

# USF Human ID “Gait Baseline” Database Release Agreement

## Introduction

The United States Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) sponsored the Human Identification (HumanID) program. The goal of the HumanID program was to develop new techniques, technology, and algorithms for the automatic recognition of humans. As part of the HumanID program, the University of South Florida (USF) developed a database of gait video and associated information. The database is meant to aid research efforts in the general area of developing, testing and evaluating algorithms for human identification. The University of South Florida (USF) has copyright to the collection of gait video and associated data and serves as the Principal Investigator for distribution of the HumanID Gait Baseline Database.

## Release of the Database

To advance the state-of-the-art in human recognition, this database is made available to researchers on a case-by-case basis. All requests for the USF HumanID Gait Baseline database must be submitted in writing to the USF Principal Investigator.

To receive a copy of the database, this license agreement **MUST** be reviewed and signed by a person authorized to make legal commitments on behalf of the institution or corporation. We cannot accept licenses signed by students or faculty members any more. **Your institution's legal office must review and execute the license.**

In addition to other possible remedies, failure to observe these restrictions may result in access permission being revoked.

## Consent

The researcher(s) agrees to the following restrictions on the USF HumanID Gait database:

- 1. Redistribution:** Without prior written approval from the USF Principal Investigator, the USF HumanID Gait Baseline database, in whole or in part, will not be further distributed, published, copied, or disseminated in any way or form whatsoever, whether for profit or not. This includes further distributing, copying or disseminating to a different facility or organizational unit in the requesting university, organization, or company.
- 2. Modification and Commercial Use:** Without prior approval from the University of South Florida, the USF HumanID gait database, in whole or in part, may not be modified or used for commercial purposes.
- 3. Requests for the HumanID Gait Baseline Database:** All requests for the HumanID Gait Baseline database will be forwarded to the USF Principal Investigator.
- 4. Publication Requirements:** Those seeking to include renderings of more than 10 still frames and two gait video clips from the USF Human ID Gait Baseline database in reports, papers, and other documents to be published or released must first obtain approval in writing from USF Principal Investigator. In no case should the still frames or video be used in any way that could cause the original subject embarrassment or mental anguish.
- 5. Citation/Reference:** All documents and papers that report on research that uses the USF Human ID Gait Baseline database will acknowledge the use of the database by including an appropriate citation to the following
  - a.** S. Sarkar, P. Jonathon Phillips, Z. Liu, I. Robledo, P. Grother, K. W. Bowyer, “The Human ID Gait Challenge Problem: Data Sets, Performance, and Analysis,” IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence, vol. 27, no. 2, pp. 162 – 177, Feb. 2005.
- 6. Publications to USF:** A copy of all reports and papers that are for public or general release that use the USF HumanID Gait Baseline database should be forwarded immediately upon release or publication to the USF Principal Investigator.
- 7. Indemnification:** Researcher agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the University of South Florida and its Board of Trustees, officers, employees and agents, individually and collectively, from any and all losses,

expenses, damages, demands and/or claims based upon any such injury or damage (real or alleged) and shall pay all damages, claims, judgments or expenses resulting from Researcher's use of the HumanID database.

**University of South Florida has an export control process in place. If you are outside USA, please answer to the following questions. If approved, only then can we send you the data. Foreign distribution may be restricted.**

1. What country will this data be shipped to and used?
2. Who would use this data? Identify names
3. What will this data be used for?

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