



– Master-/Bachelor Thesis – Contactless Fingerprint Feature Extraction

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Motivation & Goal	Modern contact based fingerprint feature extractor rely on machine learning strategies and also work with contacless samples. Nevertheless the perfor- mance is inferior. The goal of this project is to optimize a feature extractor based on machine learning for contactless fingerprint recognition.
Tasks	 Research the state-of-the-art of fingerprint feature extraction Retrain and optimize a publicly available feature extractor Report the biometric performance of the proposed model
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 Experiences with machine learning especially GANs Image processing experiences (esp. OpenCV)
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