



# Marc Berneman

*PhD Student*

## Work

- October 2021 **PhD Student**, *Technion Israeli Institute of Technology*.  
– present Dynamics and training of disordered solids.
- July– **Machine Learning Engineer Student Job**, *ETRO lab at VUB*.  
September 2020 Machine learning and big data for disinformation monitoring. I gained experience in Linux, Docker, BERT machine learning models for natural language processing, and much more.

## Publications

- 17 September 2021 **Context-Aware Deep Markov Random Fields for Fake News Detection**, *IEEE Access*, Do, T., Berneman, M., Patro, J., Bekoulis, G., & Deligiannis, N..
- 16 July 2021 **A Frequency Domain Approach to Model Reference Control**, *19th IFAC Symposium on System Identification*, Berneman, M., Pintelon, R., & Lataire, J..
- 28 October 2020 **Modeling and Control of 5-DoF Boom Crane**, *37th International Symposium on Automation and Robotics in Construction (ISARC 2020)*, Ambrosino, M., Berneman, M., Carbone, G., Crépin, R., Dawans, A., & Garone, E..

## Honours

- September 2020 **Best master thesis prize**, *Brussels Engineering Alumni (BrEA)*.

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## Education

- 2020–2021 **Advanced Master**, *Nuclear Engineering*, GPA – 75%, Cum Laude (With Distinction).  
Belgian Nuclear higher Education Network
- 2018–2020 **Master of Science**, *Electrical Engineering majoring in measuring, modelling and control*, GPA – 93%, Summa Cum Laude (With Highest Distinction).  
Vrije Universiteit Brussel
- 2015–2018 **Bachelor of Science**, *Electrical Engineering*, GPA – 79%, Magna Cum Laude (With High Distinction).  
Vrije Universiteit Brussel

## Internship

- July–September 2018 **Investigating and reporting on the advantages and disadvantages of small 120 GHz radar**, *Fraunhofer Institute for High-Frequency Physics and Radar Technologies (Bonn, Germany)*.  
Reliability and feasibility of a mini radar. I made a GUI in Python that interfaces with the circuit controlling the RF components. Moreover, I reported on bugs I found in the computational parts of the circuit. Finally, I proposed a slight correction between the distance of an object to the radar as measured by the circuit and the actual distance to the object.

## Languages

Dutch	<b>Mother language</b>
French	<b>Mother language</b>
English	<b>Excellent</b>
Hebrew	<b>Very good</b>
German	<b>Basic</b>

30 hour A1 level course