Navigation and Task Planning for an Autonomous Trash Picking Robot

Angsa revolutionizes the removal of trash on grass and gravel: Individual objects are detected by an artificial intelligence and removed by the autonomous robot.

**The goal of this project** is to enable the robot to efficiently navigate and operate on an user defined area. Your task will be to implement a task planner which dynamically lets the robot behave intelligently and efficiently.

### Your Tasks
- Review navigation strategies, behavior trees and task planning concepts
- Development of custom navigation and task planning strategies via ROS action nodes
- Integration in the existing robot architecture
- Tests and evaluation in simulation and real-world scenarios

### Your Profile
- You like solving complex problems!
- Enthusiasm for mobile and intelligent robots
- Experience with ROS / ROS2
- Good Python and C++ skills
- Team spirit and good communication skills
- Enrolled in Robotics, Informatics or similar

### What We Offer
- **Startup culture**: Team events, flat hierarchies, agile methods and flexible working hours
- **Real-world impact**: Your modules are used in pilot projects with customers.
- **Responsibility and leadership**: Good work and ownership are rewarded at Angsa: You can play a decisive role in shaping your role in the team.
- **Workplace & Equipment**: A workplace with desk for you in our office and workshop in the TUM Incubator, access to the Makerspace, free coffee & snacks.

### Sounds Interesting?
Send us an e-mail with a short description of your skills and motivation. If you have questions about the job or about us, just call us or come by our office in Garching.

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