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HANDLE coordinator receives prestigious price

We are very pleased to announce that Prof. Véronique Perdereau from Université Pierre et Marie Curie - Paris 6 received the prestigious price "Prix des Etoiles de l'Europe" from the Ministère de l'Enseignement supérieur et de la Recherche in France for her leading work with the EU-funded project HANDLE.

The HANDLE project is about understanding how the human hand performs the manipulation of objects and to copy the grasping-skills and movement to an artificial hand and thereby move robot grippers from current best practice towards more autonomous, natural and effective articulated hands. This requires a system with elements of artificial intelligence which allow the robot hand to recognise objects in the right context in order to execute skilful movements like a real hand.

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