



**The 6th Jc-IFToMM International Symposium**  
(in conjunction with **The 29th Jc-IFToMM Symposium**  
**on Theory of Machines and Mechanisms**)



Date: May 12 (Friday), 2023

Venue: The University of Tokyo, Hongo Campus (Tokyo, Japan)

**Program:**

**Opening Ceremony**

- 9:30     Opening address by Nobuyuki Iwatsuki (Tokyo Tech.), President of Jc-IFToMM

**Session 1 Mechanisms**

(9:35 - 10:35)

Chair: Akio Yamamoto (Univ. Tokyo)

- 9:35     Self-excited valve inspired by vocal code

\*Hiroyuki Nabae, Eigo Kitamura, Koichi Suzumori (Tokyo Tech.)

- 9:50     Multiobjective optimization of a cable-driven robot for wrist rehabilitation using a genetic algorithm  
\*Andrea Botta (Tokyo Tech./Politecnico di Torino), Giuseppe Quaglia (Politecnico di Torino), Yukio Takeda (Tokyo Tech.)

- 10:05    Adaptive landing of an underactuated leg mechanism constrained with springs and its application to walking robot

Yuma Yokota, \*Nobuyuki Iwatsuki, Kotaro Hoshiba (Tokyo Tech.)

- 10:20    Generation method of polygonal shapes with fillets bases on the gear meshing theory

\*Daisuke Matsuura, Daisuke Hashioka, Tsune Kobayashi (Tokyo Tech.)

10:35 - 10:45     Break

**Keynote Talk**

(10:45 - 11:15)

Chair: Nobuyuki Iwatsuki (Tokyo Tech.)

- 10:45    Robot and navigation system for minimally invasive surgery

Prof. Etsuko Kobayashi (Univ. Tokyo)

**Advanced Research Seminar**

(11:15 - 11:45)

Chair: Kenji Hashimoto (Waseda Univ.)

- 11:15    In vitro study using mechanical vibration for the development of regenerative therapy application

Prof. Chikahiro Imashiro (Univ. Tokyo)

11:45 - 12:45     Lunch Break

12:45 - 14:00     General Assembly of Jc-IFToMM (Jc-IFToMM members only)

14:00 - 14:10     Break

**Session 2 Human assistive devices**

(14:10 - 15:25)

Chair: Masaharu Komori (Kyoto Univ.)

- 14:10 An assistive device for ankle motion

\*Takamaru Saito, Jiang Ming, Yusuke Sugahara, Yukio Takeda (Tokyo Tech.), Marco Ceccarelli (Univ. of Rome Tor Vergata)

- 14:25 Stacked and folded bimetal sheets as a compliant actuator

\*Noritomo Kota, Shunsuke Yoshimoto, Akio Yamamoto (Univ. Tokyo)

- 14:40 3D human motion acquisition and evaluation system based on openpose and 3D reconstruction for remote rehabilitation and exercise

\*Keisuke Osawa, Yu You, Yi Sun, Shun Zhang (Waseda Univ.), Megumi Shimodozono (Kagoshima Univ.), Eiichiro Tanaka (Waseda Univ.)

- 14:55 A friction-based passive haptic mouse using 2-stage electro-adhesion

\*Naoya Matsutani, Shunsuke Yoshimoto, Akio Yamamoto (Univ. Tokyo)

- 15:10 Design and simulation of a novel finger exoskeleton based on shape memory alloy actuators

\*Elio Matteo Curcio, Giuseppe Carbone (Univ. of Calabria)

15:25 - 15:35 Break

**Session 3 Modeling and evaluation**

(15:35 - 16:50)

Chair: Yukio Takeda (Tokyo Tech.)

- 15:35 Mobile robotics for industrial applications

\*Rocco Galati, Giacomo Mantriota, Giulio Reina (Polytechnic Univ. of Bari)

- 15:50 Head shaking test: human balance ability evaluation test by estimating control parameters for fall preventions

\*Emiko Uchiyama (Univ. Tokyo), Wataru Takano (Osaka Univ.), Yoshihiko Nakamura, Tomoki Tanaka, Katsuya Iijima (Univ. Tokyo)

- 16:05 User-friendly interface for trajectory learning of an assistive mobile manipulator

\*Lorenzo Baglieri, Luigi Tagliavini, Andrea Botta, Giovanni Colucci, Giuseppe Quaglia (Politecnico di Torino)

- 16:20 Experimental testing of the torveastro astronaut robot

\*Jorge Enrique Araque Ishidro, Marco Ceccarelli (Univ. of Rome Tor Vergata)

- 16:35 Experimental characterization of a flexible joint with controlled stiffness for the development of a rehabilitation passive hand

\*Mohammad Jabari, Giovanni Colucci, Luigi Tagliavini, Lorenzo Baglieri, Carmen Visconte (Politecnico di Torino)

16:50 - 17:00 Break

**Closing Ceremony**

- 17:00 Young Investigator Fund, Best Paper Award Ceremony

Chair: Atsushi Konno (Hokkaido Univ.)

- 17:15 Closing address by Masaharu Komori (Kyoto Univ.), Vice-president of Jc-IFToMM