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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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- Music information research
- Multimedia
- Affective computing
- Machine learning
- Artificial Intelligence

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## EDUCATION

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- Ph.D., Communication Engineering, National Taiwan University, Taiwan 2010
- B.S., Electrical Engineering, National Taiwan University, Taiwan 2006

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## AWARDS & HONORS

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- Best Associate Editor Service Award, IEEE Transactions on Multimedia 2018
- Best Conference Paper Award, IEEE Multimedia Communications Technical Committee (MMTC) 2015
- Best Paper Award, IEEE International Conference on Multimedia Expo. (ICME) 2015
- Young Scholars' Creativity Award, Foundations for the Advancement of Outstanding Scholarship 2015
- Ta-You Wu Memorial Research Award, Ministry of Science and Technology 2014
- Best Poster Award, IEEE/ACM Joint Conference on Digital Libraries 2014
- Project for Excellent Junior Research Investigators, National Science Council 2013–2016
- Career Development Award, Academia Sinica 2013–2017
- Pan Wen Yuan Research Exploration Award 2013
- First Prize, ACM Multimedia Grand Challenge 2012
- IEEE SPS Young Author Best Paper Award, IEEE Signal Processing Society 2011
- Best Ph.D. Dissertation Award, Graduate Institute of Communication Engineering, NTU 2010
- Best Ph.D. Dissertation Award, TAAI (Taiwanese Association for Artificial Intelligence) 2010
- MediaTek Fellowship 2009
- Microsoft Research Asia (MSRA) Fellowship 2008

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## WORK EXPERIENCES

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- **Associate Research Fellow** in Research Center for IT Innovation, Academia Sinica since 2015/11
- **Joint-Appointment Associate Professor** in CSIE, National Cheng Kung University since 2017/01
- **Adjunct Associate Professor** in CSIE, National Tsing-Hua University 2016/02–07
- **Assistant Research Fellow** in Research Center for IT Innovation, Academia Sinica 2011/07–2015/11
- **Joint-appointment Assistant Research Fellow** in Institute of Information Science, Academia Sinica 2012/01–2015/11
- **Joint-Appointment Assistant Professor** in CSIE, National Cheng Kung University since 2013/09
- Visiting Scholar at Columbia University, USA 2013/06–08
- Visiting Scholar at Music Technology Group, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, Spain 2011/10–12
- Second Lieutenant in Communications, Electronics and Information, ROC Army 2010/8-2011/7

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## ACADEMIC SERVICES

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- **Associate editor** of
  - IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing 2016/11-2018/11
  - IEEE Transactions on Multimedia 2016/9-2018/9
- **IEEE senior member** since 2017
- **Program chair** of
  - Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR) 2014
- **Guest editor** of
  - ACM Transactions on Intelligent Systems and Technology 2015
  - IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing 2014
- **10K award committee member** of
  - IEEE International Conference on Multimedia and Expo. (ICME) 2016–2018
- **Unconference chair** of
  - Int. Society for Music Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR) 2017
- **External PhD thesis committee member** of
  - Hong Kong University of Science and Technology 2015
- **Organizer** of
  - Int. Workshop on Affect and Sentiment in Multimedia, in conjunction with ACM MM 2015
  - MediaEval Affect Task: Music in Emotion 2013–2015
  - MIREX Singing Voice Separation Task 2014–2015
  - Int. Workshop on Affective Analysis in Multimedia, in conjunction with IEEE ICME 2013
  - Taiwanese Workshop on Music Information Retrieval 2012–2014
- **Member** of
  - Taiwan ACM SIGMM Chapter since 2014
- **Affiliated member** of

- IEEE Multimedia Systems and Applications Technical Committee (MSA TC) of CAS since 2013
- **Invited voting member of**
  - IEEE Comm. Society Multimedia Communications Technical Committee (MMTC) since 2010
- Reviewer of
  - Transactions such as TASLP, TMM, TKDE, TSP, TIP, TOMM, TAC NC, MultiMedia, JNMR, JMM, JIIS, PRL, JASA, FnTIR, ASP, etc.
  - Conferences such as ISMIR, ACM MM, ICME, ICASSP, WASPAA, etc.

## EXAMPLE SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS

- Proposed the first system that predicts the emotional valence and arousal of music from audio signals and became one of the most influential researchers on the topic **music emotion recognition**: wrote a book (monograph) on this (CRC Press 2011); gave a tutorial in a major international conference (ISMIR 2012); won the IEEE Signal Processing Society Best Young Author Award due to a journal publication (TASLP 212); the same publication has been cited by 350+ papers thus far.
- Proposed the first convolutional neural network (CNN) and generative adversarial network based model for melody generation (ISMIR 2017) and multi-track music generation (AAAI 2018).
- Developed the first hypercomplex version of robust principal component analysis (TSP 2016).

## TUTORIAL

- X. Hu and **Y.-H. Yang**, “Music Affect Recognition: The State-of-the-art and Lessons Learned,” *Int. Society of Music Information Retrieval Conference (ISMIR)*, 2012.

## COMPETITION

- 9th Prize, KDD Cup (among 821 participants) 2015
- 2nd Prize, ISMIR Grand Challenge on User eXperience (among 3 finalists) 2014
- 1st Prize, ACM Multimedia Grand Challenge (among 17 finalist teams) 2012

## PUBLICATIONS (including number of citations indicated in Google Scholar [link](#))

*Total citations: 2952; citations of most-cited paper: 379; h-index: 29; i10-index: 63*

- **Book**

[1] **Y.-H. Yang** and H.-H. Chen, *Music Emotion Recognition*, CRC Taylor & Francis Books, Feb. 2011.

- **Book Chapters**

[2] J.-C. Wang, **Y.-H. Yang** and H.-M. Wang, “Affective music information retrieval,” In *Emotions and Personality in Personalized Services*, M. Tkalčič *et al.* Eds., Springer, 2016.

[3] **Y.-H. Yang**, J.-C. Wang, Y.-A. Chen, and H. H. Chen, “Model Adaptation for Personalized Music Emotion Recognition,” In *Handbook of Pattern Recognition and Computer Vision*, C.-H. Chen Eds., World Scientific Publishing, Feb. 2016.

## • Journal Papers

- [4] E. Zangerle, C.-M. Chen, M.-F. Tsai and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Leveraging affective hashtags for ranking music recommendations," *IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing (TAC)*, accepted for publication.
- [5] Y.-S. Huang, S.-Y. Chou, and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Pop music highlighter: Marking the emotion keypoints," *Transactions of the International Society for Music Information Retrieval (TISMIR)*, accepted for publication.
- [6] J.-C. Lin, W.-L. Wei, T.-L. Liu, **Y.-H. Yang**, H.-M. Wang, H.-R. Tyan, and H.-Y. M. Liao, "Coherent deep-net fusion to classify shots in concert videos," *IEEE Transactions on Multimedia (TMM)*, accepted for publication.
- [7] Y.-P. Lin, P.-K. Jao, and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Improving cross-day EEG-based emotion classification using robust principal component analysis," *Frontiers in Computational Neuroscience*, Jul. 2017.
- [8] A. Aljanaki, **Y.-H. Yang**, and M. Soleymani, "Developing a benchmark for emotional analysis of music," *PLOS ONE*, vol. 12, no. 3, e0173392.doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0173392, Mar. 2017.
- [9] Y.-H. Chin, J.-C. Wang, J.-C. Wang and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Predicting the probability density function of music emotion using emotion space mapping," *IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing (TAC)*, accepted for publication.
- [10] X. Hu and **Y.-H. Yang**, "The mood of Chinese pop music: Representation and recognition," *Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology (JAIST)*, doi:10.1002/asi.23813, Jun. 2017.
- [11] Y.-A. Chen, J.-C. Wang, **Y.-H. Yang**, H.-H. Chen, "Component tying for mixture model adaptation in personalization of music emotion recognition," *IEEE/ACM Transactions on Audio, Speech, and Language Processing (TASLP)*, vol. 25, no. 7, pp. 1409-1420, Jul. 2017. [cover page of the issue]
- [12] X. Hu and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Cross-dataset and cross-cultural music mood prediction: A case on Western and Chinese pop songs," *IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing (TAC)*, vol. 8, no. 2, pp. 228-240, Apr. 2017.
- [13] T.-S. Chan and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Informed group-sparse representation for singing voice separation," *IEEE Signal Processing Letters (SPL)*, vol. 24, no. 2, pp. 156-160, Feb. 2017.
- [14] T.-S. Chan and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Polar  $n$ -complex and  $n$ -bicomplex singular value decomposition and principal component pursuit," *IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing (TSP)*, vol. 64, no. 24, pp. 6533-6544, Dec. 2016.
- [15] M. Schedl, **Y.-H. Yang**, and P. Herrera, "Introduction to intelligent music systems and applications," *ACM Transactions on Intelligent Systems and Technology (TIST)*, vol. 8, no. 2, article 17, Oct. 2016.
- [16] P.-K. Jao, L. Su, **Y.-H. Yang** and B. Wohlberg, "Monaural music source separation using convolutional sparse coding," *IEEE/ACM Transactions on Audio, Speech, and Language Processing (TASLP)*, vol. 24, no. 11, pp. 2158-2170, Nov. 2016.
- [17] T.-S. Chan and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Complex and quaternionic principal component pursuit and its application to audio separation," *IEEE Signal Processing Letters (SPL)*, vol. 23, no. 2, pp. 287-291, Feb. 2016.
- [18] C.-Y. Liang, L. Su and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Musical onset detection using constrained linear reconstruction," *IEEE Signal Processing Letters (SPL)*, vol. 22, no. 11, pp. 2142-2146, Nov. 2015.
- [19] L. Su and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Combining spectral and temporal representations for multipitch estimation of polyphonic music," *IEEE/ACM Transactions on Audio, Speech, and Language Processing (TASLP)*, vol. 23, no. 10, pp. 1600-1612, Oct. 2015.

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- [21] **Y.-H. Yang** and Y.-C. Teng, "Quantitative study of music listening behavior in a smartphone context," *ACM Transactions on Interactive Intelligent Systems (TiiS)*, vol. 5, no. 3, article 14, Aug. 2015.
- [22] M. Soleymani, **Y.-H. Yang**, G. Irie, and A. Hanjalic, "Challenges and perspectives for affective analysis in multimedia," *IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing (TAC)*, vol. 6, no. 3, pp. 206-208, 2015.
- [23] J.-C. Wang, **Y.-H. Yang**, H.-M. Wang, and S.-K. Jeng, "Modeling the affective content of music with a Gaussian mixture model," *IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing (TAC)*, vol. 6, no. 1, pp. 56-68, Feb. 2015.
- [24] L. Su, H.-M. Lin, and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Sparse modeling of magnitude and phase-derived spectra for playing technique classification," *IEEE Transactions on Audio, Speech, and Language Processing (TASLP)*, vol. 22, no. 12, pp. 2122-2132, Dec. 2014.
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- [26] Y.-P. Lin, **Y.-H. Yang**, and T.-P. Jung, "Fusion of Electroencephalogram dynamics and musical contents for estimating emotional responses in music listening," *Frontiers in Neuroscience*, vol. 8, no. 94, pp. 1-14, May 2014.
- [27] **Y.-H. Yang** and J.-Y. Liu, "Quantitative study of music listening behavior in a social and affective context," *IEEE Transactions on Multimedia (TMM)*, vol. 15, no. 6, pp. 1304-1315, Oct. 2013.
- [28] K.-S. Lin, A. Lee, **Y.-H. Yang**, C.-T. Lee, and H.-H. Chen, "Automatic highlights extraction for drama video using music emotion and human face features," *Neurocomputing*, vol. 119, pp. 111-117, Nov. 2013.
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- [30] **Y.-H. Yang** and H.-H. Chen, "Machine recognition of music emotion: a review," *ACM Transactions on Intelligent Systems and Technology (TIST)*, vol. 3, no. 3, article 40, May 2012.
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- [38] H.-W. Dong and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Convolutional generative adversarial networks with binary neurons for polyphonic music generation," in *Proc. Int. Society of Music Information Retrieval Conf. (ISMIR)*, 2018.
- [39] Y.-N. Hung and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Frame-level instrument recognition by timbre and pitch," in *Proc. Int. Society of Music Information Retrieval Conf. (ISMIR)*, 2018.
- [40] S.-Y. Chou, J.-S. R. Jang, and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Learning to recognize transient sound events using attentional supervision," in *Proc. Int. Joint Conf. Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI)*, 2018.
- [41] C.-W. Wu, J.-Y. Liu, **Y.-H. Yang**, J.-S. R. Jang, "Singing style transfer using cycle-consistent boundary equilibrium generative adversarial networks," in *Proc. Joint Workshop on Machine Learning for Music*, extended abstract, 2018.
- [42] A. Poddar, E. Zangerle, and **Y.-H. Yang**, "#nowplaying-RS: A new benchmark dataset for building context-aware music recommender systems," in *Proc. Sound and Music Computing Conf. (SMC)*, 2018.
- [43] W.-L. Wei, J.-C. Lin, T.-L. Liu, **Y.-H. Yang**, H.-M. Wang, H.-R. Tyan, and H.-Y. M. Liao, "SeetheVoice: Learning from music to visual storytelling of shots," *Proc. IEEE Int. Conf. Multimedia and Expo. (ICME)*, 2018.
- [44] H.-W. Dong, W.-Y. Hsiao, L.-C. Yang and **Y.-H. Yang**, "MuseGAN: Multi-track sequential generative adversarial networks for symbolic music generation and accompaniment," in *Proc. AAAI Conf. Artificial Intelligence (AAAI)*, 2018 (acceptance rate 25%).
- [45] Y.-S. Huang, S.-Y. Chou and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Generating music medleys via playing music puzzle games," in *Proc. AAAI Conf. Artificial Intelligence (AAAI)*, 2018 (acceptance rate 25%).
- [46] Y.-S. Huang, S.-Y. Chou and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Music thumbnailing via neural attention modeling of music emotion," in *Proc. Asia Pacific Signal and Information Processing Association Annual Summit and Conf. (APSIPA ASC)*, 2017.
- [47] C.-A. Yu, T.-S. Chan and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Low-rank matrix completion over finite Abelian group algebras for context-aware recommendation," in *Proc. ACM Int. Conf. Information and Knowledge Management (CIKM)*, 2017.
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- [49] C.-C. Shih, P.-C. Li, Y.-J. Lin, A. W. Y. Su, L. Su and **Y.-H. Yang**, "Analysis and synthesis of the violin playing styles of Heifetz and Oistrakh," in *Proc. Int. Conf. Digital Audio Effects (DAFx)*, 2017.
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- [51] Z.-C. Fan, T.-S. T. Chan, **Y.-H. Yang**, and J.-S. R. Jang, "Music signal processing using vector product neural networks," *Proc. International Workshop on Deep Learning for Music (DLM)*, 2017.

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