Mingyang Xu

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INTERESTS

Human Augmentation and Assistance, Human-Robot Interaction, Mixed Reality, Bioinspired Robotics

EDUCATION

Waseda University, Japan

Apr. 2021 - Mar. 2023

Graduate School of Information, Production and Systems

Master of Engineering, Information, Production and Systems Engineering, GPA: 3.63/4.0

Student Member of the Japan Society of Mechanical Engineers (JSME)

Beihang University, China (Top "211 & 985" Projects)

Sep. 2015 - Jul. 2019

School of Mechanical Engineering and Automation

Bachelor of Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, GPA: 82.31/100

Excellent Graduate of Beihang University

PUBLICATIONS & SUBMITTED PAPERS

- 1. <u>M. Xu</u>, Y. Hua, Y. Li, J. Zhuang, K. Osawa, K. Nakagawa, H. Lee, L. Yuge, E. Tanaka, "Development of an Ankle Assistive Robot with Instantly Gait-Adaptive Method," in *Journal of Robotics and Mechatronics (JRM)*, 2023. (Accepted)
- 2. Y. Wei, Y. Li, M. Xu, Y. Gong, K. Osawa, E. Tanaka, "A Real-Time and Two-Dimensional Emotion Recognition System Based on EEG and HRV Using Machine Learning," in *IEEE/SICE International Symposium on System Integrations (SII 2023)*, Atlanta, GA, USA, 2023, pp. 1-6.
- 3. Y. Li, M. Xu, K. Osawa, E. Tanaka, "A Control Method for Walking Assistance Robot Considering Emotion and Body Condition," in *JSME-IIP/ASME-ISPS Joint International Conference on Micromechatronics for Information and Precision Equipment (MIPE 2022)*, A1-1-03, 2022. (Oral presentation at Nagoya University)

SELETED RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Compact Ankle-assist Walking Robot with Gait-adaptive Control Method

Sep. 2021 - Mar. 2023

- Proposed a gait-adaptive control method to recognize and estimate the user's gait changing
- Developed and verified the gait-adaptive system on the manufactured ankle-assist robot
- Implemented and evaluated the control system based on emotion recognition and fatigue detection

Manta ray-inspired Airship Robot for Harmless Human-robot Interaction

Jun. 2017 - Apr. 2019

- Designed a flapping-wing actuator inspired by the pectoral fin structure of manta rays
- Developed a pitch control system that can change the robot's center of gravity
- Investigated the market prospect, including product application, demand, business plan, and fund-raising

Development of Terrain-adaptive Aerial Robot with Legged Landing Gear Oct. 2016 - Mar. 2018

- Designed the robotic landing gear structure based on Chebyshev lambda linkage and optimized the parameters to achieve a minimal horizontal deviation during the given vertical movement
- Assembled and tuned the quadrotor-type and helicopter-type robots with the robotic landing gear
- Implemented and tuned the PID controller for robotic landing gear to ensure stability and fast response

SKILLS & TECHNIQUES

- Programming: MATLAB, C/C++, Python, JavaScript Simulation: SIMULINK, ANSYS
- Embedded System: Arduino, STEM32, Pixhawk
- **Prototyping:** 3D printing, Laser cutting, CNC
- Mechanical Design: Solidworks, AutoCAD, ADAMS Academic: LaTeX, EndNote, Zotero
- Measurement (human): Motion capture, Electromyography (EMG), Electroencephalogram (EEG)
- Language: English (fluent, TOEIC 860 overall, IELTS 6.5 overall), Japanese (basic), Chinese (native)

SELECTED AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

Academic and Science Awards & Scholarships

- > Best Award, the 4th Conference of the Japanese Society for Regenerative Medicine and Rehabilitation (JSRMR 2022) Sep. 2022
- > 1st Prize, the 28th "Feng Ru Cup" Competition of Academic and Technological Works (top 3%) May. 2018
- ➤ 1st Prize, the 9th "Challenge Cup" Science and Technology Works Competition (top 10%) Aug. 2017
- > 3rd Prize, the 10th National University Student Social Practice and Science Contest on Energy Saving & **Emission Reduction** Aug. 2017
- > Monbukagakusho (MEXT) Honors Scholarship for Privately Financed International Students Apr. 2021 Innovation and Entrepreneurship Awards & Scholarships
- > Golden Prize, China College Students' Entrepreneurship Competition in 2018 (Beijing) (top 5%) Jun. 2018
- > 1st Prize, the 3rd China "Internet+" Innovation and Entrepreneurship Competition (Beijing) Sep. 2017
- > 1st Prize, Entrepreneurship Scholarship of Ministry of Industry and Information Technology Jun. 2018
- > 1st Prize, the 1st "Lee Kum Kee" Innovation Scholarship Jan. 2018 Art Prizes
- > Golden Prize, Beijing College Students Music Festival (Wind Ensemble Competition) Nov. 2018
- Apr. 2017 > Champion, Taiwan International Marching Band Competition 2017

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Saxophonist, Beihang University Wind Orchestra and Marching Band Sep. 2015 - Jun. 2019
- Member, Student Aeromodelling Association of Beihang University Oct. 2015 - Jun. 2016
- > Student Cadre, Music and Recording Studio of Beihang University Sep. 2016 - Jun. 2017
- ➤ Volunteer, World Robot Conference 2017 Aug. 2017

THE ROBOTS THAT I BUILT / PARTICIPATED IN













Ankle-Assisted Robot

Terrain-adaptive Aerial Robot

Manta Ray Inspired **Aerial Robot**

Fixed-wing Aircraft Launch System

Click to watch the project videos in my channel:



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