# Revant Teotia

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#### EDUCATION

#### NYU Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences

Ph.D. in Computer Science

New York, NY Sep 2023 -

Columbia University

New York, NY

M.S. in Computer Science

Sep 2021 - Dec 2022

## Indian Institute Of Technology Kanpur

B. Tech. in Computer Science and Engineering

Kanpur, India Jul 2013 - May 2017

#### Publications

• Affective Faces for Goal-Driven Dyadic Communication,

[arXiv] [project page]

Scott Geng, Revant Teotia, Purva Tendulkar, Sachit Menon, Carl Vondrick, In submission

• Doubly Right Object Recognition: A Why Prompt for Visual Rationales,

[paper]

Chengzhi Mao, Revant Teotia, Amrutha Varshini Sundar, Sachit Menon, Junfeng Yang, Xin Wang, Carl Vondrick, **CVPR 2023** 

• COFAR: Commonsense and Factual Reasoning in Image Search,

[paper][project page]

Prajwal Gatti, Abhirama Penamakuri, Revant Teotia, Anand Mishra, Shubhashis Sengupta, Roshni Ramnani, AACL-IJCNLP 2022

• Doubly Right Object Recognition,

[paper]

Revant Teotia, Chengzhi Mao, Carl Vondrick,

ICML 2022 Workshop on Spurious Correlations, Invariance, and Stability (Spotlight talk, among top-5 papers)

• Finding Spuriously Correlated Visual Attributes,

[paper]

Revant Teotia, Chengzhi Mao, Carl Vondrick,

ICML 2022 Workshop on Spurious Correlations, Invariance, and Stability

• Few-shot Visual Relationship Co-localization,

[paper][project page][code]

Revant Teotia, Vaibhay Mishra, Mayank Maheshwari, Anand Mishra, ICCV 2021

• Realtime Indoor Workout Analysis Using Machine Learning & Computer Vision, Amit Nagarkoti, Revant Teotia, Amith K. Mahale, and Pankaj K. Das,

[paper]

IEEE EMBC 2019

## Experience

#### Fair Labs, Meta AI

New York, NY

Visiting Researcher

Sep 2024 - Present

• Working on computer vision and machine learning problems.

#### Langone Radiology Department, New York University

New York, NY

PhD student researcher in Sumit Chopra's Lab

Sep 2023 - Present

• Working on developing machine learning techniques for Radiology applications.

## Computer Science Department, Columbia University

New York, NY

Research Assistant in Carl Vondrick's group

Sep 2021 - Aug 2023

• Explainable models: making object recognition models explainable using object descriptions. Training visual prompt for large vision-language model CLIP to give right reasons for predictions.

• Social AI: Understanding human emotions, cultures and interactions from unlabeled videos. Using implicit social knowledge in large language model GPT-3 with vision-language model CLIP to model human interactions.

## Indian Institute of Technology Jodhpur

Research Assistant in Anand Mishra's Vision, Language, and Learning Group (VL2G)

Jodhpur, India Jul 2020 - Aug 2021

• Analyzed novel problem of Visual Relationship Co-localization and invented a meta-learning based optimization framework to solve it in a few-shot manner. Published in ICCV 2021. [paper][project page][code]

Worked on incorporating commonsense and factual reasoning in image search using external knowledge sources.
Published in AACL-IJCNLP 2022. [paper][project page]

## Samsung Research Institute

Senior Software Engineer, Samsung Health Team

Bangalore, India Jul 2017 - Jul 2019

- Designed and developed the C++ modules of BLE/NFC communication between Samsung smartwatch and gym fitness equipments. Announced at CES2020 and enjoyed by millions of Samsung Galaxy series 2020 smartwatch users. [news]
- Created a home workout video analysis system using CNN-based human pose-estimation, Optical Flow and Dynamic Time Warping algorithm. Published in IEEE EMBC 2019. [paper]