

Progress Report Submission for C. J. Taylor

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Agreed Upon

- Speak to Tomos and work with him on shape models.
- Learn the code, get the MDL objective function to work and ensure that it breaks for varying width and height of the bump.
- Work towards an MDL approach that accounts for the model residuals. Consult Carole on this issue.
- Get a skeleton of the continuation report available.
- Prepare a Gantt chart for the literature survey, the entire report, the work on code and the theory behind it.

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Progress Made

- Progress was made on the continuation report.
- Journals were read and bibliography modified.
- Some papers were re-read (including Rhodri's shape models optimisation).
- MATLAB's *Models* library was learned.
- Discussions with Carole and Tom on shape models.
- Research pages maintenance.
- Fine changes to the ISBE internal pages.
- Small GUI was built for automatic landmarking to speed-up and simplify experimentation.
- In AART: Sinally fixed objective function increase (inspired by 'shape' code); Added 3 missing log entries.
- Application form was completed for the summer school in London.
- Preparation of forms 5,6 and the progress document which supplements Form 5.
- 'Shape' experiments were performed to verify that the MDL approach works.
- Varying height and width of the bump results in improper results, just as anticipated.

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- Discuss the pseudo-code document.
- Discuss the objective function for image registration.
- For the shape correspondence problem, discuss MDL encoding of the model residuals.

- Structure of continuation report to be looked at briefly.
- IRC summer school: ensure signed forms have been sent out.
- Meeting to discuss Form 5 is yet to come.

The following chart describes activities that will occupy the next couple of months.

Task/Week Starts	Jn. 14th	Jn. 21st	Jn. 28th	Jl. 5th	Jl. 12th	Jl. 19th	Jl. 26th
Continuation Report		Surrey	♦	♦	♦	♦	♦
Literature Survey		Surrey			♦	♦	
Theory	♦	Surrey	♦				
Implementation	♦	Surrey	♦	♦			

Gantt chart for the early summer