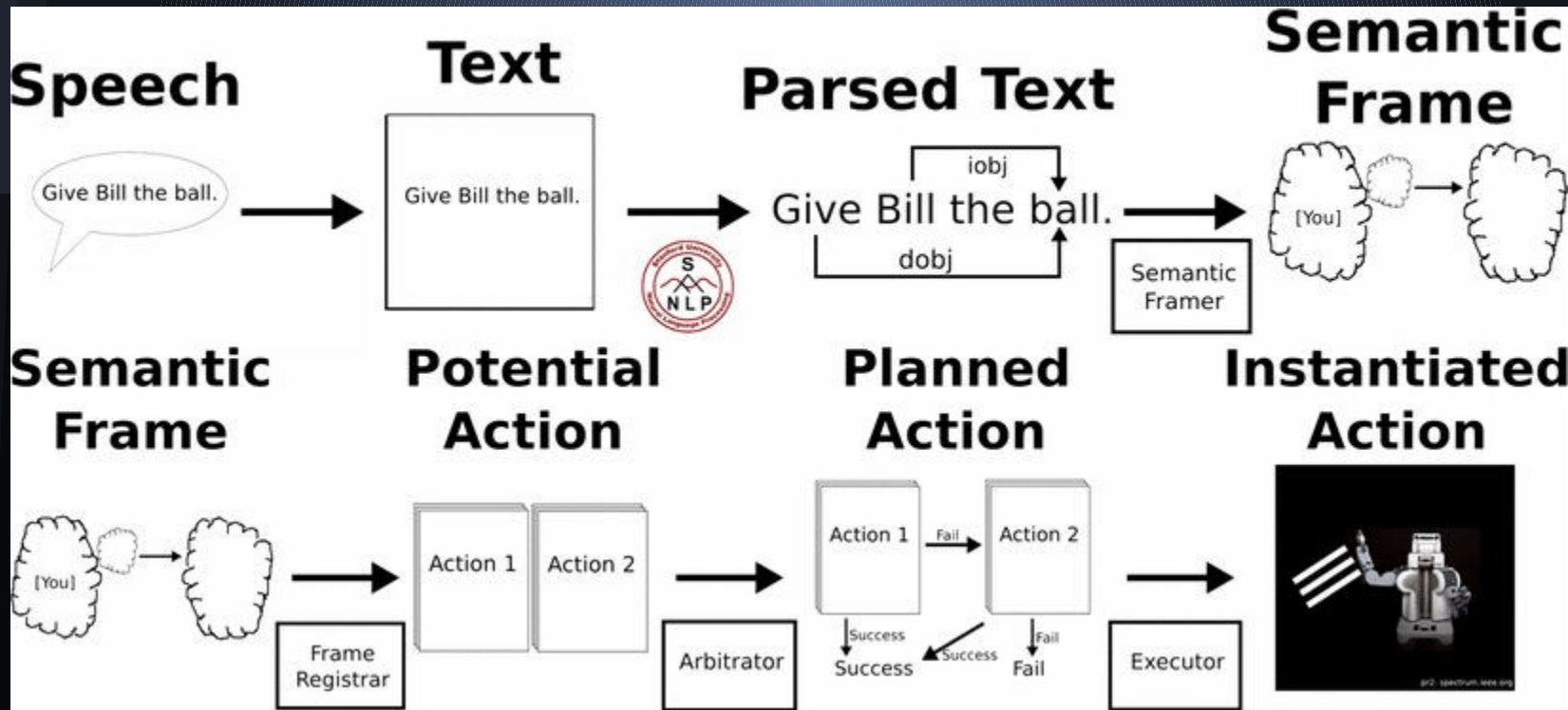


# **Speech based Control of Articulated Robots**

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Source - RoboFrameNet Paper

- Speech to Text
- Text to Parse tree
- FrameNet
- Action Parser
- Robot Simulation and Navigation

# Speech to Text

```
[{"result":[{"alternative":[{"transcript":"pick up the spoon from the table","confidence":0.75902778}],"final":true}],"result_index":0}]
```

- Implementation of Google Web Speech API
- .wav to .flac

# Parse tree

```
(ROOT
  (S
    (VP (VB Pick)
      (VP
        (ADVP (RB up)
          (NP (DT the) (NN spoon))
          (PP (IN from)
            (NP (DT the) (NN table))))))
```

- Implementation of Stanford NLP Parser

# FrameNet

- Semantic frame encapsulates concept of scene being acted out
- Includes core and noncore frame elements

# FrameNet

- All lexical units specifying the verb are recalled

```
>>> f.lexUnit
{'allopathy.n': <lu ID=4601 name=allopathy.n>, 'cardiology.n': <lu ID=4590 name=
cardiology.n>, 'chiropractic.n': <lu ID=4598 name=chiropractic.n>, 'dentistry.n'
: <lu ID=4591 name=dentistry.n>, 'dermatology.n': <lu ID=4592 name=dermatology.n
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D=4594 name=epidemiology.n>, 'gastroenterology.n': <lu ID=4595 name=gastroentero
logy.n>, 'gynaecology.n': <lu ID=4596 name=gynaecology.n>, 'haematology.n': <lu
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.n>, 'obstetrics.n': <lu ID=4613 name=obstetrics.n>, 'oncology.n': <lu ID=4614 n
```

# FrameNet

- Attempt to fill each lexical unit using dependencies
- Successfully filled lexical unit are passed to Action Parser

```
(ROOT
  (S
    (VP (VB Pick)
      (VP
        (ADVP (RB up)
          (NP (DT the) (NN spoon))
          (PP (IN from)
            (NP (DT the) (NN table))))))
```



# Action Parser

- Map the lexical unit to the predefined motion and its categories

```
# Lexical unit
# turn_lu.yaml ←
# For example, "Turn left 90 degrees."
- frame_name: turning
  verb: [go, turn, rotate, pivot]
  description: ""
  frame_element_grammatical_relations:
    - name: direction
      relation: advmod
    - name: distance_unit
      relation: pobj/advmod
    - name: distance
      relation: num/pobj/advmod
```

# Robot Navigation

- Simulation on PR2 in ROS
- Implementation of *pr2\_navigation* node, SLAM
- *pr\_controllers* - node for Actuators
- *pr\_gripper* - node for pick and place

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- <https://framenet.icsi.berkeley.edu/fndrupal/>
- Google Voice Recognition
- <http://nlp.stanford.edu/software/lex-parser.shtml>