DR. ROBERT T. FEKETE

R&D ENGINEER, SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

Solution- and teamwork-oriented software developer in multidisciplinary engineering with responsible R&D management experience. Highly-educated and versatile R&D engineer in biopsychologically system modelling and human-centered design. Characterized by positive, explorer attitude, and adaptive mindset. Passionate about problem-solving, life-long learning and effective mentoring, lately focus on deep learning applications.



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WORK EXPERIENCE

Senior R&D and Software Engineer at Medicontur Medical Engineering Ltd. 2018 - Present

Achievements and Responsibilities:

- Developed and implemented new remote diagnostic method and software (tools: Python, JavaScript) in color vision deficiency measurement that improved diagnostic accuracy from about 60% to nearly 100%.
- Developed and implemented new evaluation software (tools: Python, C#) that quickened tolerance assessment procedure as a part of the TQM system.
- Research and developed original state of the art models and procedures (tools: Excel VB, Python) in color vision correction that reduced filter design time in half.
- Designed new color vision correction filters that significantly enhanced color identification and discrimination in the same time (tools: Excel VB, Python).
- Designed, organized and evaluated extensive patient experiment series, that verified effects of new color correction filters (tools: color vision measurement instruments).
- Leading diagnostic subunit and software development workflows (inhouse and outsourced) (tools: Python, C#, C++, JavaScript).

Senior Lecturer at Budapest University of Technology and Economics,

Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, Department of Mechatronics, Optics and Mechanical **Engineering Informatics**

2017 - Present

Achievements and Responsibilities:

- Given every Applied Informatics lecture for mechanical engineers, energetic engineers and industrial product development engineers at the Faculty of Mechanical Engineering (tools: C#, Python, HTML, CSS, JavaScript).
- Given lectures in the field of Intelligent Machines and Visualization Technics.
- Participating in departmental research programmes and industrial projects in the field of applied informatics and machine learning (tools: Python, C#).
- Representing Department in the Unified Psychological Research Ethics Committee of Hungary, and preparing ethical reviews.

Senior Research and Development Expert at HungaroControl

Hungarian Air Navigation Services Co.

2017 - 2018

Achievements and Responsibilities:

- Designed disruptive R&D concepts in the field of AI and system automatization in connection with air traffic control, that could enhance performances and reduce mental effort of air traffic controllers.
- Planned, implemented and evaluated HMI experiments, recommended optimization suggestions for control systems and software ergonomics re-design, that could contribute to reduction of mistakes.
- Coordinated and supervised contractual R&D projects with external partners, that could increase air traffic safety.
- Managed international and national tender issues and prepared national and EU development proposals in connection with air traffic safety (for instance drones).
- Coordinating of the R&D subunit, resource allocation, distribution of tasks.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

(for details see the left)

- Software development (Python, C#, JavaScript, C++, Java, VB, Git, Advanced Excel, MySQL, HTML, CSS, TensorFlow/Keras),
- Multidisciplinary team leading,
- **Human-centered product** design,
- **CAD** and Simulation systems (SolidWorks, AutoCAD, Solid Edge, LabVIEW, ANSYS),
- Teaching, Mentoring, Coaching,
- R&D project management,
- Psychology and Ergonomics,
- Industrial product development,
- Graphics (Photoshop, InDesign, CorelDraw, Inkscape, 3ds Max),
- Presentation

SOFT SKILLS

(for details see the left)

- Quick learning ability,
- Operative and practical workstyle.
- Adaptability, flexibility
- Problem solving, decisionmaking,
- Self-management, leadership
- Time management, prioritization,
- Analytical skills,
- Interdisciplinary approaching,
- Creative and innovative thinking,
- Teamwork and Cooperation,
- Positive and energetic attitude,
 - Confidence

Senior Assistant Professor at Budapest University of Technology and Economics,

Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, Department of Mechatronics, Optics and Mechanical Engineering Informatics

2008 – 2017 (2006 – 2008 as PhD student)

Achievements and Responsibilities:

 Software development, Scientific research, Mechanical engineering and Project management in academic and industrial R&D projects:

Social-robotics (Modelled bio-psychologically systems, that used for prediction of living creatures' behaviour; Designed and implemented artificial and bio-inspired behaviour engines for mobile robots in public spaces; Developed and implemented virtual social-robotics software agent for self-driving cars, that could reduce anxiety of passive driver; Built and programmed autonomous explorer mobile robot for social robotics experiments; Online and remote control of mobile robots for e-laboratory system, that used for virtual collaboration; Implemented 3D space reconstruction system for autonomous robot navigation; tools: LabVIEW, C#, C++, OpenCV, Java).

Non-invasive blood glucose estimation (**Built software and optics-based instrument** to measure light transmission of human tissue, that could lead to the glucose measurement without any needle prick; tools: LabVIEW, C#).

Pupillometry (Built optics-based instrument and image processing software to measure direct and consensual light reflexes, that helps to specify the location of brain injury; tools: LabVIEW).

Adaptive transportation indicators (**Developed and implemented software and procedure** to measure psychophysical responses of drivers in braking situations using proportional brake lights; **Created effect analysis** of adaptive brake lights; **Modelled human-machine-environment systems (ergonomics)**; **Designed heart rate variability measurement** procedure for simulator experiments, that used for determination actual mental effort during any activity; **Designed proportional vehicular display** making the traffic safer; tools: VB, C#, LabVIEW).

Designed and implemented a precision mechanical equipment for retina observation (tool: SolidWorks, ANSYS). Analysis and debugging of control software for a windscreen production line (tools: Visual Studio, VB).

Giving lectures, leading seminars, taking responsibilities for subjects, evaluating students in the following fields: Software engineering (tools: C#, Python, C++, VB), Applied computer science, CAD, VEM, 3D modelling systems (tools: SolidWorks, AutoCAD, ANSYS, 3ds MAX, Blender, Maya, Cinema4D), Intelligent machines, Artificial intelligence, Sensors and actuators, Measurement technology and statistics – In English, Visualization and Presentation technics (tools: Inkscape, CorelDRAW, Python, C++, VB), Biomechatronical engineering modelling and simulation (tools: Scilab, Matlab), Lighting and colour technology (optics and human vision).

Software Developer, CEO at Innoco Ltd.

2014 - 2018

Achievements and Responsibilities:

- Developed and implemented Internet based remote control system of a mobile robot for educational purposes (with created educational materials) for The Arctic University of Norway (tools: C++, OpenCV).
- Developed and implemented software of a psychophysical (testing different modalities)
 measurement station (tool: C#).
- o Conducted **trainings** in the topic of **engineering leadership** and **coaching** methods.
- o Partners (5-10 colleagues) coordination, resource allocation.

Product Development and Software Engineer at Cytotech medical engineering Ltd. 2005 – 2006

Achievements and Responsibilities:

- Redesigned user interface (HMI and UX design) of a medical robot for blood serology laboratories that improved usability and accuracy using (tool: C++).
- Redesigned and documented feature-based, 3D CAD models and technical drawings of medical instruments that was the first non-outsourced application of CAD system at the company (tools: SolidEdge, SolidWorks, AutoCAD).
- o Negotiations with suppliers, implementing orders.

PROFESSIONAL TRIPS

- Visiting professor
 Tokyo, Japan
 2016 and 2017
 Coordination of
 ethorobotics researches
 and discussions with
 international partner
 scientists
- UiT The Arctic University of Norway
 Visiting professor
 Narvik, Norway
 2016
 Coordination of mobile robotics researches, attending in the industrial engineering programme of the University
- Technische Universität Ilmenau University courses Ilmenau, Germany 2007
- Silesian University of Technology
 University courses
 Gliwice, Poland
 2006 and 2007

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Unified Psychological Research Ethics Committee of Hungary
 2015 – Present
- International Commission on Illumination CIE, Division of Image Technology 2014 – Present
- Robotics & Ethorobotics Research Laboratory, Department of Mechatronics, Optics and Mechanical Engineering Informatics 2013 – 2017

Software Developer at Garpex engineering Ltd.

2002 - 2005

Responsibilities: Software development and **web design**, administrative and organisational activities.

Building Services Engineering Assistant at Hopferwieser building engineering Ltd. 2000 – 2001

Responsibilities: Revision of complex **building engineering** plans, editing of **trail plans in AutoCAD**, preparing construction plans, site analysis, review of implementation.

Building Services Engineering Assistant at Légszervíz ventilation engineering 2000 Ltd. 1999 – 2000

Responsibilities: Revision of **industrial air ventilation system** plans, editing **trail plans in AutoCAD**, site analysis, preparatory design.

EDUCATION

PhD degree in Mechanical Engineering Sciences

Budapest University of Technology and Economics, Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, Department of Mechatronics, Optics and Mechanical Engineering Informatics 2006 – 2009

Filed of thesis: Human-machine-environment system and effect analysis of adaptive acceleration and deceleration displays for automotive industry (applied disciplines: informatics (tools: VB, LabView, C#), ergonomics, psychology, optics, mathematical statistic)

M.Sc. degree in Industrial Design Engineering

Budapest University of Technology and Economics, Faculty of Mechanical Engineering 2000 – 2005

Field of thesis: Design and implementation of user interface for a medical device (blood-type tester robot) (applied disciplines: informatics (tool: C++), ergonomics).

B.A. degree in Behavioural Analyst Psychologist

Károli Gáspár University of the Reformed Church in Hungary 2011 – 2014

Field of thesis: Optimal leadership style of R&D engineering groups for the best performance.

TOP SELF INITIATIVE PROJECTS

Insulin Tracker (Android and Windows Phone apps for diabetic people)

These apps help diabetic people to find out actual and predicted insulin effect in their blood (smart blood glucose management system), thus they need less mental effort to maintain the delicate glucose-insulin balance. With this assistance people with diabetes can avoid life-threatening hyper- and hypoglycemia and their life quality could be much better. The alpha testing in progress. (tools: C#, Xamarin, Java, Android Studio).

ProgramozásKarrier.hu (Bootcamp-like software developer courses and mentoring)

On this site we (with my partners) offer programming courses, mentoring and coaching services and create text-based (articles and books) and multimedia-based (YouTube videos) educational materials for people who want to start their new career as a software developer (tools: Python, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, C#).

LANGUAGES

- English: Advanced (Intermediate ex., No: 712551)
- (Basic ex., No: 1094917)
- Hungarian: Native (Mother language)

PUBLICATIONS

List of my publications:

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- 2 international patents
 (2 more are in progress)
- 3 book chapters
- 16 peer-reviewed articles
- 24 conference articles

MOTIVATIONS

- Varied, challenging and value creating work that requires creativity,
- Team leading role, taking responsibilities,
- Opportunity for learning and self-development,
- International environment, traveling

INTERESTS

- Computer science,
- Programming,
- Artificial intelligence,
- Teaching,
- Natural sciences,
- Green technologies,
- Medical engineering,
- Psychology,
- o Autonomous vehicles,
- Future science,
- Sport,
- Gastronomy,
- Travelling,
- Films