

EJEA International Conference 2022

Innovation and Action for Managing Urgent Future Local and Global Issues and Domains in Japan and Europe

November 24th – 25th, 2022 (ONLINE)

Agenda

Day 1, Thursday November 24, 2022

Europe Time	Japan Time	What	Who	Where (Links to Zoom-Meetings)
9:00	17:00	Welcoming	Prof. Dr. Dietrich Albert (EJEA) Prof. Dr. Fredrik Heintz (Linköping University) Dr. Toshiyasu Ichioka (RIKEN) Dr. René Reiners (Fraunhofer FIT)	Click here to join the EJEA International Conference 2022
9:20	17:20	Technical Instructions	Lena Köppen (Fraunhofer FIT)	
9:30	17:30	Keynote 1: The Role of Japan in the Post-Corona Era to Combat Global Challenges	Prof. Dr. Harriet Wallberg, Karolinska Institutet (Sweden)	
9:50	17:50	Keynote 2: Al and Society —ELSI About Autonomous Avatars	Prof. Dr. Hiroshi Nakagawa, RIKEN AIP (Japan)	
10:10	18:10	Keynote 3: Combining Bird Eye View and Grass Root View for Earth Observation	Prof. Dr. Andreas Dengel, German Research Center for AI, DFKI (Germany)	
10:30	18:30	Break		
10:50	18:50	Workshop 1: Sociability in Human-Robot Interactions	RIKEN	Click here to join workshop 1
		Workshop 2: Kickstart a Circular Business	Fraunhofer FIT	Click here to join workshop 2
		Workshop 3: Creating a Sustainable Future	EJEA	Click here to join workshop 3
12:50	20:50	Lessons Learned from Workshops Day 1	All	Click here to join the EJEA International Conference 2022
13:20	21:20	End of Day 1	All	

The EJEA International Conference 2022 will be moderated by Dr. René Reiners (Head of Human-Centered Engineering & Design at Fraunhofer FIT) and Sabine Ganter-Richter (EJEA Executive Manager).



Day 2, Friday November 25, 2022

Europe Time	Japan Time	What	Who	Where	
9:00	17:00	Keynote 4: Megatrends – Merging Green and Secure Digital Transformation	Dr. Irene Ek, GOOGLE Cloud Nordics (Sweden)	Click here to join the EJEA International Conference 2022	
9:20	17:20	Keynote 5: What We Learned from Industry-Academia- Government Collaboration Initiatives	Prof. Dr. Masaaki Tokuda, Kagawa University (Japan)		
9:40	17:40	Keynote 6: The Role of Cybersecurity in the Smart Society	Prof. Dr. Simin Nadjm-Tehrani, Linköping University (Sweden)		
10:00	18:00	Keynote 7: Society 5.0 / Needs / Humability	Prof. Dr. Britta Essing, Fraunhofer FIT (Germany)		
10:20	18:20	Break			
10:40	18:40	Workshop 4: Service Design	Fraunhofer FIT	Click here to join workshop 4	
		Workshop 5: Multidisciplinary Approaches toward SDGs Related to Environmental Humanities	KAGAWA University	Click here to join workshop 5	
		Workshop 6: Cognitive Robotics	Linköping University	Click here to join workshop 6	
		Workshop 7: European and Japanese Approaches for Addressing Future Challenges of SMEs	Shinshu University	Click here to join workshop 7	
12:40	20:40	Lessons Learned from Workshops Day 2	All	Click here to join the EJEA International Conference 2022	
13:10	21:10	Farewell	Sabine Ganter-Richter, EJEA		
13:20	21:20	End of Day 2 and Conference	All		

EJEA-Special:

Live Graphic Recording on YouTube

The stream will go live at 09:00/17:00 and the link will be provided during the conference.



Workshops

Day 1, Thursday November 24, 2022

1. Sociability in Human-Robot Interactions

Organized by RIKEN, Dr. Toshiyasu Ichioka, Director, RIKEN Europe Office

Contributions:

- 1.1 Opening Remarks
 - Makiko Naka, Executive Director, RIKEN, Japan
- 1.2 Socially Engaging Robots and HRI 'third-parties': Lessons Learned from Real-life Use of Social Robots in Retail and Geriatrics
 - Martin Chevallier, CEMS-EHESS, France
- 1.3 Cyber-Physical Systems for Psychological Support and Social Rehabilitation Inspired by Brain Research
 - Maya Dimitrova, Institute of Robotics, Bulgarian Academy of Science, Bulgaria
- 1.4 Study of an Autonomous Robot Living Together with Humans in Daily Environments

 Takashi Minato, RIKEN, Interactive Robot Research Team, Guardian Robot Project, Japan
- 1.5 Dialogue-Based System with Photo and Storytelling for Older Adults: Toward Daily Cognitive Training at Home
 - Seiki Tokunaga, RIKEN, Japan
- 1.6 Brain-Inspired Artificial Intelligence to Apply Industrial Robotics Toward Human-Centered Society
 - Hiroaki Wagatsuma, Kyushu Institute of Technology, Japan

2. Kickstart a Circular Business – Sharing Experiences on an Online Tool for 2hr-Workshop-Concept for Learning Circular Economy

Organized by Fraunhofer Institute for Applied Information Technology FIT, Constanze Ritzmann and Lena Brüch

3. Creating a Sustainable Future

Organized by European Japan Experts Association (EJEA), Prof. Dr. Anders Törnvall, EJEA Executive Member

Contributions:

- 3.1 How Artificial Intelligence Reconceptualises Information Literacy: Ways to a Sustainable Creative Society
 - Michal Cerny, Masaryk University in Brno, Czech Republic
- 3.2 Exploring a Potential of Digital Role-Playing for Development of Social and Cultural Values Kristýna Kalmárová, Masaryk University in Brno, Department of Information and Library Studies, Czech Republic
- 3.3 Monitoring User State Detection for the Future of Mobility
 Lorenz Granrath, Sebastian Schnieder, Jarek Krajewski, Institute of Experimental
 Psychophysiology, Düsseldorf, Germany
- 3.4 Insights on Sustainability-oriented Change in Mobility Stimulated by Civic IoT Applications
 Andrea Hamm, Weizenbaum-Institute, Germany and Yuya Shibuya, University of Tokyo, Japan
- 3.5 Learning from Tokyo's Extended Home Architectures: An Urban Configuration to Decouple High Livability from High Residential Space in European Cities?

 Florian Liedtke, Institute for Sustainable urbanism, TU Braunschweig, Germany



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4. Service Design

Organized by Fraunhofer Institute for Applied Information Technology FIT, Anika Martin and Wanda Gaertner

- **5. Multidisciplinary Approaches toward SDGs Related to Environmental Humanities** Organized by KAGAWA University, Prof. Dr. Toru Terao and Prof. Dr. Kenji Wada
- 6. Cognitive Robotics

Organized by Linköping University, Prof. Dr. Fredrik Heintz

7. European and Japanese Approaches for Addressing Future Challenges of SMEs
Organized by Shinshu University, Prof. Dr. Kiyoshi Tanaka, and Fraunhofer Institute for Applied
Information Technology FIT, Dr. Anja Linnemann

Contributions:

- 7.1 German and European Competence Centers Guiding Through the Digital Transformation Anja Linnemann, Fraunhofer FIT, Germany
- 7.2 Shinshu IT Valley Initiative Project Co-Creation Network and its Activity Policy Kiyoshi Tanaka, Shinshu University, Nagano Prefecture Japan



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