

名古屋大学博士課程教育リーディングプログラム 「実世界データ循環学」講演会のお知らせ

本プログラムの学外プログラム担当者である Microsoft Research Asia の松下康之氏らをお招きして講演会を開催しますので、学内外の皆様お誘い合わせのうえご来場をお待ちしております.

[演題] Introduction to Microsoft Research

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[概要]

In this talk, we introduce Microsoft's fundamental research arm, Microsoft Research, where more than 1,100 scientists and engineers push the boundaries of computing in a wide spectrum of research disciplines. We also introduce internship stories, including what it is like doing an overseas internship, why an internship is a useful experience, and how to apply.

In the second half of the talk, we briefly introduce some of the recent research works.

1. High-fidelity 3D reconstruction via photometric approach (Computer Vision)

Recent years have shown tremendous advances on 3D reconstruction in computer vision and sensing technologies. However, most of these techniques are limited to estimate a coarse-scale shape that lacks fine-details of the surface. In this talk, we will discuss a photometric 3D reconstruction approach with which fine-details are faithfully recovered using shading cues in the form of surface normal. Specifically, I will talk about recent photometric stereo techniques that robustly and accurately recover surface normal of a scene that has diverse reflectance properties.

2. Machine Translation Detection from Monolingual Web-Text (Natural Language Processing)

Researchers have been mining Web-text for various applications, such as for knowledge-base construction and language modeling. However, burst instances of Web text are generated by machine translation indeed. Unfortunately, the quality of such machine translations is much lower than that of human-generated text. Applications built on such noisy data face serious quality issues. We propose a method for automatically identifying machine translations from Web-mined data. Unlike previous approaches, our method only uses monolingual text as input; therefore it is applicable for refining data produced by a variety of Web-mining activities.

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