

# Hervé Nicolas Nbonsou

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I am a PhD candidate in Biomedical Engineering, designing machine learning models for medical image and shape analysis at University of Cape Town. Coming from theoretical and engineering physics background, I possess strong analytical and computational skills. Experience in nonlinear analysis of ODE and PDE of electromechanical and bioengineering systems. Currently, extending my research to data-driven analysis.

## EXPERIENCE

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- **University of Cape Town (UCT)**  
Research scientist (PhD Candidate)  
Design data-driven pipelines for cross-modality medical image synthesis, proceed to data curation, develop machine learning models for medical data (images and shapes) analysis.  
*March 2018 - Present*
- **University of Cape Town (UCT)**  
Tutor  
Assist students with their tutorial in Physics  
*March 2021 - Present*
- **Gulf Field Institute of Petroleum**  
Lecturer  
Teaching first to second year university students in physics and mathematics, in Limbe, Cameroon.  
*Jan 2018 to March 2018*

## EDUCATION

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- **University of Cape Town (UCT)**  
PhD Candidate in Biomedical Engineering  
*March 2018 - Present*
- **Structural Master's Degree in Mathematical Sciences (M.Sc.)**  
African Institute for Mathematical sciences  
*Aug. 2014 - Jun. 2015*
- **Master in Engineering physics**  
University of Yaounde I  
Develop a computational model to mimic protein locomotion on actin filament.  
*Oct. 2011 - Dec. 2012*

## AWARDS & RECOGNITION

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- **PhD Fellowship**  
African Biomedical Engineering Mobility (ABEM)  
The Fellowship is offered to African graduates to undertake M.Sc. or Ph.D. research in Biomedical engineering in African Universities.  
*2018*
- **African Institute for Mathematical Sciences (AIMS)**  
The Fellowship is offered to African graduates to undertake one year training for a M.Sc. in mathematical science.  
*2014*

## Research interests

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- **Medical Image and shape Analysis**  
Image Synthesis and Segmentation, Bone and soft tissue cancer research, Domain translation
- **Statistical Inference**  
Statistical morphable model, machine learning
- **Nonlinear physics, applied physics**  
Translational research, Computational biology, Dynamical systems, Protein motion

## SKILLS

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- **Programming Languages**  
Python, FORTRAN, Scala, MATLAB, Maple,  $\text{\LaTeX}$
- **Machine learning & Data science**  
Tensorflow, PyTorch, Pandas, scikit-learn, Pandas, Matplotlib, SQL
- **Operating systems**  
Windows, Linux
- **Languages**  
**English:** Good; **French:** Native
- **Personal skills**  
Good adaptability and teamwork,  
Availability and intellectual curiosity  
Sense of responsibility and concern for a job well done  
Good interpersonal skills

## OTHER HIGHLIGHTS

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- Presented a paper: "Cross-Modality Image Adaptation Based on Volumetric Intensity Gaussian Process Models (VIGPM)", at **The 44<sup>th</sup> International Conference of the IEEE Engineering in Medicine Biology Society (EMBC)**, Scottish Event Campus, Glasgow, UK, 11<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup>, Jul. 2022,
- Presented a paper: "A Gaussian Process Model Based Generative Framework for Data Augmentation of Multi-modal 3D Image Volumes", at the **International Conference on Medical Image Computing and Computer Assisted Interventions (MICCAI)**, 4<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2020.
- Presented a paper: "Diagnostic quality pseudo-Computed tomography synthetic from magnetic resonance images: Application to orthopedic pathologies", at **The South African Institution of Mechanical Engineering (SAIMEchE)** at SARETEC, Cape Peninsula University of Technology, 9<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2018