## NGUYEN MANH CUONG

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#### **EDUCATION**

## Hanoi University of Science and Technology (HUST)

Oct 2020 - May 2022

M.S. in Control Engineering and Automation

GPA: 3.67/4.0 (Very Good Grade)

Thesis: Design an adaptive controller and a state observer based on neural network for the 4DOF parallel robot (Excellent Grade Thesis)

## Hanoi University of Science and Technology (HUST)

Aug 2015 - Aug 2020

The Degree of Engineer in Control Engineering and Automation

GPA: 3.2/4.0 (Very Good Grade)

Thesis: Design an intelligent navigation system for the Omni mobile robot in uncertain environments (Best Graduate Thesis Award)

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Intelligent Control, Adaptive Control, Model Predictive Control, Robot Systems, and Robot Navigation.

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Vietnam's National project - Research and develop an intelligent mobile robot using different types of sensing technology and IoT platform, AI, and implemented in radioactive environment monitoring application

Oct 2023 - Present

Supervisor: Dr. Ngo Manh Tien

Vietnam Academy of Science and Technology

- · Mentoring Graduate students
- · Working on intelligent controllers for robot systems
- · Proposed and Designed the Planning and Control Module

# Master Project - Design adaptive controllers and a state observer for the parallel robot [1], [2] Oct 2020 - May 2022

Supervisor: Assoc. Prof. Nguyen Tung Lam

Hanoi University of Science and Technology

- · Designed a novel Adaptive Neural Network Control combined with a high-gain observer for the parallel robot, that not only improved control performance in terms of uncertainties and external noise, but compensated for conventional controllers' problems, published in [1]
- · Designed a Lyapunov-based Model Predictive Controller to enhance the control performance and guarantee the convergence, published in [2]
- · Mentored Undergraduate and Graduate students (2 Graduate students successfully applied for Vingroup Innovation Foundation scholarship)

# Research, design, and manufacture an intelligent humanoid robot IVASTBot implemented in communication and serving people [3], [4] Oct 2020 - Sep 2023

Supervisor: Dr. Ngo Manh Tien

Vietnam Academy of Science and Technology

- · Designed and Implemented Model predictive control for mobile robots using ROS, applied into Navigation system
- · Designed and Implemented the Navigation System. Experimental Result
- · Mentored Graduate students

#### Graduation Project - Design an intelligent navigation system for the Omni mobile robot in uncertain environments Jan 2019 - Oct 2020

Supervisor 1: Assoc. Prof. Nguyen Tung Lam

Hanoi University of Science and Technology

Supervisor 2: Dr. Ngo Manh Tien

Vietnam Academy of Science and Technology

- · Proposed and Designed the Planning and Control Module.
- · Designed and Implemented the Navigation System.

Research and design nonlinear adaptive controllers for robot systems based on Radial Basis Function neural network (RBFNN) and Fuzzy logic [5] Jan 2019 - Oct 2020 Supervisor: Assoc. Prof. Nguyen Tung Lam Hanoi University of Science and Technology

- · Studied and Designed nonlinear controllers, including Backstepping, Sliding Mode Control, and Dynamic Surface Control
- · Studied and Designed adaptive controllers based on RBFNN and Fuzzy Logic

#### SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- [1] Cuong Nguyen Manh, T. N. Manh, D. H. T. Kim, Q. N. Van, and T. L. Nguyen, "An adaptive neural network-based controller for car driving simulators," International Journal of Control, 2021, Full paper.
- Cuong Nguyen Manh, N. T. Nguyen, N. B. Duy, and T. L. Nguyen, "Adaptive fuzzy Lyapunovbased model predictive control for parallel platform driving simulators," Transactions of the Institute of Measurement and Control, 2023, Full paper.
- H. D. Quang, T. L. Tran, T. N. Manh, Cuong Nguyen Manh\*(corresponding author), T. N. Nhu, and N. B. Duy, "Design a Nonlinear MPC Controller for Autonomous Mobile Robot Navigation System Based on ROS," International Journal of Mechanical Engineering and Robotics Research, 2022, Full paper.
- D. H. T. Kim, T. N. Manh, Cuong Nguyen Manh, N. D. Nguyen, D. P. Tien, M. T. Van, and M. P. Xuan, "Adaptive Control for Uncertain Model of Omni-directional Mobile Robot Based on Radial Basis Function Neural Network," International Journal of Control, Automation and Systems, 2021, Full paper.
- [5] Cuong Nguyen Manh, M. T. Van, D. N. Duc, L. N. Tung, D. P. Tien, and L. T. Thi, "Neural Network Based Adaptive Control of Web Transport Systems," in 2019 International Conference on System Science and Engineering (ICSSE), Full paper, 2019.

#### INDUSTRIAL EXPERIENCE

#### Autonomous industrial Forklifts for container loading and unloading, and smart warehouse application Oct 2022 - Present

Senior Robotics Engineer

Goldbell Group, Singapore

- · Module Owner: Pallet Docking (High Accuracy: millimeter level)
- · Module Owner: Pallet Dropoff in narrow racking area
- · Feature: Forklift's motion control and planning for navigation task

## Auto Pilot (Autonomous Electrical Car)

Robotics Engineer

Dec 2020 - Oct 2022 VinAI Research, Vietnam

- · Motion Control for Autonomous Parking Feature
- · Vehicle Modeling and Control
- · Vehicle State Estimation and Localization

## **ACHIEVEMENTS**

Excellent Grade Thesis - Hanoi University of Science and Technology	2022
Postgraduate Scholarships - Vingroup Innovation Foundation (VinIF)	2020 - 2021
Merit-based Scholarship – (HUST)	2020
Best Graduation Thesis	2020

## **SKILLS**

Programming Languages	C/C++, Python, MATLAB/Simulink
Robotics Tool	ROS, ACADO Toolkit

## REFERENCES

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