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EDUCATION

Koc University Istanbul, Turkey

M.Sc. in Computer Engineering Sep 2023 – Now

CGPA: 0/0

Middle East Technical University

Ankara, Turkey

B.Sc. in Computer Engineering Sep 2017 – Jul 2022

CGPA: 3.99/4.00, 2^{nd} out of 2540

Ankara Science High School Ankara, Turkey

High School Diploma Sep 2013 – Jun 2017

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

KUIS (Koc University - Is Bank) AI Center

Istanbul, Turkey Nov 2021 – Sep 2023

Research Intern

Nov 2021 - Sep 2023

• Conducted research on Unsupervised Video Object Segmentation under supervision of Dr. Fatma Guney and Dr.

Weidi Xie

• Conducted research on Motion Forecasting of Autonomous Vehicles under supervision of Dr. Fatma Guney

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC)

Champaign, Illinois, US

Research Intern

June 2021 - Nov 2021

• Conducted research on the interaction of ML systems in Autonomous Vehicles and end-to-end testing of them under supervision of Dr. Reyhaneh Jabbarvand

METU Image Processing and Pattern Recognition Lab

Ankara, Turkey

Research Intern

 $Aug \ 2020 - Sep \ 2020$

• Worked on some Computer Vision related tasks including image processing and literature studies about Computer Vision-Deep Learning under supervision of Dr. Emre Akbaş

WORK EXPERIENCE

Codeway Studios Istanbul, Turkey

AI Research Scientist May 2023 - Oct 2023

• Working on development of Generative AI solutions, specifically Diffusion Models

AI Research Engineer Nov 2022 – May 2023

• Worked on reproduction and improvements of recent Generative AI methods

Havelsan Ankara, Turkey

 $Aug\ 2021-Sep\ 2021$

• Worked on messaging between radars and internal systems. Specifically design and optimization of test cases

Simsoft Ankara, Turkey

Intern June 2019 - Aug 2019

• Worked on a simulation-game project

PUBLICATIONS

- G. Aydemir, W. Xie, F. Güney, "Self-supervised Object-centric Learning for Videos", Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2023
- G. Aydemir, A. K. Akan, F. Güney, "ADAPT: Efficient Multi-Agent Trajectory Prediction with Adaptation", International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV), 2023
- G. Aydemir, A. K. Akan, F. Güney, "Trajectory Forecasting on Temporal Graphs", arXiv preprint, arXiv:2207.00255, 2022

ACHIEVEMENTS

Ranked 1^{st} in CENG Demoday 2022 (METU Computer Engineering Department Graduation Project competition) with the project DIP: Dynamic Insurance Pricing

Ranked within the initial 100 in the 2017 National University Entrance Exam over more than 2 million candidates

RESEARCH INTEREST

Object-Centric Learning

Unsupervised (Video) Object Detection/Segmentation

Trajectory Forecasting for Autonomous Driving

SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, C, C++

Libraries and Frameworks:PyTorch, NumPy, Scikit-Learn

Languages: Turkish (Native), English (Professional, TOEFL IBT: 103)