TITLE	3D Structure from Visual Motion: Novel Techniques in Computer Vision and Autonomous Robots (Vehicles)
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MISSION AND GOALS	Present modern techniques to simultaneously estimate the unknown motion of a camera while reconstructing the 3D structure of the observed world to be applied un scientific fields such as: 3D reconstruction, autonomous robot navigation, aerial/field surveying, unmanned vehicle manoeuvring, etc.
SUBJECT AND PROGRAMME OF THE COURSE	Simultaneous estimete of the unknown motion of a camera while recontructing the 3D structure of the observed world is a challanging task that has been deeply studied (e.g., autonomous robot navigation, aerial image analysis, unmanned vehicles). The course is organised in modules: Basics in Computer Vision: introduction on projective geometry, the camera model and camera calibration, interesting points and stable features.  Structure from Motion: photogrammetry and the origins of Structure from Motion, Structure form Correspondences, live structure from motion.  SLAM and Visual SLAM: Bayesian filtering and recursive state estimation, Simultaneous Lcalization and Mapping, Stereo SLAM, Monocular SLAM
TEACHING ORGANIZATION	Classic lectures by the teachers using both blackboard/whiteboard and overhead projector. Online demos and case studies will be presented
TEACHING MATERIALS	Slides and lecture notes. Thrun, Burgard, Fox. <i>Probabilistic Robotics</i> Hartley, Zisserman. <i>Multiple View Geometry in Computer Vision</i> Bibliography of selected scientific papers on the topics
LEARNING EVALUATION	There will be a final evaluation; attendees could select one of the following means of evaluation: experimental replica of the results presented in a selected paper, development of novel algorithms, state of art analysis
ACADEMIC CALENDAR AND LOCATION OF THE COURSE	21/05/2009 [14:30-18:30] Sala Seminari (DEI) - Course introduction (M. Matteucci) - Projection model and projection matrix (V. Caglioti) - Fundamental and Essential matrices (V. Caglioti)
	25/05/2009 [14:30-17:30] Sala Conferenze (DEI) - Correspondence analysis: tracking and ransac (D. Migliore)
	29/05/2009 [14:30-18:30] Sala Conferenze (DEI) - Motion extraction and 3D reconstruction (V. Caglioti) - Visual odometry (V. Caglioti)
	03/06/2009 [09:30-13:30] Sala Seminari (DEI) - Correspondences tracking and analysis(M. Marcon) - Combined estiamation of 3D structure and camera egomotion (M.Marcon)
	05/06/2009 [14:30-18:30] Sala Seminari (DEI) - Perspective ambiguity (M. Marcon) - Non rigid structure from motion and Hierarchical Shape Priors (M. Marcon) - Implicit formulation (M. Marcon)
	08/06/2009 [09:30-13:30] Sala Seminari (DEI) - Bayesian filtering (M. Matteucci) - SLAM Filter implementations (M. Matteucci)
	12/06/2009 [09:30-13:30] Sala Seminari (DEI) - Monocular SLAM (M. Matteucci)
	15/06/2009 [09:30-13:30] Sala Seminari (DEI) - Stereo SLAM (D. Migliore) - Omnidirectional SLAM (D. Migliore)
	19/06/2009 [09:30-13:30] Sala Seminari (DEI) - TBD (TBD)
	22/06/2009 [09:30-13:30] Sala Seminari (DEI) - 3D without 3D: plenoptic methods, lumigraph, albedo, non Lambertian surfaces (M. Marcon)
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