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Research interests

Geometric modeling, geometry processing and computer graphics. In particular: algorithms and user interfaces for interactive shape modeling, discrete differential geometry, image and video processing, digital fabrication, computer animation, simulation.

Academic positions

- 2018 – present **Full Professor of Computer Science**
Institute of Visual Computing, Interactive Geometry Lab
Head of the Institute of Visual Computing (2016 – 2020)
ETH Zurich, Switzerland
- 2015 – 2017 **Associate Professor of Computer Science**
Institute of Visual Computing, Interactive Geometry Lab
ETH Zurich, Switzerland
- 2011 – 2014 **Assistant Professor of Computer Science**
Institute of Visual Computing, Interactive Geometry Lab
ETH Zurich, Switzerland
- 2008 – 2011 **Assistant Professor of Computer Science**
Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences
New York University, USA
- 2006 – 2008 **Postdoctoral researcher, Alexander von Humboldt fellow**
Faculty of Computer Science and Electrical Engineering
Technische Universität Berlin, Germany

Education

- 2002 – 2006 Tel Aviv University, Israel
PhD in Computer Science
Thesis title: Laplacian mesh processing. Supervised by Prof. Daniel Cohen-Or.
- 2001 – 2002 Tel Aviv University, Israel
MSc in Computer Science
Admitted to fast-track PhD program after one year.
- 1996 – 2000 Tel Aviv University, Israel
BSc in Mathematics and Computer Science (double major)
Graduated *summa cum laude*.
- 1993 – 1999 **Alliance High School, Ramat Aviv, Israel**
Admitted to the undergraduate program at Tel Aviv University in the ninth grade (age of 15), studied in parallel at high school and at the university.

Honors and Awards

2023	Elected as member of the Swiss Academy of Engineering Sciences, the SATW
2022	Best Paper Award at the International Conference on 3D Vision (3DV) 2022
2022	Symposium on Geometry Processing Test of Time Award for the paper “As-Rigid-As-Possible Surface Modeling” (O. Sorkine and M. Alexa, SGP 2007)
2021	Golden Owl, awarded for excellence in teaching at ETH Zurich
2020	ACM Fellow
2020	ERC Consolidator Grant
2020	Best Paper Award at Eurographics Symposium on Geometry Processing 2020
2020	Symposium on Geometry Processing Software Award for Instant Meshes
2017	Rössler Prize (accompanied by CHF 200,000 in research funds)
2017	EUROGRAPHICS Outstanding Technical Contributions Award
2016	Best Paper Award at the International Conference on 3D Vision (3DV) 2016
2015	Symposium on Geometry Processing Software Award for libigl , a C++ geometry processing library
2015	Fellow of the Eurographics Association
2014	Best Paper Award at Eurographics Symposium on Geometry Processing 2014
2013	Intel Early Career Faculty Award
2012	ERC Starting Grant
2012	Latsis Prize of ETH Zurich
2011	ACM SIGGRAPH Significant New Researcher Award
2008	EUROGRAPHICS Young Researcher Award
2006 – 2008	Alexander von Humboldt research fellowship
2003	Excellence award, School of Computer Science, Tel Aviv University
1999 – 2000	Dean’s List of Excellence, Faculty of Exact Sciences, Tel Aviv University

Funding

2021 – 2025	MYCLOTH: Sustainable Algorithmic Modeling of Personalized Garments, ERC Consolidator Grant 101003104, sole PI, €2,000,000
2019	Adobe gift
2019 – 2021	SHFN / SWISSHEART Network grant, CHF 219,000.
2018	Snap, Inc. gift
2018	Facebook gift
2017 – 2019	Deep Learning for Image and Geometry Processing, The Walt Disney Company grant, sole PI, CHF 146,088
2017 – present	Max Rössler Prize, CHF 200,000 unrestricted research funding
2016 – present	PI at the National Centre of Competence in Research (NCCR) “Digital Fabrication in Architecture”, SNF grant, 1 PhD position, postdoc funding.
2015 – 2019	Deformation and Motion Modeling using Modular, Sensor-based Input Devices, SNF grant 200021_162958, PI, CHF 497,394
2013	Intel gift, \$35,000
2013 – 2016	Artistic Control and Simulation of Complex Visual Appearance, The Walt Disney Company grant, sole PI, CHF 170,000
2012 – 2017	iModel: Intelligent Shape Modeling, ERC Starting Grant 306877, sole PI, €1,497,442
2011 – 2014	Interactive Shape Deformation and Animation, SNF grant 200021_137879, sole PI, CHF 208,112
2011 – 2016	Multi-View Geometry Reconstruction Techniques for Video-based View Synthesis Applications, The Walt Disney Company grant, sole PI, CHF 243,479
2010 – 2015	Adobe Systems gift

2010 – 2011	NVidia hardware gift
2009 – 2012	HCC: Medium: Robust and Accurate Modeling with Multifield Geometry, NSF grant IIS-0905502, PI, \$739,111
2009 – 2010	Retargeting Legacy Visual Content to Novel Display Devices, NYU University Research Challenge Fund (URCF) award, sole PI, \$10,396
2009	Feature-Based Geometric Modeling of Discrete Surfaces, NSF ADVANCE PAID Research Challenge Grant (HRD-0820202), sole PI, \$10,000
2009	Interactive Shape Modeling and Deformation, NSF ADVANCE PAID Travel Grant, sole PI, \$3,000
2006 – 2008	Alexander von Humboldt research fellowship
2003 – 2006	Colton doctoral scholarship
2002	Minerva short term research grant
1998	Excellence scholarship for young students, Tel Aviv University

Patents (including pending)

2018	Swiss and EU patenting, “Design of developable surfaces for the fabrication of containers with linear fasteners” (WO2019197020A1).
2017	US patenting, “Reconstruction of articulated objects from a moving camera” (US9747668B2).
2016	US patenting, “Object reconstruction from dense light fields via depth from gradients” (US20180137674A1).
2016	US patenting, “Point cloud noise and outlier removal for image-based 3D reconstruction” (US20180315168A1).
2016	US patenting, “Image decomposition and path-space motion estimation” (US20160210778A1).
2016	US patenting, “Sketch-based generation and editing of quad meshes” (US20150002510A1).
2015	US patenting, “Transfusive image manipulation” (US20140104295A1).

Research group

Current PhD students and postdocs

04.2023 – present	Tanguy Magne, PhD student
09.2022 – present	Maria Korosteleva, postdoc
05.2022 – present	Aviv Segall, PhD student
12.2021 – present	Jing Ren, postdoc
09.2021 – present	Peizhuo Li, PhD student (direct doctorate program)
06.2021 – present	Alexandre Binninger, PhD student
03.2024 – present	Floor Verhoeven, postdoc

Past PhD students and postdocs

11.2018 – 02.2024	Floor Verhoeven, PhD student. Thesis title: “Algorithms for developable remeshing, approximation and unwarping.”
03.2019 – 03.2022	Philipp Herholz, postdoc. Now at Meta Research.
08.2017 – 02.2022	Yifan Wang, PhD student. Thesis title: “Detail-driven geometry processing pipeline using neural networks,” <i>awarded the ETH Medal for an Outstanding Doctoral Thesis and the EUROGRAPHICS 2023 Best PhD Thesis Award</i> . Now postdoc at Stanford University.
08.2018 – 06.2021	Shihao Wu, postdoc. Now at Qualcomm.
05.2016 – 12.2020	Katja Wolff, PhD student. Thesis title: “3D shape fabrication from flat material sheets”. Next station: Meta Research.
03.2019 – 11.2020	Alexandra Ion, postdoc. Now faculty at Carnegie Mellon University, USA.
05.2016 – 01.2020	Michael Rabinovich, PhD student. Thesis title: “Modeling developable surfaces with discrete orthogonal geodesic nets”, <i>awarded the ETH Medal for an Outstanding Doctoral Thesis</i> . Now Senior Scientist at Microsoft.
10.2014 – 10.2019	Oliver Glauser, PhD student. Thesis title: “Self-sensing devices for motion and deformation capture”. Founder of Capskin AG.
03.2013 – 02.2019	Christian Schüller, PhD student. Thesis title: “Computational fabrication of 3D shapes: Enabling makers through novel geometric algorithms”. Now at Nvidia.
09.2015 – 12.2017	Roi Poranne, postdoc. Now faculty at University of Haifa, Israel.
04.2017 – 07.2017	Noam Aigerman, postdoc. Now researcher at Adobe.
09.2011 – 11.2016	Kaan Yücer, PhD student. Thesis title: “Inferring multidimensional correspondences in multi-image scenarios”. Now at Google.
04.2013 – 10.2016	Romain Prévost, PhD student. Thesis title: “Physics-based optimization for assisted creation of tangible artifacts”. Now at Meta.
09.2015 – 08.2016	Changil Kim, postdoc. Now at Meta Research.
09.2011 – 01.2016	Daniele Panozzo, postdoc. Now faculty at the Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences, New York University, USA.
08.2013 – 01.2016	Wenzel Jakob, postdoc, ETH / Marie Curie COFUND Fellow. Now faculty at EPFL, Switzerland.
07.2015 – 01.2016	Alex Wan-Chun Ma, visiting postdoctoral scholar. Now at Meta, previously at ByteDance, Google and Activision.
09.2011 – 10.2015	Olga Diamanti, PhD student. Thesis title: “Algorithms for user-guided surface mappings”, <i>awarded the ETH Medal for an Outstanding Doctoral Thesis</i> . Now faculty at TU Graz.
04.2012 – 08.2014	Kenshi Takayama, postdoc, JSPS Fellow. Next stations: faculty at the National Institute of Informatics, Tokyo, Japan; research scientist at CyberAgent AI Lab.
11.2011 – 06.2014	Emily Whiting, postdoc, ETH / Marie Curie COFUND Fellow. Now faculty at Boston University, USA.

09.2009 – 07.2013	Alec Jacobson, PhD student. PhD thesis title: “Algorithms and interfaces for real-time deformation of 2D and 3D shapes”, <i>awarded the ETH Medal for an Outstanding Doctoral Thesis and the EUROGRAPHICS 2014 Best PhD Thesis Award</i> . Now faculty at University of Toronto, Canada.
09.2012 – 06.2013	Leonardo Sacht, visiting PhD student from IMPA, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, winner of the Swiss Government Scholarship. Now faculty at Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina, Brazil.
11.2011 – 12.2012	Ladislav Kavan, postdoc. Now at Meta Research; previously faculty at University of Utah, USA.
09.2010 – 09.2011	Ofir Weber, postdoc. Now faculty at Bar Ilan University, Israel.
06.2010 – 09.2011	David Harmon, postdoc.
03.2009 – 02.2011	Tino Weinkauff, postdoc, Feodor-Lynen Fellow. Now faculty at KTH Stockholm, Sweden.
11.2009 – 04.2010	Nico Pietroni, postdoc. Now faculty at University of Technology Sydney, Australia.
10.2009 – 11.2009	Yu-Shuen Wang, visiting PhD student from The National Cheng-Kung University. Now faculty at National Chiao Tung University, Taiwan.
09.2009 – 02.2011	Qingnan (James) Zhou, PhD student. Now research engineer at Adobe.

Supervised Master students (MS theses)

2023	Anna Egger, ETH Zurich. Sewing pattern adaptation for custom made garments. <i>ETH Medal for an Outstanding Master Thesis</i> .
2022	Tatiana Gerth, ETH Zurich. Deep learned implicit facial expressions.
2022	Niklaus Houska, ETH Zurich. Context-sensitive procedural modeling of architecture.
2021	Johannes Baureithel, ETH Zurich. Human foot modeling and tracking using a wearable sock.
2021	Alexandre Binniger, ETH Zurich. Approximation of 3D shapes by developable surfaces via tangent space thinning.
2021	Rafael Bischof, ETH Zurich. Physics-informed neural networks for structural concrete engineering.
2021	Lukas Rahmann, ETH Zurich. Residual SDFs.
2020	Madlaina Signer, ETH Zurich. Developable metamaterials: mass-fabricable metamaterials by laser-cutting elastic structures.
2020	Thomas Wolf, ETH Zurich. Physical simulation of discrete developable surfaces. <i>ETH Willi Studer Prize</i> .
2020	Nikhil Gosala, ETH Zurich. Multi-sensor calibration and fusion for efficient hand pose estimation.
2019	Linus Wigger, ETH Zurich. Scalable discrete orthogonal geodesic nets modeling.
2019	Lea Auf der Maur, ETH Zurich. Patch-based progressive DeepSDF for shape completion.
2018	Lidia de Freitas, ETH Zurich. Deep learning video super resolution (collaboration with Disney Research).
2018	Renfei Liu, ETH Zurich. Fast approximate geodesics via surface parameterization.
2018	Daniel Luginbühl, ETH Zurich. Hexahedral-based simulation in projective dynamics (collaboration with VirtaMed).
2018	Floor Verhoeven, ETH Zurich. Sketch-based 3D modeling in virtual reality.
2018	Ruben Wohlgenannt, ETH Zurich. Optimized thickness computational thermoforming (collaboration with Disney Research).
2017	Carlota Soler, ETH Zurich. Cosserat rods with projective dynamics (collaboration with VirtaMed).

2016	Benedek Vartok, ETH Zurich. Integration of animation input device in Blender and pose space interpolation with dynamics.
2016	Sandro Huber, ETH Zurich. Fast shape optimization.
2016	Jonathan Forman, ETH Zurich. Light field reconstruction from sparse input.
2016	Michael Rabinovich, ETH Zurich. Scalable flipless mappings.
2015	Alexandra Trif, ETH Zurich. Efficient shape-aligned hexahedral mesh generation. <i>ETH Medal for an Outstanding Master Thesis.</i>
2015	Stefan Brugger, ETH Zurich. Dynamic cross-parameterization (collaboration with Disney Research).
2015	Stefan Messmer, ETH Zurich. Variational shape modeling and deformation on mobile devices.
2014	Pascal Spörri, ETH Zurich. Data-driven fitting of discrete elements (collaboration with Disney Research).
2014	Joël Bohnes, ETH Zurich. Non-rigid reconstruction of articulated objects from monocular video.
2014	Victor Savu, ETH Zurich. An augmented Lagrangian method for locally injective mapping.
2014	Xiang Gao, ETH Zurich. Cross parameterization via edge straightening and domain smoothing.
2013	Remo Meyer, ETH Zurich. A robust method for brush-based interactive geometry cloning.
2013	Nikolay Kobyshev, ETH Zurich. Consistent 3D scene modeling and integration from layered light field reconstructions (collaboration with Disney Research).
2013	Daniel Leuenberger, ETH Zurich. Light field rendering in Unity3D (collaboration with Disney Research).
2013	Matthias Schelker, ETH Zurich. Color correction for videos (collaboration with Disney Research).
2013	Romain Prévost, ETH Zurich. Accelerated diffusion curves using irradiance caching (collaboration with Disney Research).
2013	Christian Schüller, ETH Zurich. Locally injective mappings.
2012	Cyrill Peterhans, ETH Zurich. Interactive surface reconstruction (collaboration with Disney Research).
2012	David Meier, ETH Zurich. Guided geometry reconstruction (collaboration with LiberoVision).
2010 – 2011	Yang Song, New York University. User interfaces for skinning animation.
2006 – 2007	Mathias Eitz, TU Berlin. Sketch-based image deformation.
2006 – 2007	Ofir Weber, Technion. Example-based character animation.
2005 – 2006	Ran Gal, Tel Aviv University. Content-aware image warping.

Teaching

Department of Computer Science, ETH Zurich, Switzerland

Spring 2024	252-0538-00 Shape Modeling and Geometry Processing 252-5704-00 Seminar, Advanced Methods in Computer Graphics 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Fall 2022	263-5702-00 Seminar on Digital Humans 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Spring 2023	252-0538-00 Shape Modeling and Geometry Processing 252-5704-00 Seminar, Advanced Methods in Computer Graphics 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Fall 2022	401-0131-00 Linear Algebra 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Spring 2022	252-0538-00 Shape Modeling and Geometry Processing 252-5704-00 Seminar, Advanced Methods in Computer Graphics 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing

Fall	2021	401-0131-00 Linear Algebra 252-5701-00 Seminar, Advanced Topics in Computer Graphics and Vision 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Spring	2021	252-0538-00 Shape Modeling and Geometry Processing 252-5704-00 Seminar, Advanced Methods in Computer Graphics 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Fall	2020	401-0131-00 Linear Algebra 252-5701-00 Seminar, Advanced Topics in Computer Graphics and Vision 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Spring	2020	252-0538-00 Shape Modeling and Geometry Processing 252-5704-00 Seminar, Advanced Methods in Computer Graphics 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Fall	2019	401-0131-00 Linear Algebra 252-5701-00 Seminar, Advanced Topics in Computer Graphics and Vision 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Spring	2019	252-0538-00 Shape Modeling and Geometry Processing 252-5704-00 Seminar, Advanced Methods in Computer Graphics 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Fall	2018	401-0131-00 Linear Algebra 252-5701-00 Seminar, Advanced Topics in Computer Graphics and Vision 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Spring	2018	Sabbatical
Fall	2017	401-0131-00 Linear Algebra 252-5701-00 Seminar, Advanced Topics in Computer Graphics and Vision 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Spring	2017	252-0538-00 Shape Modeling and Geometry Processing 252-5704-00 Seminar, Advanced Methods in Computer Graphics 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Fall	2016	401-0131-00 Linear Algebra 252-5701-00 Seminar, Advanced Topics in Computer Graphics and Vision 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Spring	2016	No teaching, maternity leave
Fall	2015	252-0543-01 Computer Graphics 252-5701-00 Seminar, Advanced Topics in Computer Graphics and Vision 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Spring	2015	252-0538-00 Shape Modeling and Geometry Processing 252-5704-00 Seminar, Advanced Methods in Computer Graphics 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Fall	2014	252-0543-01 Computer Graphics 252-5701-00 Seminar, Advanced Topics in Computer Graphics and Vision 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
Spring	2014	252-0538-00 Shape Modeling and Geometry Processing 252-5704-00 Seminar, Advanced Methods in Computer Graphics 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
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Spring	2013	252-0538-00 Shape Modeling and Geometry Processing 252-5704-00 Seminar, Advanced Methods in Computer Graphics 264-5800-00 Seminar, Doctoral Seminar in Visual Computing
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Spring	2012	252-0538-00 Shape Modeling and Geometry Processing 252-5704-00 Seminar, Advanced Methods in Computer Graphics
Fall	2011	252-0543-01 Computer Graphics 252-5701-00 Seminar, Advanced Topics in Computer Graphics and Vision

Computer Science Department, Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences, NYU, USA

Fall 2010 – 2011 G22.2274-001 Advanced computer graphics
Spring 2009 – 2010 G22.3033-008 Geometric modeling
Fall 2009 – 2010 G22.2274-001 Advanced computer graphics
Spring 2008 – 2009 G22.3033-004 Interactive shape modeling
Fall 2008 – 2009 G22.3850-005 Computational topology, algebra and geometry seminar

Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, TU Berlin, Germany

Fall 2007 – 2008 Computational photography seminar
Spring 2006 – 2007 Computer Graphics II (assistant, guest lecturer)
Fall 2006 – 2007 Computational photography seminar

School of Computer Science, Tel Aviv University, Israel

Fall 2005 – 2006 Mathematical tools for Computer Graphics (lecture)
Programming in C for engineers (recitations)
Spring 2004 – 2005 Mathematical tools for Computer Graphics (lecture)
Fall 2005 – 2006 Software programming project (instructor)
Spring 2003 – 2004 Mathematical tools for Computer Graphics (lecture)
Advanced topics in Computer Graphics (guest lecturer)
Fall 2003 – 2004 Software programming project (instructor)
Workshop in Computer Graphics (instructor)
Spring 2002 – 2003 Mathematical tools for Computer Graphics (lecture)
Software programming project (instructor)
Spring 2002 – 2003 Advanced topics in Computer Graphics (guest lecturer)
Fall 2002 – 2003 Programming in C for engineers (recitations)

Member of PhD thesis committees

02.2024 Floor Verhoeven (ETH Zurich): Algorithms for developable remeshing, approximation and unwarping.
02.2024 Alina Dubatovka (ETH Zurich): Interpretable and robust machine learning models for time-series analysis in cardiology.
06.2023 Ryan Johns (ETH Zurich): Autonomous dry stone: mobile robotic construction with naturally nonstandard materials.
12.2022 Stefan Pillwein (TU Vienna): Form finding of deployable elastic gridshells based on nets of geodesic curves.
07.2022 Élie Michel (Télécom Paris): Interactive authoring of 3D shapes represented as programs.
10.2021 Yifan Wang (ETH Zurich): Detail-driven geometry processing pipeline using neural networks.
09.2021 Rosa Sanchez (UJRC, Rey Juan Carlos University, Madrid): Robust elasticity and damping models for high-fidelity textile simulation.
12.2020 Katja Wolff (ETH Zurich): 3D shape fabrication from flat material sheets.
12.2019 Michael Rabinovich (ETH Zurich): Modeling developable surfaces with discrete orthogonal geodesic nets.
10.2019 Oliver Glauser (ETH Zurich): Self-sensing devices for motion and deformation capture.
04.2019 Mathias Bernhard (ETH Zurich, Department of Architecture): Domain transforms in architecture: encoding and decoding of cultural artefacts.
10.2018 Christian Schüller (ETH Zurich): Computational fabrication of 3D shapes: Enabling makers through novel geometric algorithms.
07.2017 Stamatios Georgoulis (KU Leuven): Extraction of surface characteristics and lighting in 3D reconstruction from uncalibrated images.

10.2016	Kaan Yücer (ETH Zurich): Inferring multidimensional correspondences in multi-image scenarios.
10.2016	Romain Prévost (ETH Zurich): Physics-based optimization for assisted creation of tangible artifacts.
07.2016	Mikhail Bessmeltsev (University of British Columbia): Recovering 3D shape from concept and pose drawings.
07.2016	Daniel Sieger (University of Bielefeld): Constrained deformation for evolutionary optimization.
10.2015	Amit Bermano (ETH Zurich): Geometric methods for realistic facial animation.
10.2015	Olga Diamanti (ETH Zurich): Algorithms for user-guided surface mappings.
09.2013	Benjamin Schindler (ETH Zurich): Efficient algorithms for Lagrangian visualization of flow structures.
05.2013	Alec Jacobson (ETH Zurich): Algorithms and interfaces for real-time deformation of 2D and 3D shapes.
04.2013	Christian Schulz (Freie Universität Berlin): Interactive spacetime control of deformable objects and modal shape analysis beyond Laplacian.
12.2012	Peter Kaufmann (ETH Zurich): Discontinuous Galerkin FEM in Computer Graphics.
12.2012	David Günther (Saarland University): Topological analysis of discrete scalar data.
05.2012	Daniele Panozzo (University of Genova): From irregular meshes to structured models.
05.2011	Marcio Cabral (INRIA Sophia-Antipolis): Reshape and relighting for interactive content creation and manipulation.
09.2010	Adrian Secord (New York University): Creating collections and evaluating view-points: selection techniques for interface design.
05.2010	Darko Pavić (RWTH Aachen): Combining raster- and vector-representations for image and geometry processing applications.
05.2009	Yotam Gingold (New York University): 2D-Centric interfaces and algorithms for 3D modeling.
05.2009	Benjamin Galehouse (New York University): Topologically accurate meshing using spatial subdivision techniques.
08.2008	Elif Tosun (New York University): Geometric modeling with high order derivatives.

University service activities

2020 – 2024	Member of the Executive Board of the Women Professors Forum , ETH Domain
2020 – 2022	Member of the Scientific Advisory Board for the Institute for Theoretical Studies , ETH Zurich
2018 – 2024	Member of the Executive Board of the Department of Computer Science, ETH Zurich
2017 (spring)	Member of the Executive Board of the Department of Computer Science, ETH Zurich
2016 – 2020	Head of the Institute of Visual Computing , Department of Computer Science, ETH Zurich
2011 – 2019	Professor-in-charge of CSNOW: Network of Women in Computer Science , Department of Computer Science, ETH Zurich
2016 – 2017	Member of the Studies Committee (Unterrichtskommission) of the Department of Computer Science, ETH Zurich
2014 – 2015	Member of the Executive Board of the Department of Computer Science, ETH Zurich
2013 – 2016	Member of the Colloquium committee at the Department of Computer Science, ETH Zurich
2011	Google Summer of Code mentor, co-mentoring the project “Implementation of As-Rigid-As-Possible Surface Modeling in CGAL” together with Andreas Fabri

2009 – 2010 Member of the PhD Fellowship Committee, NYU's Computer Science Department
(responsible for graduate student admissions, fellowships and status monitoring)

Other work experience

2000 – 2002 Israel Defense Forces
Regular military service

1999 – 2000 School of Mathematics, Tel Aviv University, Israel
Course grader: Linear Algebra, Discrete Mathematics, Introduction to Programming

1999 Hebrew Language Unit, Tel Aviv University, Israel
Computer lab operator

Publications

<http://igl.ethz.ch/publications/>
<https://scholar.google.ch/citations?hl=en&user=GBU568oAAAAJ>

Books

- [1] Image content retargeting: maintaining color, tone, and spatial consistency. Alessandro Artusi, Francesco Banterle, Tunç Ozan Aydın, Daniele Panozzo, Olga Sorkine-Hornung. AK Peters/CRC Press, 2016.
- [2] A sampler of useful computational tools for applied geometry, computer graphics, and image processing. Daniel Cohen-Or, Chen Greif, Tao Ju, Niloy Mitra, Ariel Shamir, Olga Sorkine-Hornung and Hao (Richard) Zhang. AK Peters/CRC Press, 2015.
- [3] Digital representations of the real world: How to capture, model, and render visual reality. Marcus Magnor, Oliver Grau, Olga Sorkine-Hornung and Christian Theobalt, editors. AK Peters/CRC Press, 2015.

Edited volumes

- [1] ACM Transactions on Graphics, Vol. 38 (4), proceedings of SIGGRAPH 2019 Technical Papers program. Olga Sorkine-Hornung, program chair.
- [2] Proceedings of Advances in Architectural Geometry, September 22-25, 2018. Axel Kilian, Samar Malek, Olga Sorkine-Hornung and Christopher Williams, scientific chairs.
- [3] Proceedings of Pacific Graphics, October 16-19, 2017. Jernej Barbic, Wen-Chieh Lin and Olga Sorkine-Hornung, editors. Special Issue of Computer Graphics Forum, Vol. 36(7), 2017.
- [4] Proceedings of EUROGRAPHICS Full Papers, May 4-8, 2015. Olga Sorkine-Hornung and Michael Wimmer, editors. Special issue of Computer Graphics Forum, Vol. 34(2), 2015.
- [5] Real-world visual computing (Dagstuhl Seminar 13431). Oliver Grau, Marcus A. Magnor, Olga Sorkine-Hornung and Christian Theobalt. Dagstuhl reports, Vol. 3(10), pp. 72-91, 2013.
- [6] Proceedings of EUROGRAPHICS Short Papers, May 6-10, 2013. Miguel A. Otaduy and Olga Sorkine, editors. The Eurographics Association.
- [7] Proceedings of 3DIMPVT, October 13-15, 2012. Jan-Michael Frahm and Olga Sorkine, editors. IEEE Computer Society Conference Publishing Services.
- [8] Proceedings of Shape Modeling International, June 22-24, 2011. Niloy Mitra and Olga Sorkine, editors. Special issue of Computers & Graphics, Vol. 35(3), 2011.
- [9] Proceedings of the ECCV Media Retargeting Workshop, September 10, 2010. Thomas Deselaers, Alexander Hornung and Olga Sorkine, editors.
- [10] Proceedings of the 8th Symposium on Geometry Processing, July 5-7, 2010. Olga Sorkine and Bruno Lévy, editors. Special issue of Computer Graphics Forum, Vol. 29(5), 2010, in cooperation with EUROGRAPHICS and ACM SIGGRAPH.

Journal publications

- [1] Computational smocking through fabric-thread interaction. Ningfeng Zhou, Jing Ren and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. Computer Graphics Forum, Vol. 43(2), 2024 (*EUROGRAPHICS 2024 issue*).
- [2] SENS: Part aware sketch-based implicit neural shape modeling. Alexandre Binninger, Amir Hertz, Olga Sorkine-Hornung, Daniel Cohen-Or and Raja Giryes. Computer Graphics Forum, Vol. 43(2), 2024 (*EUROGRAPHICS 2024 issue*).
- [3] Neural garment dynamics via manifold-aware transformers. Peizhuo Li, Tuanfeng Y. Wang, Timur Kesdogan, Duygu Ceylan and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. Computer Graphics Forum, Vol. 43(2), 2024 (*EUROGRAPHICS 2024 issue*).
- [4] Digital 3D smocking design. Jing Ren, Aviv Segall and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. ACM Transactions on Graphics, Vol. 43(2), 2024. Presented at SIGGRAPH ASIA 2023.

- [5] GarmentCode: Programming parametric sewing patterns. Maria Korosteleva and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. *ACM Transactions on Graphics*, Vol. 42(6), 2023 (*SIGGRAPH ASIA 2023 issue*).
- [6] Example-based motion synthesis via generative motion matching. Weiyu Li, Xuelin Chen, Peizhuo Li, Olga Sorkine-Hornung and Baoquan Chen. *ACM Transactions on Graphics*, Vol. 42(4), 2023 (*SIGGRAPH 2023 issue*).
- [7] Designing personalized garments with body movement. Katja Wolff, Philipp Herholz, Verena Ziegler, Frauke Link, Nico Brügel and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. *Computer Graphics Forum*, Vol. 42(1), 2023.
- [8] Mesh draping: Parametrization-free neural mesh transfer. Amir Hertz, Or Perel, Raja Giryes, Olga Sorkine-Hornung and Daniel Cohen-Or. *Computer Graphics Forum*, Vol. 42(1), 2023.
- [9] Smooth interpolating curves with local control and monotone alternating curvature. Alexandre Binniger and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. *Computer Graphics Forum*, Vol. 41(5), 2022 (*EUROGRAPHICS Symposium on Geometry Processing 2022 issue*).
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- [128] Depth from gradients in dense light fields for object reconstruction. Kaan Yücer, Changil Kim, Alexander Sorkine-Hornung and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. International Conference on 3D Vision (3DV) 2016. *Oral.* **Winner of the Best Paper Award at 3DV 2016.**
- [129] Balancing 3D models with movable masses. Romain Prévost, Moritz Bächer, Wojciech Jarosz and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. Vision, Modeling and Visualization (VMV) 2016.
- [130] Reconstruction of articulated objects from a moving camera. Kaan Yücer, Oliver Wang, Alexander Sorkine-Hornung and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. ICCV Workshop on 3D Representation and Recognition 2015.
- [131] Efficient salient foreground detection for images and video using Fiedler vectors. Federico Perazzi, Olga Sorkine-Hornung and Alexander Sorkine-Hornung. WICED 2015: 4th Workshop on Intelligent Camera Control, Cinematography and Editing.

- [132] Transfusive weights for content-aware image manipulation. Kaan Yücer, Alexander Sorkine-Hornung and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. *Vision, Modeling and Visualization (VMV)* 2013.
- [133] Mobile image retargeting. Daniel Graf, Daniele Panozzo and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. *Vision, Modeling and Visualization (VMV)* 2013.
- [134] Cusps of characteristic curves and intersection-aware visualization of path and streak lines. Tino Weinkauff, Holger Theisel and Olga Sorkine. *TopoInVis* 2011.
- [135] Selective reverse tone mapping. Belen Masia, Roland Fleming, Olga Sorkine and Diego Gutierrez. *CEIG* 2010, pp. 135-144.
- [136] Interactive shape modeling and deformation. Olga Sorkine and Mario Botsch. *Proceedings of EUROGRAPHICS 2009, Tutorials Volume*.
- [137] Understanding exposure for reverse tone mapping. Miguel Martin, Roland Fleming, Olga Sorkine and Diego Gutierrez. *CEIG* 2008, pp. 189-198.
- [138] As-rigid-as-possible surface modeling. Olga Sorkine and Marc Alexa. *Proceedings of EUROGRAPHICS/ACM SIGGRAPH Symposium on Geometry Processing (SGP)* 2007, pp. 109-116. **Winner of the Test of Time Award at SGP 2022.**
- [139] Sketch based image deformation. Mathias Eitz, Olga Sorkine and Marc Alexa. *Proceedings of Vision, Modeling and Visualization (VMV)* 2007, pp. 135-142.
- [140] SIMOD: Making freeform deformation size-insensitive. Tamy Boubekeur, Olga Sorkine and Christophe Schlick. *Proceedings of IEEE/EUROGRAPHICS Symposium on Point-Based Graphics* 2007, pp. 47-56.
- [141] 3D collage: expressive non-realistic modeling. Ran Gal, Olga Sorkine, Tiberiu Popa, Alla Sheffer and Daniel Cohen-Or. *Proceedings of the 5th International Symposium on Non-Photorealistic Animation and Rendering (NPAR 2007)*, pp. 7-14.
- [142] Laplacian mesh optimization. Andrew Nealen, Takeo Igarashi, Olga Sorkine and Marc Alexa. *Proceedings of ACM GRAPHITE* 2006, pp. 381-389.
- [143] Feature-aware texturing. Ran Gal, Olga Sorkine and Daniel Cohen-Or. *Proceedings of EUROGRAPHICS Symposium on Rendering (EGSR)* 2006, pp. 297-303.
- [144] Laplacian surface editing. Olga Sorkine, Daniel Cohen-Or, Yaron Lipman, Marc Alexa, Christian Rössl, Hans-Peter Seidel. *Proceedings of EUROGRAPHICS/ACM SIGGRAPH Symposium on Geometry Processing (SGP)* 2004, pp. 179-188.
- [145] Least-squares meshes. Olga Sorkine and Daniel Cohen-Or. *Proceedings of IEEE Shape Modeling International (SMI)* 2004, pp. 191-199.
- [146] Differential coordinates for interactive mesh editing. Yaron Lipman, Olga Sorkine, Daniel Cohen-Or, David Levin, Christian Rössl, Hans-Peter Seidel. *Proceedings of IEEE Shape Modeling International (SMI)* 2004, pp. 181-190.
- [147] High-pass quantization for mesh encoding. Olga Sorkine, Daniel Cohen-Or and Sivan Toledo. *Proceedings of EUROGRAPHICS/ACM SIGGRAPH Symposium on Geometry Processing (SGP)* 2003, pp. 42-51.
- [148] Bounded-distortion piecewise mesh parameterization. Olga Sorkine, Daniel Cohen-Or, Rony Goldenthal and Dani Lischinsky. *Proceedings of IEEE Visualization* 2002, pp. 355-362.

Book contributions

- [149] Shell structures for architecture: form finding and optimization. Sigrid Adriaenssens, Philippe Block, Diederik Veenendaal and Chris Williams (editors). Routledge, 2014. Chapter 13: Best-fit thrust network analysis: rationalization of freeform meshes, by Tom Van Mele, Daniele Panozzo, Olga Sorkine-Hornung and Philippe Block, pp. 157–170.
- [150] Emerging technologies for 3D video: creation, coding, transmission and rendering. Frederic Dufaux, Béatrice Pesquet-Popescu, Marco Cagnazzo (editors). Wiley, 2013. Chapter 11: Image domain warping for stereoscopic 3D applications, by Oliver Wang, Manuel Lang, Nikolce Stefanoski, Alexander Hornung, Olga Sorkine, Aljoscha Smolic and Markus Gross, pp. 207–230.

Refereed courses and tutorials

- [151] Modern approaches to media retargeting. Ariel Shamir, Alexander Hornung and Olga Sorkine. SIGGRAPH ASIA 2012 Courses (curated course).
- [152] Visual media retargeting. Ariel Shamir and Olga Sorkine. SIGGRAPH ASIA 2009 Courses.
- [153] Tutorial: Interactive shape modeling and deformation. Olga Sorkine and Mario Botsch. Proceedings of EUROGRAPHICS 2009, Tutorials.
- [154] State-of-the-art report: Laplacian mesh processing. Olga Sorkine. Proceedings of EUROGRAPHICS 2005, STAR Volume.

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- [155] Feature-based mesh editing. Qingnan Zhou, Tino Weinkauff and Olga Sorkine. EUROGRAPHICS 2011, Short Papers.
- [156] Scalable freeform deformation. Tamy Boubekeur, Olga Sorkine and Christophe Schlick. SIGGRAPH 2007, Technical Sketches.
- [157] Non-realistic expressive modeling. Ran Gal, Olga Sorkine, Tiberiu Popa, Alla Sheffer and Daniel Cohen-Or. SIGGRAPH 2006, Technical Sketches.
- [158] Warped textures for uv-mapping encoding. Olga Sorkine and Daniel Cohen-Or. EUROGRAPHICS 2001, Short Papers.

Invited publications

- [159] How was it made? Rig animation with a tangible and modular input device. Oliver Glauser, Benedek Vartok, Wan-Chun Ma, Daniele Panozzo, Alec Jacobson, Cédric Pradalier, Otmar Hilliges and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. ACM Interactions, vol. 24(2), pp. 16-17, February 2017.
- [160] Demo hour: Rig animation with a tangible and modular device. Oliver Glauser, Benedek Vartok, Wan-Chun Ma, Daniele Panozzo, Alec Jacobson, Otmar Hilliges and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. ACM Interactions 24(1), pp. 11, January 2017.
- [161] Encoding meshes in differential coordinates. Daniel Cohen-Or and Olga Sorkine. Proceedings of SCCG 2006: the 22nd Spring Conference on Computer Graphics, ACM Press.

Technical reports

- [162] Least-squares rigid motion using SVD. Olga Sorkine-Hornung and Michael Rabinovich. Technical note about the Procrustes problem, 2017.
- [163] Consistently orienting facets in polygon meshes by minimizing the Dirichlet energy of generalized winding numbers. Kenshi Takayama, Alec Jacobson, Ladislav Kavan and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. Technical report, ETH Zurich, July 2014.
- [164] Robust and controllable quadrangulation of triangular and rectangular regions. Kenshi Takayama, Daniele Panozzo, Alexander Sorkine-Hornung and Olga Sorkine-Hornung. Technical report, ETH Zurich, 2013.
- [165] A cotangent Laplacian for images as surfaces. Alec Jacobson and Olga Sorkine. Technical report, ETH Zurich, April 2012.
- [166] A note on boundary constraints for linear variational surface design. Andrew Nealen and Olga Sorkine. Technical report, TU Berlin, May 2007.

Theses

- [167] Olga Sorkine. Laplacian mesh processing. PhD Thesis. Tel Aviv University, 2006.

Press (selection)

- 10.2019 Bolero, “[Lunchdate mit Olga Sorkine-Hornung: Aus der Matrix](#)” by Rahel Zingg.
- 08.2018 Brigitte Woman, “[Technik im Kopf: Die Code-Architektin](#)” by Sabine Hoffmann. Print and online.
- 05.2018 Women in Business, “25 Frauen, die Sie sich merken sollten”. Print and online.
- 11.2017 Tagesanzeiger, “[Die Zahlenkünstlerin](#)” by Simone Luchetta. Print and online.
- 10.2017 SonntagsZeitung, in “[Fokus](#)” by Simone Luchetta. Print and online.
- 06.2017 ETH News, “[Olga Sorkine-Hornung wins Rössler Prize](#)” by Peter Rüegg.
- 05.2017 Bilanz, “Die Zahlen-Dresseurin” by Philipp Albrecht (Rubrik “Markets: Die Pionierin”).
- 10.2016 Das Magazin, “[Kinderleichte Computeranimation](#)” by Mathias Plüss.
- 09.2016 Schweizer Illustrierte, “[Frauenpower an der ETH: Olga Sorkine-Hornung – die Animations-Künstlerin](#)” by Manuela Enggist.
- 03.2015 ETH Globe Magazine, “[Algorithms that capture the imagination](#)” by Roland Baumann.
- 11.2014 Einstein TV Show on SRF (Swiss Radio and Television), “Zahlenkünstlerin mit Spieltrieb” and “Animationsfilme leicht gemacht”. <http://www.srf.ch/sendungen/einstein/ausnahmetalent-animationskunst-affenfroschung>
- 07.2014 watson.ch, “[Filme und Games zu animieren ist eine mühselige Arbeit. Dieser Joystick der ETH macht das Ganze zum Kinderspiel](#)” by Philipp Rüegg.
- 06.2014 Wired UK, “[Animate digital creatures with this pliable modular doll](#)” by Olivia Solon.
- 06.2014 Gizmag, “[3D “Joystick” for animation artists takes shape](#)” by Colin Jeffrey.
- 06.2014 20 Minuten, “[Animations-Figuren im Nu zum Leben erweckt](#)”.
- 06.2014 ETH Life, “[A versatile joystick for animation artists](#)” by Angelika Jacobs.
- 09.2013 Horizonte (Research magazine of the Swiss National Science Foundation and the Swiss Academies of Arts and Sciences). “[Schwierigkeiten spielend meistern](#)” by Leonid Leiva.
- 04.2013 Der Landbote. “Die simpelste Lösung ist immer die beste (Olga Sorkine im Interview)” by Daniel Stehula.
- 03.2013 nano on 3sat (TV channel in the German-speaking part of Europe), “[Die perfekte Formel](#)” by Sabine Olf.
- 12.2012 ETH Life, “[3-D-Technik für besseres Hören](#)” by Peter Rüegg.
- 10.2012 ETH Life, “[Spezieller Preis für Grafikspezialistin](#)” by Peter Rüegg.
- 08.2012 Swiss Radio DRS 2, “[Was die Informatik in Hollywood zu suchen hat](#)” (Folge 5 der Reihe “Grosse Träume der Wissenschaft”) by Maya Brändli.
- 08.2012 ETH Life, “[Distinguished talents](#)” by Franziska Schmid. Report on the ERC Starting Grant 2012 winners.
- 03.2012 Das Magazin, “[Ein Tag im Leben](#)” by Birgit Schmid. Print version (10.03.2012) and online.
- 11.2011 SonntagsZeitung, “[Die Herrin der 3-D-Monster](#)” by Simone Luchetta. Print version and online.
- 11.2011 Game Developer Magazine, “The Game Developer 50” by Brandon Sheffield and Frank Cifaldi. Annual list of top 50 persons who have made a significant impact on the game industry.
- 09.2011 ETH Life, “[Genial in Computergrafik](#)” by Peter Rüegg.
- 12.2006 TU intern (newspaper of TU Berlin), “[Die Kunst, Bilder zu erschaffen](#)”; “[Humboldt-Stipendiatin Olga Sorkine will Maschinen das Lernen beibringen](#)” by Christian Hohfeld.

Professional activities

Program chair

2019	SIGGRAPH 2019 Technical Papers Chair
2018	Advanced in Architectural Geometry, technical papers
2017	Pacific Graphics, technical papers
2015	EUROGRAPHICS, technical papers
2013	EUROGRAPHICS, short papers
2012	3DimPVT, technical papers
2011	Shape Modeling International, technical papers
2010	Eurographics Symposium on Geometry Processing, technical papers
2010	ECCV Workshop on Media Retargeting

Editorial board member (associate editor)

2016 – 2020	ACM Transactions on Graphics
2015 – 2018	IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics
2011 – 2015	IEEE Computer Graphics and Applications
2010 – 2013	Computer Graphics Forum (Wiley-Blackwell)
2010 – 2015	Graphical Models (Elsevier)
2009 – 2015	The Visual Computer (Springer)
2008 – 2014	Computers & Graphics (Elsevier)

Service on professional committees

2023 – present	Member of the Eurographics Technical Awards Committee
2023 – 2028	Member of the Scientific Advisory Board of the Max Planck Institute for Informatics
2023 – present	Member of the Heidelberg Laureate Forum (ACM HLF) Young Researcher Selection Committee
2022	Member of the KAUST Visual Computing Center evaluation committee
2017 – 2022	Member of the ACM Turing Award Committee Served as Vice-Chair for 2019 and Chair for 2020
2018 – 2020	Member of the ACM SIGGRAPH Awards Committee
2018 – present	Member of the Media Technology Center Steering Committee
2012 – 2017	Member of the EUROGRAPHICS Executive Committee

Service on grant panels

2023	ERC Consolidator Grant panel
2009	NSF FODAVA panel

Service on misc. advisory boards

2022 – 2023	SIGGRAPH 2023 Technical Papers Advisory Board
2021 – 2022	SIGGRAPH 2022 Technical Papers Advisory Board
2021	SIGGRAPH ASIA 2021 Technical Papers Advisory Board
2021 – present	ACM SIGGRAPH Papers Advisory Group (PAG)
2020 – 2021	SIGGRAPH 2021 Technical Papers Advisory Board
2020	SIGGRAPH ASIA 2020 Technical Papers Advisory Board
2019	SIGGRAPH ASIA 2019 Technical Papers Advisory Board
2016 – 2019	Advanced Innovation Center for Future Visual Entertainment, Beijing Film Academy

Event organization

2021	SketchDL, CVPR 2021 Workshop on Sketch-Oriented Deep Learning (with Peng Xu and others)
2018	Fields Institute Workshop on Robust Geometric Algorithms for Computational Fabrication (with Alec Jacobson and Alla Sheffer)
2013	Dagstuhl Seminar “Real-World Visual Computing” (with Marcus Magnor, Oliver Grau and Christian Theobalt)
2010	ECCV Workshop on Media Retargeting (with Thomas Deselaers and Alexander Hornung)

Program committee member

SIGGRAPH, technical papers: 2008, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2017, 2018 (PC and sorter), 2019 (chair), 2021, 2024 (sorter)
SIGGRAPH ASIA, technical papers: 2010, 2017 (sorter)
EUROGRAPHICS, technical papers: 2007, 2008, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015 (co-chair)
EUROGRAPHICS, short papers: 2008, 2009, 2013 (co-chair)
Eurographics Symposium on Geometry Processing: 2008–2018 (2010 co-chair), 2020–2024
Pacific Graphics, technical papers: 2007, 2008, 2011–2013, 2017 (co-chair)
ACM Symposium on Interactive 3D Graphics and Games (I3D): 2010–2013
ACM/SIAM Symposium on Solid and Physical Modeling: 2008–2013
Shape Modeling International: 2008, 2009, 2011 (co-chair), 2013
SIBGRAPI, technical papers: 2009, 2011, 2012
SIGGRAPH, sketches & posters: 2007
SIGGRAPH ASIA, sketches & posters 2008 (advisory board), 2009
SIGGRAPH, Student research competition Jury: 2010
International Symposium on Sketch-based Interfaces and Modeling: 2010, 2012, 2013
3D Data Processing, Visualization and Transmission (3DPVT): 2008, 2010, 2012 co-chair
CVPR Workshop on Non-rigid Shape Analysis and Deformable Image Alignment: 2010, 2011
Geometric Modeling and Processing (GMP): 2012
ICSE Workshop on Games and Software Engineering: 2012
Computer Animation and Social Agents (CASA): 2008
International Symposium on Visual Computing (ISVC): 2009, 2010
Asia-Pacific Signal and Information Processing Association (APSIPA): 2009
IADIS International Conference on Computer Graphics and Visualization: 2007, 2008

Reviewer

Journals: ACM Transactions on Graphics, IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics, IEEE Computer Graphics and Applications, IEEE Transactions on Systems Man & Cybernetics, IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology, Computer Graphics Forum, Computers & Graphics, The Visual Computer, Graphical Models, Computer Aided Geometric Design, Computer Aided Design, Journal of Computational Physics.

Conferences: SIGGRAPH, SIGGRAPH ASIA, EUROGRAPHICS, EUROGRAPHICS/ACM SIGGRAPH Symposium on Geometry Processing, EUROGRAPHICS Symposium on Rendering, EUROGRAPHICS/ACM SIGGRAPH Symposium on Computer Animation, Pacific Graphics, IEEE Visualization, Shape Modeling International, Symposium on Interactive 3D Graphics and Games, Point-based Graphics, ACM Solid and Physical Modeling Symposium, Geometric Modeling and Processing, Computer Graphics International, Afrigraph, SIBGRAPI, Computer Animation and Social Agents.

Grants: National Science Foundation (USA), Israel Science Foundation, Swiss National Science Foundation, European Research Council, Austrian Science Fund, Research Grants Council (RGC) of Hong Kong.

Keynote talks

- 09.2024 Vision, Modeling and Visualization (VMV) 2024, Munich, Germany.
- 06.2024 DLGC@CVPR 2024, the CVPR Workshop on Deep Learning for Geometric Computing. Seattle, USA.
- 03.2023 SIAM International Meshing Roundtable 2023, Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- 09.2021 SIAM Conference on Geometric and Physical Modeling (GD/SPM) 2021, virtual.
- 09.2021 Geometry Workshop Obergurgl 2021, Obergurgl, Austria.
- 05.2021 Graphics Interface 2021, virtual.
- 06.2020 International Symposium on Computational Geometry (SoCG) 2020, virtual.
- 09.2019 Design Modelling Symposium 2019, Berlin, Germany.
- 07.2018 Symposium on Geometry Processing 2018, Paris, France.
- 11.2017 Symposium on Geometry and Computational Design 2017, Vienna, Austria.
- 06.2017 International Conference on Computational Science 2017, Zurich, Switzerland.
- 09.2014 ECCV Workshop on Non-Rigid Shape Analysis and Deformable Image Alignment (NORDIA) 2014, Zurich, Switzerland. “Interactive mesh deformation with reality-inspired constraints”.
- 09.2013 Vision, Modeling and Visualization (VMV) 2013, Lugano, Switzerland. “Reality-inspired constraints for shape modeling and editing”.
- 06.2013 Computer Graphics International 2013, Hannover, Germany. “Challenges in interactive mesh modeling”.
- 05.2013 EUROGRAPHICS 2013, Girona, Spain. “Interactive shape modeling: progress and challenges”.
- 12.2012 European Conference on Media Production (CVMP) 2012, London, UK. “Really real-time 3D shape modeling and animation”.
- 05.2012 Spring Conference on Computer Graphics (SCCG) 2012, Smolenice, Slovakia. “Really real-time mesh editing”.
- 07.2010 Euroscience Open Forum 2010, Turin, Italy. “Shape spaces: representation, interpolation and editing of 3D objects”.
- 10.2009 SIBGRAPI 2009, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. “Modeling and editing shapes: from local structure to high-level features”.
- 02.2007 Imagina’07, Monte Carlo, Monaco. “Geometric manipulation in shape and image domain”.

Invited talks, conference presentations and seminars (external)

- 08.2022 50th Anniversary Celebration of the Computer Science Department at TU Dortmund, Germany: “Interactive 3D modeling and digital fabrication using computation-friendly variational methods”.
- 11.2020 3DGV: Seminar on 3D Geometry & Vision (virtual, <https://3dgv.github.io/>): “Shape deformation for 3D modeling and learning”.
- 10.2020 Toronto Geometry Colloquium (virtual, <https://toronto-geometry-colloquium.github.io/>): “Discrete developable surfaces: 3D shapes from 2D sheets”.
- 10.2019 Berlin Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities, Berlin, Germany. Public lecture and podium discussion: “Virtuelle Welten – zwischen Wissenschaft, Kunst und Unterhaltung”, together with Markus Gross.
- 10.2019 Peking University, Center on Frontiers of Computing Studies, School of Electronics Engineering and Computer Science, Beijing, China.
- 06.2019 Oxford Women in CS Distinguished Seminar Series at University of Oxford, UK.
- 11.2017 Invited talk at Google Zurich.
- 10.2014 Colloquium of the School of Computer and Communication Sciences (IC) at EPFL, Lausanne, Switzerland (invited talk). “3D shape modeling, animation and fabrication using computation-friendly variational methods”.
- 06.2014 Mathematical Institute, University of Graz, Austria (invited talk). “Reality-inspired constraints for shape modeling and editing”.

- 03.2014 IMAGINE research seminar, INRIA Rhône-Alpes, Grenoble, France (invited talk). “Reality-inspired constraints for shape modeling and editing”.
- 01.2014 French-German Mathematical Image Analysis Conference, Institut Henri Poincaré, Paris, France (invited talk). “Variational warping for multi-image editing”.
- 11.2013 Discrete Curvature: Theory and Applications, workshop at Centre International de Rencontres Mathématiques, Marseille, France (invited talk). “Reality-inspired constraints for shape modeling”.
- 06.2013 Adidas, Herzogenaurach, Germany (invited talk). “Research at the Interactive Geometry Lab”.
- 05.2013 Max Planck Institute for Intelligent Systems, Tuebingen, Germany (invited talk). “Interactive shape modeling: progress and challenges”.
- 03.2013 Symposium Innovative und interdisziplinäre Arbeitswelten, Novartis Campus Basel, Switzerland (invited talk). “Digital 3D modeling and animation: from physical to virtual desktop and back”.
- 11.2012 SIGGRAPH ASIA, Singapore. “Modern approaches to media retargeting” (invited half-day course, together with Alexander Hornung and Ariel Shamir).
- 06.2012 Berlin Colloquium for Scientific Visualization, Freie Universität Berlin, Germany (invited talk). “Fast shape deformation using skinning”.
- 03.2012 Phonak AG, Stäfa, Switzerland (invited talk). “Interactive real-time shape modeling with irregular meshes using variational techniques”.
- 12.2011 SIGGRAPH ASIA, Hong Kong. “How to write a serious SIGGRAPH paper and get away with it”, invited speaker at the special course “How to write a SIGGRAPH paper”.
- 11.2011 LiberoVision AG, Zurich, Switzerland (invited talk). “Research at the Interactive Geometry Lab”.
- 11.2011 ETH Zurich, Switzerland. Inaugural lecture: “Modeling and animation of digital shapes”.
- 08.2011 SIGGRAPH, Vancouver, Canada. Award talk: “Shape modeling in scale: from local to global”.
- 08.2011 Pixar Animation Studios, Emeryville, USA (invited talk). “bounded biharmonic weights for skinning deformations”.
- 05.2011 FMX 2011, Stuttgart, Germany (invited talk). “GeoBrush: interactive mesh geometry cloning”.
- 02.2011 MFO Workshop “Trends in Mathematical Imaging and Surface Processing”, Oberwolfach, Germany (invited talk). “Smooth weights for real-time shape deformation”.
- 10.2010 MIT Graphics Group annual retreat, Boston, USA (invited talk). “GeoBrush: interactive mesh geometry cloning”.
- 07.2010 SIGGRAPH, Los Angeles, USA. “Motion-based video retargeting with optimized crop-and-warp”.
- 05.2010 RWTH Aachen, Germany (invited talk). “Topology-based smoothing of 2D scalar fields with C^1 -continuity”.
- 12.2009 SIGGRAPH ASIA, Yokohama, Japan. “Half-day course: Visual media retargeting”.
- 07.2009 Disney Research/ETH Zurich, Switzerland (invited talk). “iWIRES: an analyze-and-edit approach to shape manipulation”.
- 04.2009 Adobe Systems, Boston, USA (invited talk). “iWIRES: an analyze-and-edit approach to shape manipulation”.
- 04.2009 Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Boston, USA (invited talk). “iWIRES: an analyze-and-edit approach to shape manipulation”.
- 03.2009 EUROGRAPHICS Conference, Munich, Germany. “Tutorial: Interactive shape modeling and deformation”.
- 12.2008 Workshop on City Modeling, Simulation and Visualization, Shenzhen, China. “Optimized scale-and-stretch for image resizing”.
- 11.2008 Princeton University, USA (invited talk). “Optimized scale-and-stretch for image resizing”.

09.2008 University of Zaragoza, Spain (invited talk). “Optimized scale-and-stretch for image resizing”.

06.2008 University of Konstanz, Germany (invited talk). “The art and science of skeletal shape deformation”.

04.2008 University of Magdeburg, Germany (invited talk). “Context-aware skeletal shape deformation”.

02.2008 Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya, Barcelona, Spain (invited talk). “Interfaces and algorithms for the creation and animation of surface meshes”.

08.2007 University of Montreal, Canada. “ Interfaces and algorithms for the creation and editing of surface meshes”.

07.2007 EUROGRAPHICS/ACM SIGGRAPH Symposium on Geometry Processing, Barcelona, Spain. “As-rigid-as-possible surface modeling”.

11.2006 ETH Zurich, Switzerland. “Feature-aware texturing and 3D collages”.

10.2006 Helsinki University of Technology, Finland (invited talk). “Linear rotation-invariant coordinates”.

08.2006 Max-Planck-Institut für Informatik, Saarbrücken, Germany (invited talk). “Feature-aware texturing and 3D collages”.

07.2006 SIGGRAPH Conference, Boston, USA. “Color harmonization”.

10.2005 The University of Tokyo, Japan (invited talk). “Laplacian mesh processing”.

09.2005 EUROGRAPHICS Conference, Dublin, Ireland (State-of-the-art report). “Laplacian mesh processing”.

01.2005 Tel Hai Academic College, Israel (invited talk).

07.2004 EUROGRAPHICS/ACM SIGGRAPH Symposium on Geometry Processing, Nice, France. “Laplacian surface editing”.

06.2004 International Conference on Shape Modeling and Applications, Genoa, Italy. “Least-squares meshes”.

07.2003 Max-Planck-Institut für Informatik, Saarbrücken, Germany. “Ray space factorization for from-region visibility”.

06.2003 EUROGRAPHICS/ACM SIGGRAPH Symposium on Geometry Processing, Aachen, Germany. “High-pass quantization for mesh encoding”.

06.2003 Center for Graphics and Geometric Computing Seminar, Israel Institute of Technology (Technion). “High-pass quantization for mesh encoding”.

02.2003 The 4th Israel-Korea Bi-National Conference on Geometric Modeling and Computer Graphics, Tel Aviv, Israel. “Bounded-distortion piecewise mesh parameterization”.

12.2002 Center for Graphics and Geometric Computing Seminar, Israel Institute of Technology (Technion). “Ray space factorization for from-region visibility”.

10.2002 IEEE Visualization Conference, Boston, USA. “Bounded-distortion piecewise mesh parameterization”.

10.2002 Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Boston, USA (invited talk). “Ray space factorization for from-region visibility”.

10.2002 Princeton University, USA (invited talk). “Ray space factorization for from-region visibility”.

09.2002 WSI/GRIS, University of Tübingen, Germany (invited talk). “Bounded-distortion piecewise mesh parameterization”.

09.2002 Max-Planck-Institut für Informatik, Saarbrücken, Germany. “Bounded-distortion piecewise mesh parameterization”.

09.2002 RWTH Aachen, Germany (invited talk). “Ray space factorization for from-region visibility”.

08.2002 AT&T Research Labs at Florham Park, USA. “Bounded-distortion piecewise mesh parameterization”.

08.2002 State University of New York at Stony Brook, USA (invited talk). “Bounded-distortion piecewise mesh parameterization”.

09.2001 EUROGRAPHICS Conference, Manchester, England. “Warped textures for uv-mapping encoding”.

Extended research visits and collaborations (selection)

- 06.2012 – 07.2012 Freie Universität Berlin, Germany
Prof. Konrad Polthier
Digital shape analysis
- 11.2009 REVES/INRIA Sophia-Antipolis, France
Dr. George Drettakis
Image based rendering
- 07.2009 ETH Zurich and Disney Research Zurich, Switzerland
Dr. Alexander Hornung and Prof. Markus Gross
Media retargeting
- 09.2008 University of Zaragoza, Spain
Prof. Diego Gutierrez
Reverse tone mapping
- 06.2007 REVES/INRIA Sophia-Antipolis, France
Dr. Sylvain Lefebvre and Dr. George Drettakis
Interactive image editing
- 11.2006 ETH Zurich, Switzerland
Dr. Mario Botsch and Prof. Markus Gross
Variational deformation methods
- 08.2005 – 10.2005 Microsoft Research Asia (Beijing), internship in the Internet Graphics Group
Dr. Baining Guo and Dr. Ying-Qing Xu
Color harmonization
- 07.2005 Imager Laboratory, University of British Columbia, Canada
Prof. Alla Sheffer and Tiberiu Popa
Expressive non-realistic modeling of 3D collages
- 07.2004 Discrete Geometric Modeling Group, Technische Universität Darmstadt, Fraunhofer Institute, Germany
Prof. Marc Alexa and Andrew Nealen
Interactive shape editing
- 07.2003 – 09.2003 Max-Planck-Institut für Informatik, Germany
Prof. Hans-Peter Seidel and Dr. Christian Rössl
Feature-sensitive surface representation and editing
- 09.2002 Max-Planck-Institut für Informatik, Germany
Prof. Alexander Belyaev and Prof. Hans-Peter Seidel
Surface parameterization

Associations

- 2014 – present Member of ACM. ACM Fellow as of 2020.
- 2012 – present Member of the ETH Women Professors Forum.
- 2007 – present Member of ACM SIGGRAPH.
- 2007 – present Member of Eurographics. Fellow of the Eurographics Association as of 2015.

Languages

Hebrew, English, Russian, German, basic French.

Hobbies

Hiking, knitting, chocolate and patisserie, [INGVERIT](#).