

# KUAN-LIN CHEN

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## Research Interests

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- Signal Processing** Statistical Signal Processing, Filtering, Signal Decomposition
- Machine Learning** Deep Learning, Bayesian Learning, Reinforcement Learning
- Computer Vision** Pattern Recognition, Object Localization, Pose Estimation

## Education

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### University of California San Diego (UCSD)

*La Jolla, CA, USA*

M.S. in Electrical and Computer Engineering

*Sept. 2017 - PRESENT*

- Specialization: Signal and Image Processing

### National Taiwan University (NTU)

*Taipei, Taiwan*

B.S.E. in Electrical Engineering

*Sept. 2011 - Jan. 2016*

- Overall GPA 3.77 / 4.30
- Graduate Courses Taken: Advanced Digital Signal Processing, Advanced Digital System Design, Time-frequency Analysis and Wavelet Transform, Music Signal Analysis and Retrieval.

## Publications

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- [1] Huang, Yu-Chun and **Kuan-Lin Chen**. "Brain-Computer Interfaces (BCI) Based 3D Computer-Aided Design (CAD): To Improve the Efficiency of 3D Modeling for New Users." HCI (2017). [[pdf link](#)]
- [2] Ming-Ying Wu, **KUAN-LIN CHEN**, AND YU-CHUN HUANG, "A SMART BRACELET: An alternative interfaces between performer and audience," *Proceedings of the 21st International Conference of the Association for Computer-Aided Architectural Design Research in Asia CAADRIA 2016*, pp. 311-319, 2016. [[pdf link](#)]
- [3] Huang, Y. C., **Chen, K. L.**, Wu, M. Y., Tu, Y. W. and Huang, S. C. C., "Brain-Computer Interface Approach to Computer-Aided Design: Rotate and zoom in/out in 3Ds Max via imagination," *IHCI2015-Multi Conference on Science and Information Systems (MCCSIS2015) Proceedings*, 2015. [[pdf link](#)]

## Research Experience

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### Smart Lab, University of California San Diego

*La Jolla, CA, USA*

Graduate Student

*Nov. 2017 - PRESENT*

- Building a real-time pose estimation system using multi-stage CNN.

### Smart Interaction & Multimedia Design Lab, Tatung University

*Taipei, Taiwan*

Research Assistant

*Aug. 2014 - Aug. 2016*

- Proposed a system [1, 3] to control CAD software via imagination using EEG signal.
- Built a real-time system [1, 3] which receives cognitive signals from Emotiv EPOC+ neuroheadset and perform corresponding commands on 3ds Max and Rhino.
- Proposed an audience feedback system [2] for performing art.
- Built a wearable digital system [2] to measure the conductivity on the skin and transmit the data back to backend responsive server.

### Sensortek Technology Corp. and Access IC Design Lab

*Hsinchu and Taipei, Taiwan*

Researcher for Industry-University Cooperative Research Project

*July 2014 - June 2015*

- Provided research studies and biomedical signal processing techniques to Sensortek Technology Corp. on several topics including Photoplethysmography (PPG) and continuous blood pressure (CBP).

## Ministry of Science and Technology, R.O.C.

Researcher for Undergraduate Research Project

- Topic: Design and Implementation of Motion Artifact Reduction Technique for Photoplethysmography (PPG).
- Granted NTD \$47,000.

Taipei, Taiwan

July 2014 - Feb. 2015

## Access IC Design Lab, National Taiwan University

Researcher for Special Project

- Implemented, synthesized and tested 64-point pipelined Radix  $2^2$  Single-path Delay Feedback (SDF) Fast Fourier Transform (FFT) processor in RTL level using Verilog (hardware description language) and CAD tools.

Taipei, Taiwan

Sept. 2013 - Feb. 2014

## Industrial Experience

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### COMDEK Industrial Corp.

Full Stack Developer

- Independently developed a remote healthcare system named Central Station from scratch.
- Implemented Redis database, real-time Node.js server on Debian Linux, and client side module on MediaTek LinkIt 7688.
- Central Station is now under testing, and it will become a product in the next few years. [\[pdf link\]](#)

New Taipei City, Taiwan

June 2015 - June 2016

Part-Time System Engineer

- Built a system program based on 8051 MCU for portable pulse oximeter named MD-600P from scratch. [\[pdf link\]](#)
- Built a commercial differential counter named MD-200 based on ATmega64 for medical experiments. [\[pdf link\]](#)

June 2014 - June 2015

## Honors & Awards

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### Technical

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| 2015 | <b>Silver Medal Award</b> , Altera Innovate Asia FPGA Design Competition<br>— Proposed a product based on FPGA which modulates the music with the accelerated signal. | <i>International</i> |
| 2015 | <b>Second Prize Award</b> , Integrated Circuit Design Contest<br>— Ranked 2nd nationally in the cell-based digital circuit category.                                  | <i>National</i>      |
| 2015 | <b>Tenth Place</b> , IEEE Signal Processing Cup<br>— Ranked 10th globally in motion artifact reduction of PPG signal.   | <i>International</i> |

### Innovation & Business

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| 2015 | <b>Second Prize Award</b> , NTU Innovation Contest<br>— Innovated and built a hardware using PPG and accelerated signal to provide a new user experience. | <i>Intramural, NTU</i> |
| 2013 | <b>Selected</b> , Samsung Mobilers<br>— One of 36 Mobilers in Samsung Taiwan.   | <i>National</i>        |

## Skills

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**Programming** Matlab, Python, C/C++, Verilog, HTML/CSS/JavaScript, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Tensorflow, CUDA

**Hardware** FGPA, ASIC, MCU

**Languages** Mandarin Chinese (Native), English (Fluent)

**Game of Go** 5 dan amateur, certificated by Go Association of Republic of China