Project Title	Spike-based Visual Processing	
Project Leader	Garrick Orchard	

Abstract

This project is intended to serve as an introduction to spike-based visual processing for the participants. Participants will be able to record their own data using neuromorphic cameras and will learn how to do some basic visual filtering/processing using spiking neural networks.

Advanced students who have previous experience with neuromorphic cameras can tackle motion and recognition tasks using ELM methods supplied by Profs Basu and Tapson.

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Project Title	Structure and Function of the Mammalian	
	Brainstem	
Project Leader	Hari Subramanian	

Abstract

This project is intended to serve as an introduction to the organization, structure and function of the brainstem which controls and regulates body homeostasis. Concepts such a sensory processing, motor control and sensory motor integration would be examined from the anatomy physiology and pharmacology approaches. Further, the sessions would investigate neural engineering & prosthetic principles applicable to neuromodulation of brainstem circuits for autonomic control during health and disease.

Hands on projects for the students would comprise of assessment of neural principles that govern brain function and short essays.

If LabTutor is made available, then specific exercises will be designed for students on measurement and evaluation of physiological data, analysis and report.

Remarks

I believe that a good 4-day course on brain structure and function would be valuable for engineering students in understanding concepts of neural engineering applicable to brain function. This will further inspire design and development of neuromodulation prosthesis than can be applied in various disease settings

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Project Title	3D Tracker
Project Leader	Ching-Hua Cheng & Tang-Chieh Liu

Abstract

This project uses an Arduino platform and 3 sheets of aluminum foil to track the position of an object, such as your hand, in a region surrounded by the aluminum plates. With touching the aluminum plates, the resulted capacitances between the aluminum plates and the object can help us to locate the position of the object in the space. By calculating the obtained capacitances, the position of the object are requested to be derived on any computer. The ways of displaying the information or other possible applications in biological or medical engineering are open to the participants.

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Project Information				
Project Title Neuropixscope: Toward a compact measuremen				
	solution for neuromorphic systems.			
Project Leader	Tao Lee			
Abstract				
Neuroscience is p	plagued by the precision of measuring neuron			
activities, which h	nampers not only the advance of the fundamental			
science, but also	the engineering of neuromorphic systems. In this talk,			
we will present, for	or the first time, to the Asia-Pacific audience, the			
IMEC's solution to	o this problem: Neuropixscope, a scientific instrument			
designed to provi	de powerful but compact measurement solution for			
the neuroscience	community.			
Apparatus				
Oscilloscope, pow	ver supply, workbench			
Laptop, Neuropixscope				
Requisite from the host				
None				
Remarks & Other Requirements				
None				

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