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40. **Zhou, X.** and Lu, J., "Deformable Solid Modeling Using NURBS-Based Finite Element Method", 116th Annual Meeting of the Iowa Academy of Science, The University of Northern Iowa, Cedar Falls, IA, USA, April 2004
41. Wang, Y., **Zhou, X.**, Wang, C., and Mu, X., "Study of the Resistance Center of Middle Face Advancement with LeFort I Distraction Osteogenesis", Proceedings of 7th National Conference on Orthodontics (in Chinese), Xi'an, China, 2004
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8. HONORS AND AWARDS

Best Paper Award, "*Prediction of Walking Kinematics and Muscle Activities under Idealized Lower Limb Exoskeleton Assistances*", 7th International Digital Human Modeling Symposium (DHM 2022), Iowa City, IA, 2022

Outstanding Presentation Award, "*A Fatigable Musculoskeletal Model for Prediction of Neck Maneuvering Loadings on Aviators*", 2nd International Digital Human Modeling Symposium, Arbor, MI, June 11-13, 2013

Graduate Student Travel Awards for the ACM Symposium on Solid and Physical Modeling, 2005

Graduate with Honor, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, 2003

9. PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Reviewer:

Acta Biomaterialia

Applied Sciences

ASME Journal of Engineering and Science in Medical Diagnostics and Therapy

Communications in Nonlinear Science and Numerical Simulation

Computer Animation and Virtual Worlds

Critical Reviews in Biomedical Engineering

Frontiers in Neurorobotics

Gait & Posture
Heliyon
IDETC-CIE, International Design Engineering Technical Conferences & Computers and Information in Engineering Conference, 2019-2023
IEEE/ASME Transactions on Mechatronics
IEEE Transactions on Artificial Intelligence
IEEE Transactions on Automation Science and Engineering
IEEE Transactions on Biomedical Engineering
IEEE Transactions on Cybernetics
IEEE Transactions on Human-Machine Systems
IEEE/ASME Transactions on Mechatronics
IEEE Transactions on Neural Systems & Rehabilitation Engineering
IIE Transactions on Occupational Ergonomics and Human Factors
International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS)
International Journal of Vehicle Design
International Journal of Advanced Robotic Systems
International Journal of Robotics and Automation
International Journal of Human Factors Modelling and Simulation (IJHFMS)
International Journal of Humanoid Robotics
Journal of Biomechanical Engineering
Journal of Computing and Information Science in Engineering
Journal of Human Factors and Ergonomics in Manufacturing & Service Industries
Journal of Mechanisms and Robotics
Journal of NeuroEngineering and Rehabilitation
Mathematical Biosciences and Engineering
PLOS ONE
Robotica
Scientific Reports
Sensors
The 22nd World Congress of the International Federation of Automatic Control (IFAC WAC 2023)

Session Organizer

ASME International Design Engineering Technical Conferences & Computers and Information in Engineering Conference (IDETC-CIE) 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 Conference

Guest Editor:

Special Issue on “Dynamics in Digital Human Modelling and Simulation” of IJHFMS, 2010

Academic Editor:

PLOS ONE Editorial Board, 2024-present

10. INVITED PRESENTATIONS

“Control of Exoskeleton with Reinforcement Learning and Sim-to-real Transfer”, Department of Mechanical Engineering, The City University of New York (CUNY), November 21, 2024

“Optimizing Exoskeleton Assistance with Neuromusculoskeletal Simulations and Reinforcement Learning”, Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Seminar, Rutgers University, Piscataway, NJ, September 25, 2024

“Evaluation of the Impact of Heavy Loads and Wearable Assistive Devices on the Performance of Occupational Workers”, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) Seminar, Pittsburgh, PA, June 13, 2024

“Predicting Optimized Exoskeleton Assistance to Walking and Its Effects on Neuromusculoskeletal Adaptation”, NJIT, Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, 2022

“Optimizing Exoskeleton Assistance from the Perspectives of Neuromusculoskeletal Biomechanics”, Lehigh University, Department of Bioengineering, 2021

“Neuromusculoskeletal Biomechanics and Its Applications on Assistive Device Design and Rehabilitation”, Biomedical Engineering Seminar, SUNY Downstate Health Sciences University, Brooklyn, NY, October 16, 2019

“Personalized Human Modeling: from Anthropometry and Anatomy to Biomechanics and Physiology”, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX, October 7, 2019

“From Human-in-the-Loop Simulations to the Design of Robotic Assistive Devices”, Department of Mechanical Engineering, City College of New York, October 3, 2019

“Design and Evaluation of Exoskeletons with Neuromusculoskeletal Modeling”, 16th International Symposium on Computer Methods in Biomechanics and Biomedical Engineering and 4th Conference on Imaging and Visualization, August 14-16, 2019, New York City, USA,

“Modeling and Evaluation of Exoskeletons and Exosuits for Rehabilitation and Occupational Tasks”, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Morgantown, WV, June 24, 2019

“Modeling of Wearable Robots for Assistance to Human Musculoskeletal Motions”, Soft Robotics and Robot Learning Workshop, City University of New York (CUNY), NYC, June 06, 2019

“Human-in-the-loop Controller Evaluation for Assistive Exoskeletons”, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department Seminar, Tandon School of Engineering, New York University, April 25, 2019

“Modeling and Evaluation of an Admittance Controlled Hand Exoskeleton for Neuromuscular Rehabilitation”, 45th Annual Northeast Bioengineering Conference (NEBEC), Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, March 20-22, 2019

“Warfighter Biodynamics, Fatigue and Injury Protection: Modeling Perspectives”, SUNY Downstate Medical Center, November 2013

“Virtual Human Modeling for Warfighter Protection and Performance”, Mississippi State University, September 2011

11. SPONSORED RESEARCH

At NJIT

1. **Title:** AI-Powered Lower Extremity Rehabilitation Exoskeleton Control for Personalized Assistance

– **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 02/2025 – 02/2026 **Award Amount:** \$50K

– **Funding Source:** New Jersey Health Foundation

2. **Title:** AI-Powered Rehabilitation Exoskeleton Control for Human Mobility Restoration
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 04/2025 – 04/2026 **Award Amount:** \$50K
 - **Funding Source:** NJIT Grace Hopper AI Research Institute Seed Grant Program
3. **Title:** Rehabilitation Engineering Research Center (RERC) on Advancing Rehabilitation Technologies for Ambulation, "Development and Implementation of a Personalized Controller for Lower Extremity Robotic Exoskeletons Using Machine and Deep Reinforcement Learning"
 - **Role:** Co-I **Award Period:** 09/2024 – 08/2029 **Award Amount:** \$300.5K
 - **Funding Source:** US Dept of Health & Human Services (HHS), National Institute on Disability, Independent Living and Rehabilitation Research (NIDILRR) (90REGE0025-01-00)
 - **Lead PI Institute:** Kessler Foundation, total funding \$ 4,624K
4. **Title:** Development of Mixed Reality Environments for Brain Imaging and Neuromodulation Applications in Neurorehabilitation
 - **Role:** Co-PI **Award Period:** 07/2024 – 06/2025 **Award Amount:** \$5K
 - **Funding Source:** NJIT Faculty Seed Grant FY24
5. **Title:** Assessing the Impact of Passive Exoskeletons on Manual Material Handling on Construction Elevators
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 09/2023 – 03/2025 **Award Amount:** \$39.2K
 - **Funding Source:** National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) (75D30123P17823)
6. **Title:** Initial Evaluation on Exoskeleton Support for Older Warehouse Workers
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 07/2024 – 02/2025 **Award Amount:** \$24K
 - **Funding Source:** National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) (75D30124P18941)
7. **Title:** Isogeometric Mesh Generation and Deformation for Fluid-Structure Interaction Problems in Mobility Applications
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 07/2022 – 07/2024 **Award Amount:** \$330K
 - **Funding Source:** Army CCDC Army Research Laboratory STTR Phase II (W911NF-20-P-0008)/Subcontract
8. **Title:** Evaluation of Self-contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) Design and Weight on Firefighter Musculoskeletal Loadings
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 09/2020 – 06/2024 **Award Amount:** \$193.6K
 - **Funding Source:** National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) (75D30120P08812)
9. **Title:** Digital Engineering - Toolkit to Produce Common Adaptive Mesh for Virtual Reality-based Multidisciplinary Interactive Design of Naval Aircraft
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 06/2023 – 12/2023 **Award Amount:** \$42K
 - **Funding Source:** Navy STTR Phase I (N6833523C0421)/Subcontract
10. **Title:** Augmented Reality Triage Aid for Medics: Visualization of Trauma and Decision Support for Combat Casualty Care
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 09/2021 – 09/2023 **Award Amount:** \$932.9K
 - **Funding Source:** US Army Medical Research and Development Command (USAMRDC)(W81XWH2230005).
11. **Title:** Biomechanical Modeling and Simulation of Human-Exoskeleton Interaction

- **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 06/2022 – 08/2023 **Award Amount:** \$15K
- **Funding Source:** National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) (75D30122P14469)
- 12. **Title:** Development of Optimal Exoskeleton Control Strategies and Its Evaluation: a Subject-Specific Muscle-tendon Dynamics Approach
 - **Role:** Co-PI **Award Period:** 07/2022 – 06/2023 **Award Amount:** \$5K
 - **Funding Source:** NJIT Faculty Seed Grant FY22
- 13. **Title:** Isogeometric Mesh Generation and Deformation for Fluid-Structure Interaction Problems in Mobility Applications
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 01/2020 – 07/2020 **Award Amount:** \$66.5K
 - **Funding Source:** Army CCDC Army Research Laboratory STTR Phase I (W911NF-20-P-0008)/Subcontract
- 14. **Title:** Dynamic Warfighter Avatars with Complete Anatomy
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 10/2018 – 08/2020 **Award Amount:** \$150K
 - **Funding Source:** Army Research Institute of Environmental Medicine (USRIEM) SBIR Phase II (W81XWH-18-C0100)/Subcontract
- 15. **Title:** Augmented Reality Surgical Visualization
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 08/2019 – 01/2020 **Award Amount:** \$47K
 - **Funding Source:** Defense Health Agency (DHA) SBIR Phase I (W81XWH-19-C-0133)/Subcontract
- 16. **Title:** Design and Evaluation of Balance Controllers for a Lower Leg Exoskeleton for Rehabilitation
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 07/2019 – 06/2020 **Award Amount:** \$10K
 - **Funding Source:** NJIT Faculty Seed Grant FY20

At CFDRRC

Serving as PI or Co-PI:

1. **Title:** Burn Injury Assessment Tool with Morphable 3d Human Body Models-Phase II
 - **Role:** Co-PI **Award Period:** 06/2017 – 10/2019 **Award Amount:** \$1M
 - **Funding Source:** Army Institute of Surgical Research SBIR (W81XWH-17-C-0018)
2. **Title:** Dynamic Warfighter Avatars with Complete Anatomy - Phase I
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 10/2017 – 04/2018 **Award Amount:** \$150K
 - **Funding Source:** Army Research Institute of Environmental Medicine (USRIEM) SBIR (W81XWH-17-C-0108)
3. **Title:** Shoulder Injury Risk and Exertion Assessment Tool - Phase II
 - **Role:** Co-PI **Award Period:** 07/2015 – 12/2017 **Award Amount:** \$1M
 - **Funding Source:** Army Defense Health Program (DHP) SBIR (W81XWH-14-C-0034)
4. **Title:** A Neck Injury Assessment Tool for Prolonged Wear of Head Supported Mass - Phase II
 - **Role:** PI **Award Period:** 04/2015 – 09/2017 **Award Amount:** \$1M
 - **Funding Source:** Army Defense Health Program (DHP) SBIR (W81XWH-14-C-0003)
5. **Title:** Burn Injury Assessment Tool with Morphable 3d Human Body Models - Phase I
 - **Role:** Co-PI **Award Period:** 09/2015 – 04/2017 **Award Amount:** \$150K
 - **Funding Source:** Army Institute of Surgical Research SBIR (W81XWH-15-C-0148)
6. **Title:** Whole-body Anthropometric Design Models for Protective Equipment Design - Phase II

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| – | Role: PI | Award Period: 06/2014 – 12/2016 | Award Amount: \$1M |
| – | Funding Source: Army Natick Soldier Systems Center SBIR (W911QY-14-C-0030) | | |
| 7. | Title: Fast, Anatomy and Physiology Based Computational Tool for RF-Induced Thermal Response - Phase II | | |
| – | Role: Co-PI | Award Period: 04/2014 – 07/2016 | Award Amount: \$1M |
| – | Funding Source: Air Force Research Lab (AFRL) Bioeffects Division SBIR (FA8650-14-C-6514) | | |
| 8. | Title: A Neck Injury Assessment Tool for Prolonged Wear of Head Supported Mass - Phase I | | |
| – | Role: PI | Award Period: 01/2014 – 10/2014 | Award Amount: \$150K |
| – | Funding Source: Army Defense Health Program (DHP) SBIR (W81XWH-14-C-0003) | | |
| 9. | Title: Shoulder Injury Risk and Exertion Assessment Tool - Phase I | | |
| – | Role: Co-PI | Award Period: 01/2014 – 10/2014 | Award Amount: \$150K |
| – | Funding Source: Army Defense Health Program (DHP) SBIR (W81XWH-14-C-0034) | | |
| 10. | Title: An Interactive Software Tool for Design and Evaluation of Body Wearable Devices - Phase I | | |
| – | Role: PI | Award Period: 12/2013 – 06/2014 | Award Amount: \$100K |
| – | Funding Source: Army Research Institute of Environmental Medicine (USARIEM) SBIR (W81XWH-14-C-0050) | | |
| 11. | Title: Whole-body Anthropometric Design Models for Protective Equipment Design - Phase I | | |
| – | Role: PI | Award Period: 10/2012 – 06/2014 | Award Amount: \$150K |
| – | Funding Source: Army Natick Soldier Systems Center SBIR (W911QY-13-P-0002) | | |
| 12. | Title: An Interactive Voxel Model Posing and Anthropometric Morphing Tool - Phase I | | |
| – | Role: PI | Award Period: 06/2013 – 03/2014 | Award Amount: \$150K |
| – | Funding Source: AFRL Bioeffects Division SBIR (FA8650-13-M-6446) | | |
| 13. | Title: Fast, Anatomy and Physiology Based Computational Tool for RF-Induced Thermal Response - Phase I | | |
| – | Role: Co-PI | Award Period: 06/2012 – 03/2013 | Award Amount: \$150K |
| – | Funding Source: AFRL Bioeffects Division SBIR (FA8650-12-M-6339) | | |
| 14. | Title: Integrated Warfighter-Centric Simulation Tools for Protective Equipment Design (PPE) - Phase I | | |
| – | Role: PI | Award Period: 06/2011 – 01/2012 | Award Amount: \$80K |
| – | Funding Source: ONR SBIR (N00014-11-M-0286) | | |
| 15. | Title: A Software Tool for Predicting Neck Loads and Fatigue During Military Mission Tasks - Phase I | | |
| – | Role: PI | Award Period: 10/2010 – 04/2011 | Award Amount: \$70K |
| – | Funding Source: Office of Naval Research (ONR) SBIR (N00014-10-M-0447) | | |
| 16. | Title: An Integrated Optimization System for Lightening the Load of Warfighters - Phase II | | |
| – | Role: PI | Award Period: 09/2009 – 03/2011 | Award Amount: \$500K |
| – | Funding Source: ONR STTR (N00014-09-C-0622) | | |
| 17. | Title: High-fidelity Modeling Tools for Bone Conduction Communication Systems - Phase II | | |
| – | Role: Co-PI | Award Period: 09/2007 – 01/2010 | Award Amount: \$750K |
| – | Funding Source: Army Aeromedical Research Lab (USAARL) STTR (W81XWH-06-C-0385) | | |
| 18. | Title: An Integrated Optimization System for Lightening the Load of Warfighters - Phase I | | |
| – | Role: PI | Award Period: 06/2008 – 08/2009 | Award Amount: \$100K |
| – | Funding Source: ONR STTR (N00014-08-M-0271) | | |

Serving as Co-Investigator:

1. **Title:** Smartphone Application for Mask Sizing and Projecting Quantitative Fit - Phase II
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 09/2017 – 09/2019 **Award Amount:** \$1M
 - **Funding Source:** Chemical and Biological Defense (CBD) SBIR (W911SR-17-C-0060)
2. **Title:** Minimization of Chronic Back Pain in Military Pilots and Vehicle Occupants - 2nd Phase II
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 09/2016 – 12/2018 **Award Amount:** \$1M
 - **Funding Source:** Naval Air (NAVAIR) Warfare Center Aircraft Division SBIR (N68335-13-C-0062)
3. **Title:** A Software Tool for High-Order Element Mesh Generation - Phase I
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 06/2017 – 12/2017 **Award Amount:** \$125k
 - **Funding Source:** NASA Glenn Research Center SBIR (NNX17CC33P)
4. **Title:** An Integrated Multiscale-Multiphysics Modeling and Simulation of Ocular Drug Delivery with Whole-Body Pharmacokinetic Response
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 09/2014 – 08/2017 **Award Amount:** \$450K
 - **Funding Source:** FDA U01 (1U01FD005219-01)
5. **Title:** High Fidelity Computational Models for Aggregated Tissue Interaction in Surgical Simulations - Phase I
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 08/2016 – 03/2017 **Award Amount:** \$150K
 - **Funding Source:** Army Medical Research and Materiel Command (MRMC) STTR (W81XWH-16-C-0094)
6. **Title:** Smartphone Application for Mask Sizing and Projecting Quantitative Fit - Phase I
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 07/2016 – 01/2017 **Award Amount:** \$150K
 - **Funding Source:** CBD SBIR (W911SR-16-C-0024)
7. **Title:** Minimization of Chronic Back Pain in Military Pilots and Vehicle Occupants - Phase II-E
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 01/2016 – 06/2016 **Award Amount:** \$100K
 - **Funding Source:** NAVAIR Warfare Center Aircraft Division SBIR (N68335-13-C-0062)
8. **Title:** Minimization of Chronic Back Pain in Military Pilots and Vehicle Occupants - Phase II
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 03/2013 – 03/2015 **Award Amount:** \$750K
 - **Funding Source:** NAVAIR Warfare Center Aircraft Division SBIR (N68335-13-C-0062)
9. **Title:** A Mechanism-Based Computational Tool to Optimize Pulmonary Drug Delivery - Phase I
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 09/2013 - 02/2015 **Award Amount:** \$150K
 - **Funding Source:** NIH National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS) R43 (1R43GM108380-01)
10. **Title:** Blast Wave and Acoustic Hearing Loss Injury Prevention and Protection
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 10/2009 – 09/2012 **Award Amount:** \$1.18M
 - **Funding Source:** ONR BAA (N00014-09-C-0747)
11. **Title:** Mechanobiology of Diffuse Axonal Injury: Mechanisms and Opportunities for Early Neuroprotection
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 12/2010 - 05/2012 **Award Amount:** \$1M
 - **Funding Source:** Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs (CDMRP) BAA (W81XWH-11-2-0057)
12. **Title:** Minimization of Chronic Back Pain in Military Pilots and Vehicle Occupants - Phase I
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 03/2011 – 09/2011 **Award Amount:** \$100K
 - **Funding Source:** NAVAIR Warfare Center Aircraft Division SBIR (N68335-13-C-0062)
13. **Title:** Computational Modeling Tools for Acoustic Test Fixture Manikin Design - Phase I
 - **Role:** Co-Investigator **Award Period:** 01/2009 – 07/2009 **Award Amount:** \$70K
 - **Funding Source:** Army Research Laboratory (ARL) SBIR (W911QX-09-C-0040)

14. **Title:** An Integrated Modeling Framework for Predictive Airman Performance - Phase II

– **Role:** Co-Investigator

Award Period: 04/2007 – 08/2009

Award Amount: \$750K

– **Funding Source:** AFRL (Wright-Patterson) SBIR (FA8650-07-C-6760)

15. **Title:** Image/Model Based System for Optimized Helmet Design - Phase II

– **Role:** Co-Investigator

Award Period: 09/2006 - 09/2008

Award Amount: \$750K

– **Funding Source:** Army MRMC SBIR (W81XWH-05-C-0148)