

08-16-2004

Client Code: INSIG5.001AUS

I



To the Director, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

102814561

original documents or copy thereof.

<p>1. Name of conveying parties:</p> <p>1. Kam Fai Wong <i>8604</i></p> <p>2. Xiaoou Tang</p> <p>3. Ying Fai Ho</p> <p>4. Kwok Yiu Leung</p> <p>5. Hoi Chung Chu</p> <p>Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached?</p> <p>( ) Yes (X) No</p>	<p>2. Name and address of receiving party:</p> <p><b>Name:</b> The Chinese University of Hong Kong  <b>Street Address:</b> Shatin, New Territory  <b>City:</b> Hong Kong <b>State:</b> China</p> <p>Additional name(s) of receiving party(ies) attached?</p> <p>( ) Yes (X) No</p>
<p>3. Nature of conveyance:</p> <p>(X) Assignment ( ) Security Agreement  ( ) Merger ( ) Change of Name  ( ) Other:</p> <p>Execution Date:</p> <p>1. June 9, 2004  2. June 9, 2004  3. June 9, 2004  4. June 9, 2004  5. June 9, 2004</p>	<p>4. US or PCT Application number(s) or US Patent number(s):</p> <p>(X) Application(s) filed herewith</p> <p>Additional numbers attached?</p> <p>( ) Yes (X) No</p>
<p>5. Party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:</p> <p><b>Customer No.</b> 20,995  <b>Return Fax:</b> (949) 760-9502  <b>Attorney's Docket No.:</b> INSIG5.001AUS</p>	<p>6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 1</p>
<p>7. Total fee (37 CFR 1.21(h)): \$40</p> <p>(X) Enclosed</p>	<p>8. Deposit account number: 11-1410</p> <p>Please charge this account for any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to this account.</p>
<p>9. Statement and signature.</p> <p>To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct, and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.</p> <p><u>John M. Carson</u>  Name of Person Signing</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i>  Signature</p> <p><u>8/6/04</u>  Date</p> <p>34,303  Registration No.</p> <p>Total number of pages including cover sheet, attachments and document: 3</p>	

57497 U.S. PTO  
10/913895



080604

Documents transmitted via Mail to be recorded with required cover sheet information to:

08/11/2004 ENRILE1 0000052 10913895

03 FC:8021

40.00 DP

Mail Stop Assignment Recordation Services

Director, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

S:\DOCS\HZC\HZC-5569.DOC  
080604

PATENT  
REEL: 015671 FRAME: 0996

ASSIGNMENT

We,

WONG Kam Fai	residing at	Flat 7A, Residence 17, Staff Quarter, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shatin, New Territories, Hong Kong
TANG Xiaoou	residing at	Apt. 30A, Block 9, Villa Athena, Ma On Shan, Hong Kong
HO Ying Fai	residing at	Room 526, Herring Gull House, Sha Kok Estate, Shatin, New Territories, Hong Kong
LEUNG Kwok Yiu	residing at	37H, Block 5, East Point City, Tseung Kwan O, Hong Kong
CHU Hoi Chung	residing at	Flat G, 9/F, Tower 1, The Waterside, Ma On Shan, New Territories, Hong Kong

pursuant to contractual obligations heretofore assumed by us and/or for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby assign to The Chinese University of Hong Kong, having a place of Shatin, New Territory, Hong Kong, China, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all our right, title and interest, which includes the right to and full benefit of such priorities as may now or hereafter be granted to us by local laws or by treaty, including any international convention for the protection of industrial property, in and for all countries of the world, including the United States and its territories and possessions, in and to the invention entitled:

Digital Image Processing System and Method for Processing Digital Images

invented by us and described in the provisional United States patent application

Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_,

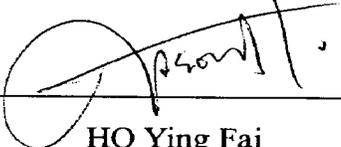
including said provisional United States patent application and any applications claiming priority from said provisional application, filed in any country, and any patents which may be issued and/or granted thereon, and all divisions, continuations, reissues, reexamination certificates and extensions thereof in all countries, the said interest being the entire ownership of said invention and all of said applications, patents (including reissue patents), extensions and reexamination certificates to be held and enjoyed by The Chinese University of Hong Kong and its successors and assigns to the full end of the terms to which said patents (including reissue patents), extensions and reexamination

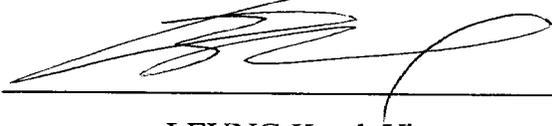
certificates may be granted and/or issued, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by us if this assignment and transfer had not been made;

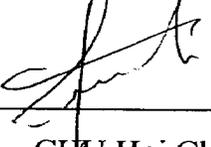
And we hereby agree to communicate to said assignee or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention, to testify in any legal proceedings, to sign and/or execute any further documents and/or instruments which may be necessary, lawful and proper in and/or for the filing and/or prosecution of all applications, including divisional, continuation and reissue applications, extensions and reexamination certificates and/or the granting and/or issuance thereof and/or to otherwise secure title to said invention and all of said applications, patents(including reissue patents extensions and reexamination certificates in said assignee, and in general to do everything possible to aid said assignee, its successors and assigns to obtain and enforce proper protection for said invention in all countries.

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of 9 JUN 2004, 2004 by   
WONG Kam Fai

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of 9 JUN 2004, 2004 by   
TANG Xiaobu

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of 9 JUN 2004, 2004 by   
HO Ying Fai

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of 9 JUN 2004, 2004 by   
LEUNG Kwok Yiu

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of 9 JUN 2004, 2004 by   
CHU Hoi Chung