

## Project Title

Lane Detection for Automated Driving.

## Project Abstract (max. 400 characters)

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## **Extended Abstract**

Development of algorithms for lane detection from images in the CULane dataset (<u>https://xingangpan.github.io/projects/CULane.html</u>, <u>https://arxiv.org/abs/1712.06080</u>). In the first stage, the student will review the state of the art (<u>https://paperswithcode.com/sota/lane-detection-on-culane</u>) and we will define the methodology to improve the state of the art in real-time lane detection during the second stage of the project. This is a paid project, and the results of the project could be published.

The student will be working closely with the perception team in the Automated Vehicle group of the Electronics department. He will be able to use a server with 2 Nvidia Titan X GPUs to train the models as well as a company laptop. And the system could be integrated in the CAVRide, our prototype for development of automated driving functions (<u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W7YtNiN0bT8</u>). The Electronics department is located at IDIADA HQ in Santa Oliva, the student is expected to work at the IDIADA HQ office at least one day per week, the rest of days the student can choose to work from home or come to the office. After completing the master's thesis, we could potentially offer a job to the student.



Example lane detections from a camera with integrated detections from Mobileye on the left, and from our algorithm detecting lanes from the point cloud. An image is also shown as reference.



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