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Biography

Dr. Raymond Chong is director of the Movement Science Lab at the Department of Physical Therapy, Georgia Regents University, USA. He has joint appointments in the School of Graduate Studies, Vision Discovery Institute & Institute of Neuroscience. He received his PhD in Exercise & Movement Science at the University of Oregon in 1997 and is first author in over 70% of his peer-reviewed papers. He serves in the review panels for the US Department of Veteran Affairs Rehabilitation & Research Development Services NURA, CAMM and CDA sections. He is also an ad hoc reviewer for funding agencies such as the Qatar Foundation and the UK Medical Research Council. In addition to being Executive Editor of the Journal of Novel Physiotherapies, Dr. Chong also serves on the editorial boards of several journals including Gait & Posture.

Research Interests

How do we move?

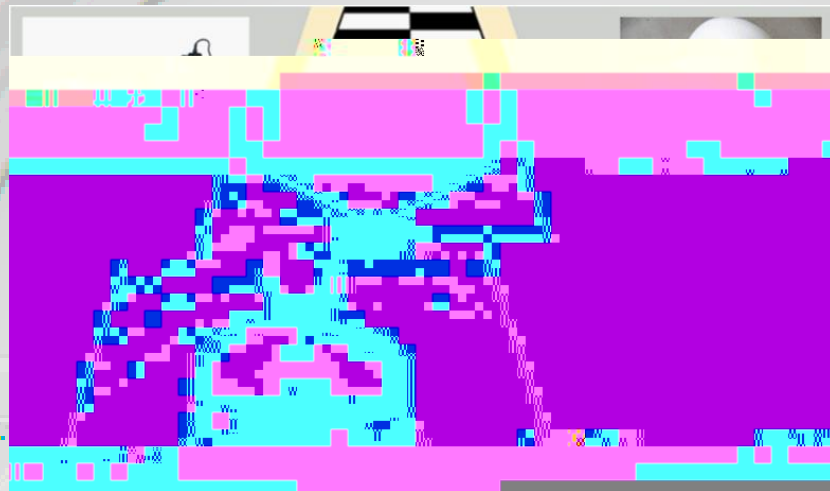
How are movements affected as we age?

When there is a neurologic disease?

When the mind is distracted?

Automatic and volitional multisensory organization and postural control in humans during reaching, stance and walking in healthy and neurological conditions such as Parkinson's disease

Movement theories



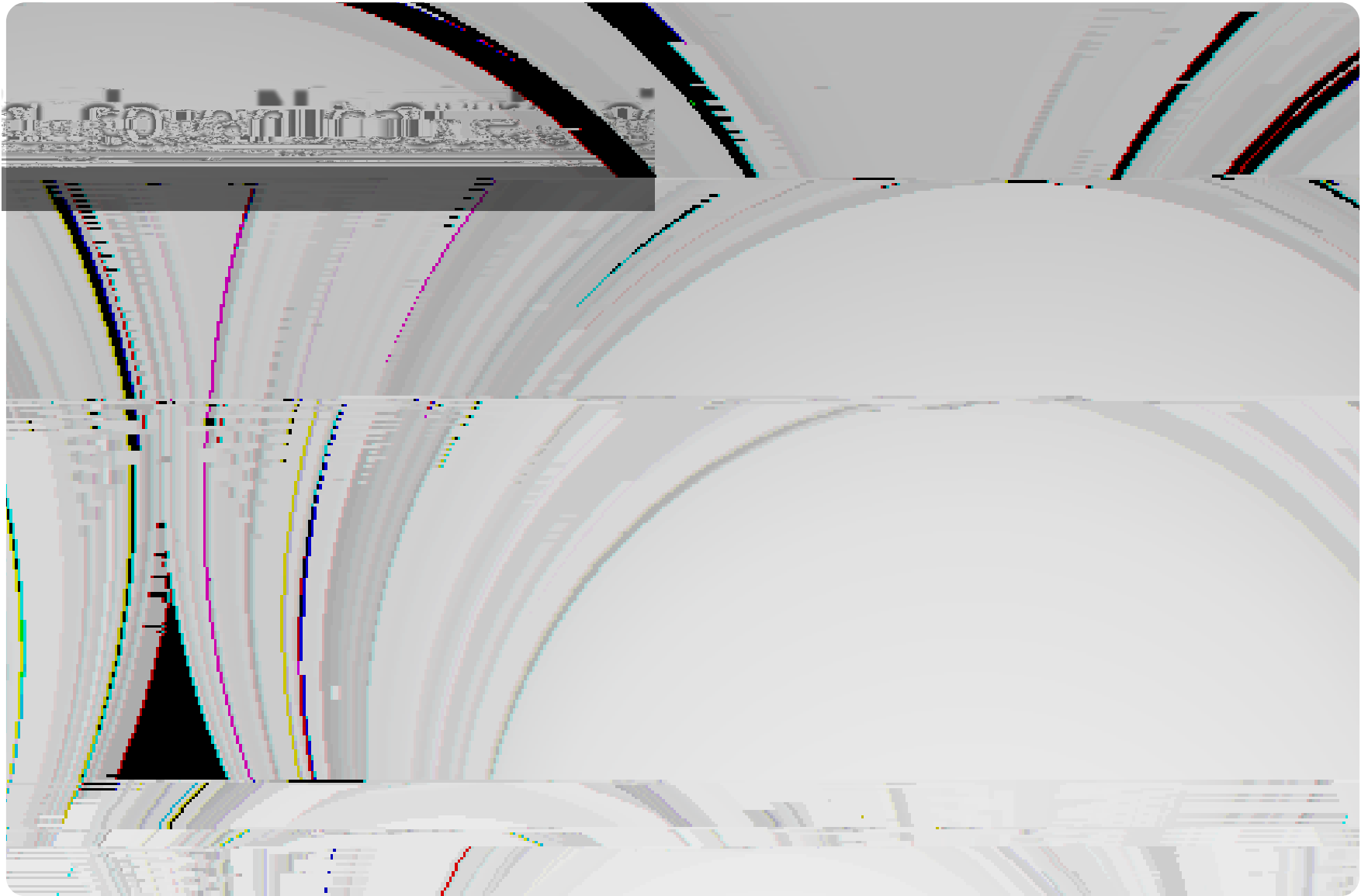
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Parkinson's disease

Parkinson's disease is a progressive disorder of the nervous system that affects your movement. It develops gradually, sometimes starting with a barely noticeable tremor in one hand. While a tremor may be a well-known sign of the disease, the disorder also commonly results in stiffness, slowing of movements, postural instability, freezing of gait and non-motor symptoms such as depression, dementia, pain and sleep disorder.



Related Journals

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International Journal of Physical Medicine

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Rehabilitation





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