

# Industry and academy collaborations

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ROCON@{UTCN, Robotics.AI}



# Industry

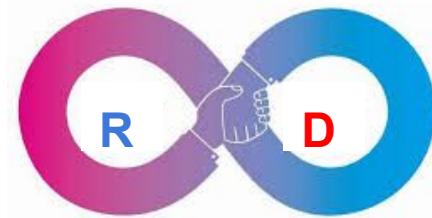
R&D

- Industry 4.0
- Fintech
- Robotics
- AI
- ...

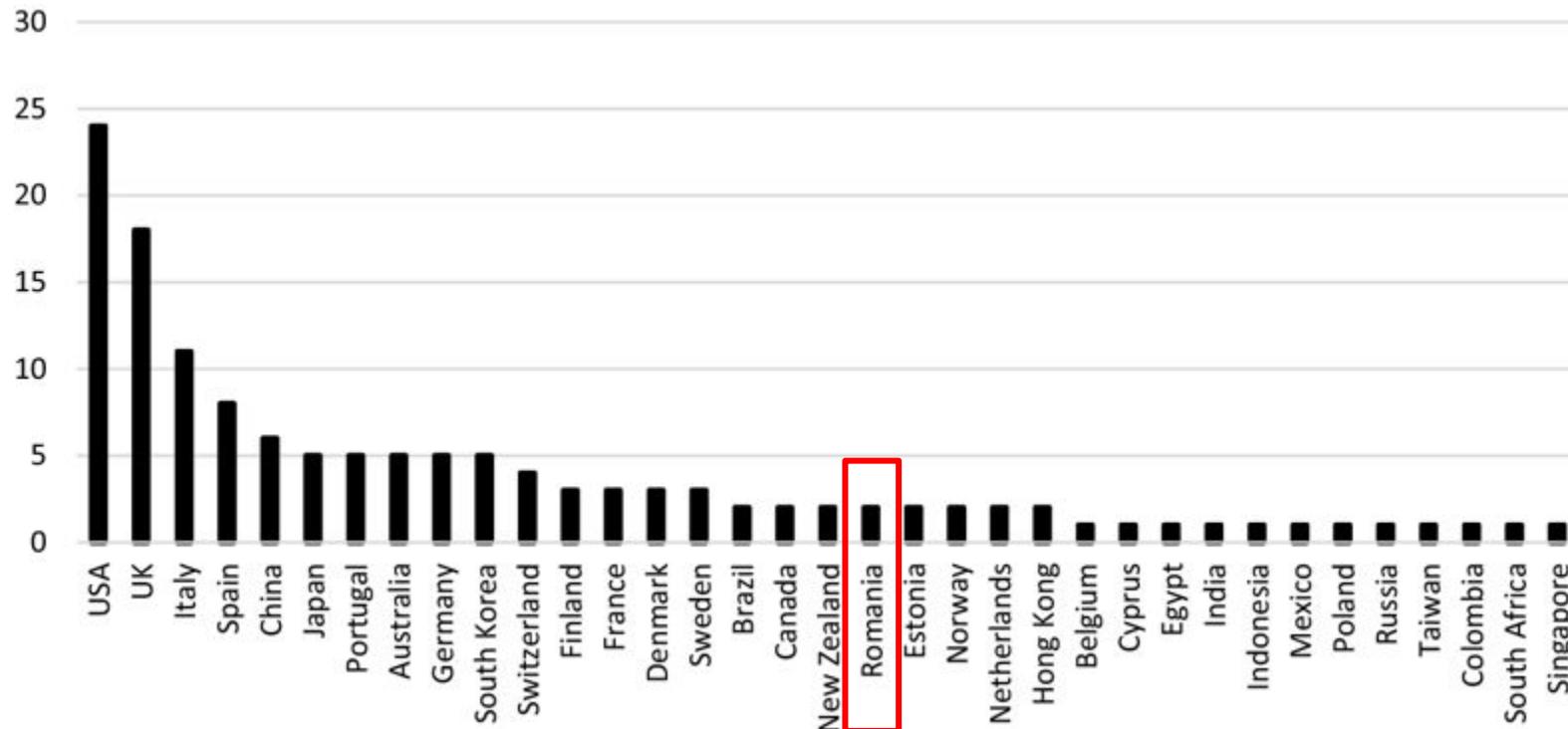
# academia

R&D

- Research
  - Base
  - Applied
- Training/education
  - From HR perspective
  - From tech side



# ... connections - where is really a priority?



# ... connections - USA

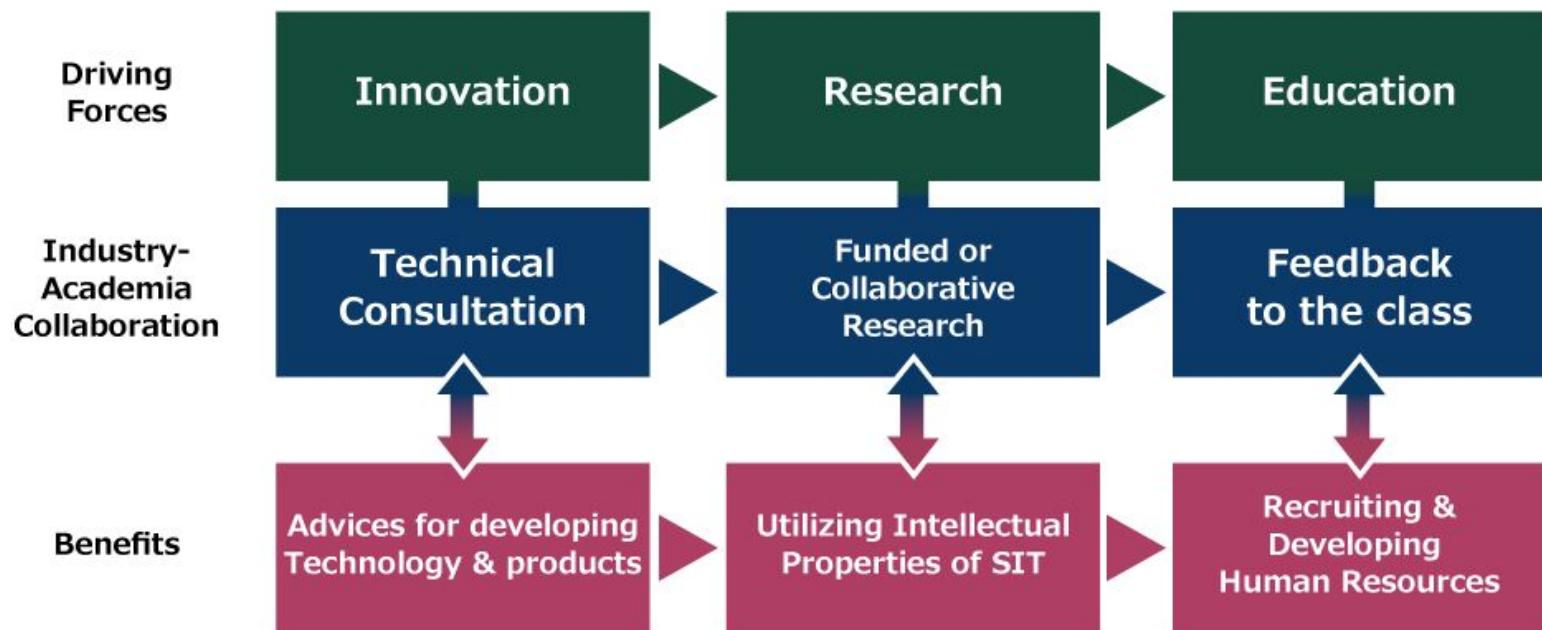
3 suggestions:

- Get a head start
- Work out the details
- Boost transparency and trust



... connections - JP

## Trinity driving forces by Education, Research and Innovation



# ... connections - local level



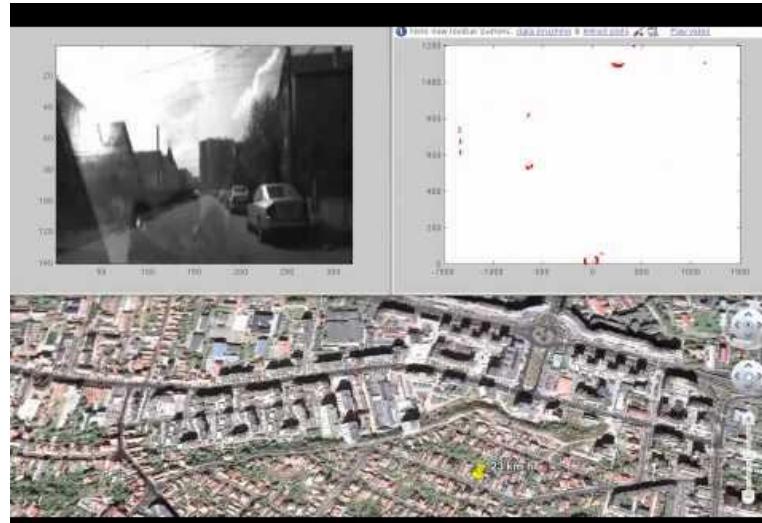
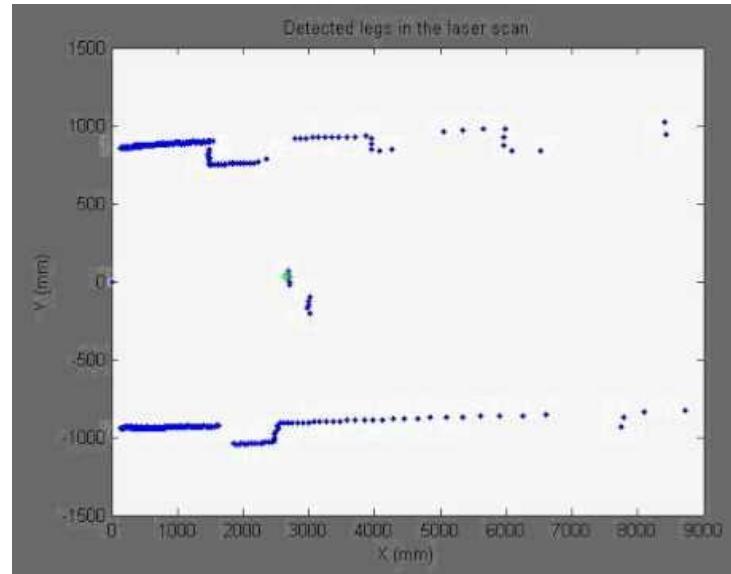
# R&D@ROCON: connections

- Several active **company** level connections:
  - Accenture
  - Analog Devices
  - Bosch
  - Emerson
  - NGi
  - Nvidia
  - Siemens
  - Braintronix
  - ...
- Spin-off company
  - **Robotics.AI** → to be the first “officially”recognized spin-off by UTCN
- Projects **over 1M\$** in the last decade

# AutonomousX: RRG&Dacia

Tools: 2D laser, GMM, stereo cam → early 2010

Budget: 10KEUR



# AutonomousX: RRG&RuAG

Tools: 3D laser, UKF, reco → 2013

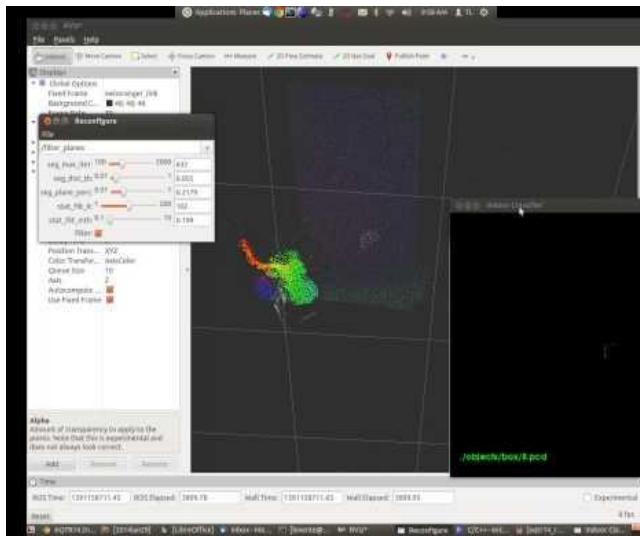
Budget: 50KEUR



Terminal output (partial):

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INFO] [1402090101.2828837667, 13599988170.4823633889]: GPS sensor activated
INFO] [1402090101.3910935771, 13599988170.598347863]: Odometry sensor activated
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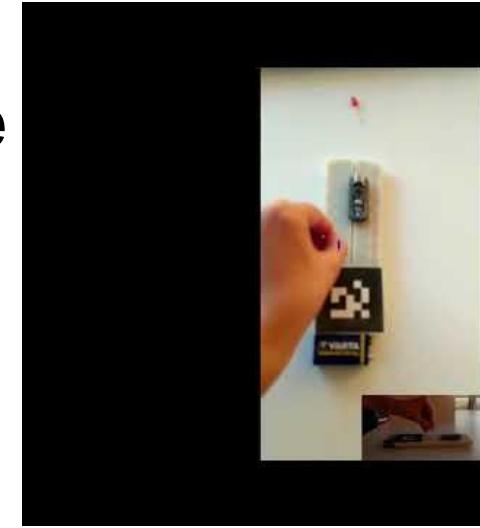
EAAI2014, ICRA 2014



# Industry 4.0: ROCON&Accenture

Tools: cobot, MES integration, AR - 2016

Budget: 100KEUR



IJPS2019, OSIM 2019

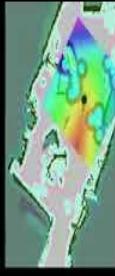


Augmented  
Reality

# AR/AI for robotics: Braintronix, NGI

Tools: 3D computer vision,

Budget: 2x100KEUR



RCIM2021



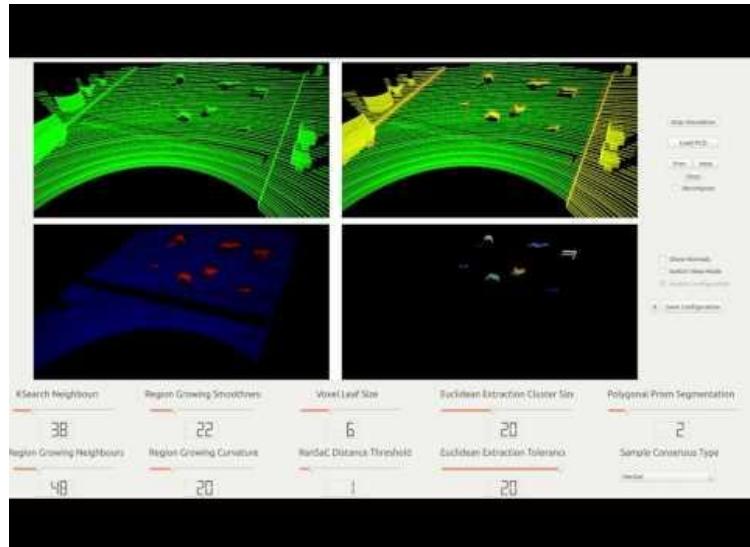
# 2D/3D computer vision: ADI

Tools: 2D/3D fusion, deep learning, recognition

Budget: 3X100 KEUR + 2X100KEUR

OSIM patent

Several journal papers



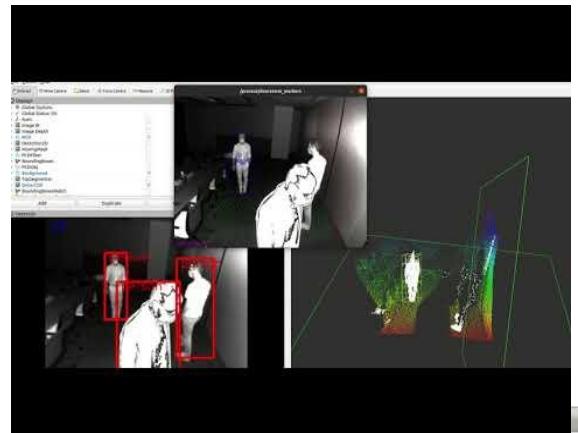
TPAMI2021



SPIE2021

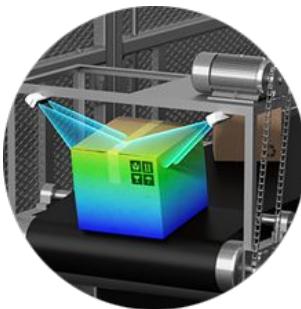


Sensors2021



# Industrial embedded DL - Analog Devices + NVidia

- Developing AI based 3D machine vision solutions
  - Roadmap to develop edge and cloud AI machine vision algorithms
  - Partnership with university research centers
  - Collaborations with machine vision startups
- NVidia DGX grade server grant



Industry 4.0 & Logistics



Healthcare



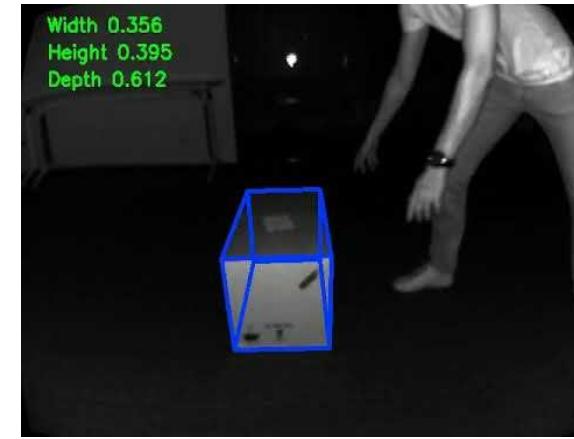
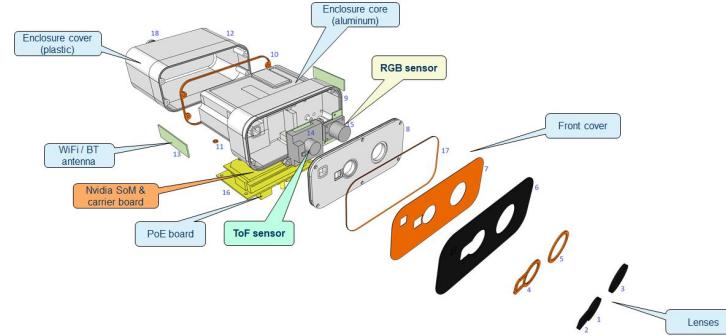
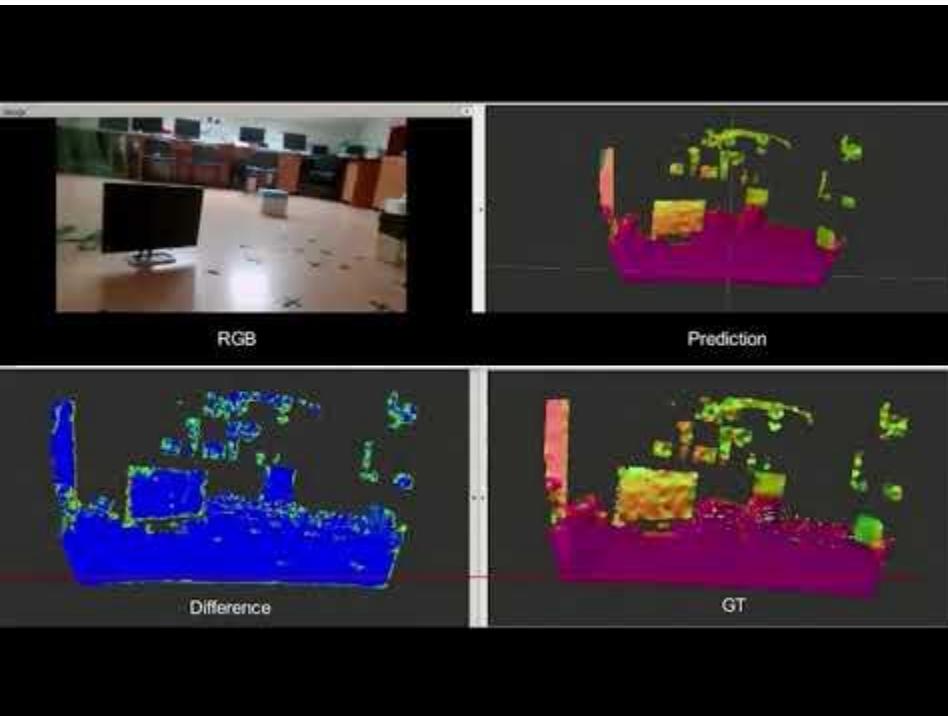
Smart buildings



Robotics

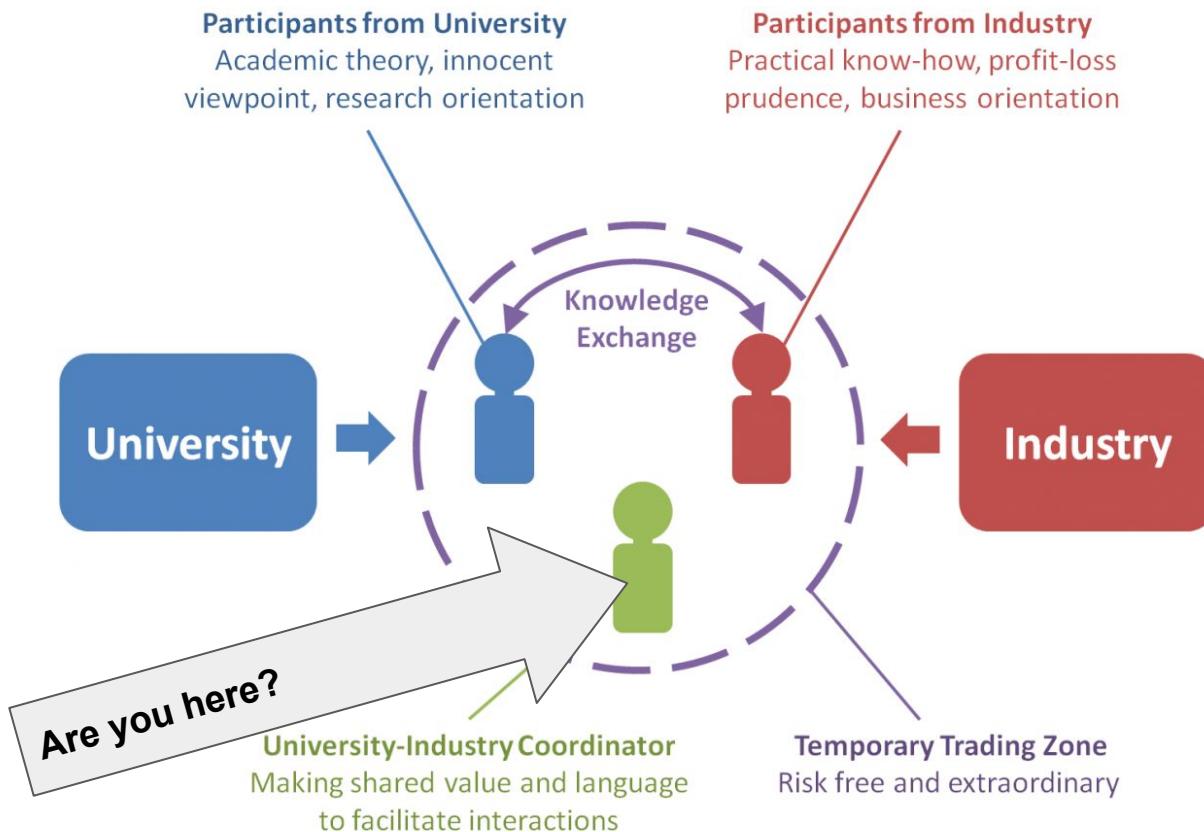
# Ongoing collaboration ...

ICCV 2021



# ... collaborations - summary

## Technology Innovation Management Review



# Thank you for your attention!

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