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List of publications and conferences presentations

List of published papers :

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List of conference presentations :

1. ICTAM 2020+1 : 25th International Congress of Theoretical and Applied Mechanics, 22 to 27 August, 2021
2. Endowing Micro-swimmers with Artificial Intelligence, Online Workshop, October 6 and 7th, 2021
3. 74th Annual Meeting of the American Physical Society Division of Fluid Dynamics, November 21 to 23, 2021
4. Réunion 2022 du GDR Navier-Stokes 2.00, 27 to 29 October, 2021
5. Microscale Ocean Biophysics 6.0, 22 to 27 May, 2022
6. Rencontre du Non-Linéaire, 29 to 31 March, 2022