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#### **Work Experience**

• Apple Inc. - Senior Applied Scientist

Oct. 2023 - Present

I work in the Spatial Perception Team in the AI group. My research involves developing novel algorithms for 3D data.

• Apple Inc. - Applied Scientist

Apr. 2022 - Oct. 2023

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• Fujitsu Research - Senior Research Scientist

Aug. 2021 - Mar. 2022

My research is in the field of 3D scene understanding, and specifically in reducing the requirement of labels and supervision to train machine learning models. I am actively developing novel architectures to perform 3D scene understanding tasks using self/weakly and unsupervised techniques.

• Adobe - Research Scientist Intern

May 2021 - Aug. 2021

I undertook a 3 month internship in the Creative Intelligence Lab, working on geometrically driven image relighting from single-view images. The research was published at EuroGraphics 2022.

 $\bullet \ \textbf{Decoded} \ \hbox{-} \ \textit{Data science} \ / \ \textit{Machine learning coach}$ 

Sep. 2018 - May 2021

Clients include; Google DeepMind, IBM, UBS, Societe Generale, Fidelity and Siemens. I was responsible for delivering both high-level management and low-level apprenticeship workshops.

• UCL - Research Assistant

Jan. 2019 - Jul. 2019

Developing an open-source synthetic 3D point cloud dataset for large-scale machine learning algorithms.

• UCL - Post Graduate Teaching Assistant

Sep. 2018 - May 2021

Modules include; Image Understand, Geospatial Programming and Data Analysis. Developed and run practicals in computer vision in python.

### Education

• University College London (UCL)

Sep. 2017 - Apr. 2022

Doctorate of Philosophy (Ph.D) – 3D Computer Vision and Machine learning

Thesis title: Label Efficient 3D Scene Understanding

• University College London (UCL)

Sep. 2016 - Sep. 2017

Master of Science, Remote Sensing and Environmental Mapping (Distinction)

University of Wales (TSD)

Sep. 2013 - Jul. 2016

Bachelor of Science, Environmental Conservation (First Class Honours)

Gower College Swansea

Sep. 2010 - Jul. 2012

A Levels: Mathematics, Further Mathematics, Computing

#### **Certificates and Awards**

• CAA Commercial Drone Pilot License

disciplinary Training (Computer Graphics)

• UCL Graduate Research Scholarships for Cross-

• MDPI Remote Sensing Best Paper Award 2021

## Selected publications

- Bachmann, R., Oğuzhan K., Mizrahi, D., Garjani A., Gao M., **Griffiths, D.**, Hu, J., Dehghan, A., Zamir, A. 4M-21: An Any-to-Any Vision Model for Tens of Tasks and Modalities. Pre-print submitted to arXiv, arXiv:2406.09406
- **Griffiths, D.**, Ritschel T, J. and Philip, J. OutCast: Outdoor Single Image Depth Relighting with Cast Shadows. Eurographics 2022: 43rd Annual Conference of the European Association for Computer Graphics. April 25-29. 2022.
- **Griffiths**, **D.**, Boehm, J. and Ritschel, T. Curiosity-driven 3D Object Detection without Labels. International Conference on 3D Vision (3DV) 2021.
- Sanchez Castillo, E., **Griffiths, D.**, Boehm, J. Semantic Segmentation of Terrestrial LIDAR Data Using Co-Registered RGB Data. International Archives of the Photogrammetry, Remote Sensing and Spatial Information Sciences, Volume XLIII-B2-2021, 2021, pp.223-229
- **Griffiths, D.**, Boehm, J. and Ritschel, T. Finding Your (3D) Center: 3D Object Detection Using a Learned Loss. Proceedings of the European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV), 2020.
- **Griffiths, D.** and Boehm, J. 2019. SynthCity A large scale synthetic point cloud. Pre-print submitted to arXiv, arXiv:1907.04758.
- **Griffiths, D.** and Boehm, J., 2019. A Review on Deep Learning Techniques for 3D Sensed Data Classification. Remote Sensing (Vol. 11, No. 12, pp1499).
- **Griffiths, D.** and Boehm, J., 2019. Weighted Point Cloud Augmentation for Neural Network Training Data Class-Imbalance. Int. Arch. Photogramm. Remote Sens. Spatial Inf. Sci., XLII-2/W13, 981-987. ISPRS International Archives of the Photogrammetry, Remote Sensing and Spatial Information Sciences
- **Griffiths, D.** and Boehm, J., 2019. Improving public data for building segmentation from Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) for fused airborne lidar and image data using active contours. ISPRS Journal of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing, 154, pp.70-83.
- **Griffiths, D.** and Boehm, J., 2018, May. Rapid object detection systems, utilising deep learning and unmanned aerial systems (UAS) for civil engineering applications. In International Archives of the Photogrammetry, Remote Sensing and Spatial Information Sciences-ISPRS Archives (Vol. 42, No. 2, pp. 391-398). International Society for Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing (ISPRS).
- **Griffiths, D.** and Burningham, H., 2018. Comparison of pre-and self-calibrated camera calibration models for UAS-derived nadir imagery for a SfM application. Progress in Physical Geography: Earth and Environment, p.0309133318788964.

# **Scientific community**

- Scientific committee member International Society of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing (ISPRS): Laser Scanning workshop
- Peer reviewing CVPR, ICCV, ECCV, SIGGRAPH, Machine Vision and Applications, International Society of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing (ISPRS) journal, MDPI Remote Sensing journal, MDPI Sensors journal, Reports on Geodesy