

# Emmanuel larussi

Computer Vision | Computer Graphics | Machine Learning

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Age: 36 - 01/12/1988 emmanuel.iarussi@utdt.edu emmanueliarussi.github.io/ Since 2022 **Computer Graphics & Vision Expert** 

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Since 2022 **Assistant Professor - Tenure Track** 

Universidad Torcuato Di Tella

Since 2023 **Adjunct Faculty** 

University of Denver

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### Education

2016 - 2017 Postdoctoral Fellow

ISTA Austria - Digital Fabrication

2012 - 2015 PhD. Computer Science

INRIA GraphDeco Team - Link to PhD Thesis Advisors: Adrien Bousseau, George Drettakis

2006 - 2012 Systems Engineer

Tandil, Argentina

UNICEN - Facultad de Ciencias Exactas

Advisors: Alejandro Clausse, Virginia Cifuentes

2006 - 2011 **Programmer** 

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### Interest Areas

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 $\Delta$ |  $\star$ 3D CG \*\*\*\* Generative ★★★★ Imaging ★★★★ Vision ★★★★

## Recent Publications

DUDF: Differentiable Unsigned Distance Fields with Hyperbolic Scaling. Fainstein, M., Siless, V., **larussi**, **E**. *To be published*.

### Languages Spanish \*\*\*\*

English \*\*\*\* French \*\*\*\* Italian \*\*\*\*

VesselVAE: Recursive Variational Autoencoders for 3D Blood Vessel Synthesis. Feldman, P., Fainstein, M., Siless, V., Delrieux, C., larussi, E. International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI 2023). Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 14220. Springer, Cham. doi:10.1007/978-3-031-43907-0 7.

Bone-GAN: Generation of virtual bone microstructure of high resolution peripheral quantitative computed tomography. Thomsen, F. S. L., larussi, E., Borggrefe, J., Boyd, S. K., Wang, Y., Battié, M. C. Medical Physics (2023). ISSN: 2473-4209. doi: 02/mp.16482.

Learning normal asymmetry representations for homologous brain structures. Deangeli, D., Iarussi, E., Princich, J. P., Bendersky, M., Larrabide, I., Orlando, J. International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI 2023). Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 14220. Springer, Cham. doi: 10.1007/978-3-031-43993-3 8.

NORHA: A NORmal Hippocampal Asymmetry deviation index based on one-class novelty detection and 3D shape features. Deangeli, D., larussi, F., Külsgaard, H., Braggio, D., Princich, J. P., Bendersky, M., larussi, E., Larrabide, I., Orlando, J. I. *Brain Topography (2023). ISSN: 1573-6792. doi:10.1007/s10548-023-00985-6.* 

**Learning Deep Features for Stain-free Live-dead Human Breast Cancer Cell Classification.** Pattarone, G., Acion, L., Simian, M., **Iarussi, E.**. *Nature Scientific Reports (2021). ISSN: 2045-2322. doi: 10.1038/s41598-021-89895-w.* 

**Generative Modelling of 3D in-silico Spongiosa with Controllable Micro-Structural Parameters. larussi, E.**, Thomsen, F. and Delrieux, C., *International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI 2020).* Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 12266. Springer, Cham. doi: 10.1007/978-3-030-59725-2\_76.

Improving realism in patient-specific abdominal Ultrasound simulation using CycleGANs. Vitale, S., Orlando, J.I., larussi, E. and Larrabide, I. *International Journal of Computer Assisted Radiology and Surgery,* 1-10 (2019). ISSN: 1861-6429. doi: 10.1007/s11548-019-02046-5.

FlexMaps: Computational Design of Flat Flexible Shells for Shaping 3D Objects. Malomo, L., Pérez, J., larussi, E., Pietroni, N., Miguel, E., Cignoni, P. and Bickel, B. ACM Transactions on Graphics (SIGGRAPH Asia) 37.6 (2018). ISSN: 0730-0301. doi: 10.1145/3272127.3275076.

CoreCavity: Interactive Shell Decomposition for Fabrication with Two-Piece Rigid Molds. Kazutaka Nakashima, Thomas Auzinger, Emmanuel larussi, Ran Zhang, Takeo Igarashi, Bernd Bickel. ACM Transactions on Graphics (SIGGRAPH) 37.4 (2018). ISSN: 0730-0301. doi: 10.1145/3197517.3201341..

Wraplt: Computer-Assisted Crafting of Wire Wrapped Jewelry. Emmanuel larussi, Wilmot Li, and Adrien Bousseau. ACM Transactions on Graphics (SIGGRAPH Asia) 34.6 (2015). doi:10.1145/2816795.2818118. ISSN: 0730-0301.

BendFields: Regularized Curvature Fields from Rough Concept Sketches. Emmanuel larussi, David Bommes, and Adrien Bousseau. *ACM Transactions on Graphics (TOG) 34.3 (2015): 24. ISSN: 0730-0301. doi:10.1145/2710026.* 

The Drawing Assistant: Automated Drawing Guidance and Feedback from Photographs. Emmanuel larussi, Adrien Bousseau, and Theophanis Tsandilas. *ACM Symposium on User Interface Software and Technology (UIST). ACM, 2013. ISBN: 978-1-4503-8635-7. doi:10.1145/2501988.2501997* 

### **Awards**

## 2022 Top 100 cancer Nature Scientific Reports papers in 2021

Learning Deep Features for Stain-free Live-dead Human Breast Cancer Cell Classification.

### 2021 Salesforce Al Research Grant

Bone-GAN: Towards an accurate diagnosis of osteoporosis from routine body CTs. Grant: USD 50.000,00.

#### 2020 Kaggle open data research grant 2020

Improving realism in patient-specific abdominal Ultrasound simulation using CycleGANs Grant: USD 2.500,00.

## **Research Funding**

### 2023 Project CLIAS - IECS

Development of a remote AI system for analysing fixed cervicovaginal smears (PAPs) images. Grant: USD 20.000,00.

#### 2021 Project PIP / ID: PIP 2021-2023 GI - 11220200102981CO

Accurate diagnosis of osteoporosis from routine body CT images using antagonistic generative models. Grant: USD 10.000,00.

### 2020 Project PID UTN / ID: SIUTNBA0005534

Redes Generativas para el Diseño 2D/3D Interactivo y Síntesis Multivista. Grant: \$644.225,68.

### 2020 Project PID UTN / ID: SIUTNBA0005139

CrossMatch: Detección de Correspondencias de Dominio Cruzado mediante Deep Learning. Grant: \$1.143.878,00.

### 2019 Project PICT-Joven / ID: PICT-2018-04517

Deep multi-view descriptors for matching line drawings. Grant: USD 3.500,00.

#### 2017 Nvidia Research Grant

Dense Cross-Domain Features for 2D/3D Matching using Deep Convolutional Networks. Grant: USD: 3.800,00.

## **Teaching**

Since 2023 Adjunct Faculty Denver University

Deep Learning: Model Design and Application.

MS in Data Science

Contact: Sean Connin · sean.connin@du.edu

Since 2023 Professor UTDT

Métodos computacionales Licenciatura en Tecnología Digital

Contact: Agustin Gravano · agravano@utdt.edu

Since 2022 Professor UTDT

Tecnología Digital IV: Redes de Computadoras Contact: Agustin Gravano · agravano@utdt.edu

Since 2022 Professor UTDT

Visualización y Análisis de Datos Optativa para todas las carreras - Track de Ciencia de Datos

Contact: Gustavo Vulcano · gvulcano@utdt.edu

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Denver, US (Remote)

Buenos Aires, Argentina

2019 - 2021 Assistant Professor FCEN-UBA

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Algorithms and Data Structures II & Fundamentals of Computer Graphics

Licenciatura en Ciencias de la Computación Contact: Santiago Figueira · santiago@dc.uba.ar

2018 - 2021 Assistant Professor - UTN

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Fundamentals of Computer Graphics.

Contact: Patricia Cibeira **pcibeira**@frba.utn.edu.ar

2014 - 2015 Assistant Professor - IUT, Université Côte d'Azur

Nice, France

Introduction à l'Interaction Homme-Machine Systèmes d'informations et Gestion de Données

2010 - 2011 Assistant Professor UNICEN

Tandil, Argentina

Computer Architecture Ingeniería en Sistemas

Professor: Elias Todorovich · etodorov@exa.unicen.edu.ar

2009 - 2011 Assistant Professor UNICEN

Tandil, Argentina

Software Development Methodologies.

Ingeniería en Sistemas

Professor: Claudia Marcos · cmarcos@exa.unicen.edu.ar

## **Teaching (Postgraduate)**

2017 - 2022 Data Visualization

Buenos Aires, Argentina

MiM - Master in Management + Analytics / UTDT Contact: Gustavo Vulcano · gvulcano@utdt.edu

2017 - 2022 Fundamentals of Computer Graphics

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Doctorado en Ingeniería, mención Procesamiento de Señales e Imágenes / UTN. Contact: Ricardo Armentano · **armen**@frba.utn.edu.ar

2017 - 2022 Information Visualization

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Maestría en Explotación de Datos y Descubrimiento del Conocimiento / FCEN UBA.

Contact: Marcelo Soria · soria@agro.uba.ar

2020 - 2021 Graphics Representation and Data Visualization

Tandil, Argentina

Diplomatura Universitaria en Inteligencia Artificial / UNICEN Contact: Andrés Diaz-Pace · **adiazpace**@gmail.com

2020- 2021 Machine Learning

Río Gallegos, Argentina

Maestría en Informática y Sistemas / UNPA. Contact: Claudio Delrieux · cad@uns.edu.ar

2018 - 2019 Scientific Communication

Buenos Aires

Master en Optimización y Seguridad de Sistemas / UTN FRBA.

Contact: Carolina Rodrigo · crodrigo@frba.utn.edu.ar

Tandil, Argentina

Maestría en Minería de Datos / UTN FRP

Contact: Ana Silvia Haedo · anasicorreo@outlook.com

## Other Short Courses and Trainings

2019 - 2020 CreativelA: Generative Adversarial Networks in PyTorch / UNS
 Lecturer. Creative AI tools training course for UNS teachers and researchers.
 2019 - 2020 CreativelA: Generative Adversarial Networks in PyTorch / UNSA
 Lecturer. 48 JAIIO workshop course.
 2017 - 2018 Visualization Techniques for Big Data / UBA

Bahía Blanca, Argentina
Salta, Argentina
Buenos Aires, Argentina

Lecturer. Visualization training course. CitepLab: Big Data workshop.

## **Other Activities**

Since 2022 Advisory committee member
Metadocencia.

PhD. Committee member
PhD in Engineering, Signal and Image Processing mention. UTN FRBA.

Academic Council student member.
Facultad de Ciencias Exactas. UNICEN.

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## **Scholarships**

2012-2015 **Doctoral Scholarship** *Computer Assisted Realistic Drawing.* Agence Nationale de la Recherche.

Advisors: Adrien Bousseau & George Drettakis.

2014 Internship ADOBE Research San Francisco, CA

Computer-Assisted Crafting of Wire Wrapped Jewelry.
Advisor: Wilmot Li.

2011 Scientific training scholarship BENTR10

Texture Detection in Digital Images.

Comisión de Investigaciones Científicas. UNICEN. Advisors: Alejandro Clausse & María Virginia Cifuentes.

### **Students**

Internship advisor.

In progress Paula Feldman **UNS** PhD Thesis co-advisor. Started 2021. Project: Generative modeling and synthesis of vascular anatomical structures. **Miguel Fainstein** In progress FCEN - UBA Master Thesis advisor. Started 2022. Project: Modelos generativos en salud. In progress **Martin Sinnona** FCEN - UBA Master Thesis advisor. Started 2023. Project: Distilling Design Decisions in Visualizations using pixels-to-text Foundation Models. In progress **Santiago Corley** FCEN - UBA Master Thesis advisor. Started 2023. Project: User assistance in CAD interfaces using LLMs. 2021 - 2022 Cristian Galli FCEN - UBA Master Thesis advisor. Project: Estrategias de muestreo 3D para el aprendizaje profundo de superficies implícitas. 2020 - 2021 Daniel Bauer **UNC** Master Thesis advisor. Proyecto: Implementación de un motor de rendering no-fotorrealista en python. 2020 - 2021 Francisco larussi UNICEN Engineering thesis. Advisors: Prof. Dr. Ignacio Larrabide, Dr. Emmanuel Iarussi. Project: Caracterización de asimetrías en hipocampos usando técnicas de inteligencia artificial. 2020 - 2021 Leonardo Maestri **UTN FRBA** EVC-CIN scholarship advisor. Project: CrossMatch: detección de correspondencias de dominio cruzado mediante deep learning. 2019 - 2020 Gisela Pattarone FFyB - UBA Master thesis. Advisors: Prof. Dr. Joschka Bödecker, Emmanuel larussi. Project: Automatic breast cancer cell classification using deep convolutional neural networks. 2017 - 2020 Pablo Navarro **UTN FRBA** 

Project: Dense cross-domain features for 2D-3D matching using deep convolutional networks.

## **Examining Committee**

### 2023 Examining committee member

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Master Thesis. Student: Federico Rabinovich. Dissertation: "Cluster-Based Training Methods for Convolutional Layers in Neural Networks". FCEN, UBA.

#### 2022 PhD. examining committee member

Tandil, Argentina

Student: Delfina Braggio. Dissertation: "Contributions to the Study of the Sensitivity of Voxel-Based Morphometry". FCEx, UNICEN.

### 2022 Examining committee member

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Student: Gonzalo Ruarte. Dissertation: "Optimization of a Visual Search Model: Adaptations and Improvements for cIBS". FCEN, UBA.

### 2021 Examining committee member

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Student: Fermín Travi. Dissertation: "Computational Models of Human Visual Search in Natural Scenes: Comparison of Models and Reference Datasets". FCEN, UBA.

### 2021 PhD. examining committee member

Troyes, France

Student: Martin Palazzo. Dissertation: "Dimensionality reduction of biomedical tumor profiles: a machine learning approach". UTT, France.

### 2021 Examining committee member

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Student: Gaston Mazzei. Dissertation: "Simplified Access to Neural Networks for Physics Problems and Others". FCEN, UBA.

#### 2020 Examining committee member

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Master Thesis. Student: Eduardo Montero. Dissertation: "Visual Analytics in the Discovery of Knowledge of Non-Communicable Chronic Diseases in Ecuador". FCEN, UBA.

### 2019 Examining committee member

Buenos Aires, Argentina

Student: Julián Bayardo. Dissertation: "Efficient Approximation of the Non-Convex Capsule for Surface Reconstruction". FCEN, UBA.

### **International Conferences**

### 2023 International Conference on Medical Image Computing

and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI)

Vancouver, Canada

VesselVAE: Recursive Variational Autoencoders for 3D Blood Vessel Synthesis

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and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI)

Vancouver, Canada

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### 2021 Eurographics

Viena, Austria

SketchZooms: Deep Multi-view Descriptors for Matching Line Drawings

### 2021 Toronto Geometry Colloquium

Toronto, Canada

Learning to generate realistic 3D bone micro-structure with controllable parameters

## 2020 International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Intervention (MICCAI)

Lima, Perú

Generative Modelling of 3D in-silico Spongiosa with Controllable Micro-Structural Parameters

2019 Computer Assisted Radiology and Surgery (CARS) Rennes, France Improving realism in patient-specific abdominal Ultrasound simulation using CycleGANs 2018 ACM SIGGRAPH Vancouver, Canada CoreCavity: Interactive Shell Decomposition for Fabrication with Two-Piece Rigid Molds. 2017 Visual Computing / Graphics and CAD Joint Symposium 2017 Tokyo, Japan Interactive Decomposition for Fabrication with Two-Piece Permanent Molds. 2015 ACM SIGGRAPH ASIA Kobe, Japan WrapIt: Computer-assisted Crafting of Wire Wrapped Jewelry. Association for Computing Machinery (ACM). 2015 ACM SIGGRAPH Los Angeles, CA Bendfields: Regularized Curvature Fields from Rough Concept Sketches. Association for Computing Machinery (ACM). 2014 Eurographics Student Volunteer Strasbourg, France European Association for Computer Graphics. 2013 Symposium on User Interface Software and Technology St Andrews, UK The Drawing Assistant: Automated Drawing Guidance and Feedback from Photographs. Association for Computing Machinery (ACM). 2013 Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems Paris, France Association for Computing Machinery (ACM). Other Research Projects 2019 - 2021 Morphological Characterization of the Optic Nerve Head

2019 - 2021 Morphological Characterization of the Optic Nerve Head in Fundus Photographs Using Deep Learning PICT-2019-00070 - UNICEN Grant: USD 5.700,00.

Tandil, Argentina

2018 - 2021 Study and Modeling of the Dynamics of Complex Systems
Based on Signal Analysis

Buenos Aires, Argentina

PID - Universidad Tecnológica Nacional *ASUTNBA0004729. Grant: USD 75.000,00.* 

2016 - 2017 Soft-bodied Intelligence for Manipulation (SOMA)

IST Austria

European Union's Horizon 2020 Research and Innovation Programme. Instituciones Participantes: *Universitá di Pisa - Fondazione Istituto Italiano di Tecnologia*,

Deutsches Zentrum Fuer Luft – Und Raumfahrt Ev,

Institute of Science and Technology Austria, The Walt Disney Company (Switzerland),

Ocado Innovation Limited.

ID 645599. Grant: 7.131.091,25 euros.

2012 - 2015 Dessin Réaliste Assisté par Ordinateur (DRAO)

Inria Sophia Antipolis, France

The French National Research Agency (ANR) *ANR-12-JS02-0003. ANR Grant: 152.693 euros.*