
– Master-/Bachelor Thesis –

Impact of Plastic Surgery on Face Recognition Systems

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Motivation & Goal

Nowadays, many people undergo plastic surgeries which clearly affect their appearance. This can potentially have an impact on face recognition systems. As current state-of-the-art face recognition systems have been shown to generalize very well it is of interest whether they are able to compensate for changes in facial appearance caused by plastic surgery. The goal of this project is to evaluate said scenario by developing an according face database and investigate the effect of plastic surgery on state-of-the-art face recognition systems.

Tasks

- Creation of face database of face images before/after plastic surgery
- Evaluation of face recognition systems on the created database

We offer

- Incentives for the student to work on this project (work within scientific context, international collaboration, work on project in collaboration with companies)

Requirements

- High motivation and creativity
- Programming skills
- Good analytical skills
- Interest in biometric recognition

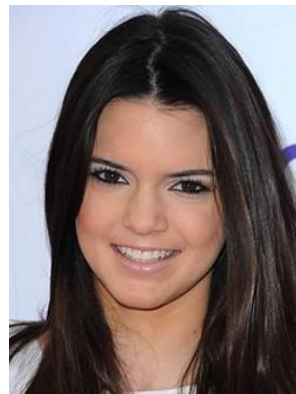
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