

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

- 1973-1978 Warsaw University of Technology, Poland, Department of Electronic Engineering, M.Sc. thesis: "Tolerance assignment for selection tests of integrated circuits," 1978 (Wojciech Maly – advisor).
- 1978-1982 Institute of Electron Technology, Center for Microelectronics, Warsaw, Poland, Ph.D. thesis: "The optimization of technological parameters of integrated circuits," 1982 (Edward Stolarski – advisor).
- 1988-1991 Department of Psychology, University of Maryland at College Park. Ph.D. thesis: "Shape constancy in human beings and computers based on a perspective invariant," 1991 (Robert M. Steinman and Azriel Rosenfeld – advisors).

Honors

Doctoral thesis judged to be "Distinguished" by the Scientific Committee of the Institute of Electron Technology, Warsaw, 1982.

Jack Bartlett Award for the excellence in doctoral research, Department of Psychology, University of Maryland, 1991.

New Investigator Award from the Society for Mathematical Psychology, 1994.

Team Excellence Award in the Purdue College of Engineering, 2006.

Team Award, Science and Technology Center Team, College of Science, 2012.

Professional Experience

- 1982-1984 Research Fellow, Nencki Institute of Experimental Biology, Department of Neurophysiology, Laboratory of Psychophysiology, Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw.
- 1984-1987 Research Fellow, Central Institute of Occupational Hazards, Department of Ergonomics, Warsaw.
- 1987-1988 Research Fellow, Nencki Institute of Experimental Biology, Department of Neurophysiology, Laboratory of Afferent Systems, Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw.
- 1991-1997 Assistant Professor, Department of Psychological Sciences, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN.
- 1997-2004 Associate Professor, Department of Psychological Sciences, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN.
- 2004-2017 Professor, Department of Psychological Sciences, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN.
- 2017- Professor and Falmagne Endowed Chair in Mathematical Psychology, Department of Cognitive Sciences, University of California at Irvine, Irvine, CA.

Professional Affiliations

Society for Mathematical Psychology
Vision Sciences Society

Editorial Work

Member of the Editorial Board of [*Behavior Research Methods, Instruments, & Computers*](#) (1995-98).

Member of the Editorial Board of the [*Journal of Mathematical Psychology*](#) (2003-).

Editor of the [*Journal of Problem Solving*](#) (2005-).

Member of the Editorial Board of [*Cognitive Processing*](#) (2017-).

Ad hoc reviewer for

ACM Computing Surveys, Acta Neurobiologiae Experimentalis, Acta Psychologica, Cognition, Cognitive Science, Cognitive Processing, Graphical Models, IEEE Proceedings, IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology, IEEE Transactions on Haptics, IEEE Transactions on Image Processing, IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis & Machine Intelligence, IEEE Transactions on Systems, Man, and Cybernetics, Journal of Experimental Psychology, Journal of Mathematical Psychology, Journal of Vision, Memory & Cognition, Pattern Recognition, Perception, Perception and Psychophysics, Psychological Research, Psychological Review, Psychonomic Bulletin & Review, Quarterly Journal of Experimental Psychology, Spatial Vision, Topics in Cognitive Science, Vision Research.

Conference program committees

Member of the program committee of the 9th Workshop on Image and Multidimensional Signal Processing organized by the IEEE Signal Processing Society and the Society for Imaging Science and Technology. Belize City, Belize, 1996.

Member of the program committee for IS&T/SPIE Symposium on Electronic Imaging: Science & Technology, Conference on Human Vision and Electronic Imaging. San Jose, California, 1996-2000.

Member of the program committee for IS&T/SPIE Symposium on Electronic Imaging: Science & Technology, Conference on Computational Imaging. San Jose, California, 2004-2008.

Member of the Program Committee of the IEEE Computer Society Workshop on Perceptual Organization in Computer Vision, New York, June 2006.

Member of the program committee for IS&T/SPIE Symposium on Electronic Imaging: Science & Technology, Conference on Vision Geometry. San Jose, California, 2007.

Organizer of workshops

Co-organizer of an International Workshop on Human Problem Solving at Purdue University – June 2005.

Co-organizer (with Sven Dickinson) of the First International Workshop on Shape Perception in Human and Computer Vision. European Conference on Computer Vision, Marseille, France, October 2008.

Co-Organizer (with Robert Goldstone) of the Purdue Winer Memorial Lectures: Symposium on New Perspectives in Human Problem Solving, Purdue University, November 2008.

Co-organizer (with Sven Dickinson and Longin Jan Latecki) of the Second International Workshop on Shape Perception in Human and Computer Vision. European Conference on Visual Perception, Regensburg, Germany, August, 2009.

Co-organizer (with Sven Dickinson) of the Third International Workshop on Shape Perception in Human and Computer Vision. European Conference on Visual Perception, Crete, Greece, 2010.

Co-organizer (with Iris van Rooij, Yll Haxhimusa and Georg Gottlob) of a 5-day seminar on Computer Science & Problem Solving: New Foundations. Schloss Dagstuhl, Germany, August 28 – September 2, 2011.

Co-organizer (with Sven Dickinson) of the Fourth International Workshop on Shape Perception in Human and Computer Vision. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Naples. FL, May 5, 2011.

Co-organizer (with Jeff Mulligan, Anne Sereno and Qasim Zaidi) of the workshop on [Computational and Mathematical Modeling of Vision](#) (ModVis), Naples FL, 2012- .

Co-organizer (with Manish Singh) of a symposium on Symmetry at the annual meeting of the Society for Mathematical Psychology, Quebec City, Canada, July 2014.

Organizer of the [Annual Interdisciplinary Conference](#) (2017-).

Conducting tutorials

One-day tutorial on psychophysics at the Human Computer Interaction Conference, New Orleans, Louisiana, 2001, and in Las Vegas Nevada, 2005 (with Hong Tan).

Half a day tutorial on psychophysics at the Human Computer Interaction Conference, Crete, Greece, 2003 (with Hong Tan).

Half a day tutorial on Human Shape Perception at the Electronic Imaging Conference, San Jose, CA, 2006 (with Longin Latecki).

Other Professional Activities

Chair of a Symposium on Perception and Action in Human and Machines. Society for Philosophy and Psychology, 1990, College Park, MD.

Member of the Executive Board of the Society for Mathematical Psychology (2005-)

President of the Society for Mathematical Psychology, 2008-2009.

Vice-President of the Society for Mathematical Psychology, 2009-2010.

Guest Editor (with Sven Dickinson) of a special issue of *Seeing & Perceiving* on Shape (2011).

Guest Editor (with Christopher Tyler and Manish Singh) of a special issue on Symmetry in Vision in the journal *Symmetry*.

Patents

US Patent No. 8,224,065: Reconstruction of shapes of objects from images. July 17, 2012.

US Patent No. 8,406,567: Reconstruction of shapes of near symmetric and asymmetric objects. March 26, 2013.

US Patent No. 9,225,964: Figure-ground organization of 3D scenes. December 29, 2015.

Grants & Fellowships

1986/06 – 1986/07 Fellowship sponsored by the United Nations Development Program to visit British Universities engaged in research on the role of eye movements in visual perception (Nottingham, Birmingham, Durham and Reading).

1994/07 – 1996/06 PHS-NIH Grant: Preclinical ROC Studies of Digital Stereomammography, co-PI (award for Z. Pizlo, \$65,383.00).

1995/08 – 1996/07 Hewlett-Packard Grant: Research on Printer Characterization and Print Quality Assessment, co-PI (award for Z. Pizlo, \$86,280.00).

1996/02 – 1998/01 Hewlett-Packard Grant: Infrastructure for a New Curriculum in Video and Image Systems Engineering (\$1,376,002.00-Shared institutional teaching grant with seven participants).

1996/07 – 1997/06 Hewlett-Packard Grant: Human Visual System Based Image Quality Metrics, co-PI (award for Z. Pizlo, \$63,666.00).

1997/08 – 1998/08 Hewlett-Packard contract: Improving image quality: metrics, models, and scaling. (\$390,399.00-shared institutional contract with 4 participants).

1998/02 – 2008/01 Hewlett-Packard Grant: Print Quality Improvement, co-PI (total award for Z. Pizlo, \$297,191.).

2000/05 – 2002/05 21st Century Research and Technology Fund: Advanced Imaging Technology for Disease Detection and Control, co-PI (award for Z. Pizlo,

\$11,183.00).

- 2001/01 – 2005/01 Ford Foundation gift to Purdue University to create "Perception-Based Engineering Laboratory" (award for a number of co-PIs from Mechanical Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, Audiology and Speech Sciences, and Psychology: \$3,500,000.).
- 2001/08 – 2004/01 National Science Foundation grant: Haptic texture perception and rendering for personal robotics, co-PI (award for Z. Pizlo, \$13,793.).
- 2002/05 – 2004/04 Ford Motor Company: "Haptic perception", co-PI (award for Z. Pizlo, \$11,920.00).
- 2004/06 – 2004/06 12 day visit to the Vienna University of Technology sponsored by European Cognitive Computer Vision.
- 2004/05 – 2006/04 Air Force Office of Scientific Research grant: Human problem solving – an extension of Newell & Simon's paradigm, PI (award \$193,397.).
- 2005/02 – 2005/07 National Science Foundation grant for organizing a workshop titled "Human problem solving: difficult optimization problems." Total award: \$14,300. (Dr. Edward Chronicle – co-PI). Supplementary funds (\$16,000) provided by the Air Force Office of Scientific Research.
- 2005/07 – 2008/06 National Science Foundation collaborative grant (Latecki and Pizlo) titled: From edge pixels to recognition of parts of object contours, co-PI (total award for Pizlo, \$105,418.)
- 2006/05 – 2009/05 Air Force Office of Scientific Research grant: Human problem solving: the complete model of the Traveling Salesman Problem., PI (award \$390,155.).
- 2006/09 – 2009/09 US Department of Energy grant (Latecki and Pizlo): Image recognition and classification based on object parts. Co-PI (total award for Pizlo, \$147,520.)
- 2008/08 – 2011/07 National Science Foundation Collaborative Grant (Latecki and Pizlo) titled: Simultaneous Contour Grouping and Medial Axis Estimation. Co-PI (total award for Pizlo, \$150,000.)
- 2008/05 – 2008/11 AFOSR grant for organizing the First Interdisciplinary Workshop on Shape Perception in Human and Computer Vision. Total award: \$15,000. (Dr. Sven Dickinson – co-PI).
- 2008/05 – 2008/11 AFOSR grant for organizing a Symposium on New Perspectives in Human Problem Solving. Total award: \$25,000. (Dr. Robert Goldstone – co-PI). Supplementary funds provided by the Purdue Winer Memorial Fund

(\$5,000.) and the Department of Psychological Sciences, Purdue University (\$5,000.).

- 2009/05 – 2009/08 National Science Foundation. Supplemental funding for undergraduate students: Collaborative Grant titled: Simultaneous Contour Grouping and Medial Axis Estimation. (\$12,000).
- 2009/07 – 2010/06 Department of Defense equipment grant (DURIP): Robotic navigation emulating human performance (total award: \$297,201. Latecki, Temple U. – Co-PI).
- 2009/03 – 2011/12 Air Force Office of Scientific Research grant: Robotic navigation emulating human performance: research plan (total award \$655,000. Latecki, Temple U. – Co-PI).
- 2009/08 – 2012/07 National Science Foundation Collaborative grant (Latecki – Co-PI) titled: Recovery of 3D shapes from single views (total award \$297,338.).
- 2010/08 – 2015/07 National Science Foundation, Science and Technology Center: Emerging Frontiers of Science of Information (Szpankowski – PI, total award \$25,000,000).
- 2011/01 – 2012/09 Sandia National Laboratories contract (Latecki – Co-PI) titled: Recovery of 3D shapes from 2D images (total award \$520,000).
- 2012/10 – 2013/09 Sandia National Laboratories contract (Latecki – Co-PI) titled: Recovery of 3D shapes from 2D images (award for Pizlo \$95,000).
- 2013/10 – 2014/06 Sandia National Laboratories contract titled: Recovery of 3D shapes from 2D images (award for Pizlo \$70,000).
- 2014/09 – 2018/08 National Institutes of Health (NEI) grant: Mechanisms responsible for veridical visual perception (total award \$940,000.).

Publications (Refereed Journals)

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Chan, M.W., Stevenson, A.K., Li, Y. & Pizlo, Z. (2006) Binocular shape constancy from novel views: the role of a priori constraints. *Perception & Psychophysics*, **68**, 1124-1139.

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- Li, Y. & Pizlo, Z. (2011) Depth cues vs. simplicity principle in 3D shape perception. *Topics in Cognitive Science* **3**, 667-685.
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- Czyz, S.H., Breslin G., Kwon, O., Mazur, M., Kobialka, K. & Pizlo, Z. (2013) Especial skill effect across age and performance level: the nature and degree of generalization. *Journal of Motor Behavior* 45, 139-152.
- Pizlo, Z. & Stefanov, E. (2013) Solving large problems with a small working memory. *Journal of Problem Solving* 6(1), 34-43.
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- Kwon, T., Agrawal, K., Li, Y. & Pizlo, Z. (2016) Spatially-global integration of closed, fragmented contours by finding the shortest-path in a log-polar representation. *Vision Research* 126, 143-163.
- Kwon, T., Li, Y., Sawada, T. & Pizlo, Z. (2016) Gestalt-like constraints produce veridical (Euclidean) percepts of 3D indoor scenes. *Vision Research* 126, 264-277.
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Books

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- Dickinson, S. & Pizlo, Z. (Eds.) (2013) Shape perception in human and computer vision. London: Springer.
- Pizlo, Z., Li, Y., Sawada, T. & Steinman, R.M. (2014) Making a machine that sees like us. NY: Oxford University Press.

Book Reviews

- Pizlo, Z. (2001) The whole is different from the sum of its parts. Review of S. Edelman's Representation and Recognition in Vision. *Journal of Mathematical Psychology* **45**, 402-409.
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- Pizlo, Z. (2009) Visual versions: Philosophy of vision. Review of R. Schwartz's Visual Versions. *American Journal of Psychology* **122**, 557-561.

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Physiology-based simulation model of human shape recognition. Department of Neurophysiology, Nencki Institute of Experimental Biology, Warsaw, 1986.

Simulation model of shape recognition based on eye fixations. Departments of Biomedical Engineering and Psychology, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 1986.

Modeling approach to form perception. Department of Psychology, Carnegie-Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA, 1987.

Shape perception. National Institute of Mental Health, Laboratory of Neuropsychology, Bethesda, MD, 1990.

Shape constancy. Department of Psychology, University of Maryland, College Park, MD, 1992.

Perception of 3-D shapes. Department of Neurophysiology, Nencki Institute of Experimental Biology, Warsaw, 1993.

Invariance under perspective and human vision. European Conference on Computer Vision. Workshop on New Results in Geometric Invariants. Stockholm, Sweden, 1994.

Interdisciplinary study of visual invariants. Workshop on Structural and Syntactic Pattern Recognition. Haifa, Israel, 1994.

The concept of group and the theory of shape constancy. SPIE Conference on Human Vision, Visual Processing and Digital Display, San Jose, CA, 1995.

Interdisciplinary study of visual invariants. Department of Psychology, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 1995.

Geometric models in psychology. Annual Meeting of the Society for Mathematical Psychology, Irvine, CA, 1995.

Figure-ground segregation in human vision. Department of Neurophysiology, Nencki Institute of Experimental Biology, Warsaw, 1996.

Perception viewed as an inverse problem. Department of Psychology, Indiana University, IN, 1998.

Perception viewed as an inverse problem. Cognitive Science, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, 1999.

Perception viewed as an inverse problem. Institute for Mathematical Behavioral Sciences, University of California at Irvine, Irvine, 1999.

Binocular shape and space perception. Department of Psychology, Miami University, Oxford, OH, 2002.

Binocular shape reconstruction: computational model and psychophysics. Department of Psychology and Center for Automation Research, University of Maryland, College Park, MD, 2003.

Binocular shape reconstruction: psychophysics and a computational model. Institute of Computer Aided Automation, Vienna University of Technology, Austria, June 2004.

Human problem solving: a pyramid model. Institute of Computer Aided Automation, Vienna University of Technology, Austria, June 2004.

Human visual perception: the role of a priori constraints. Department of Computer and Information Sciences, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, 2005.

Human shape perception: the role of priors. Department of Computer Science, University of Toronto, Canada, 2005.

Geometry of Human Vision. SPIE.IS&T Electronic Imaging Symposium, Vision Geometry

Conference, San Jose, CA, January 2006.

3D shape reconstruction: the role of priors. Department of Psychology, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL. 2006.

3D shape perception: the role of priors. Department of Psychology, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 2006.

The traveling salesman problem: human performance and a computational model. Department of Psychology, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, 2006.

Human perception of 3D shapes. The 23th International Conference on Computer Analysis of Images and Patterns. Vienna University of Technology, Austria, 2007.

3D shape: its unique place in visual perception. Department of Computer Science, University of Toronto, Canada, 2007.

Symmetry, shapes and surfaces. AFOSR Workshop on surface representation in mid-level vision. Smith-Kettlewell Eye Research Institute, San Francisco, CA, 2008.

A new approach to 3D shape perception. Bodian Seminar in Mind/Brain Institute, Johns Hopkins University, 2009.

A new approach to the perception of 3D shape based on veridicality, complexity, symmetry & volume. Department of Psychology, Ohio State University, 2009.

The role of priors in veridical 3D shape perception: perceptions as hypotheses. Symposium of Bristol Vision Institute, University of Bristol, UK, 2009.

Towards a new theory of figure-ground organization. Christmas Meeting of the Applied Vision Association, University of Bristol, UK, 2009.

Visual Perception of three-dimensional objects. One-day seminar at the Catholic University of Lublin, Poland, 2010.

The role of information *a priori* in perception of 3D shapes. Department of Neurophysiology, Nencki Institute of Experimental Biology, Warsaw, Poland, 2010.

Perception of symmetry by human beings. Computational symmetry: past, present, future. Tutorial at the European Conference on Computer Vision, Crete, Greece, 2010.

Definition of shape. IS&T/SPIE Symposium on Electronic Imaging, San Francisco, CA, January 2012.

What is the nature of perception? Notre Dame Institute for Advanced Study. Symposium on

conceptions of truth and the unity of knowledge. Notre Dame University, Indiana, April, 2012.

Multiscale pyramid representation for vision, motor control and thinking. Institute for Advanced Studies, Technical University of Munich. Workshop on the role of abstraction and hierarchical structures in cognitive systems. Munich, Germany, July 2012.

The role of *a priori* constraints in veridical perception of 3D shapes. Institute for Mathematical and Behavioral Sciences. University of California at Irvine, February 2013.

Minds and robots: study in Cognitive Science. “Ideafest.” Department of Engineering and Computer Science, University of Victoria, Canada. March, 2014.

Emulating human three-dimensional vision. Department of Engineering and Computer Science, University of Victoria, Canada. March 2014.

Figure-ground organization under ecologically relevant conditions. Department of Cognitive Sciences, University of California, Irvine. May, 2014.

Psychology of Problem Solving. Dagstuhl seminar on resource-bounded problem solving. Dagstuhl, Germany. August 2014.

A new look at human problems solving: near-optimal solutions to NP-hard problems. Department of Psychology, University of Birmingham, UK. September 2014.

Veridical 3D vision in humans and computers. First ViiHM Workshop on Biological and Machine Vision, Stratford-upon-Avon, UK, September 2014.

The role of symmetry in 3D vision: psychophysics and computational modeling. Department of Computer Science, University of California, Santa Barbara. November 2015.

The role of symmetry in 3D vision: psychophysics and computational modeling. Department of Psychology, Stanford University. December 2015.

The role of symmetry in 3D vision: psychophysics and computational modeling. Sensing: from Minds to Machines. Workshop. Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Be'er-Sheva, Israel. May-June, 2016.

Teaching Experience

Undergraduate

Statistics
Sensation and Perception
Introductory Psychology
Robot and Human Vision

Graduate

Statistics
Multivariate Analysis
Vision Seminar
Shape Seminar
Human Problem Solving Seminar
Psychophysics
Perceptual Processes
Advanced Topics in Visual Perception
Design of Human Subject Experiments in Immersive Environments

Theses Directed

Aaron Michaux (2017) Ph.D. – School of Electrical & Computer Engineering
(co-advisor with E.J. Delp)
Thesis: Two-view geometry, symmetry, and object perception.

Tae Kyu Kwon (2015) Ph.D. – Psychological Sciences
Thesis: Spatially-global integration of closed, fragmented contours by finding the shortest-path in a log-polar representation.

Yun Shi (2012) M. Sc. – Psychological Sciences
Thesis: Recovering a 3D shape of a generalized cone from a single 2D image.

Tae Kyu Kwon (2012) M.Sc. – Psychological Sciences
Thesis: Human recovery of the shape and size of a 3D indoor scene.

Yunfeng Li (2009) Ph.D. – Psychological Sciences
Thesis: Computational models of 3D shape perception.

Hyung Jun Park (2009) Ph.D. – School of Electrical and Computer Engineering
(co-advisor with J.P. Allebach)
Thesis: The effect of coring on perceived toner scatter.

- O.S. Kwon (2009) Ph.D. – Psychological Sciences (H. Zelaznik – co-advisor)
Thesis: *Early correction of human goal-directed movement.*
- B. Min (2009) Ph.D. – School of Electrical and Computer Engineering
(co-advisor with J.P. Allebach)
Thesis: *Development of softcopy environment for color banding assessment.*
- B. Zhang (2007) Ph.D. – School of Electrical and Computer Engineering
(co-advisor with J.P. Allebach)
Thesis: *Three Problems in Digital Photography: Image Sharpness, Image Interpolation, and Image Restoration.*
- E. Bernal (2006) Ph.D. – School of Electrical and Computer Engineering
(co-advisor with J.P. Allebach)
Thesis: *Improved Rendition of Text and Lines in Inkjet and Electrophotographic Printers.*
- O. Arslan (2006) Ph.D. – School of Electrical and Computer Engineering
(co-advisor with J.P. Allebach)
Thesis: *Development of a Softcopy Environment for Banding Visibility Assessment Experiments and Identification of Inkjet Printers for Forensic Applications.*
- Bong-sun Lee (2006) Ph.D. – School of Electrical and Computer Engineering
(co-advisor with J.P. Allebach)
Thesis: *Characterization of Opponent Channels, Automated Detection of PQ Defects, and Green Noise Mask Design by Dual Metric.*
- Oh-Sang Kwon (2005) M.Sc. – Psychological Sciences (H. Zelaznik – co-advisor)
Thesis: *Multi-Resolution Model of Human Motor Control.*
- Yunfeng Li (2005) M.Sc. – Psychological Sciences
Thesis: *Binocular disparity vs. a priori constraints in 3D shape perception.*
- Y. Bang (2005) Ph.D. – School of Electrical and Computer Engineering
(co-advisor with J.P. Allebach)
Thesis: *Hardcopy Banding Measurement and Assessment.*
- M.R. Scheessele (2001) Ph.D. – Psychological Sciences
Thesis: *A model of the perception of partially occluded and fragmented figures.*
- W. Wu (2000) Ph.D. – School of Electrical and Computer Engineering
(co-advisor with J.P. Allebach)
Thesis: *Two problems in digital color imaging: colorimetry and image fidelity assessor.*
- M.W. Chan (1999) Ph.D. – School of Electrical and Computer Engineering

(E.J. Delp – co-advisor)

Thesis: *A psychologically plausible algorithm for binocular shape reconstruction.*

C.C. Taylor (1998) Ph.D. – School of Electrical and Computer Engineering
(co-advisor with J.P. Allebach)

Thesis: *Image quality assessment based on a human visual system model.*

M.R. Scheessele (1998) M.Sc. – Psychological Sciences

Thesis: *Perception of partially occluded figures.*

S.M. Graham (1998) M.Sc. – Psychological Sciences

Thesis: *A model of psychological processes involved in solving the traveling salesman problem.*

M. Salach-Golyska (1994) M.Sc. – Psychological Sciences

Thesis: *Curve detection in a noisy image.*

Doctoral theses currently supervised

Vijai Jayadevan (2014) School of Electrical & Computer Engineering
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Master's and doctoral committees

Dr. Pizlo has served on about two dozen committees every year in the Department of Psychological Sciences, School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, and Department of Mechanical Engineering, at Purdue University.

Post-doctoral fellows

Dr. Yll Haxhimusa – problem solving and visual perception (2007 - 2008).

Dr. Tadamasawa Sawada – figure-ground organization, symmetry, 3D shape perception (2006 – 2013).

Dr. Yunfeng Li – figure-ground organization, symmetry, 3D shape perception (2010 – 2014).

Dr. Tae-Kyu Kwon – 3D vision, figure-ground organization (2015 – 2016).

Dr. Eric Palmer – virtual reality and 3D vision (May – November, 2017).

School and University Service Activities

Member of the Graduate Committee of the Interdisciplinary Program in Computational Science and Engineering, Purdue University (1994-2017).

Member of the University Senate, Purdue University (2009-2015)