

# NAOYA MURAMATSU

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## EDUCATION

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### University of Cape Town

April 2021 – Present

PhD student

Department of Electrical Engineering

Adviser: Amir Patel

### University of Tsukuba

April 2018 – March 2021

Master of Information Science

Department of Library, Information and Media Studies, Graduate School of Library, Information and Media Studies

Adviser: Tetsuji Satoh

Subadviser: Yu Hai-Tao

### University of Tsukuba

April 2016 – March 2018

Bachelor of Library and Information Science

College of Knowledge and Library Sciences

Adviser: Yoichi Ochiai

### National Institute of Technology, Nagano College

April 2011 – March 2016

Foundation Degree

Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Adviser: Takashi Miyazaki

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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### University of Cape Town

April 2021 – Present

*PhD Research*

- On the Neuromechanics of the Cheetah.

### University of Tsukuba

April 2018 – March 2021

*Master Research*

- Dissertation title: “SNN Meets ANN: Combining Spiking Neural Network (SNN) and Artificial Neural Network (ANN) for Image Classification” – Proposed the method to combine spiking neural networks and artificial neural networks to balance computational resource and classification accuracy.

### University of Cape Town

July 2020

*Research Internship*

- Estimated the motion of a real cheetah from multi-cameras with trajectory optimization (Supervisor: Dr. Amir Patel).

### University of Tsukuba

April 2016 – March 2018

*Undergraduate Research*

- Dissertation title: “Deep Learning in Reciprocal Lattice Space”
- Analyzed reviews of EC site to find out points of variation.
- Developed Sonoliards optimizing the direction of a parametric speaker with a ray tracing algorithm.
- Developed DeepHolo that recognizes 3D objects using a deep neural network and computer-generated holography for convert 3D data to 2D data with depth information.

- Developed DeepWear, a method using deep convolutional generative adversarial networks (DCGANs) for clothes design.

**National Institute of Technology, Nagano College**  
Undergraduate Research

April 2015 – March 2016

- Dissertation title: “Indoor location acquisition using a power-saving wireless network (省電力無線ネットワークを用いた屋内位置情報取得)”
- Developed the noise filter that greatly suppresses the influence of radio noise in the indoor position information system using Link Quality Indication (LQI) value of radio waves.

## TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

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<b>Programming Languages</b>	Python(most fluent), C, C++, Verilog, Shell Script, Ruby, JavaScript, SQL
<b>Machine Learning Libraries</b>	Tensorflow, Keras, PyTorch, Scikit-learn, Chainer
<b>Software</b>	Git, Docker, PyBullet, Processing, Autodesk Fusion360
<b>OS</b>	MacOS, Ubuntu, Windows, FreeNAS, CentOS
<b>Hardware</b>	Arduino, Mbed, PhantomX AX Metal Hexapod

## PUBLICATIONS

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### INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES (REFEREED)

- Daniel Joska, Liam Clark, **Naoya Muramatsu**, Ricky Jericevich, Fred Nicolls, Alexander Mathis, Mackenzie Mathis, Amir Patel. 2021. AcinoNet: 3D Markerless Motion Tracking of Cheetahs in the Wild. In *International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA 2021)*. IEEE, Xi'an, China.
- Chun Wei Ooi, **Naoya Muramatsu**, and Yoichi Ochiai. 2018. Eholo glass: Electroholography glass. A lensless approach to holographic augmented reality near-eye display. In *SIGGRAPH Asia 2018 Technical Briefs (SA '18)*, December 4–7, 2018, Tokyo, Japan. ACM, New York, NY, USA, 4 pages. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1145/3283254.3283288>
- Natsumi Kato\*, Hiroyuki Osone\*, Daitetsu Sato, **Naoya Muramatsu**, and Yoichi Ochiai. 2018. DeepWear: a Case Study of Collaborative Design between Human and Artificial Intelligence. In *Proceedings of the Twelfth International Conference on Tangible, Embedded, and Embodied Interaction (TEI '18)*. ACM, New York, NY, USA, 529-536. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1145/3173225.3173302> (\* Joint first authorship.)
- **Naoya Muramatsu**, Ooi Chun Wei, Takashi Miyazaki. 2017. Development of High Performance Filter for Indoor Positioning System. In *The 5th IIAE International Conference on Intelligent Systems and Image Processing 2017(ICISIP 2017)*.

### INTERNATIONAL POSTERS AND WORKSHOPS (REFEREED)

- Natsumi Kato, Hiroyuki Osone, Daitetsu Sato, **Naoya Muramatsu**, and Yoichi Ochiai. 2017. Crowd Sourcing Clothes Design Directed by Adversarial Neural Networks. In *NIPS 2017 Workshop (NIPS '17)*.
- **Naoya Muramatsu**, Kazuki Ohshima, Ryota Kawamura, Ooi Chun Wei, Yuta Sato, and Yoichi Ochiai. 2017. Sonoliards: Rendering Audible Sound Spots by Reflecting the Ultrasound Beams. In *Adjunct Publication of the 30th Annual ACM Symposium on User Interface Software and Technology (UIST '17)*. ACM, New York, NY, USA, 57-59. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1145/3131785.3131807>
- **Naoya Muramatsu**, Chun Wei Ooi, Yuta Itoh, and Yoichi Ochiai. 2017. DeepHolo: Recognizing 3D Objects using a Binary-weighted Computer-Generated Hologram. In *SIGGRAPH Asia 2017 Posters (SA 2017)*, November 27– 30, 2017, Bangkok, Thailand. ACM, New York, NY, USA, 2 pages. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1145/3145690.3145725>

- Mose Sakashita, Yuta Sato, Ayaka Ebisu, Keisuke Kawahara, Satoshi Hashizume, **Naoya Muramatsu**, Yoichi Ochiai. 2017. Haptic Marionette: Wrist Control Technology Combined with Electrical Muscle Stimulation and Hanger Reflex. In *SIGGRAPH Asia 2017 Posters* (SA 2017). ACM, New York, NY, USA, Article 33, 2 pages. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1145/3145690.3145743>

## DOMESTIC CONFERENCES (NOT REFEREED)

- **Naoya Muramatsu**, Hai-Tao Yu. 2021. Combining Spiking Neural Network and Artificial Neural Network for Enhanced Image Classification. In *Data Engineering and Information Management 2021* (DEIM 2021).
- **Naoya Muramatsu**, Tetsuji Satoh, Takayasu Fushimi. 2017. Product Attribute Extraction Method Based on Transition Pattern of Review Point of View. In *Data Engineering and Information Management 2017* (DEIM 2017). (in Japanese)

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**BestAnswer Co.,Ltd.**  
*Fellow*

February 2021 – Present

- Developing the motor control algorithm.

**Landscape Co.,Ltd.**  
*Outside CTO*

January 2020 – Present

- Working on development of systems with Machine Learning techniques.

**Information-technology Promotion Agency, Japan. Exploratory Software Project (MITOU)**  
*Creator*

June 2018 – March 2019

- Developed the robot control system, able to walk even if a few legs are broken using hierarchy Q-learning.
- 2,304,000 JPY / nine months.

**Pixie Dust Technologies, Inc.**  
*Software Engineer*

August 2017 – April 2019

- Worked on development of management systems and web applications.

**Fixstars Corporation**  
*Software Engineer Intern*

August 2016 – December 2016

- Worked on development of semantic segmentation system for self-driving cars.

**Fixstars Corporation**  
*Software Engineer Intern*

August 2014 – September 2014

- Worked on software optimization for the microcomputer of cars.

## AWARDS

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- 2018** MITOU Projects, **Super Creator**  
This award were given 16 creators from 27 people adopted from 300+ applications.
- 2018** University of Tsukuba, **President's Award for Students**
- 2017** DEIM 2017, **Student Presentation Award.**
- 2015** RoboCupJunior Soccer 2015 in Hokushinetsu Block, **Prize: 3rd**

## LINKS

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Digital Nature Group  
GitHub: DenDen047

<https://digitalnature.slis.tsukuba.ac.jp/>  
<https://github.com/DenDen047>