## Lei LIU

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# RESEARCH DISCIPLINE

Industrial Engineering, Stochastic Scheduling, Operations Management

# ACADEMIC **EXPERIENCE**

### Marie Curie Research Fellow

Feb., 2020-Jan., 2023

- Horizon 2020 Framework Programme for Research and Innovation, European
- Industrial Collaborator: Ansaldo Energia S.p.A, Italy

### **EDUCATION**

### Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering

June, 2023

- Industrial Engineering Sector
- Politecnico di Milano, Milano, Italy
- Advisor: Prof. Marcello Urgo
- Thesis: Risk-based scheduling in the re-manufacturing of turbine blades

## M.S. in Logistics Engineering

July, 2017

- Tsinghua University, Beijing, China
- Advisor: Prof. Canrong Zhang
- Thesis: A branch and bound algorithm for the robust parallel machine scheduling with sequence dependent set-up time

### B.S. in Information Management and System

July, 2013

• Northeast Forestry University, Harbin, China

### AWARDS

Marie Curie Fellowship, 2020-2023

Finalist, PMS Best Student Paper Award, 2022 Finalist, AITeM Young Researcher Award, 2021

## WORKING PAPER

Lei Liu, Walter Terkaj, Marcello Urgo. A review and classification of release and dispatching control policies in manufacturing systems, to be submitted to CIRP journal of manufacturing science and technology

PUBLICATIONS Lei Liu, Marcello Urgo. Robust scheduling in a two-machine re-entrant flow shop to minimise the value-at-risk of the makespan: a branch-and-bound and heuristic algorithms based on Markovian Activity Networks and phase-type distribution, major revision at Annals of Operations Research

> Lei Liu, Marcello Urgo, 2023. Robust scheduling of a remanufacturing process for the repair of turbine blades, CIRP Annals - Manufacturing Technology

> Lei Liu, Marcello Urgo, 2023. Risk-based robust production scheduling: a branchand-bound approach for the stochastic two-machine ow shop scheduling problem to minimise the value-at-risk, International Journal of Production Research

> Lei Liu, Marcello Urgo, 2022. A robust scheduling framework for re-manufacturing activities of turbine blades, Applied Sciences.

> Lei Liu, Marcello Urgo, 2022. Scheduling remanufacturing activities for the repair of turbine blades: an approximate branch and bound approach to minimize a risk measure. In Selected Topics in Manufacturing. Springer, Cham.

# CONFERENCE TALKS

A branch and bound approach for stochastic 2-machine flow shop scheduling with rework

- 18th International Workshop on Project Management and Scheduling(PMS), Ghent, Belgium 2022
- Finalist, Best Student Award

Scheduling re-manufacturing activities for the repair of turbine blades: an approximate branch and bound approach to minimize a risk measure

- XV AITeM Conference (Italian Association of Manufacturing Technology), Milano, Italy 2022
- Finalist, Young Researcher Award

A branch-and-bound approach for the two-machine flow shop stochastic scheduling problem to minimize the value-at-risk

• 31st European Conference on Operational Research(EURO), Athens, Greece

2021

## **TEACHING**

## TA, Mentor, Smart Manufacturing Lab

• 2021, 2022, 2023

# OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

## Algorithm Engineer

2018-2019

• ZheJiang Transportation Big Data Center, Hangzhou, China

### Software Engineer

2017-2018

• Hundsun Technologies Inc. Hangzhou, China

### **MEMBERSHIPS**

**Student Member**, EURO Working Group on Project Management and Scheduling (PMS)

Student Member, Italian Association for Manufacturing Technology (AITEM)

# COMPUTER SKILLS

Languages: C++, Python, Java, Latex

Software and tools: Gurobi, Pyomo, Plant simulation

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