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SUMMARY

Bio-robotics researcher with 6+ years experience in developing neuromechanical simulations to study animal and robotic locomotion. I'm passionate about neural embodiment, robotics, intelligent-systems, open-science, scientific visualization, and computer graphics.

SKILLS

Languages: Python, C, Cython, C++, JAX, PyTorch

Tools: MuJoCo, PyBullet, OpenSim, Blender

Technologies: UNIX systems, Docker, Git

EDUCATION

- 10/2016 - 01/2022 **École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, PhD** Switzerland
Thesis: *Neuromechanical modeling and simulation of multi-legged terrestrial locomotion*
- 08/2014 - 09/2016 **Delft University of Technology, M.Sc, BioRobotics** Netherlands
Thesis: *Cerebellum Inspired Computational Models for Robot Control*
- 08/2009 - 05/2013 **Manipal Institute of Technology, B.E, Mechatronics Engineering** India
Thesis: *Human Motion Analysis using Inertial Sensors*

EXPERIENCE

- 04/2022 - present **Post-doctoral Fellow, Danner Lab** Drexel University, USA
Developing experimentally driven neuromechanical simulations to understand the interplay of sensory and central spinal networks during locomotion.
- 09/2015 - 11/2015 **Research Intern** RENESAS Electronics, France
Using Caffe framework I developed Convolution Neural Networks for pedestrian and road sign detection, leveraging specialized dataset for full-scene semantic labeling to enhance detection accuracy and real-time performance in automotive applications.
- 05/2013 - 06/2014 **Junior Research Fellow, Computational Intelligence Lab** IISc, India
Developed a motion capture pipeline using wearable inertial sensors to analyze lower-limb human movement, and designed a lower-body exoskeleton to study its impact on assistive motion using biomechanical simulations.

PROJECTS

- 04/2022 - present **Framework for Animal and Robot Modeling and Simulation (FARMS)** Co-developer
Co-developing an open-source framework for high-performance, large-scale parallel neuromechanical simulations of animal and robot biomechanics with biological neural networks. Incorporating evolutionary optimization techniques and graphical tools for in-depth simulation analyses.
- 09/2015 - 08/2016 **Zebro-Art: When robots meet art** Software Engineer
Developed R-Hex robot for dynamic office settings with stair-climbing functionality. Implemented using Raspberry Pi-powered ROS for control, navigation, and SLAM localization based on Lidar, depth cameras.

PUBLICATIONS

- 07/2024 **On All Fours: A 3D Framework to Study Closed-loop Control of Quadrupedal Mouse Locomotion** ALife
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- 05/2024 **FARMS: Framework for Animal and Robot Modeling and Simulation** BioArxiv
Arreguit J*, Tata Ramalingasetty S*, Ijspeert AJ (* equal contributors)
- 05/2022 **NeuroMechFly, a neuromechanical model of adult Drosophila melanogaster** Nature Methods
Lobato-Rios V, Tata Ramalingasetty S, Özdil PG, Arreguit J, Ijspeert AJ, Ramdya P
- 12/2021 **A whole-body musculoskeletal model of the mouse** IEEE Access
Tata Ramalingasetty S, Danner SM, Arreguit J, Markin SN, Rodarie D, Kathe C, Courtine G, Rybak IA, Ijspeert AJ
- 07/2020 **Spatiotemporal Maps of Proprioceptive Inputs to the Cervical Spinal Cord During Three-Dimensional Reaching and Grasping** IEEE TNSRE
Kibleur P, Tata Ramalingasetty S, Greiner N, Conti S, Barra B, Zhuang K, Kaeser M, Ijspeert AJ, Capogrosso M
- 07/2020 **Computational modelling of musculoskeletal to predict the human response with exoskeleton suit** IJBBR
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