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Ph.D. in Robotics

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Work Experience

- 2021-now **Xiaomi Inc.**
Senior Hardware Engineer, [Xiaomi Robotics Lab](#), Beijing, China.
- 2020-2021 **Rokae Robotics.**
Mechatronics Engineer, [Robotic R&D Center](#), Beijing, China.
- 2019–2020 **Italian Institute of Technology (IIT).**
Post Doc, [Humanoid and Human Centered Mechatronics](#), Genoa, Italy.

Education

- 2015–2019 **Italian Institute of Technology (IIT) & University of Genoa (UniGe).**
Ph.D. in Robotics, Advanced Robotics (ADVR), Genoa, Italy.
- 2011–2015 **Zhejiang University.**
B.E in Mechatronics, [Chu Kochen Honors College \(CKC\)](#), Hangzhou, China.

Research Interests

Under-Actuated Hands, Series Elastic Actuator, Cobot Actuators
Tendon Driven Mechanism, Articulated Robots, Mechatronics Design

Skills and Expertise

- R & D Tools Design: PTC Creo, SolidWorks, AutoCAD
Simulation and Modeling: ANSYS, Adams, MATLAB Simulink, Gazebo & ROS
- Engineering Assembly & Maintain Documentation, CNC Manufacturing Process, Precise Manual Assembly
- Academic Latex + JabRef, Word + Zotero, Academical Presentation
- Multimedia Filmora, Kdenlive, Inkscape, SketchUp
- Language English (fluent), Chinese (mother tongue)

Projects

- 2020-2021 **xMate CR**, *ROKAE*, Beijing.
Design and develop high performance [xMate CR7 cobot](#) and its series actuators *GIA*.
- 2017-2020 **CENTAURO**, *IIT*, Genoa, European Project H2020-ICT-23-2014.
Design and develop tendon driven based under-actuated hands (*HERI Hand*) for [CENTAURO robot](#).
- 2015-2017 **WALK-MAN**, *IIT*, Genoa, European Project FP7-ICT-2013-10.
Design and develop a novel 3-DoF robotic leg ([eLeg](#)) for explosive and energy efficient motion.
- 2013-2015 **ZJUNlict**, *Zhejiang University*, Hangzhou, RoboCup SSL.
Design and develop omni-wheeled [soccer robots](#) for RoboCup SmallSize League.

Awards

- 2020.10 **Z-Park U30, Winner.**
[30 under 30](#) in Zhong Guan Cun Science Park (Z-Park), Beijing, China
- 2014.07 **RoboCup, Championship.**
[Member of ZJUNlict](#), Championship of 2014 RoboCup SmallSize League, Joao Pessoa, Brazil

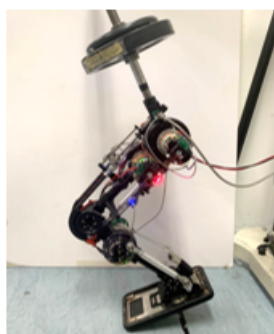
Publications

- 2021 E. Barrett, **Z. Ren**, N. G. Tsagarakis, "*Grasping with Embedded Synergies through a Reconfigurable Electric Actuation Topology*", in IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS).
- 2020 V. D. Amara, J. Malzahn, **Z. Ren**, W. Roozing, N. G. Tsagarakis, "*On the Efficient Control of Series-Parallel Compliant Articulated Robots*", in IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA).
- 2019 W. Roozing, **Z. Ren**, N. G. Tsagarakis, "*An Efficient Leg with Series-Parallel and Biarticular Compliant Actuation: Design Optimisation, Modelling, and Control of the eLeg*", in International Journal of Robotics Research (IJRR).
- 2019 T. Klamt, D. Rodriguez, L. Baccelliere, Et al., **Z. Ren**, Et al., U. Suess, N. Tsagarakis and S. Behnke, "*Flexible Disaster Response of Tomorrow - Final Presentation and Evaluation of the CENTAURO System*", in IEEE Robotics and Automation Magazine (RAM).
- 2019 N. Kashiri, L. Baccelliere, L. Muratore, A. Laurenzi, **Z. Ren**, E. Hoffman, G. Rigano, Et al., N. G. Tsagarakis, "*CENTAURO: A Hybrid Locomotion and High Power Resilient Manipulation Platform*", in IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters (RAL)
- 2018 **Z. Ren**, W. Roozing and N. G. Tsagarakis, "*The eLeg: A Novel Efficient Leg Prototype Powered by Adjustable Parallel Compliant Actuation Principles*", in IEEE-RAS International Conference on Humanoid Robots (Humanoids).
- 2018 W. Roozing, **Z. Ren** and N. G. Tsagarakis, "*Design of a novel 3-dof leg with series and parallel compliant actuation for energy efficient articulated robots*", in IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA).
- 2018 **Z. Ren**, N. Kashiri, C. Zhou and N. G. Tsagarakis, "*HERI II: A Robust and Flexible Robotic Hand based on Modular Finger design and Under Actuation Principles*", in IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS).
- 2017 **Z. Ren**, C. Zhou, S. Xin and N. G. Tsagarakis, "*HERI Hand: A Quasi Dexterous and Powerful Hand with Asymmetrical Finger Dimensions and Under Actuation*", in IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS).
- 2014 C. Li, R. Xiong, **Z. Ren**, T. Jian and Y. Zhao "*Zjunlict: Robocup 2014 small size league champion*", in Robot Soccer World Cup, Spring Cham, 47-59.

Robots that I Built



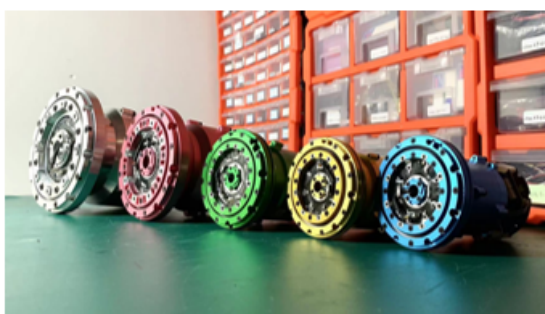
HERI-II Hand



eLeg



ROKAE-CR7



ROKAE-GIA



Xiaomi-CyberOne