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Education

- 2020– Ph.D., Institute of Computer Science, University of Bern, Bern, Switzerland
Supervisor: Prof. Paolo Favaro
Research interests: disentangled representation learning, unsupervised semantic segmentation
- 2018–2020 M.Sc., Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey
Thesis Title: A Thorough Analysis of Unsupervised Depth and Ego-motion Estimation
Supervisors: Prof. Aydın Alatan and Assoc. Prof. Sinan Kalkan
CGPA: 3.71/4.00
- 2013–2018 B.Sc., Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey
CGPA: 3.71/4.00, Ranking: 18 out of 376

Appointments

- 2020– Research and Teaching Assistant, Institute of Computer Science, University of Bern, Bern, Switzerland
- 2018–2020 Researcher, Center for Image Analysis, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey
- 2017–2017 Intern, Physical Intelligence Department of Max Planck Institute for Intelligent Systems, Stuttgart, Germany
- 2016–2016 Intern, Arcelik A.S., Ankara, Turkey

Relevant Projects

- Least Squares Meshes: The algorithm is developed in C++ using the libigl library. Available on GitHub.
- Optimization: Various optimization algorithms including gradient descent method, Newton method, and Davidon-Fletcher-Powell method

Achievements

- 2013 Ranked 80th in the national university entrance examination (YGS-LYS) out of 231,040 candidates

Computer Skills

Previous experience in Python, C/C++, OpenCV, PIL, Pytorch, Scikit-Learn

Selected Publications

A. E. Sari, F. Locatello, and P. Favaro, “Boosting Unsupervised Segmentation Learning.”, *NeurIPS 2024 Workshop: Self-Supervised Learning-Theory and Practice*, 2024

[Link to publication](#)

A. Lemkhenter, A. Bielski, A. E. Sari, and P. Favaro. ”Generative Adversarial Learning via Kernel Density Discrimination.” *arXiv preprint arXiv:2107.06197*, 2022.

[Link to publication](#)

M. Turan, Y. Almalioglu, H. B. Gilbert, A. E. Sari, U. Soylu, and M. Sitti, “Endo-vmfusenet: A deep visual-magnetic sensor fusion approach for endoscopic capsule robots,” in *2018 IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA)*, pp. 1–7, IEEE, 2018.

[Link to publication](#)

I. G. Dino, E. Kalfaoglu, A. E. Sari, S. Akin, O. K. Iseri, A. A. Alatan, S. Kalkan, and B. Erdogan, “Automated building energy modeling for existing buildings using computer vision,” in *CIB W78: Conference: Advances in ICT in Design, Construction and Management in Architecture, Engineering, Construction and Operations (AECO)*, 2019.

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