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Cover:

Illustration of the predicted segmentation with the ground truth, the prediction error, the estimated aleatoric and epistemic uncertainty

from the Bsc Thesis "Bayesian Deep Learning for Flood Detection" of the Bsc-CSE student Timofey Shpakov, 2022.

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# Teaching in BSc and MSc CSE

#### **Teaching in Computational Science and Engineering**

The academic year 2021/22 was partially still affected by special conditions and restrictions due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

The welcome of the first semester students in BSc and in MSc CSE was conducted as usual in ETH main building, respecting the rules of social distancing. However, it was not possible to hold the traditional start-of-semester reception in autumn 2021. Lectures, seminars and Case Studies were held mainly in presence and in parallel online.

In the winter examination session 2022, 78.6% of the 57 participating students passed the first Basisprüfungsblock, 86.5% passed the exam block *G1* and 91.3% passed the block *G2*. The lecture *Design of Parallel and High-Performance Computing* was chosen by 10 students, all of them passed. The lecture *High Performance Computing for Science and Engineering I* was chosen by 16 students, all of them passed. Popular lectures among the BSc CSE students in Fall 2021 were: *Atmpsphäre* (8), *Information Systems for Engineers* (7), *Theory of Robotics and Mechatronics* (7), *Physically-Based Simulation in Computer Graphics* (6) and *Introduction to Computational Physics* (5). In the *Case Studies Seminar* in Autumn 2020 a number of 36 BSc CSE and 41 MSc CSE students participated with success. The lecture *Advanced Numerical Methods for CSE* in Autumn 2021 was again very poular among the MSc CSE students (30). Also popular were *Advanced Machine Learning* (12), *Dynamic Programming and Optimal Control* (11) and *Financial Market Risks* (9).

In the summer examination session 2022, 85.2% of the 56 participating students passed the second Basisprüfungsblock, 89.4% passed the exam *G3* and 68.1% passed the block *G4*, which seems to be the most difficult exam block of the curriculum. All of the 7 students attending *High-Performance Computing Lab for CSE* passed, while 6 of the 12 participating students passed *High Performance Computing for Science and Engineering II*. Popular lectures among the BSc CSE students in Spring 2021 were: *Introduction to Machine Learning* (24) and *Software Engineering* (13). The Case Studies Seminar Spring 2021 was succesfully attended by 27 BSc CSE and 35 MSc students. Popular lectures among the MSc CSE students in Spring 2022 were: *Deep Learning in Scientific Computing* (31), *Advanced Systems Lab* (10), *Computational Statistics* (9) *Recursive Estimation* (9) and *Introduction to Machine Learning* (8).

In each of the two semesters of the accademic year 2021/22, grades were awarded to MSc CSE students in about 90 scientific lectures and seminars across all the ETH departments.







Grades CSE BSc





Credit Points CSE MSc



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## CSE Students and Theses 2

In September 2021, 58 new students started their CSE Bachelor studies in the first semester. From outside CSE 18 students (14 from overseas and 4 from other Swiss Universities) entered the CSE Master curriculum, while 18 BSc CSE students entered the MSc CSE as a consecutive curriculum. The total number of CSE students enrolled in Fall Term 2021 was 324 (headcount): 209 in the BSc program and 115 in the MSc program.



Number of CSE students in the curriculum; dark = number of new students

In the past academic year 81 students have successfully finished a CSE curriculum, 33 Bachelor students and 48 Master students, and have received a CSE degree, some with very good grades. In the following list we give the name of the student, the title of the Bachelor/Master/Term thesis and the name and the department of the advisor. In summer 2022 two MSc CSE students won the **Willi Studer Preis** 2022 for the best CSE Master Diploma in the past academic year: Luca Andrea Lavarini and Wouter Rens Tonnon. The MSc Thesis of Wouter Rens Tonnon *A semi-Lagrangian approach to incompressible flow* under the supervision of Prof. Ralf Hiptmair (D-MATH) was distinguished with the **ETH Medal** for an oustanding Master thesis 2022.



Number of CSE graduates



In the academic year 2021-2022 there were written a total of 83 semester, BSc and MSc theses in CSE. The diagram above shows that the supervision of these works is spread over 12 departments of ETH, while some of them seem to attract more students than others. The most popular departments this year were D-MATH with 18 theses, D-INFK with 17 theses and D-MAVT with 13 theses. On the following pages we mention the authoring students, the titles of the theses and the corresponding official supervisors from various departments at ETH.

#### **BSc-Theses**

Ryan Sean Ammann Assessing the Influence of Measurement Errors on the Performance of Neural Networks for the Retrieval of Aerosol Properties from Light Scattering Measurements (Andreas Adelmann, D-PHYS)

Joshua Aurand Efficient Rendering of Implicit Mesh Representations for Neural Style Transfer (Markus Gross, D-INFK)

Samuel Bartlett Uncertainty-driven AI methods for Prognostics and Health management (Olga Fink, D-BAUG)

Thomas Pascal Baumann High-Performance Multi-GPU Scheduling and Communication for Data-Centric Applications (Torsten Hoefler, D-INFK)

Kristof Czirjak *Provis - protein visualisation library in python* (Rainer Krause, D-INFK)

Severin Marc Fritschi Generation and Simulation of Large-Scale Flow Networks (Patrick Jenny, D-MAVT)

Katharina Gutmann Analysis of computational efficiency of aerosol wet deposition in the climate model ECHAM-HAM (Ulrike Lohmann, D-USYS)

Damian Robin Heer Visualisation of Wavefunctions in Quantum Mechanics (Vasile Gradinaru, D-MATH)

Lothar Heimbach Investigating Adaptive Communication Strategies for Neural Network Training (Ce Zhang, D-INFK)

Maximilian Robert Herde *Physics-informed Neural Networks for Multiscale Differential Equations* (Siddhartha Mishra, D-MATH) Raphael Husistein Improving the Efficiency of Instanton Theory (Jeremy Richardson, D-CHAB)

Sina Klampt Simplifying Cloud Microphysical Processes in the Climate Model ECHAM-HAM (Ulrike Lohmann, D-USYS)

Daria Nadine Lipsky South American Climate History and Andean Mountain Building Explain the Evolution of Lizard Biodiversity (Loïc Pellissier, D-USYS)

Johan Lokna Enhancing Protein Design using BERT (Ce Zhang, D-INFK)

Florian Meer Mechanical Modeling of Tissue Deformations in Early Stages of Papillary Bladder Cancer (Dagmar Iber, D-BSSE)

Pascal Dominic Mueller Gravitational Wave Detection in Gaussian Noise using Deep Learning (Lavinia Heisenberg, D-PHYS)

Paul Michael Ochs *Topography Reconstructions of the Phanerozoic Based on Tectonic Data* (Taras Gerya, D-ERDW)

Florian Michel Pauschitz Inference of Capacity Constraints in Metabolic Networks from Data (Jörg Stelling, D-BSSE)

Niall Alexander Siegenheim Decomposition Approaches for Delays in Train Traffic (Francesco Corman, D-BAUG)

Timofey Shpakov Bayesian Deep Learning for Flood Detection (Konrad Schindler, D-BAUG) Nicolas Elias Stalder Convolutional filters and pooling in a deep neural network using deep feedback control as the learning method. (Benjamin Grewe, D-ITET)

David Strassmann Discontinuous Galerkin Limiters for Nonlinear Conservation Laws in MFEM (Roger Käppeli, D-MATH)

Marc Constantin Wanner On solving job-shop scheduling with quantum approximate optimization algorithms (Jonathan Home, D-PHYS)

#### **MSc-Theses**

Andrej Blaser *Metasurface simulation using coupled-mode theory on the example of a metalens* (Jasmin Smajic, D-ITET)

Robert Blass Automatic Generation of Winter Storm Warnings (David Bresch, D-USYS)

Matthias Busenhart *T-PRM: Temporal Probabilistic Roadmap for Path Planning in Dynamic Environments* (Margarita Chli, D-MAVT)

Fabrice Angelo Dal Farra Design, Simulation and Optimization of Terahertz Plasmonic Modulator Antennas (Jasmin Smajic, D-ITET)

Philipp Egg *CAD modeling and global registration from indoor LiDAR scans* (Roland Siegwart, D-MAVT)

Daniil Emtsev Joint end-to-end learning of 2D-3D features to solve the Blind Perspective-n-Point Problem (Luc Van Gool, D-ITET)

Mark Otto Frey Learning Sparse-to-Dense Matching for Visual SLAM (Marc Pollefeys, D-INFK)

Lea Fritschi *Parameter Inference for an Astrocyte Model using Machine Learning Approaches* (Stephan Klaas, D-ITET)

Patrik Simon Hadorn Shift-DeepONet: Extending Deep Operator Networks for Discontinuous Output Functions (Siddhartha Mishra, D-MATH)

Angelina Lucy Heusler Exploring classification methods for default risk assessment within a representative SME sample (Erich Walter Farkas, D-MATH) Langwen Huang Asynchronous and concurrent execution on GPUs using a high-level domain-specific language for weather and climate models (Christoph Schär, D-USYS)

Nils Knobloch Uncertainty Quantification for a Hybrid Healthcare Model (Julia Vogt, D-INFK)

Valerie Kulka *Two-dimensional blood flow simulations in synthetic stenosis using physics informed neural networks* (Sebastian Kozerke, D-ITET)

Philipp Lindenberger Learning Two-View Geometry from Sparse Correspondences (Marco Pollefeys, D-INFK)

Anton Maksimov Hyperbolic Heterogeneous Graph Neural Networks (Ce Zhang, D-INFK)

Ankur Sanjiv Magdum On solving optimisation problems in fluid dynamics with deep learning (Siddhartha Mishra, D-MATH)

Silvia Nauer An Efficient Boundary-Aware Stream function-Vorticity Fluid Solver with Controllable Viscosity (Markus Gross, D-INFK)

David Florian Ochsner *Richardson Extrapolation for Hamiltonian Simulation* (Ralf Hiptmair, D-MATH)

Michael Prasthofer On Machine Learning of Operators Arising in Partial Differential Equations (Siddhartha Mishra, D-MATH)

Vyacheslav Samokhvalov GPU-accelarated Poisson solver for the Navier-Stokes equations on an Adaptive Mesh (Petros Koumoutsakos,D-MAVT) Leonardo Schwarz Adaptive brain-like neural networks for control of robotic limbs in brain-inspired hardware (Indiveri Giacomo, D-ITET)

Patrick Lorenz Schwarz Ar Assistet Capture of Large Planar Geometries (Marc Pollefeys, D-INFK)

Mikael Stellio High-resolution climate modeling: The relevance of the physics-dynamics coupling for the representation of clouds in a kinematic model (Christoph Schär, D-USYS)

Alexis Sébatien Dominik Stockinger Multimodal self-supervised attention-based learning for 2D and 3D vision (Roland Siegwart, D-MAVT)

Wouter Rens Tonnon *A semi-Lagrangian approach to incompressible flow* (Ralf Hiptmair, D-MATH)

Ajaykumar Unagar Global Path Planning in a Digital-Twin (Marco Hutter, D-MAVT)

Luohong Wu Predicting Task-relevant Objects in Egocentric Videos (Otmar Hilliges, D-INFK)

Tianwei Yu Asymptotic-Preserving Plasma Model in 3D (Ralf Hiptmair, D-MATH)

#### **Semester-Theses**

Christoph Kwame Amevor Investigations on the Applicability of Physics-Informed Neural Networks to Topology Optimization of Shell Structures (Dennis Michael Kochmann, D-MAVT)

Noah Andrés Baumann Using High-Performance Uncertainty Quantification Framework to calibrate Interatomic Potentials (Petros Koumoutsakos, D-MAVT)

Luca Blum Impact of Box-Cox Transformation on Machine-Learning Algorithms (Carlo Menon, D-HEST)

Sean Alexander Bone Optimal design of a HESS for peak shaving BEV fast charging demand at a highway rest stop (Thomas Justus Schmidt – PSI, D-PHYS)

Matthias Simon Busenhart *Robotic Colony Building* (Stelian Coros, D-INFK)

Yutong Chao *Filtering in the Wasserstein Space* (Florian Doerfler, D-ITET)

Tiancheng Chen *LPG2vec: Towards learning-enhanced graph databases* (Torsten Höfler, D-INFK)

Han Yao Choong Differentiable Attention Neural Architecture Search for Single Image Super-Resolution (Luc Van Gool, D-ITET)

Léonard Equer Solving Differential Eigenvalue Problems with Deep Learning Techniques (Siddhartha Mishra, D-MATH)

Mark Frey Learned 6 Degree of Freedom Object Pose Detection on Mobile Devices (Marco Hutter, D-MAVT) Patrik Simon Hadorn Extending Deep Operator Networks for discontinuous output functions (Siddhartha Mishra, D-MATH)

Sebastian Heinekamp Critical Points for Large Scale Quantum Computation in Ion Storage Rings (Andreas Adelmann, D-PHYS)

Dominik Helmreich *Optimal Pre-training Tasks for sequential neural networks* (Emilio Frazzoli, D-MATH)

Angelina Lucy Heusler Computational a-posteriori error estimation for uncertainty quantification of eigenvalue problems (Christoph Schwab, D-MATH)

Lukas Joss Analysis of computational load imbalance in two global aerosol-climate models (Ulrike Lohmann, D-USYS)

Wiktor Hoffmann Informative Path Planning for Wind Prediction with a Fixed-Wing UAV (Nicholas Lawrance, D-MAVT)

Mirlan Karimov Event Camera Simulator With Optical Flow Ground Truth (Davide Scaramuzza, D-MAVT)

Fabian Kistler Code optimizations for solving earthquake physics and solid-fluid interactions (Gerya Taras, D-ERDW)

Benjamin Langer Amplicon windowing for ShoRAH (Niko Beerenwinkel, D-BSSE)

Ronan Jakob Lindörfer Spontaneous Speaker Recognition for Conversation Estimation (Mirko Meboldt, D-MAVT)

Laurens Lueg Learning Latent Space Dynamics Models from High-Dimensional Data using Distributional Gradient Matching (Rainer Krause, D-INFK) Yannick Niedermayr Implementation of Reduced Edge Subdomain Partitioning in Climate Modeling (Oliver Fuhrer – Meteo Suisse, D-USYS)

Xiaohe Niu Human Motion Analysis - Improving Spatio-Temporal Action Detection with Pseudo Pose Features (Luc Van Gool, D-ITET)

Safira Piasko Implementation of the Noah Land Surface Model Using a Domain-Specific Language (Oliver Fuhrer, D-USYS

Georg Pollak GPU accelerated next generation approximate Bayesian inference using R-INLA (Olaf Schenk, D-MATH)

Maxime Raafat Generative Models of Human Appearance (Siyu Tang, D-INFK)

Ning Ren BEM-Based Computation of Forces on Dielectrics (Ralf Hiptmair, D-MATH)

Vyacheslav Samokhvalov GPU-accelerated Poisson solver for the Navier-Stokes equations on an Adaptive Mesh (Petros Koumoutsakos, D-MAVT)

Theo Christoph Smertnig *Three Ways to Solve Partial Differential Equations with Neural Networks Applied to Physics and Finance* (Christoph Schwab, D-MATH)

Daniel Luca Stalder Hydrodynamical Simulation of Flow instabilities with the Meshless Finite Mass Method (Lucio Mayer, D-PHYS)

Kalmann Szenes Spectral clustering using a multilevel approach (Olaf Schenk, D-MATH)

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Parameter tuning of non-differentiable functions in high dimensional input spaces: applied to the blade element momentum method (Eleni Chatzi, D-BAUG)

#### Romeo Valentin

Estimating Calibrated Epistemic Uncertainty to enable efficient training data generation with Bayesian Optimization and Deep (Graph) Neural Networks (Andreas Krause, D-INFK)

# CSE Case Studies Seminar 3

The CSE Case Studies Seminar takes place each semester on Thursdays, 16 - 18 hours. Speakers from ETH, from other universities as well as from industry are invited to give a  $2 \times 45$  minutes talk on an applied topic. The idea is to show the students a case study of an application problem containing the problem setting, the modelling, the mathematical approach and the simulation on a computer. In addition, such a case study should show what is going on in the field of CSE and what are the job perspectives for a CSE engineer. Apart these invited talks, each student has to give a 15 minutes presentation based either on one of the own projects or on a paper which can be proposed by the student or can be taken from a given list of possible interesting papers. In Fall 2021 the CSE Case Studies Seminar was hold in a hybrid mode, while starting from Spring 2022 it was entierly in presence.

The titles of the invited talks during the past academic year are given in the two following lists.

#### **Case Studies Seminar HS21**

30.09.21	Christian Waldvogel spherene AG, Zürich Adaptive Density Minimal Surfaces: Discovery, Discrete Approximation, Application
07.10.21	Corentin Perret-Gentil, Philipp Krüsi Daedalean AG, Zürich
	Computer Vision for Aircraft of Today and Tomorrow
14.10.21	Robert Katzschmann Soft Robotics Lab, ETH Zurich Model-based Control of Soft Robots
18.11.21	Daniel Razansky Biomedical Engineering, ETH Zurich The Inverse Problem in Optoacoustic Imaging and Tomography
25.11.21	Olga Fink

Intelligent Maintenance Systems, ETH Zurich Fusing Physics-based and Deep Learning Algorithms for Fault Diagnostics and Prognostics

#### **Case Studies Seminar FS22**

- 03.03.22 David Sutter IBM Quantum, IBM Research - Zurich *Quantum Machine Learning*
- 10.03.22 Shinichi Sunagawa Microbiology and Bioinformatics, ETH Zurich *Computational Exploration of Microbial Diversity on Earth*
- 07.04.22 Laura De Lorenzis Numerische Mechanik, D-MAVT, ETH Zurich Modeling Fracture Phenomena in Solids through the Solution of PDEs
- 05.05.22 Sebastian Schemm, Guillaume Bertoli Atmosphäre und Klima, D-USYS, ETH Zurich Recent Challenges and Progress in Modelling Weather and Climate
- 19.05.22 Ulrik Brandes Soziale Netzwerke, D-GESS, ETH Zurich Positional Network Analysis

#### **Student Talks in the Case Studies Seminar HS21**

Paolo Bottoni (2021-10-21)
 Paper Nr. 82: Gaze Correction for Home Video Conferencing

2. Xiaohe Niu (2021-10-21)

Own paper: Chunhui Gu, Chen Sun, David A. Ross, Carl Vondrick, Caroline Pantofaru, Yeqing Li, Sudheendra Vijayanarasimhan, George Toderici, Susanna Ricco, Rahul Sukthankar, Cordelia Schmid, Jitendra Malik: AVA: A Video Dataset of Spatio-temporally Localized Atomic Visual Actions, Submitted on 23 May 2017 (v1), last revised 30 April 2018

3. Fabian Lyck (2021-10-21) Thesis Semester: Point-Line Structure-from-Motion in COLMAP

4. David Strassmann (2021-10-21) Paper Nr. 64: A New Vectorization Technique for Expression Templates in C++

5. Giacomo Aloisi (2021-10-21) Thesis Bachelor: OPoly: an OpenMP polyhedral compiler

6. Joshua Aurand (2021-10-21) Own paper: Ben Mildenhall, Pratul P. Srinivasan, Matthew Tancik, Jonathan T. Barron, Ravi Ramamoorthi, Ren Ng: NeRF: Representing Scenes as Neural Radiance Fields for View Synthesis, ECCV 2020 (oral), 3 Aug 2020

7. Ning Ren (2021-10-21) Paper Nr. 108: Position based dynamics

8. Levi Lingsch (2021-10-21)Paper Nr. 39: A cryptographic watermarking technique for multimedia signals

9. Benjamin Langer (2021-10-21) Paper Nr. 47: Pricing early-exercise and discrete barrier options by fourier-cosine series expansions

10. William Jones (2021-10-21)Paper Nr. 265: DeepBach: a Steerable Model for Bach Chorales Generation

11. Radenko Tanasic (2021-10-21)

Thesis Semester: Numerical option pricing under the Heston model including stochastic correlation.

12. Bjarne Koelle (2021-10-28)Paper Nr. 4: A comparative study of some pseudorandom number generators

13. Shengdi Chen (2021-10-28)

Own paper: JATOR, S. N.: Solving Second Order Initial-Value-Problems by a Hybrid Multistep Method without Predictors, Applied Mathematics and Computation: Volume 217, Issue 8, Pages 4036-4046 [2010-12-15]

14. Faveo Hoerold (2021-10-28)Paper Nr. 262: Time-domain simulation of a guitar: Model and method

15. Pascal Vogel (2021-10-28)Paper Nr. 188: A comparison of three high-precision quadrature schemes

16. Ciril Humbel (2021-10-28)Paper Nr. 89: A material point method for snow simulation

17. Veronica Montanaro (2021-10-28) Paper Nr. 197: A tutorial on fast fourier sampling, IEEE Signal Processing Magazine

18. Merle Backmeyer (2021-10-28) Thesis Bachelor: Simulation of quasistatic fields with the Darwin formulation

19. Philippe Peter (2021-10-28)Paper Nr. 187: CutFEM: discretizing geometry and partial differential equations

20. Jonas Luther (2021-10-28) Paper Nr. 113: Julia: A Fresh Approach to Numerical Computing

21. Samuel Martin (2021-10-28) Thesis Bachelor: Implementation of Finite Volume Methods in HPX

22. Thomas Baumann (2021-10-28)

Own paper: Alexandros Nikolaos Ziogas, Timo Schneider, Tal Ben-Nun, Alexandru Calotoiu, Tiziano De Matteis, Johannes de Fine Licht, Luca Lavarini, and Torsten Hoefler: Productivity, Portability, Performance: Data-Centric Python, Supercomputing '21: The International Conference for High Performance Computing, Networking, Storage, and Analysis, November 14–19, 2021

23. Pavel Lenskii (2021-10-28)Paper Nr. 67: A solution algorithm for the fluid dynamic equations based on a stochastic model for molecular motion

24. Sina Klampt (2021-11-04) Paper Nr. 29: Models change their tune

25. Jonas Gruetter (2021-11-04) Paper Nr. 55: Line graphs as social networks 26. Jonas Mensch (2021-11-04) Thesis Bachelor: Climate Effects on Biodiversity: Numerical Modelling

27. Gioele Molinari (2021-11-04)

Own paper: T. Haedrich, D. T. Banuti, W. Palubicki, S. Pirk, D. L. Michels: Fire in Paradise: Mesoscale Simulation of Wildfires, ACM Trans. Graph., Vol. 40, No. 4, Article 163. Publication date: August 2021

28. Lothar Heimbach (2021-11-04)Paper Nr. 68: Adjoint Tomography of the Southern California Crust

29. Dheeraj Peddinti (2021-11-04) Paper Nr. 18: Cellular Automation Approach to Pedestrian Dynamics - Theory

30. Luca Wolfart (2021-11-04) Paper Nr. 17: Simulating dynamical features of escape panic

31. Stanislaw Piasecki (2021-11-04)Paper Nr. 45: reCAPTCHA: Human-Based Character Recognition via Web Security Measures

32. Michael Vollenweider (2021-11-04)Paper Nr. 25: Inferring Cellular Networks Using Probabilistic Graphical Models

33. Yilu Chen (2021-11-04)Paper Nr. 175: Detection, tracking and event localization of jet stream features in 4-D atmospheric data

34. Nicolas Stalder (2021-11-04)Paper Nr. 23: Evolution in population dynamics

35. Kalman Szenes (2021-11-04) Paper Nr. 28: Quantification of modeling uncertainties in a large ensemble of climate change simulations

36. Noah Baumann (2021-11-11) Thesis Semester: Using High-Performance Uncertainty Quantification Framework to calibrate Interatomic Potentials

37. Damian Heer (2021-11-11) Thesis Bachelor: Visualisation of Wavefunctions in Quantummechanics

38. Ge Cao (2021-11-11)Own paper: SYUHEI SATO, YOSHINORI DOBASHI, THEODORE KIM: Stream-Guided Smoke Simulations, ACM Trans. Graph., August 2021

39. Francesco La Commare (2021-11-11)

Thesis Bachelor: "Linear Programming model for Oncological patients' appointment scheduling management"

40. Benjamin Krummenacher (2021-11-11) Paper Nr. 7: Surface Simplification Using Quadric Error Metrics

41. Diego Machain Rivera (2021-11-11) Paper Nr. 337: Dynamic Locomotion in the MIT Cheetah 3 Through Convex Model-Predictive Control

42. Wiktor Hoffmann (2021-11-11) Own paper: Fabio Ramos, Lionel Ott: Hilbert maps: Scalable continuous occupancy mapping with stochastic gradient descent, The International Journal of Robotics Research

43. Simon Bolt (2021-11-11) Paper Nr. 177: A fast SHAKE algorithm to solve distance constraint equations for small molecules in molecular dynamics simulations

44. Deifilia To (2021-11-11) Own paper: S. Reinhardt, M. Huber, B. Eberhardt, D. Weiskopf: Fully Asynchronous SPH Simulation, Proceedings of the ACM SIGGRAPH / Eurographics Symposium on Computer Animation, 2017

45. Stephanie Maier (2021-11-11) Paper Nr. 12: Quantum computing in molecular magnets

46. Severin Klapproth (2021-11-11) Paper Nr. 87: Haptic Quantum Chemistry

47. Manuel Winkler (2021-11-11)Paper Nr. 157: The FEniCS Project Version 1.5

48. Elisa Hoskovec (2021-12-02) Paper Nr. 258: Distillation as a Defense to Adversarial Perturbations against Deep Neural Networks

49. Timofey Shpakov (2021-12-02) Paper Nr. 232: ADAM:A Method for Stochastic Optimization

50. Manuel Schneider (2021-12-02)

Own paper: Yakup Kara, Melek Acar Boyacioglu, Ömer Kaan Baykan : Predicting direction of stock price index movement using artificial neural networks and support vector machines: The sample of the Istanbul Stock Exchange, Elsevier, May 2011:

https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0957417410011711

51. Han Yao Choong (2021-12-02)Paper Nr. 287: SuperPoint: Self-Supervised Interest Point Detection and Description

52. Dominik Helmreich (2021-12-02) Thesis Semester: Optimal Pretraining for Sequential Neural Networks

53. Leonard Equer (2021-12-02) Own paper: Xavier Glorot, Yoshua Bengio: Understanding the difficulty of training deep feedforward neural networks, Proceedings of Machine Learning Research, 2010

54. Vihang Puranik (2021-12-02) Own paper: M. Chu, N. Thuerey : Data-driven synthesis of smoke flows with CNNbased feature descriptors, ACM Transactions on Graphics - Volume 36, Issue 4, July 2017 - Article No.: 69 - pp 1–14

55. Mariana Osorio Olvera (2021-12-02) Own paper: Tobias Pfaff, Meire Fortunato, Alvaro Sanchez-Gonzalez, Peter W. Battaglia: Learning Mesh-Based Simulation with Graph Networks, International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR), 2021

56. Maximilian Herde (2021-12-02) Paper Nr. 334: Critical learning periods in deep networks

57. Tiancheng Chen (2021-12-02) Paper Nr. 329: Neural Execution of Graph Algorithms

58. Laurens Lueg (2021-12-02) Own paper: Lenart Treven, Philippe Wenk, Florian Dörfler, Andreas Krause: Distributional Gradient Matching for Learning Uncertain Neural Dynamics Models, arXiv preprint

59. Nicholas Engel (2021-12-09)Paper Nr. 30: Modelling the recent common ancestry of all living humans

60. Ondrej Cernin (2021-12-09) Paper Nr. 38: A simple rule for the evolution of cooperation on graphs and social networks

61. Paul Ochs (2021-12-09)Paper Nr. 24: Evolution Dynamics of Biological Games

62. Zuzanna Herud (2021-12-09) Paper Nr. 343: Interactive Wood Combustion for Botanical Tree Models 63. Noe Canevascini (2021-12-09)

Paper Nr. 247: BERT: Pre-training of Deep Bidirectional Transformers for Language Understanding

64. Fabiano Sasselli (2021-12-09) Thesis Bachelor: Stochastic Modeling of Dispersion in Fractured Porous Media

65. Marie-Louise Achart (2021-12-09) Paper Nr. 307: Forward-mode Differentiation of Maxwell's Equations

66. David Lichtenstein (2021-12-09) Paper Nr. 137: Reciprocal n-Body Collision Avoidance

67. Niall Siegenheim (2021-12-09)

Own paper: Luca Schweri, Sebastien Foucher, Jingwei Tang, Vinicius C. Azevedo, Tobias Günther and Barbara Solenthaler: A Physics-Aware Neural Network Approach for Flow Data Reconstruction From Satellite Observations, Front. Clim., 09 April 2021

68. Moritz Tanner (2021-12-09)Paper Nr. 333: A Regularized CNN for Semantic Image Segmentation

69. Anna Hutter (2021-12-09)

Own paper: BINH HUY LE, SEED - Electronic Arts, USA KEVEN VILLENEUVE, SEED - Electronic Arts, Canada CARLOS GONZALEZ-OCHOA, Independent Researcher, USA: Direct Delta Mush Skinning Compression with Continuous Examples, ACM Trans. Graph., Vol. 40, No. 4, Article 72. Publication date: August 2021

70. Pascal Mueller (2021-12-09) Own paper: Ella Gale, Andrew Adamatzky & Ben de Lacy Costello : Slime Mould Memristors, Springer Link, 19 November 2014

71. Davide Staub (2021-12-16) Thesis Bachelor: Simulation of micron-scale robots

72. Claudio Cannizzaro (2021-12-16) Thesis Bachelor: Numerical Modelling of Subduction Zones: fluid solid coupling with episodic tremor and slow slip

73. Francesco Casucci (2021-12-16) Paper Nr. 156: Online Generation of Collision-Free Trajectories for Quadrotor Flight in Unknown Cluttered Environments

74. Yutong Chao (2021-12-16) Paper Nr. 100: Stable optimal control applied to a cylindrical robotic arm

75. Mirlan Karimov (2021-12-16)

Thesis Semester: Literature Review on Remote Terrain Sensing for Safe Navigation

76. Rafael Steiner (2021-12-16)Paper Nr. 259: Chance-Constrained Optimal Altitude Control of a Rocket

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