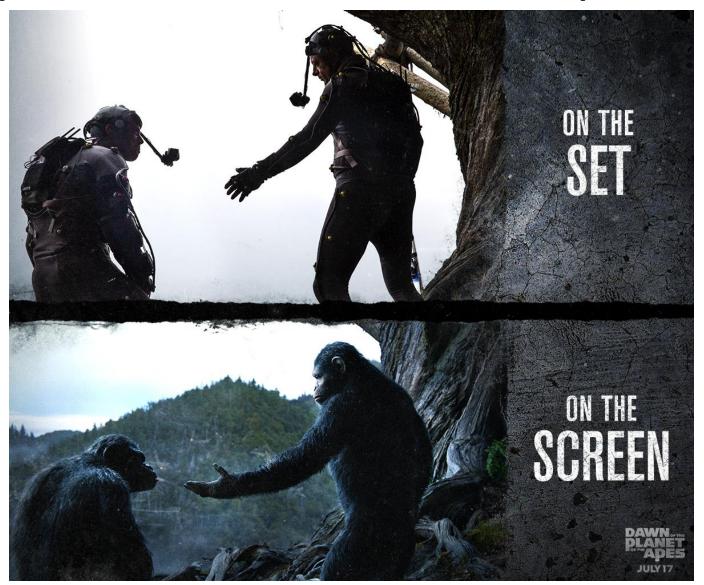
Special effects: shape capture



Special effects: shape capture



Special effects: motion capture



Interactive Games

Object Recognition:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=iv&v=fQ59dXOo63o

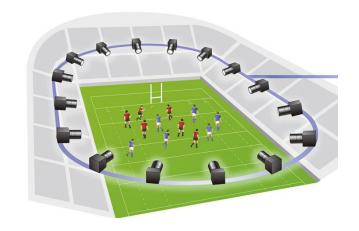
Mario: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8CTJL5|UjHg

3D: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7QrnwoO1-8A

Robot: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w8BmgtMKFbY



Sports

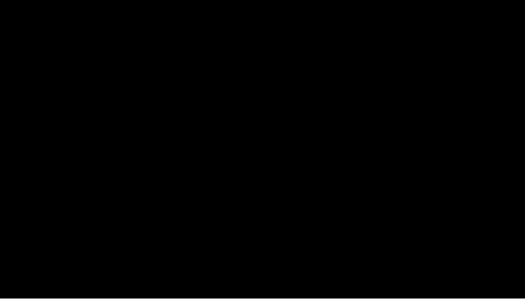


Virtual pitch markings



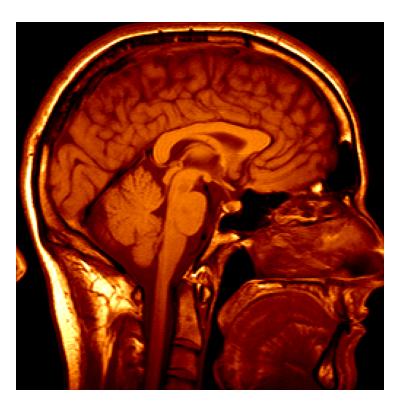


Sportvision first down line
Nice explanation on www.howstuffworks.com



[Canon 2017]

Medical imaging



3D imaging MRI, CT

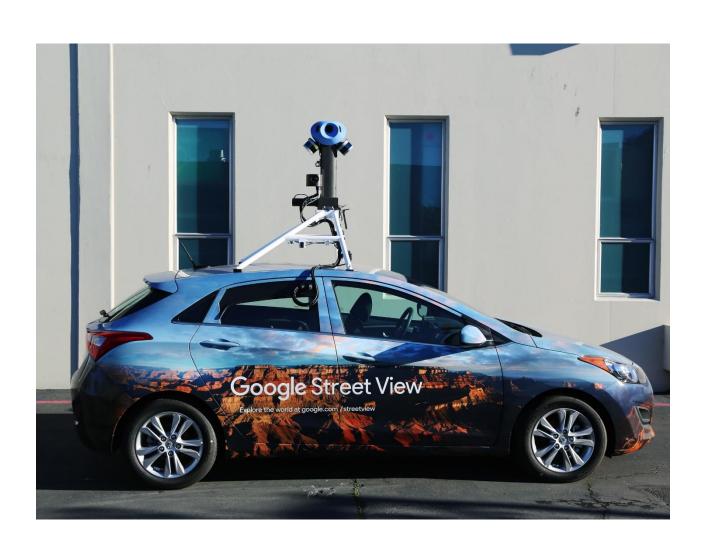


Image guided surgery
Grimson et al., MIT

AutoCars - Uber bought CMU's lab

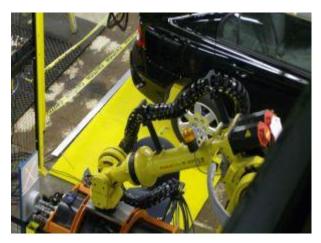






Industrial robots





Vision-guided robots position nut runners on wheels

Vision in spaaaaace

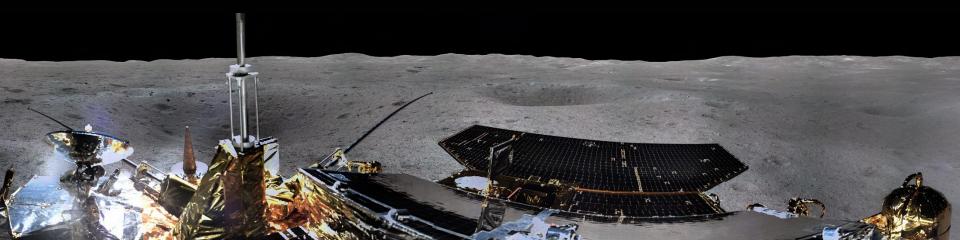


NASA'S Mars Exploration Rover Spirit captured this westward view from atop a low plateau where Spirit spent the closing months of 2007.

Vision systems (JPL) used for several tasks

- Panorama stitching
- 3D terrain modeling
- Obstacle detection, position tracking
- For more, read "Computer Vision on Mars" by Matthies et al.

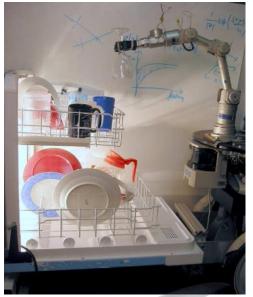




Mobile robots

http://www.robocup.org/





Saxena et al. 2008 STAIR at Stanford



Skydio 2 drone 6x fisheye cameras for obstacle avoidance Onboard NVIDIA GPU



Augmented Reality and Virtual Reality





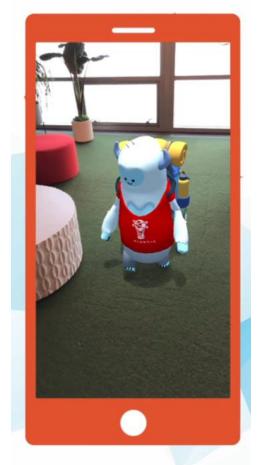


MS HoloLens, Oculus, Magic Leap, ARCore / ARKit

Augmented Reality and Virtual Reality

Real-time monocular depth estimation and camera tracking

Real-time 3D hand pose estimation





Oculus (Quest)

Niantic

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"[Further progress in] the classic problems of computational vision:

reconstruction

recognition

(re)organization

[requires us to study the interaction among these processes]."

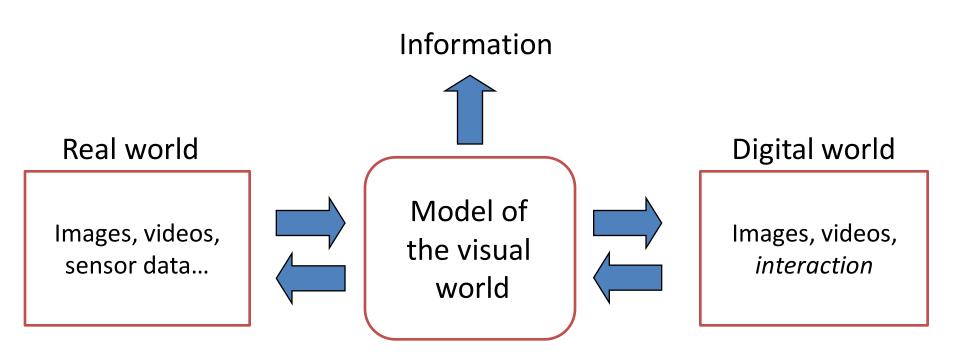
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Computer Vision

Computer Graphics

Superhuman state of the art?

Deep learning is an enormous disruption to the field. Since 2012, rapid expansion and commercialization. Why?

"With enough data, computer vision matches or even outperforms human vision at most recognition tasks."

WHAT.

Vision and Society

Lots of data = lots of potential bias in the data.

Needs understanding of possible failures.

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Responsible approach.

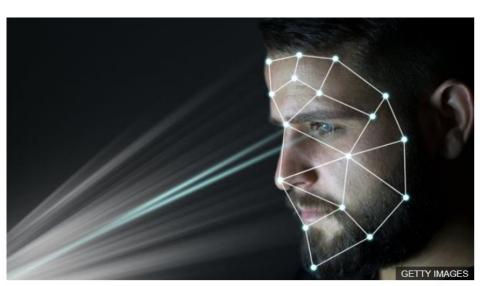
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Techniques to overcome bias.



Facial recognition: EU considers ban of up to five years

(1) 17 January 2020



The European Commission has revealed it is considering a ban on the use of facial recognition in public areas for up to five years.

"Regulators want time to work out how to prevent the technology being abused.

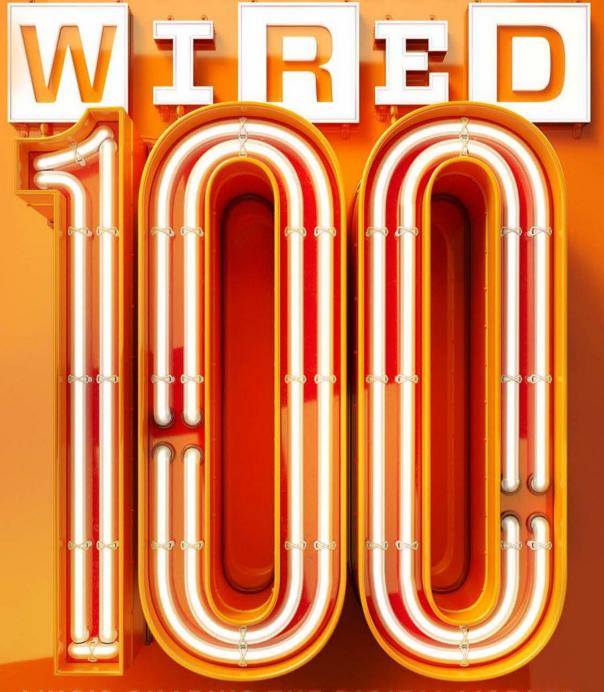
The technology allows faces captured on CCTV to be checked in real time against watch lists, often compiled by police.

The Commission ... suggests that new rules will be introduced to bolster existing regulation surrounding privacy and data rights ...

... and urged EU countries to create an authority to monitor the new rules.

During the ban, which would last between three and five years, "a sound methodology for assessing the impacts of this technology and possible risk management measures could be identified and developed".

https://www.bbc.com/news/technology-51148501



WHO'S SHAPING THE DIGITAL WORLD?



DJ Khaled

Credit Louise Zergaeng Pomeroy

73. DJ Khaled

Snapchat icon; DJ and producer

Louisiana-born Khaled Mohamed Khaled, aka DJ Khaled, cut his musical chops in the early 00s as a host for Miami urban music radio WEDR. He proceeded to build a solid if not dazzling career as a mixtape DJ and music producer (he founded his label We The Best Music Group in 2008, and was appointed president of Def Jam South in 2009).

69. Geoffrey Hinton

Psychologist, computer scientist; researcher, Google Toronto

British-born Hinton has been dubbed the "godfather of deep learning". The Cambridge-educated cognitive psychologist and computer scientist started being an ardent believer in the potential of neural networks and deep learning in the 80s, when those technologies enjoyed little support in the wider AI community.

But he soldiered on: in 2004, with support from the Canadian Institute for Advanced Research, he launched a University of Toronto programme in neural computation and adaptive perception, where, with a group of researchers, he carried on investigating how to create computers that could behave like brains.

Hinton's work – in particular his algorithms that train multilayered neural networks – caught the attention of tech giants in Silicon Valley, which realised how deep learning could be applied to voice recognition, predictive search and machine vision.

The spike in interest prompted him to launch a free course on neural networks on e-learning platform Coursera in 2012. Today, 68-year-old Hinton is chair of machine learning at the University of Toronto and moonlights at Google, where he has been using deep learning to help build internet tools since 2013.

63. Yann Lecun

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61. Taylor Swift

Entertainer, Los Angeles





Credit Google DeepMind



Google-backed startup DeepMind Technologies has built an artificial intelligence agent that can learn to successfully play 49 classic Atari games by itself, with minimal input.

8. Demis Hassabis

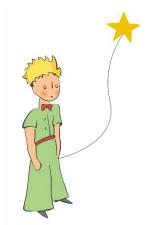
Co-founder and CEO, DeepMind, London

In March 2016, DeepMind's AI AlphaGo beat the Go world champion Lee Se-dol. The Google-owned startup is moving machine learning forward at a pace that could affect every industry, from healthcare to commerce.

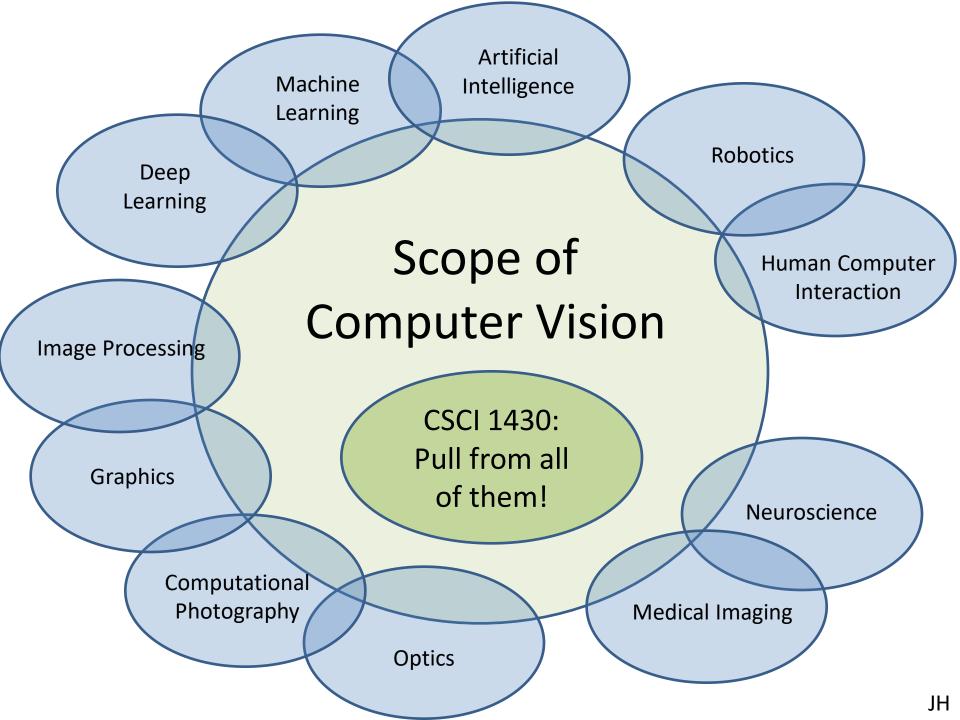
COURSE ETHOS AND SCOPE

"To create the ship is not to weave the webs, to forge the nails, to read the stars,

but to give the taste of the sea."



Saint Exupéry



Prerequisites

- Linear algebra, basic calculus and probability.
- Programming, data structures.

This is an upper-level course.

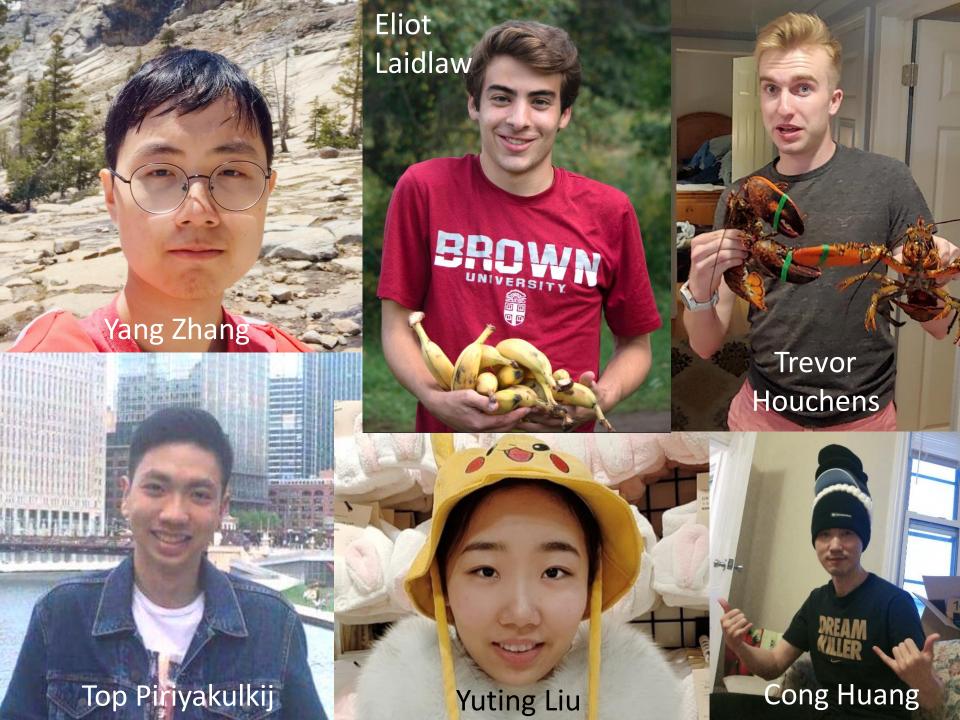
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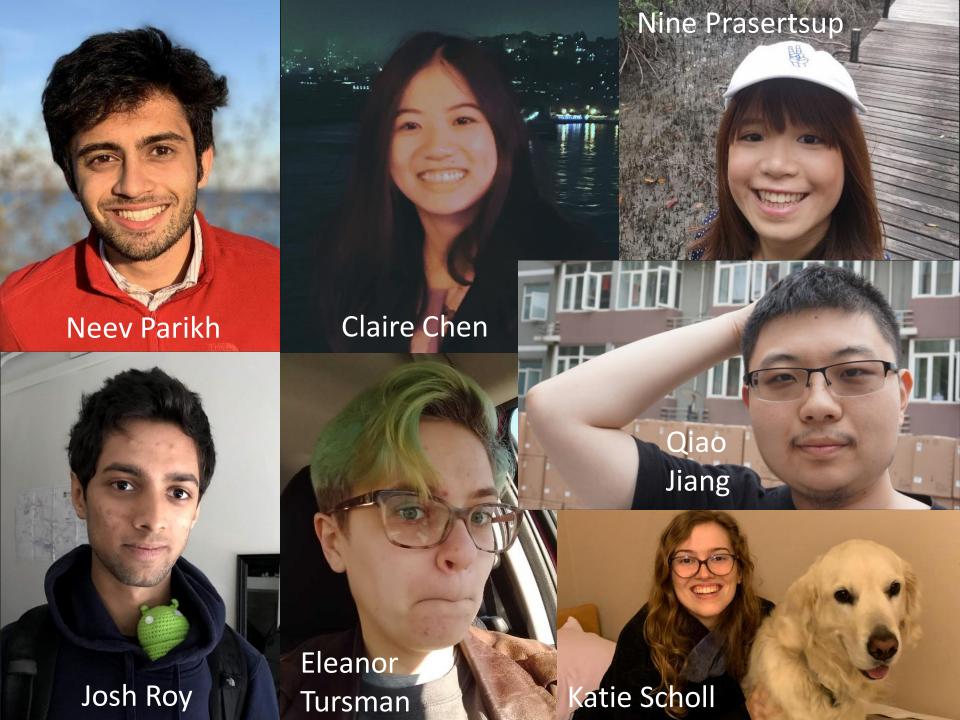
If you're rusty, we point you to refreshers.

HERE TO HELP!





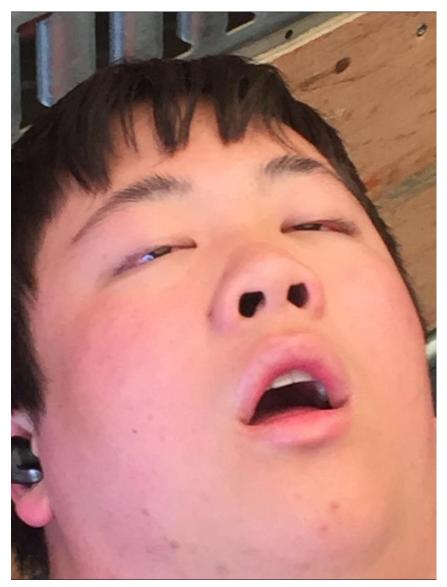








Isa Milefchik (HTA)

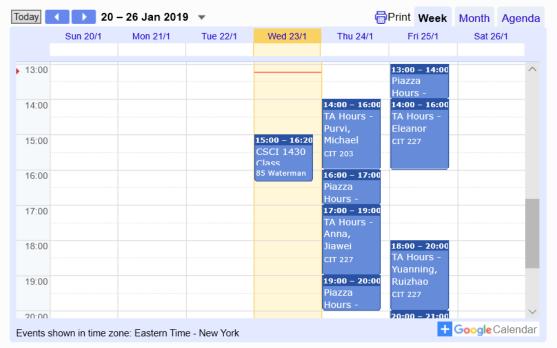


George Lee (HTA)

Contact

- Piazza—your first stop for questions and clarifications. Piazza will be staffed at specific times, when a member of the team will be answering questions (existing and new). At other times, please pull together as a class and help each other, and we'll help soon.
- cs1430tas@lists.brown.edu—your second stop for less typical questions.

Office/Piazza Hours



TA Hours

Course webpage

Course Description

This course provides an introduction to computer vision, including fundamentals of image formation, camera imaging geometry, feature detection and matching, stereo, motion estimation and tracking, image classification, scene understanding, and deep learning with neural networks. We will develop basic meth-

James Tompkin



My Office Hours

jamestompkin.com

Contact

Office hours: Tues 1–2pm Book appointment

Brown GCal: Use 'Find a Time'
Instructions

james_tompkin@brown.edu



Follow @jtompkin

► YouTube

Thomas J. Watson Sr. Center for Information Technology Room 547 II5 Waterman Street Providence, RI, 02912

Research Overview



MP4 download (200MB)

How can we make video a creative medium for EVERYON How can computation *remove barriers* from interaction? How can image understanding help us *explore* media?

To help answer these questions, I create graphics, vision, and interaction technic prove our understanding of the connections *within* media.

Academic lineage

- · Post-doc with Prof. Hanspeter Pfister at the Harvard Paulson School of Engineering and Appli
- · Post-doc with Prof. Christian Theobalt at the Max-Planck-Institute for Informatics and the Int
- · Research intern with Prof. Wojciech Matusik at Disney Research Cambridge.

COURSE SETUP

CSCI 1430 – James Hays

- Continuing his course many materials & projects from him + previous staff – serious thanks!
- If you see a little 'JH' in the slide corner, then it's his.

Contact

- Course runs quiet hours 9pm to 9am.
 - We will ignore you (temporarily).

- Piazza first
 - TAs have set Piazza hours.
- cs1430tas@lists.brown.edu second

Waitlist / Override codes

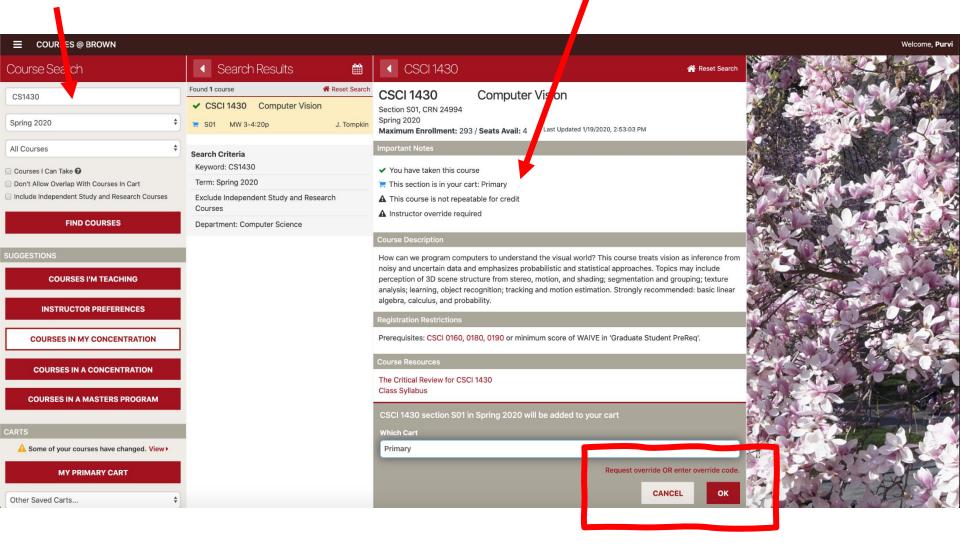
- Yes, we are oversubscribed (50+)
- Yes, we have priority
 - seniors + grads, juniors, sophomores, fresh

 We will authorize overrides later in shopping week once it calms down

Request an override on cab.brown.edu

1. Search for course

2. Make sure added to cart



3. Request override

Textbooks

Computer Vision: Algorithms and Applications

© 2010 Richard Szeliski, Microsoft Research



http://szeliski.org/Book/

Textbooks

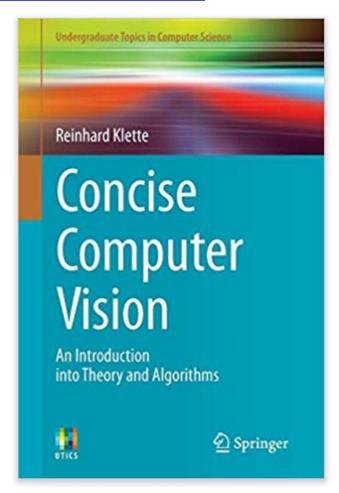
https://ccv.wordpress.fos.auckland.ac.nz/

Klette

Concise Computer Vision

Digital copy at our library

More introductory than Szeliski.



Textbooks

Deep Learning

An MIT Press book

Ian Goodfellow and Yoshua Bengio and Aaron Courville

Can I get a PDF of this book?

No, our contract with MIT Press forbids distribution of too easily copied electronic formats of the book.

Why are you using HTML format for the web version of the book?

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· What is the best way to print the HTML format?

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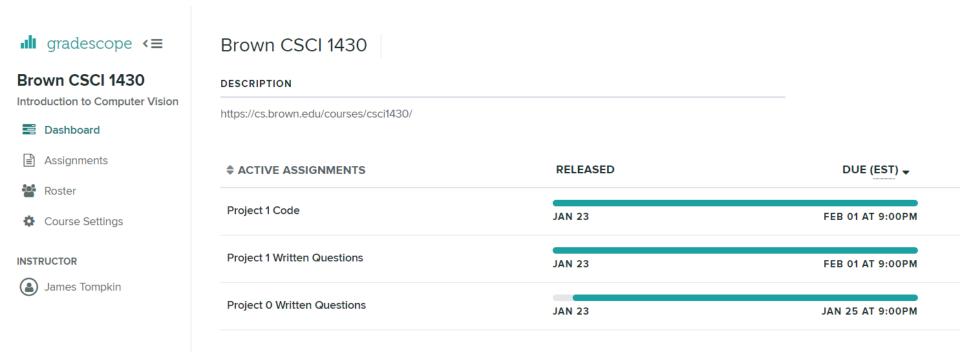
Projects / Grading

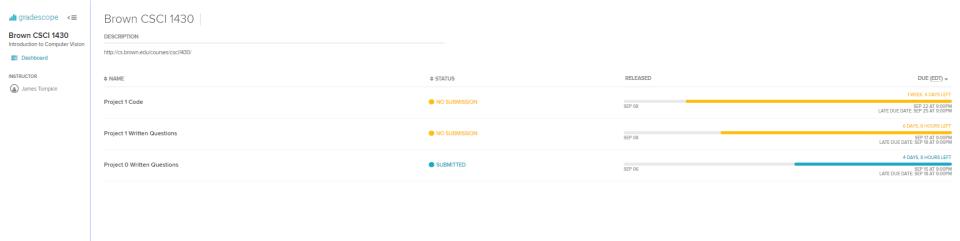
100% projects (7 total)

- Project 0: Setup / intro
- Projects 1-5: Structured conceptual / code
- Project 6: Final group project

Project	Percent
0	2%
1–5	~14.6%
6	~25%

Submission system: Gradescope





- Anonymous submissions please.
 - Don't put your name into Gradescope; only your Brown email.
 - Use fake name if you need to.

Written questions:

- It's a template to help us grade efficiently.
- Use _only_ the space provided
- Please don't make more/fewer pages
- You can put extra pages at the end

Gear-up Session (video captured):

TONIGHT 6pm Barus and Holley 168

What is Git?

What is Github?

What is Gradescope?

What is Visual Studio Code?

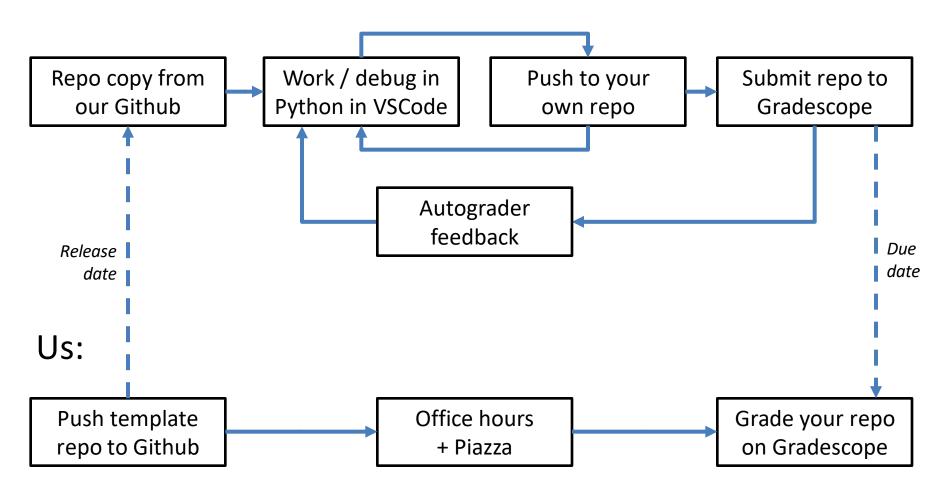
What is Python / Virtual Environment?

How they work together.

I promise it's worth it.

How it works – project example

You:



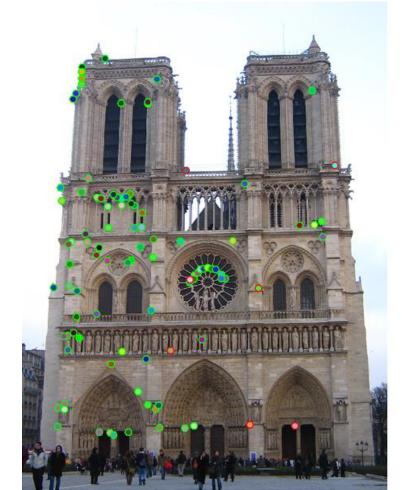
Proj 1: Image Filtering and Hybrid Images

- Implement image filtering to separate high and low frequencies.
- Combine high frequencies and low frequencies from different images to create a scale-dependent image.



Proj 2: Local Feature Matching

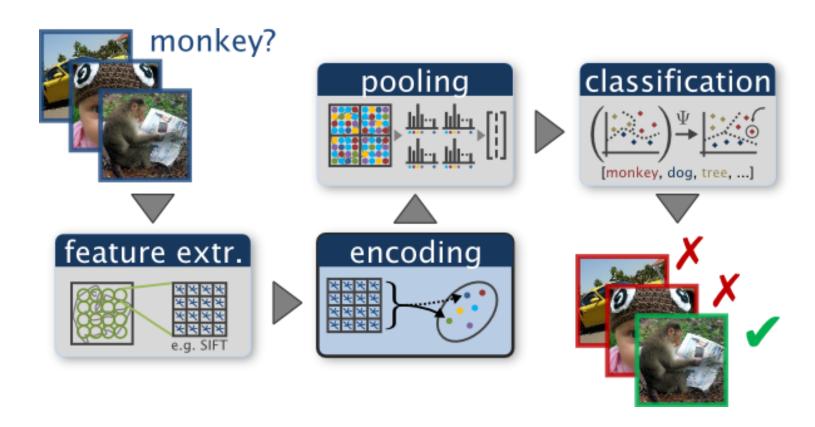
 Implement interest point detector, SIFT-like local feature descriptor, and simple matching algorithm.





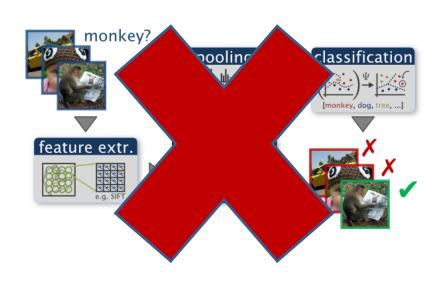
Proj 3: Scene Recognition with Bag of Words

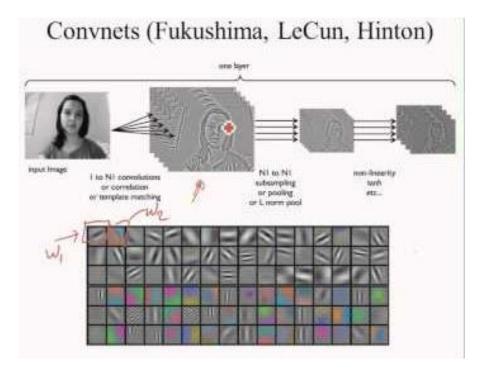
 Quantize local features into a "vocabulary", describe images as histograms of "visual words", train classifiers to recognize scenes based on these histograms.



Proj 4: Convolutional Neural Nets

Proj 3 again, but state of the art.





Proj 5: Multi-view Geometry

- Recover camera calibration from feature point matches.
- Foundation for almost all measurement in computer vision.



Proj 6: Group Final Project

- Free choice with a set of suggested projects
- Up to four people
- Go wild

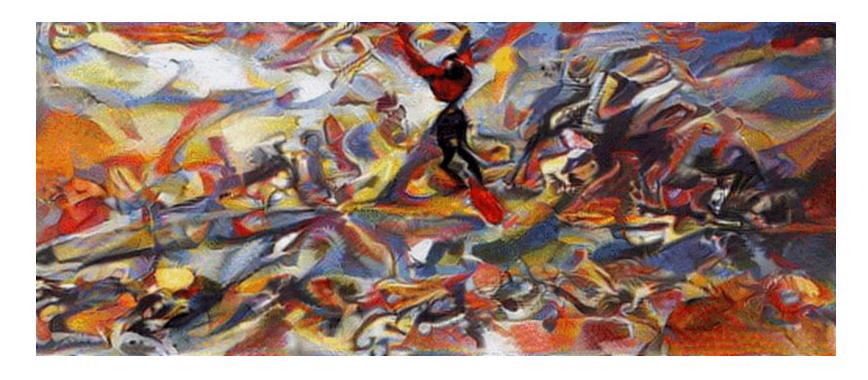
Project examples

- Real-time eye tracking
- Multi-view geometry reconstruction
- Computational photography
- Style Transfer
- Adversarial CNN hacking

Friendly neighborhood style transfer



Naive frame-by-frame rendering



Temporal Consistency Constraints



Hyperlapse Stabilization - Michael Mao, Jiaju Ma, James Li

Baseline Video



Result Video



CSCI1430 Spring 2019 Final Project

Darius Atmar, Yueyi Sun, Zejiang Shen



CSCI1430 Spring 2019 Final Project

Any questions at this stage?!

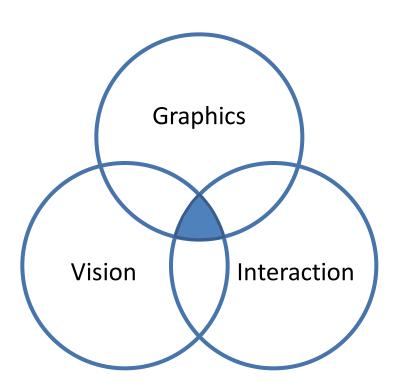
- Waitlist on cab.brown.edu request override
 - If you're on the waitlist, still submit project 0+1

- Gear Up Session TONIGHT 6pm B&H 168
 - Lecture captured if you can't make it
- TA hours from today

- Project 0 due FRIDAY 9pm
- Project 1 due NEXT FRIDAY 9pm

JAMES

I work in here.









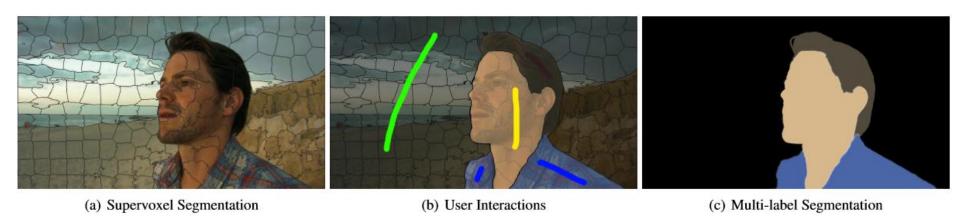


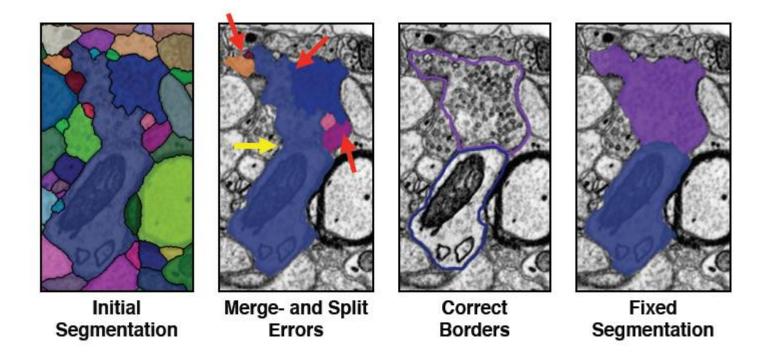




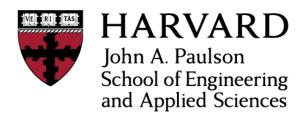








Instructor: James Tompkin





Max Planck Institute Germany





University College London UK











Render pixels?
Capture pixels?
Interact with pixels?
I am probably interested.

Watch my research overview video!

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