

## Summer School Venues



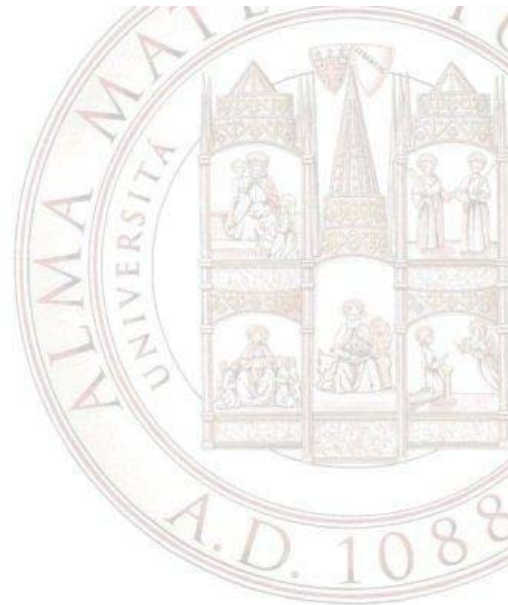
Tenuta Bonzara  
Monte S. Pietro Bologna, Italy



Romanic Abbey  
Badia Bologna, Italy



The Summer School is primarily addressed to researchers and professionals interested in the most recent advances on assistive and rehabilitation technologies for the neuro-motor function. The program will include topics as portable sensors and systems, wireless communications, biofeedback devices, Virtual Reality-based systems. Several round table discussions and an industry corner will give to all the participants the opportunity to be introduced to different applications.



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# 1<sup>st</sup> Summer School on ADVANCED TECHNOLOGIES FOR NEURO-MOTOR ASSESSMENT AND REHABILITATION

**18 – 24 June 2006**

Monte S. Pietro

**BOLOGNA, ITALY**



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## Scientific Committee

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## Partners

- Institute for Biomedical Technology (BMTI), Faculty of Electrical Engineering, Mathematics and Computer Science, University of Twente, Enschede, The Netherlands
- Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Harvard Medical School, Boston, U.S.A.
- STARTER: Strategic Network for Assistive & Rehabilitation Technology in Emilia-Romagna

## School Venue

Tenuta Bonzara, Monte S. Pietro (Bologna IT) v. S.Chierlo 37/A

# SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

### Sunday 18 June (*Badia Romanic Abbey*)

- 16,30** Registration
- 17,15** Opening Ceremony
- 18,00** Opening Lecture. Human movement analysis: state of the art and future perspectives  
*Prof. Aurelio Cappozzo (IUSM, Rome IT)*
- 19,15** Welcome Party

### Monday 19 June

- 9,00** Neurophysiology of movement and posture  
*Dr Antonio Nardone (Fondazione Maugeri, Veruno IT)*
- 10,30 Coffee Break
- 10,45** Theoretical foundations of technology-based neuroscience research  
*Dr Yuri Ivanenko (Osp. Santa Lucia, Rome IT)*
- 12,15** Discussion
- 13,00 Lunch

### **14,00** Industry Corner

### **14,45** Round Table 1: The clinical questions to technology

*Dr A. Nardone, Prof A. Cappozzo, Eng A.Davalli and Dr M.Manca-Arcispedale S.Anna Ferrara, IT*

### **16,15** Coffee Break

### **16,30** Biomechanics of human movement

*Prof Angelo Cappello (University of Bologna, IT)*

### **18,00** Discussion

### Tuesday 20 June

### **9,00** Inertial sensors for human movement assessment: functioning principles

*Dr Laura Rocchi (University of Bologna, IT)*

### **10,30** Coffee Break

### **10,45** Methods of sensory information processing for inertial sensors in human movement studies

*Prof Angelo Sabatini (Scuola Sup. Sant'Anna, Pisa, IT)*

### **12,15** Discussion

13,00 Lunch

*Afternoon Social Activities*

### Wednesday 21 June

### **9,00** Kalman filtering: theory and applications

*Dr Silvio Simani (University of Ferrara, IT)*

10,30 Coffee Break

### **10,45** 3-D inertial and magnetic sensing of human motion - theoretical and methodological issues

*Prof Peter Veltink (University of Twente, NL)*

### **12,15** Discussion

13,00 Lunch

### **14,00** Industry Corner

### **14,45** 3-D inertial and magnetic sensing of human motion - promising applications

*Prof Peter Veltink (University of Twente, NL)*

### **16,15** Coffee Break

### **16,30** Selected presentation from attendees

### **18,00** Discussion

### Thursday 22 June

### **9,00** Software design for sensor-based mobile platforms

*Prof Tullio Salmon Cinotti, Dr Luca Roffia (University of Bologna, IT)*

**10,30** Coffee Break

### **10,45** WBANS: Wireless Body Area Networks

*Prof Luca Benini (University of Bologna, IT)*

### **12,15** Discussion

13,00 Lunch

### **14,00** Industry Corner

*Afternoon Social Activities*

### Friday 23 June

### **9,00** Interactive virtual environments: from design to implementation.

*Tiziano Diamanti, Antonella Guidazzoli (CINECA, IT)*

**10,30** Coffee Break

### **10,45** Ambulatory systems for monitoring physical activity. Technological issues in fall prevention in the elderly

*Dr Kamiar Aminian (EPFL Lausanne, CH)*

### **12,15** Discussion

13,00 Lunch

### **14,00** Industry Corner

### **14,45** Advances in wearable technology and applications in physical medicine and rehabilitation

*Prof Paolo Bonato (Harvard Medical School, Boston MA)*

**16,15** Coffee Break

### **16,30** Round Table 2: Future & emerging technologies: over and under the skin

*Prof K.Aminian, Prof P.Bonato,*

*Prof D. De Rossi- University of Pisa, IT*

### **18,00** Discussion

### Saturday 24 June

### **9,00** Closed loop solutions for motor rehabilitation

*Prof. Lorenzo Chiari (University of Bologna, IT)*

**10,30** Coffee Break

### **10,45** Ambient Intelligence systems for disabled people

*Eng Angelo Davalli (INAIL Prosthetic center, Budrio (BO), IT)*

**12,15** Discussion

**13,00** Lunch & Conclusions

## General information

**Official language:** English

**Application procedure:** Registration through the website [www.starter-project.com/summerschool.htm](http://www.starter-project.com/summerschool.htm)

Deadline: 15th April 2006

**Registration fee:** 700 Euro (board, accommodation, coffee breaks and study material included)

**Accommodations:** A wide network of farm houses will provide accommodation to all participants. A shuttle bus will connect the farm houses and the school venue.

**ECTS credits:** 2

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