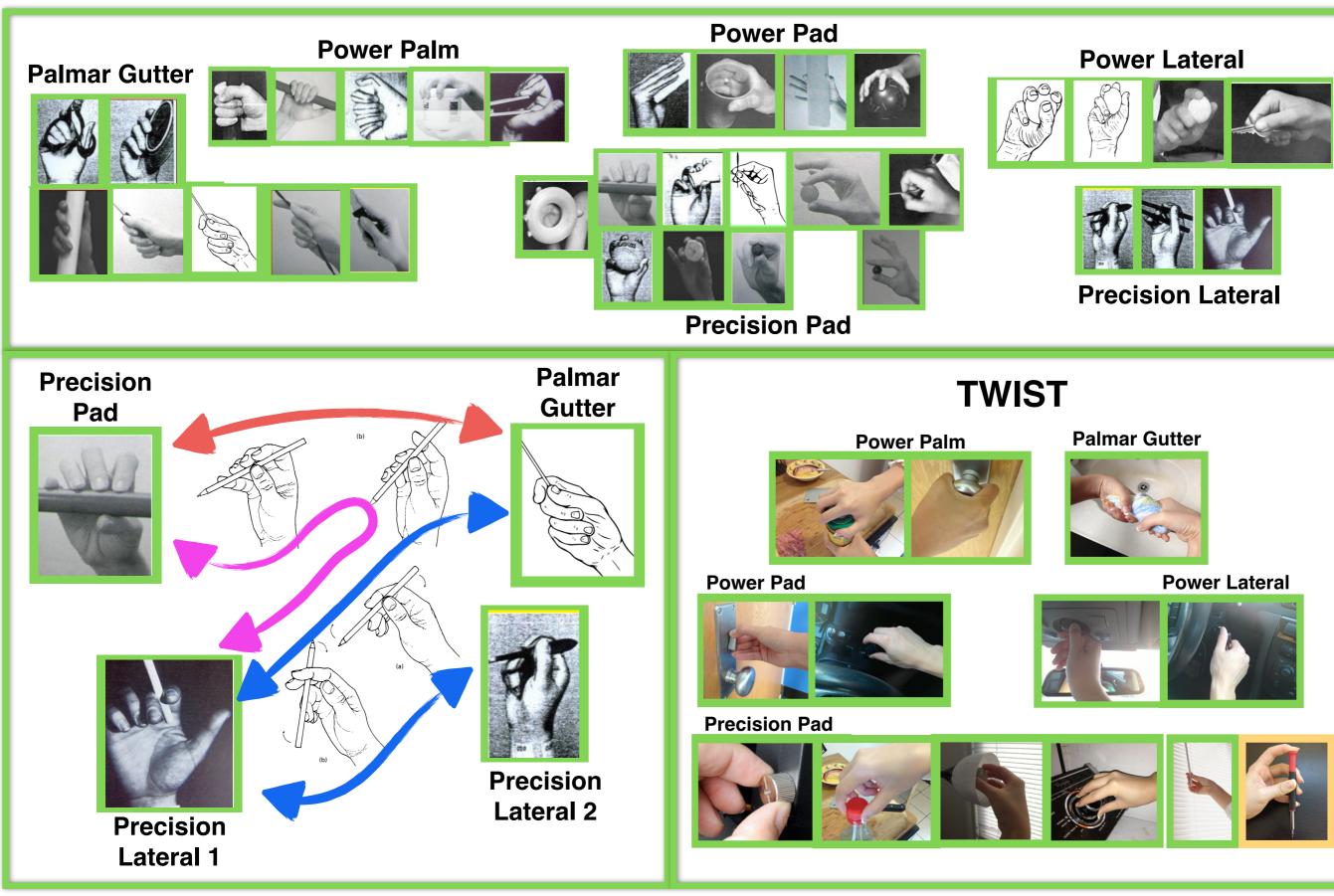
Course Intro: Welcome to Technical Animation!

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Introductions



Human Grasping "In the Wild"





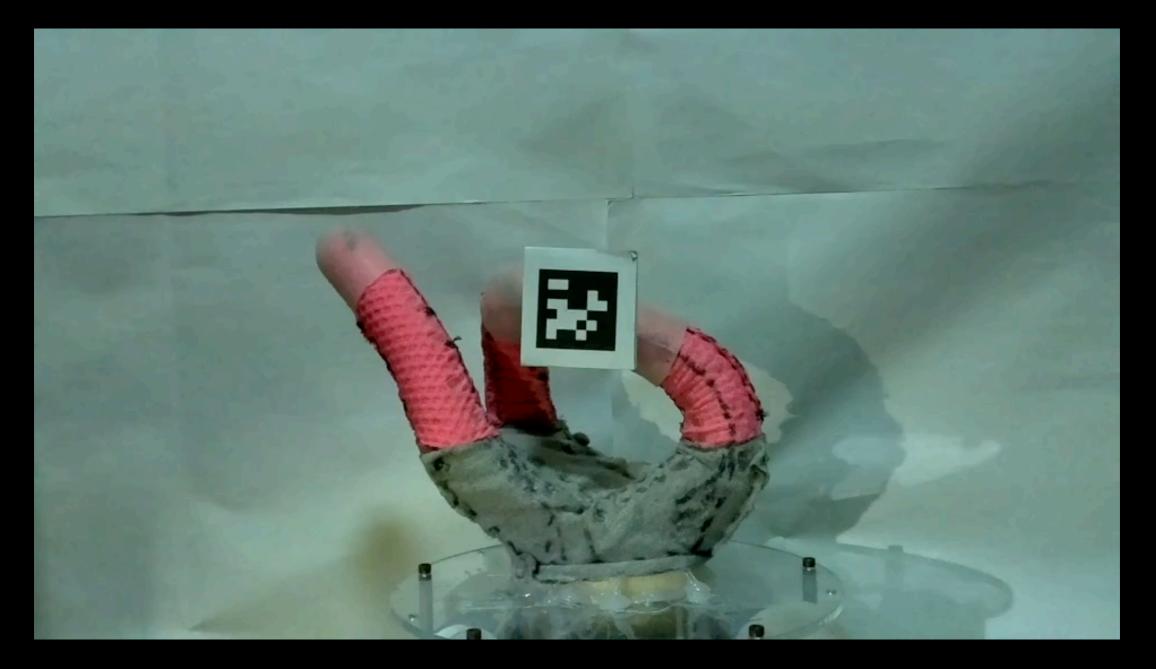


Design and Fabrication of Robot Hands for Dexterous Tasks

Nancy Pollard and Stelian Coros

with Dominik Bauer, Kai-Hung Chang, Chris Hazard, Jonathan King, Yuzi Nakamura, and Cornelia Schlagenhauf





with Ryan Coulson, Charlie Li, and Carmel Majidi



Course Organization

15-464 / 15-664 Syllabus for Spring 2021

This is a tentative syllabus and will be adjusted according to results from Assignment 0 and in-class discussion.

Week of	Mon	Weds
Feb 1	Course Overview <u>Assignment 0 OUT</u> 	Introduction to Animation
Feb 8	Inverse Kinematics Assignment 0 DUE 	More IK MiniProject1 OUT
Feb 15	Motion Editing I	Motion Editing II
Feb 22	Rigging and Skinning	Paper Presentations I
Mar 1	Miniproject 1 Presentations Miniproject 1 DUE 	Simulation and Cloth Miniproject 2 OUT
Mar 8	More Cloth	Rigid Bodies and Contact

http://graphics.cs.cmu.edu/nsp/course/15464-s21/www/

Assignment 0

- Email me 5 paper choices (<u>nsp@cs.cmu.edu</u>)
- Due Monday, Feb 8th
- Guidelines:
 - published in 2020 (with some exceptions!)
 - relevant to Technical Animation
- You will present one of these papers in class
- First come, first served, so get me your choices early!
- Detailed guidelines are available on the course webpages

What else you can do this week

- Start your blog!
- Email me a pointer to your blog page (Due Monday, Feb 8th)
- Use any blogging tool you like or simply host a web page anywhere
- Guidelines:
 - One blog entry per class
 - A short paragraph is sufficient
 - Include your thoughts/observations/comments
 - Your blog can be private or public, as you like. (Just make sure I have access :)
- Our course material ranges over many articles and other sources, and your blog can help to tie it together into your personal package of notes. I use the feedback that you give me in this blog to improve my future lectures.