

AI-enabled Cyber-Physical Systems: Use Cases and Challenges

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Abstract: Cyber-Physical Systems face a wide range of challenges in sensing, decision-making, and actuation. This talk will introduce two ongoing projects — waste-to-energy processes and clinical performance enhancement — and explain how AI enables sensing and decision-making in these projects, respectively. It will also review AI's role in human-CPS cooperation in applications such as manufacturing, offering an integrated perspective on how machine agents assess and interact with humans.

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