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## OBJECTIVE

This symposium will bring together researchers to discuss development of new technologies concerning *artificial life and robotics* based on computer simulations and hardware designs of state-of-the-art technologies, and to share findings on how advancements in artificial life and robotics technologies that relate to artificial intelligence, virtual reality, and computer science are creating the basis for exciting new research and applications in various fields.

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## **GENERAL SESSION TOPICS**

Agent-based modelling  
Artificial intelligence  
Artificial life  
Biological evolution  
Biomedical Imaging  
Bio-robot  
Cognitive science  
Complexity  
Control techniques  
Data mining  
Evolutionary computations (Genetic algorithm)  
Human-machine interaction and collaboration  
Identification and Estimation  
Learning  
Mobile robots  
Motion planning and navigation  
Multi-agent systems  
Neural networks  
Robot vision and image processing  
Sensor and multi-sensor data fusion  
Swarm intelligence

## **ORGANIZED SESSION TOPICS**

Applied bioinformatics for systems biology and medicine  
Bio-inspired theory and applications  
Biomimetic Machines and Robots  
Complexity and Ultimacy  
Construction Engineering and Management  
Educational Technology and Applications  
Estimation and control of mechatronic systems  
Intelligent control and applications  
Intelligent Control System and Artificial Life  
Intelligent Robotics and Bioinspired Technology  
Learning and Control  
Protocomputing  
Robot control and computer vision  
Robustness and Complexity of Decentralized Systems  
Soft Computing with Soft Data  
System Sensing and Its Applications