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Robotic Researcher at Applied Robotics and AI Solutions (ARAS)

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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### **EDUCATION**

### M.Sc. in Electrical Engineering,

2021 - 2024

K.N. Toosi University of Technology, Tehran, Iran,

Thesis title: Development of a Graph-Based Unified Optimization Framework for Robot Calibration and State

Estimation [PDF],

Advisor: Prof. Hamid D. Taghirad, Co-Advisor: Prof. Philippe Cardou,

GPA: , 3.88/4 (18.82/20).

### B.Sc. in Electrical Engineering,

2017 - 2021

K.N. Toosi University of Technology, Tehran, Iran,

Thesis title: Design and Implementation of a Comprehensive Data Acquisition System(DAQ) for Real-Time Applications in ARASH:ASiST Eye Surgery Training Robot,

GPA: 3.52/4 (16.74/20).

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Sensor Fusion: Designing and implementing fusion algorithms for SLAM, localization, and calibration
- Multi Agent Perception & Localization: Optimizing communication, positioning, and data fusion using algorithmic methods
- Medical Robotics: Calibrating and controlling surgical robots for minimally invasive surgery, haptics, and teleoperation
- Machine Learning for Hybrid Statistical Learning and Control in Robotic Systems: Enhancing robotic applications utilizing machine learning methods for more adaptive and efficient control strategies

### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

# Research Assistant at ARAS, Surgical Robots Lab (SR Lab)

2018-Present

- Unified Graph-Based Kinematic Calibration Algorithm for Surgical Robots [Github] [Paper]
  - Developed SE(3)-based kinematic calibration for DIAMOND and ARASH:ASiST surgical robots
  - Implemented a ROS node for real-time communication and NTP synchronization server [Github]
  - Collected and published visual-inertial-kinematic data via TagSLAM [Github]
- Real-Time Multi-Robot Data Acquisition System & Control System [Paper]
  - Developed STM32F7-based DAQ with isolated I/O, encoders, serial protocols, and Ethernet
  - Configured UDP multi-DAQ communication via Matlab RTOS for dual-core ARASH:ASiST robot
  - Implemented IDC/PID controllers in Matlab Simulink for ARASH:ASiST, DIAMOND, and ARASCam
- IR-Tracked CT Navigation for Elbow Surgery with 3D Simulation [Github]
  - Collaborated on a custom stereo IR-tracker for real-time surgical registration and navigation [Github]

- ARASH:ASiST Preclinical Electrical & Mechanical Evaluation
  - Initiated preclinical tests on the ARASH:ASiST robot to assess electrical and mechanical performance
  - Collaborated closely with surgeons to integrate clinical insights into evaluation procedures.

# Research Assistant at ARAS, Parallel and Cable-Driven Robots Lab (PACR Lab) 2018-Present

- Graph-Based Self-Calibration Technique for Cable-Driven Robots with Sagging Cable [Github] [Paper]
  - Developed a graph-based simultaneous localization and self-calibration technique for deployable CDPRs
  - Verified the proposed method using a Finite Element approach in RecurDyn software
  - Developed a C++ and Python-based framework for implementation utilizing GTSAM and SymForce
- Graph-Based Visual-Kinematic Fusion and Monte Carlo Initialization for CDPRs [Github] [Paper]
  - Collaborated in the development of a graph-based visual-kinematic fusion utilizing SVO and factor graph
  - Collected an open-source visual-inertial and kinematic dataset for state estimation and calibration
- A Novel Cable-Driven Robot Kineto-Static State Estimation [Github] [Paper]
  - Developed CDPR module for kineto-static estimation; sag compensation eliminated force sensors
- Arastronaut Indoor/Outdoor Positioning System [Github] [Paper]
  - Developed a real-time ESP32 positioning module integrating IMU, UWB, pressure, and compass sensors
  - Set up a UDP-based web GUI for programming, sensor calibration, and data visualization
- Embedded System Development for Kamal-Ol-Molk Painter Robot [Github]
  - ESP32 based wireless embedded board using Altium for Kamal-Ol-Molk 3DoF cable planer robot

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

- M. R. Dindarloo, A. Hassani, A. Sharifi, S. A. Khalilpour, P. Cardou and H. D. Taghirad, "Graph-Based Kinetostatic State Estimation in Cable-Driven Parallel Robots," 2025 7th International Conference on Cable-Driven Parallel Robots (Cable Con 2025), [PDF].
- M. R. Dindarloo, A. S. Mirjalili, S. A. Khalilpour, R. Khorrambakht, Stephan Weiss, and H. D. Taghirad, "A Graph-Based Self-Calibration Technique for Cable-Driven Robots with Sagging Cable," 2024 IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS 2024), [PDF].
- M. Vakili, A. S. Mirjalili, M. R. Dindarloo, Ali. Sharifi, and H. D. Taghirad, "Arastronaut: An Open Source UWB/IMU Hardware and Software for Indoor Positioning," 2024 12th IEEE RSI International Conference on Robotics and Mechatronics (ICRoM 2024), [PDF].
- D. A. Nejad, A. Sharifi, M. R. Dindarloo, A. S. Mirjalili, S. A. Khalilpour, and H. D. Taghirad, "Control of Cable Driven Parallel Robots Through Deep Reinforcement Learning," 2024 12th IEEE RSI International Conference on Robotics and Mechatronics (ICRoM 2024), [PDF].
- A. Sharifi, M. Vakili, M. R. Dindarloo, A. S. Mirjalili, S. A. Khalilpour, B. Tavassoli, and H. D. Taghirad, "Graph-Based Simultaneous Localization and Calibration for Planar Cable-Driven Parallel Robots," 2024 12th IEEE RSI International Conference on Robotics and Mechatronics (ICRoM 2024), [PDF].
- R. Khorrambakht, H. Damirchi, M. R. Dindarloo, A Saki, S. A. Khalilpour, H. D. Taghirad, and Stephan Weiss, "Graph-Based Visual-Kinematic Fusion and Monte Carlo Initialization for Fast-Deployable Cable-Driven Robots," 2023 IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS 2023), [PDF].

- M. R. Dindarloo, A. S. Mirjalili, R. Khorrambakht, S. A. Khalilpour, P. Cardou and H. D. Taghirad, "Kinematic Calibration of a Spherical Parallel Robot," 2023 11th IEEE RSI International Conference on Robotics and Mechatronics (ICRoM 2023), [PDF].
- A. Rashvand, R. Heidari, M. Motaharifar, A. Hassani, M. R. Dindarloo, M. J. Ahmadi, K. Hashtrudi-Zaad, M. Tavakoli, H. D. Taghirad, "An observer-based responsive variable impedance control for dual-user haptic training system," 2022 IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS 2022), [PDF].
- M. M. Kalantari, R. Khorrambakht, M. R. Dindarloo, S. A. Khalilpour, H. D. Taghirad, P. Cardou, "Marker Correspondence Initialization in an IR Motion Capturing System," 2022 10th IEEE RSI International Conference on Robotics and Mechatronics (ICRoM 2022), [PDF].
- A. Hassani, M. R. Dindarloo, R. Khorrambakht, A. Bataleblu, R. Heidari, M. Motaharifar, S. F. Mohammadi, H. D. Taghirad, "On The Dynamic Calibration and Trajectory Control of ARASH: ASiST," 2022 8th IEEE International Conference on Control, Instrumentation and Automation (ICCIA 2022), [PDF].
- A. Hassani, M. R. Dindarloo, R. Khorambakht, A. Bataleblu, H. Sadeghi, R. Heidari, A. Iranfar, P. Hasani, N. S. Hojati, A. Khorasani, N. KhajeAhmadi, M. Motaharifar, H. Riazi-Esfahani, A. Lashay, S. F. Mohammadi, H. D. Taghirad, "Kinematic and dynamic analysis of ARASH:ASiST Toward micro positioning," 2021 9th IEEE RSI International Conference on Robotics and Mechatronics (ICRoM 2021), [PDF].

### WORK EXPERIENCE

• Medical Robotics Engineer at Farabi Eye Hospital, Tehran University of Medical Sciences 2019-Present

- Developing eye surgery training systems in collaboration with eye surgeons

Part-time

• Robotics Engineer at ARASRobot, K. N. Toosi University of Technology 2020-Present

- Designing control and electrical systems and algorithms for robotic platforms

Full-time

### TEACHING EXPERIENCES

- Nonlinear Control System, Linear Control System, Industrial Control System, Robotics
   Instructor: Prof. Hamid D. Taghirad [Scholar]
- Signals and Systems Instructor: Dr. Lotfollah Beygi [Webpage]
- Engineering Economics Instructor: Dr. Amirhossein Nikoofard [Scholar]

### SKILL AND PROFICIENCY

- Programming Languages: Python, C/C++, MATLAB, Maple
- Embedded Systems: ROS, STM32CubeMX, Raspberry Pi, Arduino
- Software: Altium Designer, Simulink, RecurDyn, MuJoCo
- Languages: Persian, English (TOEFL iBT: 91/120 R: 23, L: 24, S: 21, W: 23).

### REFERENCES

• Prof. Hamid D. Taghirad

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• Prof. Philippe Cardou

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