# Giorgia Romano

Biorobotics Engineering Student

### **About Me**

I am a passionate and dedicated Master's student in **Bionics Engineering**, specializing in **Biorobotics**, with a background in Biomedical Systems Engineering.

My interests lie in **soft robotics**, **biomechanical prosthetics**, and **computer vision systems**.

I am driven by the challenge of developing bioinspired solutions that enhance human life by merging innovation, biology, and engineering.

#### Contact







# Tech skills and softwares

- Programming Languages: Python, C++, MATLAB
- CAD software: Fusion360, Solidworks
- Simulation software: Ansys, COMSOL Multiphysics
- Real time systems and FPGA: LabView
- Data Mining: Jupyter Notebook

# Language

- Italian (native)
- English (C1 level)

### **Education**

#### Master's degree: Biorobotics Engineering

September 2024-now

Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies | University of Pisa joint degree

- Developed an EMG-controlled active prosthetic hand: designed electronic circuitry, programmed STM32 microcontroller, and implemented signal processing algorithms in MATLAB.
- Project on Human Pose Estimation with Vicon and Mediapipe motion capture systems.
- Project on Audio source localization via neuromorphic implementation of the Jeffress model with LabVIEW interface.

## Bachelor degree:

2020-2023

Biomedical Systems Engineering - 110L/110

Surgical Robotics and Allied Technologies Area

Polytechnic of Bari, Bari

 My bachelor thesis focuses on the analysis of risk indices in Manual Material Handling (MMH) through real-time human pose estimation using computer vision and machine learning techniques.

# **Experience**

#### Research Intern:

March 2025-now

Biorobotics Institute, Pontedera

- Design and prototyping of a soft gripper actuated by magnetic fields, developed for minimally invasive surgical tasks.
- Gained hands-on experience working in polymer and magnetics laboratories.

#### Research Intern: Naps lab

2023 - 2024

Naps Lab, Bari

- Development and test of algorithms for **kinematic analysis** and the implementation of visual biofeedback systems to support self-assessment of movement.
- European research project "Al4NightWorkers", aimed at developing an Al-driven system to monitor and assess health risks associated with Shift Work Sleep Disorder (SWD) in night-shift workers.

# Personal experience

#### Volunteer - Erasmus Student Network (ESN)

2023-now

Bari, Pisa

- Helped organize cultural events, language exchange activities, and integration initiatives to promote intercultural understanding and student mobility.
- Head of the "Environmental and Sustainability" Committee.