

Seminar Vision Systems MA-INF 4208

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In this seminar...

• Acquire/improve ability to:

deal with scientific publications (e.g. papers)

- \circ write a scientific report
- present a scientific topic to an audience
- engage technical topics



Important skills for Master Thesis!



In this seminar

- Discuss trending topics in deep learning and computer vision
- We will cover the following topics
 - Neural Rendering and Applications
 - Self-Supervised Learning
 - Transformer-based Models
 - Video Decomposition and Tracking

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1 Paper List

1. Neural Rendering and Applications

 a) Sajjadi, Mehdi SM, et al. Object scene representation transformer. NeurIPS 2022. Link

- b) Driess, Danny, et al. Learning Multi-Object Dynamics with Compositional Neural Radiance Fields. CoRL 2023. Link
- c) Siddiqui1, Yawar et al. Panoptic Lifting for 3D Scene Understanding with Neural Fields. CVPR 2023. Link

2. Advances in Self-Supervised Learning

- a) Bardes, Adrien, et al. VICReg: Variance-Invariance-Covariance Regularization for Self-Supervised Learning. ICLR. 2022. Link
- b) Ziegler, Adrian et al, Self-Supervised Learning of Object Parts for Semantic Segmentation. CVPR 2022. Link
- c) Assran, Mahmoud et al. Self-Supervised Learning from Images with a Joint-Embedding Predictive Architecture. ArXiv PrePrint 2023. Link

3. Transformer-based Model Architectures

a) Hatamizadeh, Ali, et al. FasterViT: Fast Vision Transformers with Hierarchical Attention. ArXiv PrePrint 2023. Link

b) Beyer, Lucas, et al. FlexiViT: One Model for All Patch Sizes. CVPR 2023. Link

c) Dao, Tri, et al. FlashAttention: Fast and Memory-Efficient Exact Attention with IO-Awareness. NeurIPS 2022. Link

- 4. Video Decomposition and Tracking
 - a) Ye, Vickie, et al. Deformable Sprites for Unsupervised Video Decomposition. CVPR 2022. Link
 - b) Wang, Qianqian, et al. Tracking Everything Everywhere All at Once. ArXiV Preprint 2023. Link
 - c) Bao, Zhipeng, et al. Object Discovery from Motion-Guided Tokens. CVPR 2023. Link

Paper List: https://www.ais.uni-bonn.de/SS23/SeminarVision/PaperList.pdf



Neural Rendering and Applications

- Learning 3D-aware representations of a scene given a set of posed images
- Applications such as:
 - Novel view synthesis
 - 3D segmentation
 - Object-centric representation learning







Self-Supervised Learning

- Subcategory of unsupervised learning
- Use pretext task to train in a supervised fashion
- Hot-topic in deep learning community
 - Outperforms to supervised pretraining
 - No need for manual annotations





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Articles

Any time

Since 2022

Since 2019



Transformers-based Models

- Transformer-based architectures for computer vision tasks
 - Efficient attention schemes
 - Hybrid attention-convolution models
 - Flexible transformer architectures
- State-of-the-art across many benchmarks







Video Decomposition and Tracking

- Video decomposition: decomposing a video sequence into object-centric components in an unsupervised manner
- Video pixel tracking: estimating motion trajectories for every pixel in every frame of a video





Select your topic

Send me an email at <u>villar@ais.uni-bonn.de</u>

- Your name
- Matriculation number
- Your two preferred topics/papers
- Upon my confirmation: Register in BASIS

Registration opened until 12.07.2023!



Deliverables (preliminary dates)

- **Presentation**: Thursday 21.09.2023
 - 30 min presentation
 - 15 min discussion
- **Report**: Thursday 28.09.2023 (will be one week after presentations)
 - LaTeX template
 - 8-12 pages
 - Brief but readable and informative
 - BibTex citations



Arrange a meeting with me \approx 2 weeks before the presentation to check the preliminary materials for the presentation and report.



Report

- Well structured:
 - Abstract
 - Introduction, methods, results, conclusion, ...
 - Tables and figures
 - Correct citations
- Your own scientific opinion:
 - What are the weak points of the paper?
 - What is missing?
 - Are comparisons fair and believable?
 - Possible future steps?

We don't want a copy of the paper!



Grading

- 66.7%: Presentation
 - Quality of the presentation slides
 - Presentation skills
 - Ability to answer questions
- 33.3%: Report
 - Overall quality of the report
 - Critical thinking and own discussion
 - Understanding of the concept



Slot Assignment Selection

- Six slots for students
 - Assigned at random



Questions?

