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Qualifications

University of Munich, Neurosurgery, 1989. M.D., Rostov State Medical Institute, Internal Medicine, 1986.

Expertise and Research Interests

Prince Dr. Philip Chidi Njemanze, M.D. (suma cum Laudae) Special Interest in Brain Control Systems - Neurocybernetics: Hemispheric Lateralization and Brain-Cardiac Control Systems in Norm and Pathology Position: CEO Chidicon USA Inc., Chairman, Chidicon Medical Center International Institutes of Advanced Research and Training, No. 1 Uratta Road, P.O. Box 302, Owerri, Imo State, Nigeria

Expertise in Neuroimaging: MRI flow imaging of CSF, Transcranial Doppler, Carotid Color Flow Ultrasound Man-machine-interface System Technologies Ultrasound development technology Nanotechnology Artificial Intelligence: neural networks and fuzzy logic

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Other Expertise

Risk Analysis Systems Probabilistic Layer Analysis Geographic Information System Technologies Remote Sensing

Future Research

Life Systems Manager (LSM) in advanced avionic systems. LSM to provide an intelligent, adaptive, integrated space system coupling astronauts to the space craft, and is achievable based on innovative integration of present technology. The electronics implementation of a LSM consists primarily of input/output (I/O) processing based on neural network architecture. Cabin pressure, flight parameters, and mission crew 'state-of-being' are monitored and processed. The expert system processing unit would provide system coordination, provide cautions and warnings, initiate recovery sequences, and control the escape system. The hardware architecture of the LSM consists of a processor, analog and digital I/O to read and control, and access to space data via upgraded avionic architecture. Fault tolerance would be incorporated to insure safe and reliable operations of life support systems. This system couples nicely with present space vehicle management system (VMS) technologies being developed for control of hydro-electromechanical systems such as fuel systems and flight controls. An extension of Pilot's Associate (PA) approach, it focuses on mission crew 'state-of-being'. Processing resources to handle the LSM function are available in the VMS developed for the Space Shuttle and Space Station. Development and integration of present near-term technologies promise enhanced survival and increased performance of tomorrow's space craft and aircraft by combining crew and machine. Reduction or elimination of spacecraft/aircraft and spacecrew/aircrew loss can be fully realized.

Industrial Relevance

Human-factors in Advanced Avionics and Space Shuttle Air-traffic Control Human Cognition Based Safety Systems

Keywords

COS Keywords:

Artificial Intelligence Or Cybernetics, Computer Interface, Electronic Neural Network, Fuzzy Logic, Human Factors Engineering, Nanotechnology, Neuroimaging, Neurosurgery, Risk Factor Analysis, Ultrasonography.

Additional Terms:

Cognition in Space, Gravitational Loss of Consciousness, Human Factors-Man-Machine Interface, Risk Analysis System.

Languages

(Reading, Writing, Speaking)

English: (fluent, fluent, fluent) German: (basic, basic, basic) Igbo: (basic, basic, basic) Russian: (basic, basic, basic)

Memberships

American Association for the Advancement of Science American Epilepsy Society American Heart Association American Society for Testing and Materials American Society for Tropical Medicine and Hygiene American Society of Neuroimaging Association of General and Private Medical Practitioners of Nigeria **British Institute of Radiology** Global Council on Health Infectious Disease Society of America Institute of Patentees and Inventors United Kingdom International Society of Gravitational Physiology International Society of Neuroscience National Geographic Society Neuroscience Society of Nigeria New York Academy of Sciences Nigerian Medical Association **Owerri Neuroscience Group** Society of Neuroscientists of Africa Whelan Research Academy

Honors and Awards

1990, Jane McKinney Award in Neurosonology, American Society of Neuroimaging, Bowman Gray School of Medicine, Wake Forest University, North Carolina, USA, Effect of Psychological Stimuli on Middle Cerebral Artery Flow Velocity: A Transcranial Doppler Study

1990, Honorable Mention, American Society of Neuroimaging, Department of Neurology, St. Louis University Medical Center, St. Louis Missouri, USA, Cerebral lateralization and Color Perception: A Transcranial Doppler Study

1986, Magna cum Laudae, Ministry of Health USSR, Rostov State Medical Institute, Rostov-on-Don Russian Federation, General Medicine

1985, All USSR Student's Scientific Award, Academy of Sciences USSR, Rostov State Medical Institute and Institute of Neurocybernetics, Rostov University, Rostov on Don USSR, Influence of unilateral acupuncture and electrostimulation on spontaneous and evoked electrogenesis of the cerebral cortex

1982, Academic Orbeli, USSR Academy of Sciences, Rostov StateMedical Institute, Rostov-on-Don, Influence of Peripheral Resistance on the form of sphygmograms

Previous Positions

1997-1998, International Fellow, National Aeronautic and Space Administration, Center for Health Applications of Aerospace Related Technologies, Remote Sensing and Geographic Information Systems Technologies

1994-1996, Principal Investigator, National Aeronautic and Space Administration, Lydon Johnson Space Center, Houston Texas, Neurolab, Life Sciences

1991, Assistant Research Professor, Saint Louis University, Medical Center, Neurology, Souer's Stroke Institute

1990, Senior Research Associate, Saint Louis University, Medical Center, Neurology, Souer's Stroke Institute

1989, Research Associate, London University, Guy's Hospital, Radiology, Angiology

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Patents

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Transcranial Doppler Ultrasound Device for Odor Evaluation, Patent Number: 6663571, 2003, United States of America. Abstract USPTO Full-Text

Neural Network System for Modeling Ecological and Biological Systems, Patent Number: 6490573, 2002, Self-owned, United States. Abstract USPTO Full-Text

Noninvasive transcranial Doppler Ultrasound Computerized Mental Performance Testing System, Patent Number: 6390979, 2002, Self-owned, United States. Abstract USPTO Full-Text

Implantable Telemetric Transcranial Doppler Device, Patent Number: 6468219, 2002, Self-owned, United States. Abstract USPTO Full-Text

Physiologic G-suit modulator., Patent Number: 5121744, 1992, Self-owned, United States. Abstract USPTO Full-Text

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