AAAI 2012 Spring Symposium

Designing Intelligent Robots: Reintegrating AI

Monday March 26th

9:00am – 9:30am	Welcome and Opening Remarks
9:30am – 10:30am	Invited Talk: Michael Beetz, TU Munich.
10:30am – 11:00am	Break
11:00am – 11:20am	Designing Intelligent Robots for Human-Robot Teaming in Urban Search & Rescue. G-J.M. Kruijff, F. Colas, T. Svoboda, J van Diggelen, P. Balmer, F. Pirri, and R. Worst.
11:20am – 11:40am	TEXPLORE: Real-Time Sample-Efficient Reinforcement Learning for Robots. T. Hester and P. Stone.
11:40am – 12:00pm	Evolutionary Language Games as a Paradigm for Integrated AI Research. L. Steels.
12:00pm – 12:20pm	Can a Robot Learn Language as a Child Does? S.E. Levinson.
12:30pm – 2:00pm	Lunch
2:00pm - 3:00pm	Invited Talk: Marc Toussaint, FU Berlin.
3:00pm – 3:20pm	Towards an Integrated Graphical Architecture for Intelligent Robots. P.S. Rosenbloom.
3:30pm – 4:00pm	Break
4:00pm – 4:20pm	BECCA: Reintegrating AI for Natural World Interaction. B. Rohrer.
4:20pm – 4:40pm	Robot Control based on Qualitative Representation of Human Trajectories. N. Bellotto.
4:40pm – 5:40pm	Invited Talk: Nick Hawes, University of Birmingham.
6:00pm – 7:00pm	Reception

Tuesday March 27th

9:00am – 10:00am	Invited Talk: Benjamin Kuipers , University of Michigan.
10:00am – 10:20am	Scaling-up Knowledge for a Cognizant Robot. T. Degris and J. Modayil.
10:30am – 11:00am	Break
11:00am – 11:20am	A Multitask Representation using Reusable Local Policy Templates. B. Rosman and S. Ramamoorthy.
11:20am – 11:40am	Autonomous Skills Creation and Integration in Robotics. L. Riano and T.M. McGinnity.
11:40pm – 12:00pm	Integration of online learning into HTN planning for robotic tasks. S. Magnenat, J-C Chappelier, and F. Mondada.
12:00pm – 12:20pm	Knowledge processing for autonomous robot control. M. Tenorth and M. Beetz.
12:30pm – 2:00pm	Lunch
2:00pm - 3:00pm	Invited Talk: Siddhartha Srinivasa, Carnegie Mellon.
3:00pm – 3:20pm	Towards Enabling a Robot to Effectively Assist People in Human-Occupied Environments. S. Hemachandran, R. Finman, S. Teller and M. Walter.
3:30pm – 4:00pm	Break
4:00pm – 4:20pm	Functional Mapping: Spatial Inferencing to aid Human-Robot Rescue Efforts in Unstructured Disaster Environments. S. Keshvadas, H. Zender, G-J.M. Kruijff, M. Liu and F. Colas.
4:20pm – 4:40pm	Autonomous Agents Research in Robotics: A Report from the Trenches. G.A. Kaminka.
4:40pm – 5:40pm	Invited Talk: Dieter Fox , University of Washington.
6:00pm - 7:00pm	Plenary Session

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Wednesday March 28th

9:00am – 10:00am Invited Talk: <u>Christoph Borst</u>, DLR.

10:00am – 10:20am Knowledge for Intelligent Industrial Robots.

A. Bjorkelund, J. Malec, K. Nilsson, P. Nugues, and

H. Bruyninckx.

10:30am – 11:00am Break

11:00am – 12:30pm Open Discussion: *What Next?*

Topics Include: Grand challenges, publication venues,

hardware and software platforms.