

Wearables and the Quantified Self AAPB Denver 2019



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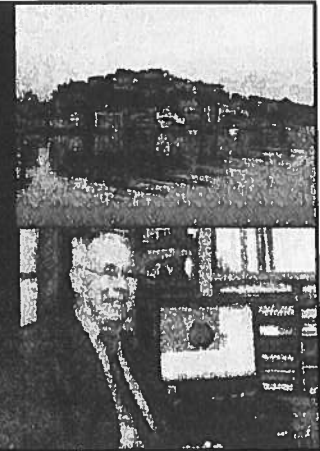


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Costly Consumer Wearable Devices

Motiv Fit Pro - \$100, 64Kb heart rate monitor, fitness tracker, calorie and step counter, 1.4" color touchscreen, waterproof Bluetooth, Lifetime

Fitbit Surge - \$150, 4Kb heart rate monitor, fitness tracker, calorie and step counter, 1.4" color touchscreen, waterproof Bluetooth, Lifetime

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eVuTIPS by Thought technology - \$395, HRV, skin conductance, skin temperature, straps on finger, Bluetooth, android only

Inner balance by heartmath - \$159 Bluetooth, \$129 lighting sensor, good breathing approximation monitor, ear lobe clip, good graphics

Emotiv Insight - \$299, five channel mobile EEG headset, wireless 16 PC or mobile, rechargeable for nine hours, motion detection, anti-dry polymers and ABS

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http://www.trendone.com/wearables/wearable-technology-database

Wearable devices are becoming increasingly popular as they offer a wide range of health and fitness tracking capabilities. These devices can monitor heart rate, sleep patterns, and even detect potential health issues. The database provides a comprehensive list of these devices, including their features and prices. It is a valuable resource for anyone interested in the latest wearable technology.

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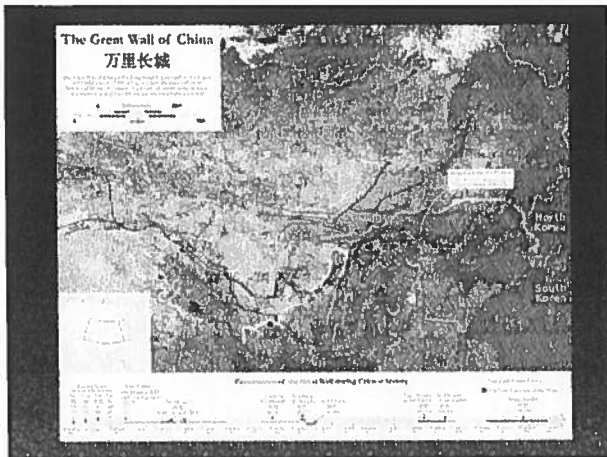
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Theoretical Issues: Observations

In addition to training reductions in physical reactivity, biofeedback training must also acknowledge individual learning styles and train for reducing cognitive and behavioral reactions as well.

Biofeedback training should be aware of philosophical and methodological fallacies related to:

1. Feedback Accuracy
2. Mislabeling
3. Raising the Question
4. Over Generalizations

Feedback Accuracy

1) Acknowledging individual self-perceptions are essential in biofeedback training.

Mislabeling

2) Verbal fallacies* may arise from mislabeling a our terms or medical conditions

'What a beautiful belt you've got on!' Alice suddenly remarked. 'At least,' she corrected herself on second thoughts, 'a beautiful cravat. I should have said - no, a belt, I mean - oh, I beg your pardon!' she added in dismay, for Humpty Dumpty looked thoroughly offended, and she began to wish she hadn't chosen the subject. 'If only I knew,' she thought to her self, 'which was neck and which was waist!'

Raising the Question

3) Begging the question fallacies* arise when we "find what we are looking for" and stop considering other options that are more true for the client

The Hunting of the Snark!

"Just the place for a Snark!" the Bellman cried,
As he landed his crew with care;
Supporting each man on the top of the tide
By a finger entwined in his hair.

"Just the place for a Snark!"
I have said it twice;
That alone should encourage the crew.
"Just the place for a Snark! I have said it thrice:
What I tell you three times is true."

Over-generalization

4) Over-generalization fallacies* arise when we attribute some state in the brain to abstract constructs like associated with cognitions or behaviors. Consider the following quote:


"In conclusion, our findings detail activity associated with cognitively driven sympathetic relaxation facilitated by biofeedback of ElectroDermal Activity (EDA), and implicate a matrix of cortical and subcortical brain regions in mediating the integration of bodily states of arousal and cognitive and perceptual processing."

Critchley et al., NeuroImage, 16: 909-919, 2002. Volitional control of autonomic arousal: a functional magnetic resonance study


Some Other Functional Applications

	Cognitive Orthotics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reminders Planners Navigation and stray prevention
	Health Monitoring	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continuous Monitoring of Vital Signs ADL Sleep Monitoring
	Therapy & Rehabilitation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tele-Health
	Emergency Detection	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fall Detection Medical emergency
	Emotional Wellbeing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Social Connectedness Facilitating Communication


Polygraphic Data



Thought Technology
eVu TTS and
Biograph Infinite



Propac Mobita and
MR150



Mind Media NeXus52,
NeXus 10MKII and PIP

- Less is More: Senseless (Fehmi et al)

Device	Power (mW)	Area (cm²)	Energy (mJ)
CCFL	100	100	100
LED	10	10	10
OLED	1	1	1
Micro-LED	0.1	0.1	0.1
Quantum Dot	0.01	0.01	0.01
Perovskite	0.001	0.001	0.001
Organic	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001

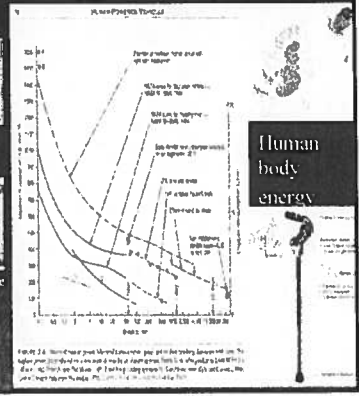
Wide Local Building Area Networks WLBANs



École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne

DEPLE: implantable blood sensors uses bioelectric skin energy

Energy



Human body energy



Legal & Ethical Challenges

- Legal, ethical
 - Telemedicine
 - Lack of regulations
 - Which state regulations? Patient's or Physician?
 - Who is responsible for malpractice?
 - Risk of fake physicians
 - Physician out-of-state competition
 - Insurance & reimbursement
 - Patient confidentiality
- Ethics
 - Perfect transparency
 - Who has control over the system
 - Fight laziness with 'enhancing' technology

Privacy

(depends on contextual expectations & purpose)

- Privacy
 - Encrypted data
 - Patient authentication (Owner aware)
 - Patient Request for Confidential Communications
 - Disposal of Confidential Information
 - Authorization to Access Medical Records, Self and Others
 - Identity Theft Prevention and Response
 - Business Associate Agreements
 - Patient Safety and Confidentiality, Alias, Security, Risk



1. Names	10. Account numbers
2. All geographical identifiers	11. Certificate/license numbers
3. Dates (other than year) directly related to an individual	12. Vehicle identifiers and serial numbers, including license plate numbers
4. Pseudo numbers	13. Device identifiers and serial numbers
5. Fax numbers	14. Web Uniform Resource Identifiers (URIs)
6. Email addresses	15. Internet Protocol (IP) address numbers
7. Social Security numbers	16. Biometric identifiers, including finger, retina and voice prints
8. Medical record numbers	17. Full face photographic images and any comparable images
9. Health insurance beneficiary numbers	18. Any other unique identifying number, character, or code except the unique code assigned by the investigator to code the data

Security

- Wearable Device can be hacked and attacked wirelessly over Bluetooth/ZigBee networks
- Spooing, phishing & link altering (forging destination for server, email address...)
- Side channel attacks
 - leak secrets from a virtual machine (VM) located on a CPU to another VM located elsewhere
 - victim into coming to the attacker-controlled website
 - the attacker requests a password reset from victim

Intrusion

- Too much personalization or assistance will repel users
- Users will be overwhelmed by the huge amount of data and can easily be panicked by misinterpreting any vital health data
- Intrusions may curb creativity and reduce recall of relevant activity

Wearable & Mobile Design Issues

- Issues:
 - Physical interference with movement
 - Difficulty in removing and placing
 - Weight
 - Frequency and difficulty of maintenance
 - Charging
 - Cleaning
 - Social and fashion concerns
- Suggestions:
 - Use common devices to avoid stigmatization
 - Lightweight
 - Easy to maintain

User Interface Design Issues

- Simple Interface
- Limit possibility of error
- Avoid cognitive overload
 - Limit options
 - keep dialogs linear
 - Avoid parallel tasks
- Consider all stakeholders
 - Patient, formal onsite/offsite caregivers, informal onsite/offsite caregivers, technical personnel

Assistive Robotics Challenges

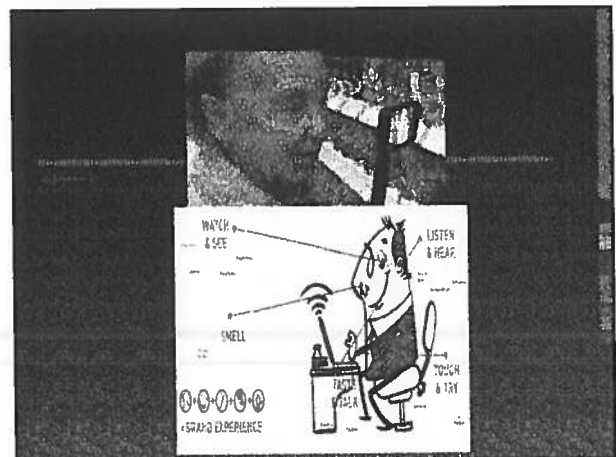
- Assistive robotics
 - Marketing and price
 - Lack of reliable technology
 - A robot fully capable of helping with all Activities of Daily Living (ADLs)
 - Adaptive robots
 - More user studies

Center for Advanced Studies in Adaptive Systems (CASAS project)

- US =Aging in Place, TigerPlace (U. of Missouri), Aware Home (Georgia Tech), CASAS (Washington State U.), Elite Care (OHSU, OR), House_n (MIT)


Asia =Welfare Techno House, Ubiquitous Home (Japan)

- Europe =iDorm (University of Essex), HIS (France)



Biofeedback Strategies to Increase Social Justice and Health Equity

A wearable device to teach awareness of posture and improve self-care
(Submitted Manuscript, Journal of Applied Psychophysiology and Biofeedback, San Francisco State University)



Introduction

As a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, there has been a significant increase in the use of biofeedback devices. These devices are used to help individuals become more aware of their posture and improve their self-care. This paper discusses the use of biofeedback devices to increase social justice and health equity.

Methods

The study involved 10 participants who wore a biofeedback device for 10 days. The device provided real-time feedback on posture and self-care. The results showed that participants who used the device for 10 days had significantly better posture and self-care than those who did not use the device.

Discussion

The results of this study suggest that biofeedback devices can be used to increase social justice and health equity. By providing real-time feedback on posture and self-care, these devices can help individuals become more aware of their posture and improve their self-care. This can lead to better health and well-being for all individuals, regardless of their social or economic status.

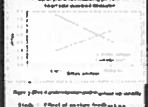


Figure 1: Posture improvement over time




Figure 2: Posture scores between groups

Workshop

The workshop was held on 10/10/2020 and was attended by 10 participants. The workshop focused on the use of biofeedback devices to increase social justice and health equity. The participants learned about the benefits of biofeedback devices and how to use them effectively.

Parsing Matters:

(Run for you lives, Koala: eats shoots and leaves)

