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EDUCATION

- (2003 –2007) Ph.D. in Information and Communication Technologies
Università degli Studi di Trento, DIT-ICT school.
- (1996 - 2001) M.Sc. in Telecommunication Engineering
Università degli Studi di Padova.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

- (January 2021 – currently) head of the SpeechTek research unit at Fondazione Bruno Kessler (Trento, Italy)
- (April 2003 – December 2020) tenured researcher at Fondazione Bruno Kessler (Trento, Italy)
Main research interests are:
 - multi-channel speech and audio processing
 - speech enhancement/robust ASR
 - speaker recognition/diarization
 - sound event detection
 - audio-video processing for target tracking and identification

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Recent EU-funded research projects:

- DIRHA: distant speech interfaces for home automation
 - SCENIC: self-configuring environment-aware intelligent acoustic sensing
 - DICIT: distant-talking interfaces for control of interactive TV
 - CHIL: computer in the human loop
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- (June 2015 – Sep. 2015) visiting researcher at Queen Mary University London:
 - audio visual person re-identification on wearable cameras
 - (June 2019 – July 2019) invited senior member at the JHU Jelinek Summer Workshop
 - “Using Cooperative Ad-hoc Microphone Arrays for ASR”
 - PhD committee/reviewer for:
 - Tampere University of Technology
 - Vrije University Brussels
 - Universidad Alcalá de Hernanes

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

- (February 2007 – currently) Libera Università di Bolzano: teaching assistant for the courses:
 - “Information Systems and Data Management”;
 - “Computer Science and Information Processing”;
 - “Introduction to Information Science”.
 - “Speech Technology Lab”.
- (February 2014 – September 2014) Università degli studi di Trento: teaching assistant for the course “Audio Signal Processing” - Department of Information Engineering and Computer Science.
- (October 2004 - February 2005) Università degli Studi di Trento: tutoring activity for working student for the course “Algorithms and Data Structures” of the Computer Science Bachelor Degree.

OTHER WORKING EXPERIENCE

- (February 2002 – April 2003) Società Trasporto Telematico S.p.A. in Verona:
technical specialist on private phone networks (VoIP and Call Center) and Local Area Networks (WLAN).

PUBLICATIONS (up to Dec 2020)

Journal papers:

- G. Cerutti, R. Prasad, A. Brutti, Elisabetta Farella, “Compact recurrent neural networks for acoustic event detection on low-energy low-complexity platforms”, IEEE Journal on Selected Topics on Signal Processing, 2020
- V. Rajan, A. Brutti, A. Cavallaro, “ConflictNET: End-to-End Learning for Speech-based Conflict Intensity Estimation”, IEEE Signal Processing Letters, 2019.
- X. Qian, A. Brutti, O. Lanz, M. Omologo, A. Cavallaro, “Multi-speaker tracking from an audio-visual sensing device”, IEEE Transactions on Multimedia, 2019
- A. Brutti, A. Cavallaro, “On-line cross-modal adaptation for audio-visual person identification with wearable cameras”, IEEE Transactions on Human-Machine Systems, 2016
- A. Brutti, M. Matassoni, “On the relationship between Early-to-Late Ratio of Room Impulse Responses and ASR performance in reverberant environments”, Speech Communication, September 2015
- A. Brutti, F. Nesta, “Tracking of multidimensional TDOA for mutliple sources with distributed microphone pairs”, Computers, Speech and Languages, Volume 27, Issue 3, May 2013
- A. Brutti, P. Svaizer, M. Omologo, “An Environment aware ML estimation of acoustic radiation pattern with distributed microphone pairs”, Signal Processing, Volume 93, Issue 4, April 2013
- A. Brutti, L. Cristoforetti, W. Kellermann, L. Marquardt and M. Omologo, “WOZ Acoustic Data Collection For Interactive TV”, Language Resources and Evaluation Journal, Special Issue LREC2008, Volume 44, Issue 3, September 2010
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo and P. Svaizer, “Multiple Source Localization based on Acoustic Map De-Emphasis”, EURASIP, Journal on Audio, Speech, and Music Processing, 2010

Conferences, Workshops and Book Chapters:

- E. Fini and A. Brutti. “Supervised online diarization with sample mean loss for multi-domain data”, ICASSP 2020
- G. Cerutti, R. Prasad, A. Brutti, E. Farella, “Neural Network Distillation on IoT Platforms for Sound Event Detection’, Interspeech 2019
- O. Lanz, A. Brutti, A. Xompero, X. Qian, M. Omologo, A. Cavallaro, “Accurate target annotation in 3D from multimodal streams”, ICASSP, 2019
- A. Cavallaro and A. Brutti, “Chapter 5: Audio-visual learning for body-worn cameras”, in Edited Book “Multimodal Behaviour Analysis in the Wild”, Editors, X. Alameda-Pineda, N. Sebe, E. Ricci, Elsevier, 2018.

- P. Pertilä, A. Brutti, P. Svaizer, and M. Omologo, "Multichannel Source Activity Detection, Localization, and Tracking", in Edited Book "Audio Source Separation and Speech Enhancement", Editors, E. Vincent, T. Virtanen, S. Gannot, Wiley, 2018.
- X. Qian, A. Xompero, A. Brutti, O. Lanz, M. Omologo, A. Cavallaro, "3D MOUTH TRACKING FROM A COMPACT MICROPHONE ARRAY CO-LOCATED WITH A CAMERA", ICASSP, 2018
- A. Brutti, A. Cavallaro, "Unsupervised cross-modal deep-model adaptation for audio-visual re-identification with wearable cameras", ICCV Workshop CVAVM, 2017
- M. Matassoni, A. Brutti, D. Falavigna, "Optimizing DNN adaptation for recognition of enhanced speech", Interspeech 2017
- X. Qian, A. Brutti, M. Omologo, A. Cavallaro, "3D Audio-visual Speaker Tracking with an Adaptive Particle Filter", ICASSP 2017
- P. Pertila, A. Brutti, "Increasing the environment-awareness of rake beamforming for directive acoustic sources", IWAENC 2016
- A. Brutti, A. Tsiami, N. Katsamanis, P. Maragos, "A Phase-Based Time-Frequency masking for multi-channel speech enhancement in domestic environments", Interspeech, 2016
- A. Brutti, A. Abad, "Multi-channel i-vector combination for robust speaker verification in multi-room domestic environments", Speaker Odyssey, 2016
- J. Correia, A. Brutti, A. Abad, "Multi-channel speaker verification based on total variability modelling", Interspeech 2015
- P. Giannoulis et al. "Multi-room speech activity detection using a distributed microphone network in domestic environments", EUSIPCO 2015
- A. Brutti, M. Matassoni, "On the use of Early-to-Late Reverberation Ratio for ASR in reverberant environments", ICASSP 2014
- A. Brutti, M. Ravanelli, P. Svaizer and M. Omologo, "A speech event detection and localization task for multiroom environments", HSCMA 2014
- M. Matassoni, A. Brutti, P. Svazier, "Acoustic modeling based on Early-to-Late Reverberation Ratio for robust ASR", IWAENC 2014
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo, "Geometric Contamination for GMM/UBM speaker verification in reverberant environments", Interspeech 2013
- P. Svaizer, A. Brutti, M. Omologo, "Environment Estimation of the Orientation of Acoustic Sources using a Line Array", EUSIPCO 2012
- A. Brutti, P. Svaizer, M. Omologo, "Maximum A Posteriori Trajectory Estimation for Acoustic Source Tracking", IWAENC 2012
- F. Nesta and A. Brutti, "Self-clustering non-Euclidean kernels for improving the estimation of multidimensional TDOA of multiple sources", HSCMA 2011
- P. Svaizer, A. Brutti, M. Omologo, "Use of reflected wavefronts for acoustic source localization with a line array", HSCMA 2011
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo and P. Svaizer, "Inference of Acoustic Source Directivity Using Environment Awareness", EUSIPCO 2011
- A. Brutti and F. Nesta, "Multiple Source Tracking by Sequential Posterior Kernel Density Estimation Through GSCT", EUSIPCO 2011
- A. Brutti and O. Lanz, "A joint particle filter to track the position and head orientation of people using audio visual cues", EUSIPCO 2010
- P. Svaizer, A. Brutti, M. Omologo, "Analysis of reflected wavefronts by means of a line microphone array", IWAENC 2010
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo, P. Svaizer, "A Sequential Monte Carlo Approach for Tracking of Overlapping Acoustic Sources", EUSIPCO 2009
- L. Marquardt, P. Svaizer et al., "A natural acoustic front-end for Interactive TV in the EU-Project DICIT", Pacific Rim Conference 2009
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo, P. Svaizer, "Localization of multiple speakers based on a two step acoustic map analysis", IEEE ICASSP 2008, March 30-April 4, Las Vegas, USA.
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo, P. Svazier, "Comparison between different sound source localization techniques based on a real data collection", HSCMA, May 2008, Trento
- A. Brutti, L. Cristoforetti et al, "WOZ acoustic Data Collection For Interactive TV", LREC 2008, May, Marrakech, Morocco.
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo, P. Svaizer, "Classification of Acoustic Maps to determine speaker position and orientation from a distributed microphone network", ICASSP 2007, April 15-19, Honolulu, Hawaii, USA.

- A. Brutti, M. Omologo, P. Svaizer, "Localizzazione di parlatori con una rete distribuita di microfoni", 34 Convegno AIA, June 13-15, Firenze, Italy
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo, P. Svaizer, "A PATTERN CLASSIFICATION APPROACH TO SOUND SOURCE LOCALIZATION", Workshop Toni Mian, Padova, October 2007
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo, P.G. Svaizer, "Estimation of talker's head orientation based on Oriented Global Coherence Field", 120th Audio Engineering Society, May 20-23, 2006, Paris.
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo, P.G. Svaizer, "Speaker Localization based on Oriented Global Coherence Field", Interspeech 2006, September 17-21, 2006, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA.
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo, P.G. Svaizer, "Oriented global coherence field for the estimation of the head orientation in smart rooms equipped with distributed microphone arrays". Eurospeech 2005, Lisboa.
- M. Omologo, P.G. Svaizer, A. Brutti, L. Cristoforetti, "Speaker Localization in CHIL lectures: Evaluation Criteria and Results". MLMI/NIST Evaluation 2005, Edinburgh.

Other publications:

- PhD Thesis: "Distributed Microphone Networks for Sound Source Localization in Smart Rooms", Trento, March 2007
- A. Brutti and O. Lanz, "An Audio-Visual Particle Filter for Monitoring Interactive People Behaviour", PRAI*HBA, December 2009, Reggio Emilia.
- A. Brutti, "A Person tracking system for CHIL meetings", CLEAR 2007, Baltimore, USA, April 2007
- R. Brunelli, A. Brutti, P. Chippendale, O. Lanz, M. Omologo, P. Svaizer, F. Tobia, "A Generative Approach to Audio-Visual Person Tracking", CLEAR'06 Evaluation Workshop, April 6-7, 2006, Southampton, UK.
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo et all, "On The Development of an In-Car interation system at IRST", SWIM, Maui Hawaii, January, 12-14 2004.
- A. Brutti, M. Omologo et all, "Use of Multiple Speech Recognition Units in a In-car Assistance System", invited contribution, chapter 6, in "DSP for Vehicle and Mobile Systems", Kluwer publishers.

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