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Facial Micro-Expression Grand Challenge **Key Dates Call for Participation Submission**

We invite submissions for the Micro-Expression Grand Challenge. Participants will submit their algorithm to the challenge leaderboard and a prepare a paper on the new method according to the submission guidelines for ACM MM 2023.

Leaderboard and Test Set: Opens: 1st June 2023 Closes: 1st July 2023 **Paper Submission Deadline:** 14th July 2023 **Author Notification:** 30th July 2023 **Camera-ready:** 6th August 2023

Full submission details can be found on the challenge website: megc2023.github.io

All participants are required to test their proposed algorithm on an unseen dataset, and have the results uploaded to the leaderboard

Challenge Task

In recent years, several long-video micro-expression databases have been published by the academic community, such as CAS(ME)2, SAMM Long Videos, CAS(ME)3 and 4DME; the last two being the most recently established large-scale datasets.

In this challenge, we use these four datasets for the task of micro- and macro-expression spotting.

This year, in order to evaluate algorithms' performance more fairly, we will build an unseen cross-cultural long-video test set and the sample size will be tripled from last year's challenge.

All participating algorithms are required to run on this test set and submit their results.

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