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EDUCATION

Turbomachinery & Propulsion Department, Von Karman Institute for Fluid Dynamics

Rhode-Saint-Genèse, Belgium

M.Res. in Fluid Dynamics

OCT 2022 - JUL 2023

- Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Tom Verstraete
- Thesis: 3D optimisation of a tandem compressor cascade

School of Mechanical Engineering, National Technical University of Athens

Athens, Greece

M.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering (5-year joint Diploma)
312 ECTS

- GPA: 8.29/10, Top 10% in class of 300
- Thesis: Aerodynamic design principles of a Formula Student car underbody diffuser, Grade: 10/10
- Concentration: Ground and Air Vehicles

AWARDS & HONORS

GreenTech Challenge N.T.U.A.

Top 5 Finalist amongst 30 competitors

DEC 2019

Formula Student Germany

Engineering Design Finals as a member of the Aerodynamics Team of PROM Racing NTUA FSAE Team, achieved 7th position out of 60 competitors

AUG 2019

Formula Student Austria

Engineering Design Finals as a member of the Aerodynamics Team of PROM Racing NTUA FSAE Team, achieved 3rd position out of 34 competitors

JUL 2019

Formula Student East

1st position in Skidpad dynamic event, as a member of PROM Racing NTUA FSAE Team

JUL 2019

RESEARCH

Von Karman Institute for Fluid Dynamics |

Rhode-Saint-Genese, Belgium

DEC 2024 – PRESENT

- Generated CAD model for tandem compressor cascade with surfacing in C++ using the toolboxes of the in-house CADO software.
- Used the adjoint method to perform Single-Point optimization for a 3D geometry based on previous 2D optimisation results and identified design approaches through which the optimization algorithm improved the design.
- Performing Multi-Point optimization with increased parametrisation degrees of freedom, with the goal of identifying good design strategies for tandem blades in design and off-design conditions.
- Identifying the viability of optimizing the design only near the endwall and using blade profiles resulting from 2D optimization at midspan, aiming for reduced optimisation wall clock time with equivalent objective function values.

Ceratzit | Mamer, Luxembourg

NOV 2020 - JAN 2021

- Performed geometry development and pre-processing with SALOME and python to model the flow inside an existing Chemical Vapor Deposition (CVD) reactor.
- Simulated the 2D flow inside the CVD reactor using OpenFOAM.

Prom Racing NTUA FSAE Team | Athens, Greece NOV 2017 - JUN 2020

- Co-lead of the Team of Aerodynamics, leading a team of 6 members (2020 Season)
- Achieved a 30% increase in underbody Cl^*A and 18% increase in vehicle Cl^*A through parametric study of underbody diffuser. (2019 Season)
- Worked on conceptual and detailed design of the car's Aerodynamic package, as well as 3D flow simulations using OpenFOAM on a High Performance Computing center. (2018, 2019 & 2020 seasons)
- Launched an experimental campaign to validate Computational Fluid Dynamics (CFD) simulations through the use of flow-visualisation and force measurement techniques in subsonic wind tunnel and on track testing. (2019 season)

PUBLICATIONS 1. Ntinou, P., Tran, T., Verstraete, T. *Investigation of the effects of a high degree of freedom parametrisation on the adjoint optimisation of a tandem blade compressor cascade. paper: in preparation*

TEACHING **Prom Racing NTUA FSAE Team** | Athens, Greece NOV 2019 - JUN 2020

- Trained new members of the Aerodynamics team on principles of aerodynamics, Computational Fluid Dynamics and Computer Aided Design.

Independent Tutoring | National Technical University of Athens OCT 2020 - JAN 2024

- Privately tutored undergraduate students on course material for the following courses: Numerical Methods, Machine Elements, Fluid Mechanics, Turbomachinery, Gas and Steam Turbines for Power Production, Computational Fluid Dynamics.

WORK **Fluid Power Engineering** | Aspropyrgos, Greece FEB 2021 - FEB 2022

- EXPERIENCE
- Mechanical design of high pressure hydraulic components for marine applications.
 - Created a measurement workflow for in-situ data acquisition for hydraulic systems.
 - Prepared engineering reports and documentation for submission to classification bodies.

ACTIVITIES **Formula Student Switzerland** | Valais, Switzerland JUL 2025

- & LEADERSHIP
- Chief Aerodynamics judge, judging 16 student teams on Aerodynamics as part of the Engineering Design event of the competition.

Formula Student Switzerland | Valais, Switzerland JUL 2023

- Chief Aerodynamics judge, judging 20 student teams on Aerodynamics as part of the Engineering Design event of the competition.

Prom Racing NTUA FSAE Team | Athens, Greece NOV 2019 - JUN 2020

- Co-lead of the team of Aerodynamics, responsible for simulations, design and training of new members as well as coordinating with team members from different groups of the team.

TEDx NTUA | Athens, Greece MAY 2022

- Event volunteer.

SKILLS **Languages:** English (Proficient, TOEFL IBT 115/120), German (intermediate, B2), French (basic), Italian (basic), Greek (native)

& OTHER INFO

Programming: MATLAB, C++, python, C, Fortran, R, G-code

Software: OpenFOAM, Solidworks, ANSYS, ANSA, gnuplot, SALOME, AutoCAD, Linux (Ubuntu, Debian, Fedora), Microsoft Suite, git, L^AT_EX

Experimental: Wind tunnel, flow visualisation, velocity and pressure measurement sensors

Technical: Lathe, CNC Mill, Thread tapping, composite material layup, soldering, Arc Welding, PCB schematic drawing

Interests: guitar, music, photography, cooking, pastry, swimming, running, cinema