Sophia Antipolis, 01/08/2018

Object: ERASMUS TRAINEESHIP PROGRAMME 2017/2018 – Mr. Enrico MENSA PhD Student

With the present statement I, the undersigned Dr. Serena VILLATA declare that the Institution Université Côte d’Azur, CNRS, Inria Country (EU) France, Town: Sophia Antipolis hosted Mr. Enrico Mensa from May 2nd to July 31st, 2018 in the context of the EU - Erasmus Traineeship Program 2017/2018.

The activity of Enrico during his stay in our Laboratory concerned the topic of explaining machine decisions to humans. In particular, Enrico developed a semantic similarity system equipped with an explanation module for the scenario of the ALOOF project in our team, namely robots supporting humans in their everyday indoor activities.

In terms of academic and technical skills, Enrico showed excellent programming and mathematical skills as well as decision-making ones, being able to define in autonomy the framework to be implemented and to take care of its actual realization. Enrico demonstrated to have good analytical skills allowing him to critically analyse and discuss the related work on the topic of his internship as well as his own choices, also in front of the members of the team. Finally, Enrico successfully integrate our team, both dealing with junior members (i.e., the other PhD students) and with senior ones, showing a high degree of adaptability and excellent communication skills. In summary, we have been very satisfied by the internship Enrico did in our team.

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Serena VILLATA