

School of Engineering



東京工業大学
Tokyo Institute of Technology

School of Engineering

— Creating new industries and advancing civilization —

Engineering contributes to civilization – the framework that guarantees the happiness of human being – and creates technologies that make human lives richer and more comfortable.

• Message from the Dean •



The School of Engineering was founded in April 2016 as a result of organizational reform by Tokyo Institute of Technology. The School consists of five undergraduate departments teaching the core fields of engineering: Mechanical Engineering, Systems and Control Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Information and Communications Engineering, and Industrial Engineering and Economics, and also offers various graduate programs following those undergraduate programs. Through innovative curricula, students learn a diverse range of topics, including monotsukuri – advanced manufacturing as applications of the fundamental engineering and science. They engage in cutting-edge research in their laboratories, and interact with excellent students and researchers around the world through exchanges and international conferences, which cultivates in them the abilities they need to be creative engineers, researchers, and educators capable of working globally.

On the research front, we are promoting the reorganization of the research fields and groups across all schools in Tokyo Institute of Technology to better respond to the changing needs of the time. We have also established several interdisciplinary research groups that can be researching the global issues to realize our goal of building a sustainable society, including the Integrated IoT Technology Group, the Human Centric Group, and the Smart Power Grid Group.

These research structures contribute to the original, fundamental research conducted by faculties in our school, and promote collaboration research between industry and academia, with a particular emphasis on international research collaborations with some of the world's top universities and corporations.

The education and research at the School of Engineering is building a new future for human being.

Nobuyuki IWATSUKI
Dean, School of Engineering Professor

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Departments and Research Groups in School of Engineering

Department	Graduate Major	Group	Field
Mechanical Engineering	Mechanical Engineering Energy Science and Engineering* Engineering Sciences and Design* Human Centered Science and Biomedical Engineering* Nuclear Engineering *	Thermo-fluid	Energy Engineering, Power and Propulsion Engineering, Environmental Thermo-fluid Engineering
		Materials and Processing	Advanced Production Engineering, Advanced Functional Materials, Structural Safety and Security Technology
		Mechanical System	Dynamics, Robotics, Advanced Machine Elements
		Frontier Technology	Aerospace Systems , Biomedical Engineering, Human Centric Design
Systems and Control Engineering	Systems and Control Engineering Engineering Sciences and Design*	Control Theory	Intelligent Robot, Cyber Physical Systems, Complex Network Systems
		Advanced Measurement	Mechanical Design and Functional Evaluation, Computer Vision and Image Processing, Applied Measurement Using Acoustic and Radio Waves
		System Analysis	Nonlinear and Stochastic Dynamics, Computational Mechanics, Power Systems for Transportation
		System Integration	Bio-robot, AI-robotics
Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Electrical and Electronic Engineering Energy Science and Engineering* Human Centered Science and Biomedical Engineering* Nuclear Engineering*	Circuit	Integrated Circuit
		Photonics, Ultrasonics, and Communications	Wireless Communications, Photonics, Ultrasonics
		Device	Compound Semiconductor Device, Quantum Functional, Intelligent Device, Terahertz Device, Green Device
		Electronic Materials	Energy Electronics, Spintronics, Nano- and Bio-photonics, Organic Electronics, Integrated Electronics, Bioelectronics
		Electric Power and Energy	Electric Power System, Power Electronics, Electric Machinery, Plasma and Environment
Information and Communications Engineering	Information and Communications Engineering Human Centered Science and Biomedical Engineering*	Human Information Systems	Sensory Information Processing, Intelligent Information Processing, Media Information Processing, Biological Information Processing
		Signal Processing	Media Signal Processing, Inverse Problems
		Communication, Networks, and Security	Communication Systems, Information Theory and Security, Communication Networks
		Integrated Circuit and Computer	Digital Integrated Circuits, Analog Integrated Circuits
		Integrated Information and Communications	Distributed Information and Advanced Communication Systems
Industrial Engineering and Economics	Industrial Engineering and Economics Engineering Sciences and Design*	Corporate System Creation	Corporate Governance System , Management Strategy /Marketing
		Advanced Management and Paradigm Creation	Industrial System, Human Centered System, Operations management
		Analysis Method Creation	Operations Research, Mathematical Sciences and Informatics, Econometrics, Cyber Physical System
		Economic Science	Macroeconomics/Cliometrics, Microeconomics/Game Theory, Humanomics, Global Environmental Research

* interdisciplinary graduate majors that span multiple schools or departments

Interdisciplinary Research Groups	Integrated IoT	Wireless Communication
		Integrated Circuit
		Cyber Physical System
		Integrated Robotics
	Human Centric	Humanomics
		Human Centric Design
		Sensory Information Processing
		Cybernetics
	Smart Power Grid	Renewable Power Generation
		Electric Power Conversion
		Electric Power Control
		Electric Energy Storage

Interdisciplinary Research Groups

Mechanical Engineering

Systems and Control Engineering

Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Information and Communications Engineering

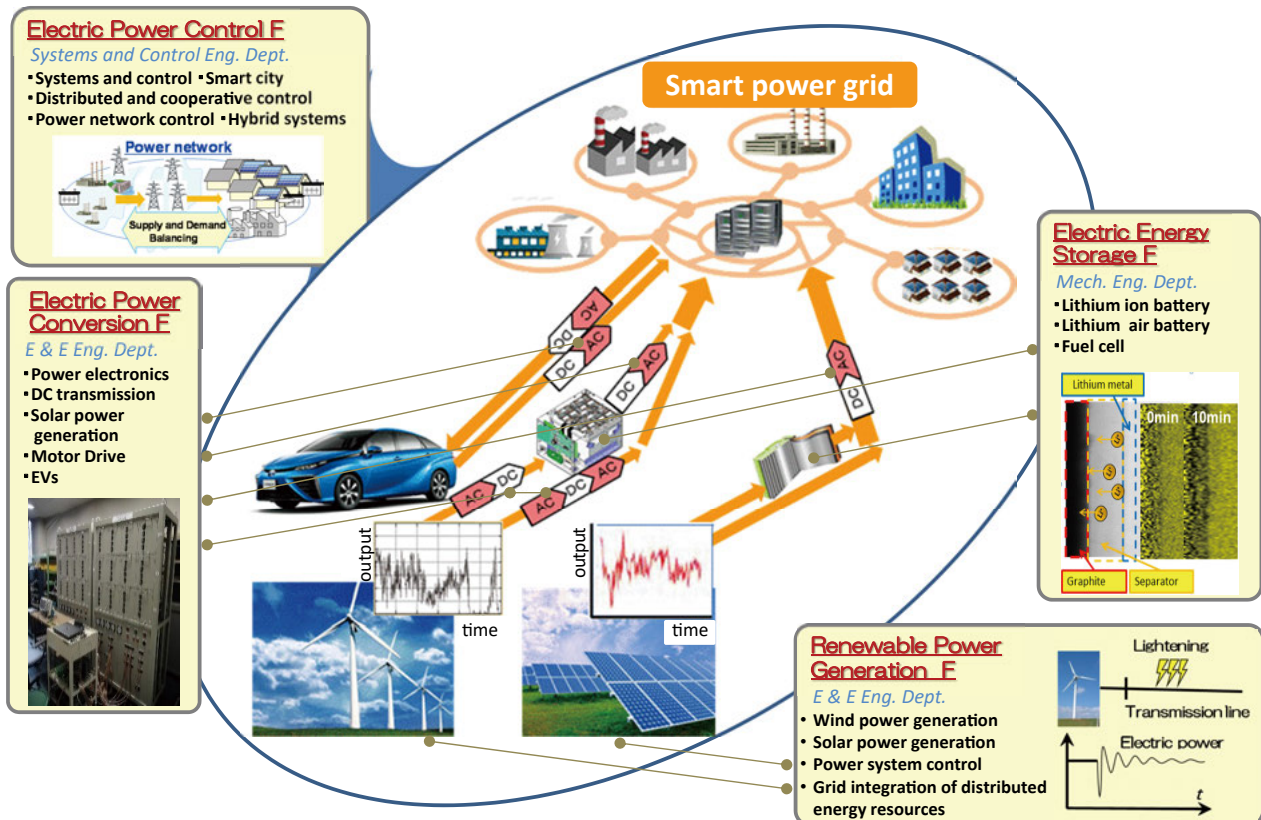
Industrial Engineering and Economics

Interdisciplinary Research Groups

Smart Power Grid Group

Advanced usage of renewable energy

To accelerate the advanced usage of renewable energy based on the research and development on distributed and cooperative control with a core of power electronics and secondary batteries, the School of Engineering organizes Smart Power Grid Group beyond the framework of Departments, and various research activities are conducted.



Faculty

Smart Power Grid Group

Renewable Power Generation Field



Toshiya Nanahara, Professor

Power system engineering/Power engineering/Generation control/Wind power/Photovoltaic power/Energy storage/Time series analysis/Stochastic analysis



Kenichi Kawabe, Assistant Professor

Power system engineering/Power engineering/Wind power/Photovoltaic power/Energy storage/Power electronics-based devices/Mathematical Programming

Smart Power Grid Group

Electric Power Conversion Field



Hideaki Fujita, Professor

Power electronics, Electric machinery, Photovoltaic inverters, Micro hydropower generation



Makoto Hagiwara, Associate Professor

Application of power electronics to next-generation electric power systems, battery energy storage systems, electric vehicles and renewable energies.



Kenichiro Sano, Assistant Professor

Power electronics in electric power systems: High voltage DC transmission for offshore wind farms, transient analysis of power systems, power qualities in distribution systems

Smart Power Grid Group

Electric Power Control Field



Jun-ichi Imura, Professor

Control theory of harmonized power systems accepting massive renewable energy of photovoltaic/wind power, Design theory of global power systems with power markets



Takayuki Ishizaki, Associate Professor

Distributed power systems stabilization based on retrofit control and electricity market design under high penetration of storage and renewable energy resources

Smart Power Grid Group

Electric Energy Storage Field



Shuichiro Hirai, Professor

X-ray, MR In-situ measurements and numerical simulations of fuel cell, lithium battery, lithium air battery, etc.



Takashi Sasabe, Associate Professor

Investigation into transport phenomena within electrochemical devices, like fuel cell and Li-ion battery by using nano/micro X-ray imaging and CFD modeling



Manabu Kodama, Assistant Professor

Operando X-ray CT Internal Structure Measurement of Fuel Cell and All Solid-state lithium-ion Battery. Study of High Efficiency Energy Conversion with Multi-physics (Electrochemistry-Thermodynamics-Two phase flow) Large Scale Numerical Simulation.

Interdisciplinary Research Groups

Integrated IoT Group

Super smart society realized with IoT

In order to realize super smart society using IoT technology, we are conducting research activities with a department-transverse research group in the school of engineering.

Faculty

Integrated IoT Group

Cyber Physical System Field



Masayuki Fujita, Professor

Our Research lies in Cooperative Control and Distributed Learning in Human Robotic-Network Teaming with Visual Feedback.



Takeshi Hatanaka, Visiting Associate Professor

Distributed control/optimization/learning for Cyber-Physical Systems including buildings, data centers and microgrids



Junya Yamauchi, Assistant Professor

Cooperative control and shared autonomy in human-robotic network systems/visual feedback cooperative estimation and control/control based on machine learning



Junichi Iijima, Professor

Enterprise Engineering consisting of Enterprise Ontology, Enterprise Governance and Enterprise Architecture. Especially, DEMO for Enterprise Ontology and IT-CMF for Enterprise Governance of IT.



Yoichiro Higuchi, Professor

Econometrics, Spatial Econometrics, Development and Application of Spatial Interaction Data on Human Migration, Goods Distribution, Capital Circulation and Information Traffic



Jaehyun Park, Assistant Professor

My research highlights three genres – (1) ICT-enabled Innovations, (2) design thinking, and (3) smart cities & tourism in innovation, information systems, and design.

Integrated IoT Group

Integrated Manufacturing Field



Koichi Suzumori, Professor

Development of new actuators and their application to biomimetic robots, soft robots, body support wears, tough robots and micro robots.



Hiroyuki Nabae, Assistant Professor

Study on component technologies with a focus on new actuators, and their application to micro robots and mechatronics devices



Tomohisa Tanaka, Associate Professor

Development of new production technologies by using high-frequency vibration and laser energy, development of practical devices with additive manufacturing technology



Jiang Zhu, Assistant Professor

Digital engineering, Intelligent manufacturing system, advanced machining and measurement system

Integrated IoT Group

IoT Sensor Field



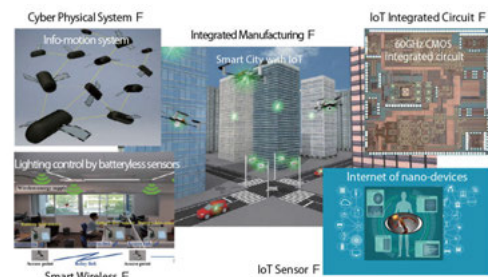
Mutsuko Hatano, Professor

Quantum sensors and power devices using widegap semiconductors, Developing wide-field technologies from materials to systems for energy and medical applications



Takayuki Iwasaki, Associate Professor

Quantum sensing and quantum emitter using atomic-scale structures in diamond toward next-generation low-loss power devices and biological/medical applications



Integrated IoT Group

IoT Integrated Circuit Field



Kenichi Okada, Professor

Millimeter-wave Wireless Transceiver/5G/Battery-less IoT Wireless Sensor Node/CMOS Integrated Circuits/PLL/Atomic Clock/Terahertz Communication & Sensing & Imaging



Atsushi Shirane, Assistant Professor

5G, IoT, Satellite Communication, Wireless Communication, Wireless Power Transfer, Machine Learning

Integrated IoT Group

Smart Wireless Field



Jiro Hirokawa, Professor

Millimeter-wave high-efficiency planar antenna, 2D beam-switching circuit, fast analysis for antenna design, 2D orthogonal multiplexing



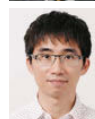
Takashi Tomura, Assistant Professor

Research based on electromagnetic engineering: large-scale EM analysis, near-field communication system, satellite on-board & phased array antennas.



Kazuhiko Fukawa, Professor

Transmission and network techniques for wireless communications by developing digital signal processing, adaptive filters, and statistical based algorithms.



Yuyuan Chang, Assistant Professor

Mobile communication, millimeter-wave communication, MIMO system, MU-MIMO system, user scheduling, wireless sensor networks



Kei Sakaguchi, Professor

Wireless communication engineering
5G/IoT/Millimeter-wave/Wireless energy transmission
Connected car/Automated driving



Tran Gia Khanh, Associate Professor

Next generation wireless communication networks/Next generation sensor networks



Teruya Fujii, Specially Appointed Professor

Wireless transmission, cell design and radio propagation technologies for the 5th mobile communication system. The 3D cell layout and network cooperation control technology for the next mobile communication system. HAPS Cellular system in the next mobile communication



Hideki Omote, Specially Appointed Associate Professor

Radio propagation in mobile communication systems



Yukihiro Okumura, Visiting Professor

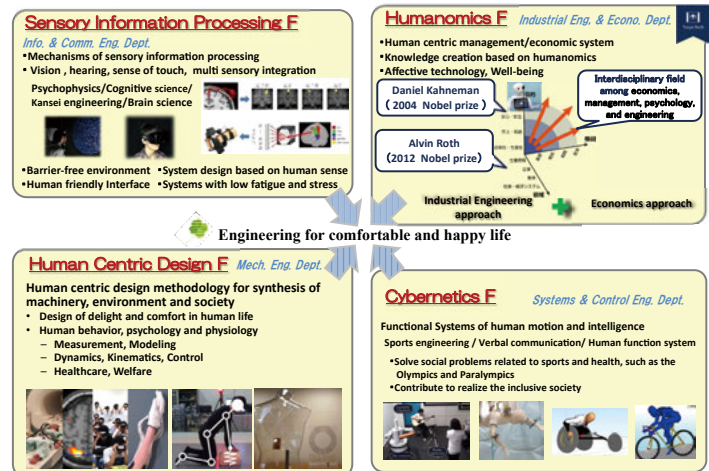
Next generation mobile communication system/Radio access technologies/Radio Access Networks/Mobile Radio Applications

Interdisciplinary Research Groups

Human Centric Group

We are working to create and develop the field of Human centric engineering from the various points of view, such as design, humanomics, human information processing, cybernetics.

Human centric engineering



Faculty

Human Centric Group

Human Centric Design Field



Masafumi Okada, Professor

Robot design and control from mathematical or physical point of view, and its application to human motion instruction.



Wataru Hijikata, Associate Professor

Study on medical device and mechanical system based on mechatronics and biomedical engineering. Development of implantable power generator, artificial heart, wireless power transfer, control of muscle contraction.



Ken Masuya, Assistant Professor

Study on the robots that coexist and cooperate with human beings in human environments.



Yoshifumi Nishida, Professor

Methodology on observing daily behavior of persons who faces the physical and cognitive changes, and designing a daily life system that enables to maintain quality of life based on data-driven ergonomics and statistical mathematics.



Takako Yoshida, Associate Professor

Brain science, human perception and psychophysics, visuo-haptic multimodal man-machine interface, attention/inattention.



Yusuke Sugahara, Associate Professor

Design and control of mechanical and robotic systems. Study on biped vehicle, stair-climbing wheelchair, working partner robot, aero-train, human-powered robotics.



Daisuke Matsuura, Assistant Professor

Development of devices for welfare and disaster response, precise noncontact 3D manipulation equipment utilizing magnetomotive levitation technology.

Human Centric Group

Sensory Information Processing Field



Hirohiko Kaneko, Professor

Visual information processing, Psychophysics, Space perception, Stereopsis, Binocular disparity processing, Multisensory integration, Eye movements, Perceptual adaptation



Takehiro Nagai, Assistant Professor

Psychophysics/affective engineering/color engineering/color perception/material perception/image processing based on properties of human visual perception



Rumi Hisakata, Assistant Professor

Psychophysics/Human visual processing/Binocular vision and 3D perception/Motion perception/Visual illusions/small eye movements/visual stability



Yasuharu Koike, Professor (Biointerfaces Unit)

Computational Neuroscience, Human Motor Control Theory, Human interface: Brain Machine Interface, Analysis of subjective feeling based on computational model



Natsue Yoshimura, Associate Professor (Biointerfaces Unit)

Brain activity information decoding (motor control, emotion, language, etc)/Brain-machine interfaces / Machine learning/ EEG/fMRI



Hiroyuki Kanbara, Assistant Professor (Biointerfaces Unit)

Computational Neuroscience: We proposed computational model for neural motor learning of reaching movements.

Human Centric Group

Humanomics Field



Dai Senoo, Professor

Theory of Organization, Strategy, Knowledge Management and Information Systems. Main projects are Creative Office, Open Innovation and Business Ecosystem.



Emiko Fukuda, Associate Professor

Industrial economics/experimental economics/numerical analysis of game theory model/congestion management/security and disaster-relief service



Jacqueline Urakami, Assistant Professor

Human Factors/culture and technology/cognitive ergonomics for interface design/technology for an aging society

Human Centric Group

Cybernetics Field



Motomu Nakashima, Professor

Modeling of human motion in sports, optimization of human motion as well as design and development of optimal tools and equipment using simulation and humanoid robot



Kazuhiro Nakadai, Specially Appointed Professor

Key research topics are robot audition and computational scene analysis, and wide areas are covered such as robotics, signal and speech processing, AI, and machine learning.

Department of Mechanical Engineering



Education and research at the Department of Mechanical Engineering is designed to discover new phenomena, principles, and methods and to create new machinery capable of achieving a balance between humanity and the environment.

Students at the Department of Mechanical Engineering acquire advanced, specialized knowledge in the field of mechanical engineering and much more. By teaching students how to identify and solve problems, and by instilling in them the abilities they need to communicate with people around the world, our aim is to cultivate individuals who will be active in industry and academia, and contribute to maintaining and improving Japan's competitiveness on the global stage into the future. In the excellent education and research environment, discover your own potential alongside faculty who work on the frontier of mechanical engineering.



Takayoshi Inoue
Department Chief

Research

The Department of Mechanical Engineering is actively working toward expanding the fundamental areas of study and research in the field of mechanical engineering. The department is building an educational/research framework that thoroughly displays the strengths of mechanical engineering as an integrated technological field, thereby contributing to the advancement of research into advanced energy applications, advanced functional materials, digital manufacturing, and other such areas. In addition, we are producing outstanding results in the fields of robotics and advanced manufacturing technologies, both of which share strong ties with industry, and are putting forth great effort in frontier fields such as aerospace and medical engineering. Moreover, we promote safe, secure technological development from a mechanical engineering viewpoint, as we conduct research and development aimed at achieving human-centric design. From the perspective of societal collaboration, our department (as a member of the Industry-University Cooperation Office in the School of Engineering) serves as an intermediary and provides a forum to bring together faculty working on a wide variety of research projects, allowing us to contribute more to society through discoveries made in the field of mechanical engineering.

Education

The Department of Mechanical Engineering offers courses such as Engineering Mechanics, Mechanics of Materials, Thermodynamics, Fundamentals of Fluid Mechanics, Mechanical vibrations, and Machine Elements and Machine Drawing. Through courses like these, student learn how to analyze the behavior of mechanical systems, and gain the knowledge they need to integrate that understanding into the creation of new mechanisms. In addition to these disciplines, which serve as the core of mechanical engineering, students set their sights on a broad array of research fields, including control, robotics and mechatronics; precision engineering; mechanical design; processing, production and materials; biomedical and welfare engineering; design engineering; space engineering and more. Students learn not only how to analyze various phenomena theoretically; they also learn how to apply that knowledge to solve issues that arise in engineering. Our aim is to cultivate individuals capable of devising innovative mechanical systems that will help humanity achieve balance with its environment.

Students of the 4th academic group go on to the Department of Mechanical Engineering. In addition to the undergraduate program, the department offers graduate programs in Mechanical Engineering, Energy Science and Engineering, Engineering Sciences and Design, Human Centered Science and Biomedical Engineering, and Nuclear Engineering.

Research Groups and Fields of Research



Thermo-fluid Group

Utilizing thermodynamics and fluid dynamics to blaze a trail in the fields of energy and environmental technology

Energy Engineering Field
Power and Propulsion Engineering Field
Environmental Thermo-fluid Engineering Field



Mechanical System Group

Researching dynamic system theory and its application in everything from large-scale mechanical systems to robots and MEMS

Dynamics Field
Robotics Field
Advanced Machine Elements Field



Materials and Processing Group

R & D into safe and secure technologies for mechanical structures, and advanced materials and processing technologies

Advanced Production Engineering Field
Advanced Functional Materials Field
Structural Safety and Security Technology Field



Frontier Technology Group

Gathering new knowledge on the frontiers of mechanical engineering

Aerospace Systems Field
Biomedical Engineering Field
Human Centric Design Field

Faculty

LANE: Laboratory for Advanced Nuclear Energy MSL: Laboratory for Materials and Structures
 FIRST: Laboratory for Future Interdisciplinary Research of Science and Technology
 GSIC: Global Scientific Information and Computing Center

Thermo-fluid Group

Energy Engineering Field



Tetsuji Okamura, Professor

The field is refrigeration and cooling engineering, e.g. a cryogenic thermo-syphon for superconducting magnet and a room-temperature magnetic refrigerator.



Yoshihiro Okuno, Professor

Applications of magnetohydrodynamic technology, especially a high efficient MHD electrical power generation with non-equilibrium plasma flow.



Tomohiro Nozaki, Professor

Our research group focus on clean energy technology via plasma-mediated catalysis for greenhouse gas (CH₄, CO₂) conversion and novel nanostructured materials for energy conversion devices.



Seiji Okawa, Associate Professor

Aiming for energy saving technology development, active control of freezing of supercooled liquid, cold insulator for transportation systems of refrigerated food, materials for equipment startup in cold area.



Hiroshige Kikura, Associate Professor (LANE)

For safety improvement and advancement of nuclear reactors, we are researching thermal hydraulics, fluid measurement, nuclear safety, robot remote measurement.



Takao Nagasaki, Associate Professor

Applications and fundamentals of thermo-fluid dynamics mainly focused on liquid-vapor phase change such as heat pipe, heat pump, cavitation and heat exchanger.



Yoichi Murakami, Associate Professor

Molecular energy engineering, thermal engineering, physical chemistry, molecular photophysics, engineering of triplet spins, development of energy conversion materials.



Tetsuo Sawada, Assistant Professor (LANE)

Study on safety of fast reactors, development of advanced nuclear energy systems, study on safety of fusion energy systems



Tsutomu Hozumi, Assistant Professor

Study on active control methods of supercooling and measurements of thermal properties for cold reserving materials, heat storage materials and foods.



Hideharu Takahashi, Assistant Professor (LANE)

Research themes are thermal hydraulics for safety and advancement of nuclear reactors, decommissioning, waste treatment and disposal, decontamination.



Satoshi Momozono, Assistant Professor

Fundamental researches of tribology and tribological applications for reduction of mechanical loss, wear and unexpected behavior caused by frictional characteristics.



Hirotatsu Watanabe, Assistant Professor

Chemical reaction and transport phenomena in energy conversion of carbon resources for low-carbon society.

Thermo-fluid Group

Power and Propulsion Engineering Field



Takayoshi Inoue, Professor

Heat transfer and its control under the extreme conditions, such as ultra low temp. to high temp., micro to macro, zero-gravitational to strong centrifugal field.



Hidenori Kosaka, Professor

High efficiency mobility systems, high efficiency, clean internal combustion engines, investigation of combustion via laser diagnostics, combustion control.



Mamoru Tanahashi, Professor

Physics and modeling of turbulence, turbulent heat/mass transfer and turbulent combustion in gas turbine combustors and internal combustion engines.



Shuichiro Hirai, Professor

X-ray, MR In-situ measurements and numerical simulations of fuel cell, lithium battery, lithium air battery, etc.



Katsuyuki Kawamura, Specially Appointed Professor

X-ray visualization of polymer electrolyte fuel cell



Toshihiko Yoshida, Specially Appointed Professor

Element research to vehicle application on polymer electrolyte fuel cell, element research of SOFC.



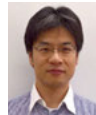
Takashi Sasabe, Associate Professor

Investigation into transport phenomena within electrochemical devices, like fuel cell and Li-ion battery by using nano/micro X-ray imaging and CFD modeling.



Susumu Sato, Associate Professor

Improvement of environment load in transportation system, high efficiency after-treatment system, alternative fuel engines



Masayasu Shimura, Associate Professor

Investigation of turbulent combustion using laser diagnostics such as LIF and PIV, and numerical simulations. Development of combustion control methods.



Jun Hasegawa, Associate Professor (LANE)

Fundamental researches on generation of high-brightness quantum beams composed of ions, clusters, neutrons, or EUV light, and their applications in the field of fusion energy.



Kazuyoshi Fushinobu, Associate Professor

Thermal/energy phenomena, from fundamental to applications. Laser processing, Electronic packaging, Digital Printing, Energy Equipment. Strong ties with industries.



Suguru Uemura, Specially Appointed Associate Professor

X-ray in-situ measurements of transport phenomena in porous media of fuel cell and lithium battery.



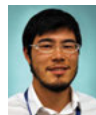
Yu Ito, Assistant Professor

Rocket and jet engines with a focus on compressible flows, cavitating flows, cryogenic flows, supercritical fluid flows, and heat transfer between these and solids.



Manabu Kodama, Assistant Professor

Operando X-ray CT Internal Structure Measurement of Fuel Cell and All Solid-state lithium-ion Battery. Study of High Efficiency Energy Conversion with Multi-physics (Electrochemistry-Thermodynamics-Two phase flow) Large Scale Numerical Simulation.



Yuki Minamoto, Assistant Professor

Investigation into fundamental physics of turbulent combustion using theoretical and computational approaches, and mathematical modelling for industry use.



Hiroshi Naito, Specially Appointed Assistant Professor

mass transport inside fuel cell/numerical simulation of heat and fluid flow/flow control

Thermo-fluid Group

Environmental Thermo-fluid Engineering Field



Takayuki Aoki, Professor (GSIC)

Challenge to exa-scale simulation of gas-liquid and solid-gas-liquid multiphase flows by means of GPU-accelerated supercomputers.



Isao Satoh, Professor

Improvement of energy utilization in application fields such as production processes and air conditioning, and development of thermal storage and transport required for these applications.



Tetsuya Suekane, Professor

Study on multiphase flows in porous media in geological storage of carbon dioxide and enhanced oil recovery based on X-ray microtomography and digital rock physics.



Katsunori Hanamura, Professor

Near-field radiation transfer and its application to power generation, analysis of anode for high power density SOFC, and development of DPF for next generation.



Feng Xiao, Professor

Computational fluid dynamics, high-fidelity numerical methods for various complex flows, development of practical numerical models for real-case applications.



Takushi Saito, Associate Professor

Research and development of the materials processing and physical properties control based on the heat transfer control and laser aided processing as well as the evaluation of thermal physical properties of composite materials.



Tatsuya Kawaguchi, Assistant Professor

Experimental and numerical investigation of multiphase and transport phenomena and their interaction by means of the optical techniques.



Yuji Suzuki, Assistant Professor

Research and development of heat transfer devices based on the heat pipe technology for the thermal control of space equipment and so on.



Masamichi Nakagawa, Assistant Professor

(1) Boundary layer controls (+ separated flows and wakes), (2) Dynamic lift of wings, (3) Flow stability/instability, (4) Unsteady flows, (5) Multi-phase flows.

Materials and Processing Group

Advanced Production Engineering Field



Hidenori Shinno, Professor (FIRST)

Our research topics include ultra-precision machining, design methodology for machine tool, development of innovative mother machines, and machine tool engineering.



Masahiko Yoshino, Professor

Nano/micro Manufacturing, Metalforming, Machining Development of functional materials /surfaces.



Tomohisa Tanaka, Associate Professor

Development of new production technologies by using high-frequency vibration and laser energy. Development of practical devices with additive manufacturing technology.



Takahisa Yamazaki, Associate Professor

Joining by various heating source, dissimilar materials like carbon based materials and heat resistant metals are joined using advanced material filler based on the change of interfacial energy in joining process.



Hayato Yoshioka, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Research on Nano-machining and Nano-measurement technologies based on originally developed precision mechanical elements and controllers.



Jiang Zhu, Assistant Professor

Development of new technology for freeform surface machining and measurement, digital manufacturing and intelligent manufacturing.



Yuki Nakagawa, Assistant Professor

Development of hot forming process of ultra-high strength steel and CFRP for reduction in weight of transportation, manufacturing of high performance parts having tailored property

Materials and Processing Group

Advanced Functional Materials Field



Naoto Ohtake, Professor (FIRST)

Main field of interest is materials processing and technology, including plastic forming, fabrication of hard carbon films and their application to industrial uses.



Atushi Hirata, Professor

Ultraprecision polishing, coating, laser processing, tribology and material characterization with micro/nano materials for surface function design.



Masao Kikuchi, Specially Appointed Professor

Tribological technologies for hydraulic equipment of construction machinery, such as evaluation and characterization of sliding materials and lubricants.



Yuko Aono, Associate Professor

Laser modification of mechanical and chemical property, Digital manufacturing with shape and function design, Fabrication and application of functional film.



Hiroki Akasaka, Associate Professor

Main research field is carbon and related materials. Related keywords are thin film engineering, material science and engineering, materials analysis, inorganic carbon materials.



Chiaki Sato, Associate Professor (MSL)

Research on the mechanical aspects of carbon fiber reinforced composite material (CFRP) and adhesively bonded joints between CFRP and dissimilar materials frequently used for transportation such as automobiles and aircraft.



Takatoki Yamamoto, Associate Professor

Micro/nano technologies and its applications in medicine and healthcare.



Shinji Tanaka, Specially Appointed Associate Professor

Tribological technologies for hydraulic equipment of construction machinery, such as visualization of lubrication condition of real machine, lubrication analysis, evaluation of sliding characteristics of sliding materials and lubricants.



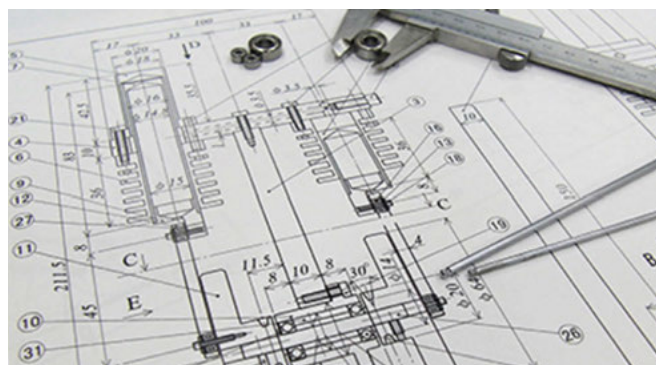
Yu Sekiguchi, Assistant Professor (MSL)

Design, strength evaluation and strength improvement of adhesively bonded joints, especially reversible adhesives mimicking gecko.



Yuki Hirata, Assistant Professor

Synthesis and evaluation of amorphous carbon film by plasma process / Elucidation of coating mechanism by numerical simulation and control its properties



Materials and Processing Group

Structural Safety and Security Technology Field



Hirotsugu Inoue, Professor

Research topics in the field of mechanics of materials: non-destructive testing (infra-red thermography, ultrasonic), impact problem, and inverse analysis.



Akira Todoroki, Professor

Mechanics of materials and mechanics of composite materials; new fabrication process of composites and novel products of 3D printed composites.



Kazuaki Inaba, Associate Professor

Research and design of various scale machines and structures from viewpoints of mechanics and material sciences; eg. composites, automobiles and power plants.



Masatoshi Kondo, Associate professor (LANE)

Fusion reactor engineering, Fast reactor engineering, Liquid metal technology, Material compatibility



Motoki Sakaguchi, Associate Professor

Research in mechanics of materials, especially focusing on deformation and fracture of high temperature materials for jet engine application.



Yoshihiro Mizutani, Associate Professor

Main research topics are related to non-destructive testing (AE, UT, ET) and mechanical properties of materials for aerospace, construction machinery, and so on.



Yu Kurokawa, Assistant Professor

Non-destructive evaluation and flaw size measurement by ultrasonic testing. Flaw evaluation, stress analysis, and fatigue limit evaluation by infrared thermography.



Yoshiro Suzuki, Assistant Professor

Multiscale numerical analysis, non-destructive inspection, and composite materials.

Mechanical Systems Group

Dynamics Field



Masaaki Okuma, Professor

Research of theoretical, experimental and hybrid CAE for analysis, design and utilization of machinery and structural dynamics.



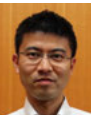
Hiroki Takahara, Professor

Focusing on the mechanism of vibration, we conduct research on the nonlinear vibration of fluid-related vibration, dynamics of uncertain systems, etc. We aim at improving the function, reliability and safety of mechanical structures.



Hiroshi Yamaura, Professor

Research on dynamics, control and tribology of machinery for construction machinery, earthmoving machinery, vehicles, rover, mechatronics equipment, etc.



Yutaka Nakano, Associate Professor

We are studying the generation mechanisms of self-excite vibrations and their suppression (e.g. friction vibration, chatter, and so on).



Ikuma Ikeda, Assistant Professor

Active noise control with low sampling frequency, analysis and suppression of human tremor.



Kensuke Hara, Assistant Professor

Development of theory and numerical methods for multibody systems in multi-physics problems (e.g. Fluid-Structure Interaction, contact & friction).

Mechanical Systems Group

Robotics Field



Nobuyuki Iwatsuki, Professor

Kinematics and dynamics of robotic mechanisms, functional material actuator, estimation of machinery noise and structural optimization to reduce noise.



Koichi Suzumori, Professor

Development of new actuators and their application to biometric robots, soft robots, body support wears, tough robots and micro robots.



Yukio Takeda, Professor

Mechanical systems design, kinematics, mechanisms, machine elements, robotics, industrial robot, assistive device.



Gen Endo, Associate Professor

Design and development of practical robot and mechanical system. Study on mobile robot, decommissioning robot, super redundant manipulator, tendon-driven robot, welfare robot.



Hiroto Tanaka, Associate Professor

Biomechanics and fluid dynamics of swimming/flying animals. Bioinspired swimming/flying robots.



Hiroyuki Nabae, Assistant Professor

Study on component technologies with a focus on new actuators, and their application to micro robots and mechatronics devices.

Mechanical Systems Group

Advanced Machine Elements Field



Kazuhiro Yoshida, Professor (FIRST)

Development of innovative mechano-devices/systems such as new actuator systems for advanced soft microrobots that perform power-needed tasks in micro space.



Shigeki Saito, Professor

Robotics based on Micro-mechanics, adhesional device by bio-inspired structure, creativity in engineering design.



Joon-wan Kim, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Micro hydraulic pressure sources integrating MEMS technology with Electro-conjugate fluid (ECF) and its application systems.



Seiichiro Hara, Associate Professor

Sensing method of surface texture and machining information, processing and evaluation of measurement information, design applying quality and sensitivity engineering, modeling of surface texture.



Shigeki Matsumura, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Research on dynamics and energy saving of power transmitting system.



Sang In Eom, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

A study on microactuators using dielectric elastomer actuators.



Takao Yasui, Assistant Professor

A study on improvement of lesson content and the self-taught type e-learning system based on survey on comprehension degree of machine drawing standard.

Frontier Technology Group

Aerospace Systems Field



Saburo Matunaga, Professor

Concept creation, fundamental research, design, development, launch and operation of World first revolutionary space systems and robotic aerospacecraft.



Hiroshi Furuya, Associate Professor

Structural analysis and design of space structures, spacecraft systems, and deployable structures for space development.



Hiraku Sakamoto, Associate Professor

Thorough investigating dynamic structural analysis methods for lightweight and flexible structures, we aim at generating innovative space structure systems.



Hiroki Nakanishi, Associate Professor

Research on mechanism, dynamics, and control for advanced space systems including space robotics, orbital service, astronaut support, and micro/nano satellites.



Takanori Iwata, Visiting Professor

Guidance, navigation, control & dynamics of aerospace systems (e.g. spacecraft attitude & orbit control systems, estimation systems, components), spacecraft design, and project management/systems engineering.



Atsushi Noda, Visiting Associate Professor

Planning & research for next space system, small satellite and space robot, and its technology roadmap development



Satoru Ozawa, Visiting Associate Professor

Satellite system (communications satellite / earth observation satellite), design, analysis and verification of large deployable reflector, nonlinear finite element method, flexible multibody structural analysis, synthetic aperture radar, flight software, FPGA

Frontier Technology Group

Biomedical Engineering Field



Toru Omata, Professor

Grasping/manipulation with robot hands, surgical robots for manipulation in human body, and cell culture devices for cancer study, etc. using MEMS technology.



Tadahiko Shinshi, Professor (FIRST)

Medical mechatronics and micro/nano mechatronics based on magnetic force control.



Takeshi Hatsuzawa, Professor (FIRST)

MEMS/NEMS application and development to bio-assay and diagnosis devices by interdisciplinary technology including mechanical and bio engineering.



Yasuko Yanagida, Professor (FIRST)

Development of MEMS/NEMS and bioMEMS devices applied for bioscience, medical engineering and environmental analysis.



Tadashi Ishida, Associate Professor

Biomicrofluidic devices for drug discovery and medical applications by the combination of nano/micro technologies and cellular characteristics.



Toshio Takayama, Associate Professor

Robot hands mechanism, Soft material based mobile devices and actuators, Mechatronics for medical devices, Microdevices for cell culture.



Kotaro Tadano, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Research and development of surgical robots for laparoscopic surgery, vitreous surgery and plastic surgery, human-machine interfaces and pneumatic systems.



Takasi Nisisako, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Innovative nano- and microfluidics for Lab-on-a-Chip applications and functional materials production, and their industrialization.



Tohru Yagi, Associate Professor

Our goal is to understand the neural mechanisms, and to exploit its findings in biomedical engineering applications, e.g. neural interfaces.



Hitoshi Kimura, Assistant Professor

Flexible robot system, biomechanics of sleep (Development of intelligent bedding system).

Frontier Technology Group

Human Centric Design Field



Masafumi Okada, Professor

Robot design and control from mathematical or physical point of view, and its application to human motion instruction.



Yoshifumi Nishida, Professor

Methodology on observing daily behavior of persons who faces the physical and cognitive changes, and designing a daily life system that enables to maintain quality of life based on data-driven ergonomics and statistical mathematics.



Yusuke Sugahara, Associate Professor

Design and control of mechanical and robotic systems. Study on biped vehicle, stair-climbing wheelchair, working partner robot, aero-train, human-powered robotics.



Wataru Hijikata, Associate Professor

Study on medical device and mechanical system based on mechatronics and biomedical engineering, development of implantable power generator, artificial heart, wireless power transfer, control of muscle contraction.



Takako Yoshida, Associate Professor

Brain science, human perception and psychophysics, visuo-haptic multimodal man-machine interface, attention/inattention.



Ken Masuya, Assistant Professor

Study on the robots that coexist and cooperate with human beings in human environments.

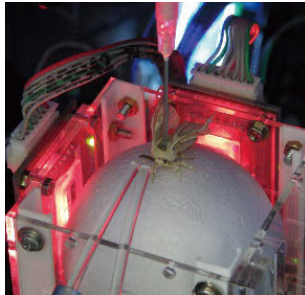


Daisuke Matsuura, Assistant Professor

Development of devices for welfare and disaster response, precise noncontact 3D manipulation equipment utilizing magnetomotive levitation technology.



Department of Systems and Control Engineering



The mission of the Department of Systems and Control Engineering is to promote valuable innovations based on education and research in systems analysis, measurement, control theory, and system integration.

Our modern life is supported by a huge number of complex artificial systems. To design valuable systems, we need to understand their dynamical properties so that they will safely work and surely satisfy our requirements. The Department of Systems and Control Engineering provides courses that offer insights into a variety of systems, which enable us to predict and control their dynamics. Our interest includes not only artificial systems, e.g., robots, cars, planes, medical systems, and intelligent systems, but even life, society, and nature. The Department of Systems and Control Engineering prepares students to become creative and innovative individuals who can make beneficial contributions to our society.



Hiroyuki Hachiya
Department Chief

Research

A wide variety of technologies and techniques are required to design a system. Mathematical models take important roles in clarifying system structures so that we know dynamical properties of them. Control theory provides systematic design of control and measurement functions. We also need to find appropriate measurement methods, communication protocols, information processing, actuators, sensors, micro-controllers, and ways of integration. We have formed research groups and are conducting high level researches so that we achieve the ability to innovate novel systems to bring values into our society.

The department's primary fields of research are as follows: systems control theory, network control, precision mechanical instrumentation, sensing theory, computer vision, image processing, wave application instrumentation, chaotic vibrations, stochastic dynamics, nonlinear dynamics, inverse analysis, smart power grids, biomechanics, biorobotics, combustion engines, combustion control, exhaust treatment, autonomous systems, signal processing, artificial intelligence, intelligent robots, rescue robots, and radiation biology.

Education

The Department of Systems and Control Engineering provides courses of control theory, instrumentation technology, system science, and engineering design for students to be specialists in systems and control engineering. Students at the department also study the necessary foundations of system analysis and development: mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, and information engineering. We cultivate in our students flexible, creative thinking they need to construct systems that offer new value through many unique educational initiatives that focus on the importance of projects and practical learning. Students can take classes in which they participate in robot contests, and classes through which they form teams to examine societal needs and to build systems that tackle those issues. Students proceed to research works in specific issues conducted at affiliated laboratories, and through their master's thesis research they will acquire the technological and organizational skills needed to develop new systems. They learn not only research protocols and methods but also ethical attitudes to be responsible engineers contributing to make a better future.

Undergraduate programs

* School of Engineering

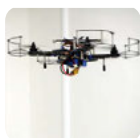
* Department of Systems and Control Engineering

Graduate programs

* Systems and Control Engineering

* Engineering Sciences and Design

Research Groups and Fields of Research



Control Theory Group

Researching cutting-edge systems theory targeting various systems, from next-generation robots to smart cities

Intelligent Robot Field
Cyber Physical Systems Field
Complex Network Systems Field



System Analysis Group

Using mathematical approaches to analyze systems both natural and artificial, and research methods that allow for deeper quantitative and qualitative understanding of their behavior

Nonlinear and Stochastic Dynamics Field
Computational Mechanics Field
Power Systems for Transportation Field



Advanced Measurement Group

Researching cutting-edge measurement technologies that allow observation of objects both visible and invisible, to gain an understanding of various phenomena found in our world

Mechanical Design and Functional Evaluation Field
Computer Vision and Image Processing Field
Applied Measurement Using Acoustic and Radio Waves Field



System Integration Group

Realizing future robot systems based on various approaches, such as sports engineering, speech recognition, machine learning and biomimetics, in order to bring happiness to the people

Bio-robot Field
AI-robotics Field

Faculty

Control Theory Group Intelligent Robot Field



Mitsuji Sampei, Professor

Nonlinear Control Theory and its Application, Control of Under-Actuated Mechanical Systems, Design and Control of Multi-Rotor Systems.



Masaki Yamakita, Associate Professor

Theoretical studies on adaptive and learning control and state estimation and model predictive control for nonlinear systems, and their applications to robotic and industrial systems



Tatsuya Ibuki, Assistant Professor

Design of Cooperative Control Strategy for Mobile Robotic Networks, Development of Vision-based Estimation/Control Theory

Control Theory Group Cyber Physical Systems Field



Masayuki Fujita, Professor

Distributed cooperative control of robotic networks/visual feedback estimation and control/energy management systems



Yoshihiro Miyake, Professor (Dept. Computer Science)

From Communication Science to Interface Creation



Takeshi Hatanaka, Visiting Associate Professor

Cyber-Physical & Human Systems, Cyber-Physical Campus Energy Management, Networked Mobility, Distributed Optimization/Learning/Games



Junya Yamauchi, Assistant Professor

Cooperative control and shared autonomy in human-robotic network systems/visual feedback cooperative estimation and control/control based on machine learning

Control Theory Group Complex Network Systems Field



Jun-ichi Imura, Professor

Development of control theory of large-scale complex network systems, and applications to smart grids, intelligent transportation systems, and biological systems



Hiroshi Deguchi, Professor (Dept. Computer Science)

Agent Based Modeling & Simulation, IoT System as an Autonomous Distributed Cooperative System, Complex Systems with Decision Makers, Management Information System, Gaming Simulation, Social System, Data Analysis for Economic & Accounting System



Tomohisa Hayakawa, Associate Professor

Nonlinear control and dynamical systems theory, adaptive and learning systems, control applications to aerospace systems, mechanisms design for social systems



Hideaki Ishii, Associate Professor (Dept. Computer Science)

Large-scale networked control, Coordinated control of multi-agent systems, Distributed algorithms for PageRank computation, Cyber security for power systems



Takayuki Ishizaki, Assistant Professor

Decentralized design of large-scale distributed control systems, Electricity market design under high penetration of storage and renewable energy resources

Advanced Measurement Group Mechanical Design and Functional Evaluation Field



Atsushi Hirata, Professor (Dept. Mechanical Engineering)

Ultraprecision polishing, coating, laser processing, tribology and material characterization with micro/nano materials for surface function design



Seiichiro Hara, Associate Professor

Sensing method of surface texture and machining information, Processing and evaluation of measurement information, Design applying quality and sensitivity engineering, Modeling of surface texture



Takashi Nakano, Assistant Professor

Tribological Property of bacterial flagellar motor, Origin of solid friction, Mechanism of photocatalyst center by quantum chemical approach.

Advanced Measurement Group Computer Vision and Image Processing Field



Masatoshi Okutomi, Professor

Computer vision and image processing, covering both their theory and applications. Recent topics include 3D scene reconstruction, stereo vision, structure from motion, inverse rendering, multispectral imaging, computational imaging, and super resolution.



Masayuki Tanaka, Visiting Associate Professor

Image Analysis, Multispectral Imaging, Multi-Modal Image Fusion, Image Processing Based on Generative Model, Optimization and Machine Learning.



Akihiko Torii, Assistant Professor

Computer Vision, 3D Reconstruction, Image-Based Localization, Structure from Motion, Image and Feature Matching.

Advanced Measurement Group Applied Measurement Using Acoustic and Radio Waves Field



Hiroyuki Hachiya, Professor

Development of quantitative diagnosis method by ultrasound based on tissue structures and elastic property, and measurement methods in the ocean, air and ground.



Shinji Ohyama, Associate Professor

Measurement technology such as new localization system for sensor networks, CT system for visualization of temperature and wind speed distribution



Shinnosuke Hirata, Assistant Professor

An estimation method of physical properties of tissues or object's position and motion by scattering or propagation properties of ultrasound

Interdisciplinary
Research Groups

Mechanical Engineering

Systems and Control
Engineering

Electrical and Electronic
Engineering

Information and
Communications Engineering

Industrial Engineering and
Economics

System Analysis Group

Nonlinear and Stochastic Dynamics Field



Hiroya Nakao, Professor

Nonlinear dynamics, Stochastic processes, Rhythmic phenomena, Self-organization phenomena



Misako Takayasu, Professor

(Dept. Mathematical and Computing Science)

Analysis and modeling of socio-economic phenomena, big-data analysis, nonlinear transport, group motion, complex network, phase transition



Toru Aonishi, Associate Professor (Dept. Computer Science)

Computational neuroscience, Mathematical theory of neural networks, Data-driven science



Takahiro Tsuchida, Assistant Professor

Investigation of random phenomena in various fields, Response analysis of non-Gaussian randomly excited systems, Dynamics of fractional-order systems

System Analysis Group

Computational Mechanics Field



Kenji Amaya, Professor

Implementation of inverse analysis for industry, Electrical chemistry simulation such as Localized corrosion analysis, Electroplating analysis, Corrosion monitoring using data assimilation, Aberration analysis



Yusuke Miyazaki, Associate Professor

Development of Detailed Digital Human Models, Injury Mechanism and Prevention, Quantitative Injury Risk Assessment of Products and Living Environment, Measurement of Human Motions and Forces in Real World Environment, Sports Engineering



Isao Ono, Associate Professor (Dept. Computer Science)

Development of evolutionary computation algorithms for various optimization problems and reinforcement learning algorithms for various tasks



Yuki Onishi, Assistant Professor

Large deformation analysis using state-of-the-art FEM, Peeling analysis of plastic film, Electrodeposition of automobile body, Localized corrosion in saltwater

System Analysis Group

Power Systems for Transportation Field



Hidenori Kosaka, Professor

High Efficiency Mobility Systems, High Efficiency Clean Internal Combustion Engines, Investigation of Combustion via Laser Diagnostics, Combustion Control



Susumu Sato, Associate Professor

Improvement of Environment Load in Transportation System, High Efficiency After-treatment System, Alternative Fuel Engines



Tsuyoshi Nagasawa, Assistant Professor

Thermal and fluid engineering / Energy conversion / Internal combustion engine / Exhaust after-treatment / Solid oxide fuel cell

System Integration Group

Bio-robot Field



Daisuke Kurabayashi, Professor

Analysis of Adaptive Behavior by using Bio-machine Hybrid Systems, Integration of Distributed Autonomous Robotic Systems, Motion and Path Planning for Robotic Systems



Motomu Nakashima, Professor

Modeling of human motion in sports, Optimization of human motion as well as design and development of optimal tools and equipment using simulation and humanoid robot



Hideyuki Tsukagoshi, Associate Professor

Study on fluid powered actuator referring to the muscular structure and the working principle of creatures, and their application to medical robot and rescue.



Masahiro Takinoue, Associate Professor

(Dept. Computer Science)

Construction and understanding of self-assembled artificial cell-like systems and molecular robots based on DNA nanotechnology and microfluidic technology



Yuya Hattori, Assistant Professor

Analysis of radiation responses of cell population, Analysis of odor-source search behavior of C. elegans, Development of control method based on responses of micro-organisms population.

System Integration Group

AI-robotics Field



Kazuhiro Nakadai, Specially Appointed Professor

Key research topics are robot audition and computational scene analysis, and wide areas are covered such as robotics, signal and speech processing, AI, and machine learning.



Minoru Nakayama, Professor

(Dept. Information and Communications Engineering)

Human visual perception is analyzed using behavioral metrics such as EEG, eye movement, pupil responses and other responses



Masayuki Yamamura, Professor (Dept. Computer Science)

Artificial Intelligence with personality and emotion, Evolvable Digital Artificial Life, Wet Artificial Life enhanced by Synthetic Biology, Molecular Robots



Kenji Nishida, Specially Appointed Associate Professor

Statistical pattern recognition, Image processing, Computer vision, Machine learning, Facial expression detection for nursing and rehabilitation



Katsutoshi Itoyama,

Specially Appointed Associate Professor (Lecturer)

My research interests are focused on statistical audio signal processing and machine learning techniques for music information processing, audio-based scene analysis, and robotics.



Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering



The Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering provides an education and conducts research into the core fields of energy technology, electronics, ICT, and more – the foundations upon which modern society and its continuous diversification and advancement are built.

Electrical and electronic engineering no longer concerns itself only with the study of electronic devices; it now serves as the foundation for all industries, including automobiles, robotics, and artificial intelligence. Students who learn electrical and electronic engineering as it is today are sought after not only by electronics manufacturers, but also by the automobile industry, societal infrastructure, and a wide variety of other fields. The Tokyo Institute of Technology has a long, proud tradition of successful research in the field, and the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering continues in that tradition, providing students with a solid academic foundation, a broad perspective, and creative thinking abilities they can harness to contribute to our society. We produce engineers and researchers of the highest level – individuals who can change the world.



Koichi Yasuoka
Department Chief

Research

The field of electrical and electronic engineering includes the study of hardware and software technologies that sustain electrical power, information processing and communications technology systems, and the physical properties, devices, and other elemental technologies that keep such systems working properly. The Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering provides an education that serves as the core of the field of study, and conducts cutting-edge academic and practical research, the results of which are presented at top-level conferences and in leading journals around the world. This allows us to contribute to both academia, and through collaborations with industry and government bodies, to the resolution of issues faced by our society.

Our primary fields of research are as follows: power electronics, electric power systems, power mechatronics, plasma engineering, light wave communications, photonic devices, wireless communication engineering, electronic devices, magnetic devices, spintronics, semiconductor processes, semiconductor devices, sensor devices, solar cells, organic electronic materials/properties, organic electronics, nonlinear optics, analog-digital hybrid integrated circuits, electronic circuits, nanoelectronics, nanophotonics, applied properties, and more.

Education

At the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, students acquire the fundamental knowledge and abilities required in this diverse field that studies large-scale electric energy production and control, information transmission systems that harness optical and radio wave phenomena, information processing and communication, the circuits and signal processing that serve as the foundation of computers, integrated circuits, and electronic devices. Classes teach students the fundamental theories the field is based upon, and provide a more practical understanding through a curriculum that offers simulation exercises, the opportunity to construct integrated circuits, and micro-processing experience. Our goal is to cultivate individuals who will become pioneering researchers, leading engineers and educators with open minds, creativity, and originality – individuals capable of succeeding in the related industries and fields of research and education.

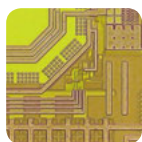
Undergraduate programs

- * School of Engineering
- * Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Graduate programs

- * Electrical and Electronic Engineering
- * Energy Science and Engineering
- * Human Centered Science and Biomedical Engineering
- * Nuclear Engineering

Research Groups and Fields of Research



Circuit Group

Studying the most sophisticated analog and digital circuit design technologies necessary for advanced electronic devices

Integrated Circuit Field



Electric Power and Energy Group

Gaining a thorough understanding of advanced power systems, power conversion, electrical equipment, high voltage and environmental technologies

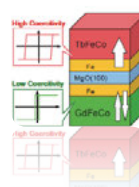
Electric power system Field
Power electronics Field
Plasma and environment Field
Electric machinery Field



Photonics, Ultrasonics, and Communications Group

Researching the hardware and software needed to build the next generation of communications networks

Photonics Field Wireless communications Field
Ultrasonics Field



Electronic Materials Group

Developing cutting-edge devices and methods to control the physical properties of new functional materials

Energy Electronics Field
Spintronics Field
Nano- and Bio-photonics Field
Organic electronics Field
Integrated electronics Field
Bioelectronics Field



Device Group

Researching the innovative devices needed to create advanced low power and ultra-fast electronics

Green Device Field
Compound Semiconductor Device Field
Terahertz device Field
Quantum Functional Device Field
Intelligent Device Field



Faculty

LANE: Laboratory for Advanced Nuclear Energy
FIRST: Laboratory for Future Interdisciplinary Research of Science and Technology

Circuit Group

Integrated Circuit Field



Kenichi Okada, Professor

Millimeter-wave Wireless Transceiver/5G/Battery-less IoT Wireless Sensor Node/CMOS Integrated Circuits/PLL/Atomic Clock/Terahertz Communication&Sensing&Imaging



Masaya Miyahara, Assistant Professor

RF-Analog Digital Integrated Circuits/ Millimeter-wave Wireless Communication/ AD-DA Converter



Hiroyuki Ito, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Integrated Circuits, RF Circuits, Wireless Communication Circuits, Sensor Networks, Internet of Things, Cyber-Physical System



Daisuke Yamane, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

His research interests include integrated CMOS-MEMS technology, optical and RF MEMS technology, and highly-sensitive MEMS inertial sensor and its applications.

Photonics, Ultrasonics, and Communications Group

Wireless communications Field



Jiro Hirokawa, Professor

Millimeter-wave high-efficiency planar antenna, 2D beam-switching circuit, fast analysis for antenna design, 2D orthogonal multiplexing



Takashi Tomura, Assistant Professor

Research based on electromagnetic engineering: large-scale EM analysis, near-field communication system, satellite on-board & phased array antennas.



Kei Sakaguchi, Professor

Wireless communication engineering
5G/IoT/Millimeter-wave/Wireless energy transmission
Connected car/Automated driving



Tran Gia Khanh, Associate Professor

Next generation wireless communication networks/Next generation sensor networks



Takahiro Aoyagi, Associate Professor

Electro Magnetic Comatibility (EMC), Measurement of Electrical Properties, Wave Propagation, Wireless Communication System, Body Area Networks



Atsuhiko NISHIKATA, Associate Professor

EMC/RF material evaluation/EM shielding and absorption
MMW's biological thermal effect/Radio retroreflector
EM source estimation/Spatial acoustics



Teruya Fujii, Specially Appointed Professor

Wireless transmission, cell design, radio propagation and network cooperation control technologies in mobile communication systems.



Hideki Omote, Specially Appointed Associate Professor

Radio propagation in mobile communication systems.

Photonics, Ultrasonics, and Communications Group

Photonics Field



Nobuhiko Nishiyama, Associate Professor

Photonic-electronic convergence integrated circuits based on heterogeneous integration/High-speed semiconductor lasers/Lidar system for car



Tomohiro Amemiya, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

Integrated optics, Metamaterials, Plasmonics, Semiconductor optical devices



Yuya Shoji, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Waveguide optical isolator/Magneto-optical signal processing device/Silicon photonics/Photonic integrated circuit/On-chip photonic network device



Kensuke Ogawa, Specially Appointed Professor

Photonic integrated circuits/Optical devices on photonic-electronic integration platforms/Ultrafast photonics/Time-resolved spectroscopy/Lightwave sensing/Optical interferometry



Fumio Koyama, Professor (FIRST)

VCSEL photonics, photonic integrated devices, high-speed semiconductor lasers, optical communications and interconnects, optical sensing for automotive applications, high power semiconductor lasers



Takahiro Sakaguchi, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

Opto-electronics/Distributed Bragg Reflector Vertical Cavity Surface Emitting Laser/Opto-photonic module/Semiconductor Devices



Masanori Nakahama, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

Opto-electronics/Semiconductor Wavelength Tunable Laser/High Power Laser/Tunable VCSEL employing Micro-Electro-Mechanical-System/High Power Semiconductor Laser with High Beam Quality for Laser Imaging.



Hiroyuki Uenohara, Professor (FIRST)

We have been pursuing the optical routing/node systems and related photonic functional devices using optical signal processing with high-speed, low power consumption.



Tomoyuki Miyamoto, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Optical wireless power transmission system/photonic module/high performance surface emitting laser/photonic device fabrication technologies

Photonics, Ultrasonics, and Communications Group

Ultrasonics Field



Kentaro Nakamura, Professor (FIRST)

Ultrasonic transducers and industrial applications of ultrasonics; Medical applications of optical/ultrasonic methods; Optical fiber sensors and their applications



Yosuke Mizuno, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

Distributed sensing based on optics and ultrasonics, strain/temperature sensing using glass and plastic fibers, Brillouin scattering, nonlinear polymer optics



Marie Tabaru, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Biomedical Engineering Measurement/Agricultural Engineering Measurement/Medical Engineering/Wave Engineering/Advanced Diagnostic Imaging



Minoru Kuribayashi Kurosawa, Associate Professor

Acoustics/Ultrasonics/Mechatronics/Transducers Surface acoustic wave motor/Piezoelectric device Energy harvesting/Hi-Fi audio/Passive intermodulation

Device Group

Compound Semiconductor Device Field



Yasuyuki Miyamoto, Professor

Compound Semiconductor electron devices/Steep Slope FET/Power electronics IC/InP/GaN/2-D semiconductor/Crystal growth/Ultrafine process



Koichi Fukuda, Visiting Professor

Semiconductor device modeling and simulation, especially device simulation, physical model and compact modeling for circuit simulation of tunnel FETs.



Masahiro Watanabe, Associate Professor

Nanostructure devices, Function design of electronic and photonic devices: Nanostructure-silicon photonics, Nonvolatile quantum effect memory, Advanced nano-heterostructure process technology



Hitoshi Wakabayashi, Professor

Electron Devices: Advanced 3D MISFET (Silicon) and 2D FET



Iriya Muneta, Assistant Professor

Spintronics/Transition-metal chalcogenides/2D layered materials/Magnetism/Valleytronics/Electron correlation/Magnetoresistance/Spin injection



Kazuo Tsutsui, Professor (FIRST)

Semiconductor devices/process technology/GaN and Si power devices/atomic level analyses of doped impurities



Takuya Hoshii, Assistant Professor

Semiconductor devices/process technology/MISFET and MIS-HEMT/power devices/atomic level analyses of doped impurities/crystal growth

Device Group

Quantum Functional Device Field



Yukio Kawano, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Terahertz image sensors and their application to industrial and medical inspection, Terahertz and infrared plasmonic probes, Near-field terahertz and infrared spectroscopic imaging and material analysis



Takamasa Kawanago, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

Self-assembled molecule monolayer for gate dielectrics Transfer printing for building functional devices Organic/inorganic interfacial phenomena



Koji Ishibashi, Visiting Professor (RIKEN)

We fabricate nanoscale structures and study quantum effects. We try to manipulate the quantum states coherently towards quantum information technology.

Device Group

Intelligent Device Field



Shun-ichiro Ohmi, Professor

Semiconductor devices, Integrated electron device. Research on new functional device utilizing high-k and ferroelectric thin films

Device Group

Terahertz Device Field



Masahiro Asada, Professor (FIRST)

Semiconductor nano-devices/terahertz electronics, devices, and circuits/semiconductor terahertz sources/terahertz response of nanostructure/resonant tunneling devices



Safumi Suzuki, Associate Professor

Terahertz electronic devices, High electron mobility transistor, Terahertz applications (Wireless communication, Spectroscopy, etc.)

Device Group

Green Device Field



Mutsuko Hatano, Professor

Quantum sensors and power devices using widegap semiconductors. Developing wide-field technologies from materials to systems for energy and medical applications.



Tetsuo Kodera, Associate Professor

Fundamental technologies toward quantum communication and quantum computers, Group IV semiconductor physics, Quantum spin physics, New functional devices using quantum technologies.



Takayuki Iwasaki, Associate Professor

Quantum sensing and quantum emitter using atomic-scale structures in diamond toward next-generation low-loss power devices and biological/medical applications.



Dai Hisamoto, Visiting Professor

Semiconductor Processes/Semiconductor Devices/Power Devices/Low Power Devices/ FinFET



Kuniyuki Kakushima, Associate Professor

Interface control based on process and material development for semiconductor devices including memory, energy, power (Si, wide bandgap), medical imaging.

Electronic Materials Group

Energy Electronics Field



Akira Yamada, Professor

Development of high-efficiency thin-film solar cells, Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ and Cu₂ZnSn(S,Se)₄ absorber materials, Developing tandem solar cells using a perovskite top cell



Shinsuke Miyajima, Associate Professor

Semiconductor/Photoelectric conversion materials and devices/Group IV amorphous and nanocrystalline, Oxide, and Organic-inorganic perovskite materials



Kazuyoshi Nakada, Assistant Professor

Solar cell, Semiconductor physics, Crystalline silicon solar cells, Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ solar cells, Cu(In,Ga)Se₂/perovskite tandem solar cells

Electronic Materials Group

Spintronics Field



Shigeki Nakagawa, Professor

Spintronics for perpendicular MRAM devices using Half-metallic films, Magnetic films with high magnetic anisotropy, Perpendicular magnetic recording technology



Yota Takamura, Assistant Professor

Spintronics (Half-metallic ferromagnets, Si-based devices, perpendicular magnetic anisotropy, Superconductors)



Pham Nam Hai, Associate Professor

Spintronics/Ferromagnetic semiconductor/Topological Insulator/Magnetoresistive Random Access Memory/Magnetic sensor/Semiconductor spin device

Electronic Materials Group

Nano- and Bio-photonics Field



Kotaro Kajikawa, Professor

Our group aims at developing the fields of nanophotonics, surface plasmon and metamaterials and the related for novel optical devices.



Mana Toma, Assistant Professor

Plasmonics/Nano-Micro Structure Science/Biosensor



Haruhiko Ito, Associate Professor

We study Nanophotonics with near-field light and Atomphotonics for controlling laser-cooled atoms, and develop quantum-functional devices with atoms and spins.



Takayuki Okamoto, Specially Appointed Professor

Nanophotonics/Plasmonics/Optical devices/Organic light emitting diode/Organic thin-film solar cell/Broadband light absorber/Radiative cooling

Electronic Materials Group

Organic Electronics Field



Takaaki Manaka, Professor

Organic electronics/Organic devices/Evaluation techniques for organic semiconductor/Organic dielectric materials/Non-linear Optics/Liquid Crystals



Dai Taguchi, Assistant Professor

Analysis of electrical and electronic materials, and novel electrical and optical techniques for probing these materials based on dielectric physics.



Hiroaki Iino, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Organic electronics/Imaging devices/Liquid crystalline organic semiconductors/Organic thin film transistors/Printed electronics/Molecular alignment



Takashi Kato, Specially Appointed Professor

Opto-electronic devices/Organic electronics/Photo functional materials/Organic semiconductor/Molecular alignment/Display materials/Printed electronics

Electronic Materials Group

Integrated Electronics Field



Satoshi Sugahara, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Integrated Devices and Circuits/High-Speed and Low-Power Devices/Energy-Efficient Circuits/Wearable Electronics

Electronic Materials Group

Bioelectronics Field



Takamichi Nakamoto, Professor
(Dept. Information and Communications Engineering)

Biologically-inspired Sensors/Electronic Measurement/Embedded Systems/Human Olfactory Interface/Odor Sensor/Olfactory Display

Electric Power and Energy Group

Electric Power System Field



Toshiya Nanahara, Professor

Power system engineering/Power engineering/Generation control/Wind power/Photovoltaic power/Energy storage/Time-series analysis/Stochastic analysis



Kenichi Kawabe, Assistant Professor

Power system engineering/Power engineering/Wind power/Photovoltaic power/Energy storage/Power electronics-based devices/Mathematical Programming

Electric Power and Energy Group

Power Electronics Field



Hideaki Fujita, Professor

Power electronics circuits and systems for solar, wind, micro-hydro power generation. High-efficiency and multifunctional power converters for industrial motor drive and induction heating.



Makoto Hagiwara, Associate Professor

Application of power electronics to next-generation electric power systems, battery energy storage systems, electric vehicles and renewable energies.



Masaki Kuzumoto, Visiting Professor

Power Electronics/Power Device/Device Model/Si-SiC/MOSFET



Takeshi Horiguchi, Visiting Associate Professor

Power Electronics/Power Module/Power Device/Si-IGBT/SiC-MOSFET/Power Device Model/Electro-Thermal Simulation

Electric Power and Energy Group

Electric Machinery Field



Akira Chiba, Professor

Power Mechatronics and Intelligent Drive: Bearingless motor drive with integrated motor and magnetic bearing functions. Switched reluctance motors for high efficiency and compactness for EV, hybrid vehicles, and next generation automobiles.



Hiroya Sugimoto, Assistant Professor

Electric Machines/Mechatronics/Control Engineerings/Bearingless Motors/Magnetic Bearings/Rare-Earth Free Motors/Traction Motors for EVs

Electric Power and Energy Group

Plasma and Environment Field



Koichi Yasuoka, Professor

High-voltage and Plasma Engineering, Arcless hybrid switch for AC/DC power distribution, Mineralization of persistent organic substances for water reclamation



Nozomi Takeuchi, Associate Professor

Plasma Engineering/High Voltage Engineering/Electrostatic Engineering/Plasma in contact with liquid for advanced water treatment process and treatments of carbon materials/Electrohydrodynamics and its applications



Shungo Zen, Assistant Professor

Atmospheric pressure plasma application/Plasma Engineering/High Voltage Engineering/Power Engineering/Energy Storage Material/Solar Cell/Hybrid DCCB



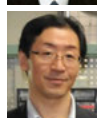
Yoshiyuki Oguri, Professor, (LANE)

Interaction between ion beams and hot plasmas related to inertial fusion/Accelerator-based trace-element analysis/Medical application of MeV ion beams



Hiroshi Akatsuka, Associate Professor (LANE)

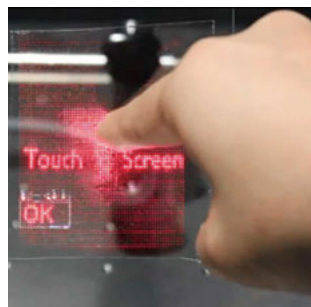
Modeling of atomic-molecular processes in plasmas, spectroscopic measurement/Interaction with electromagnetic field/Astronautic or nuclear applications



Akitoshi Okino, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Development of brand-new atmospheric plasma sources and its applications for medical/analytical/material field

Department of Information and Communications Engineering



Contributing to a richer, more sustainable society through research and education aimed at advanced information and communication technologies

One of the defining characteristics of our department is the interdisciplinary academic environment designed to aid in the development of information and communications technologies (ICT) designed for human use. The research and education cover a broad range of topics, from the hardware that is the foundation of information processing, to signal processing technologies, machine learning technologies, advanced intelligent information processing, the mechanisms behind human recognition, human interface systems, and medical technology. We are also actively engaged in collaborative research with corporations and research institutions in Japan and around the world, and provide students with numerous opportunities to experience that work first-hand. Information and communications technologies will continue to evolve, and the roles they play in society will likely increase as well. We educate students with hopes and dreams and untamable vitality, who will lead the drive towards a rich and exciting future with ICT.



Masahiro Yamaguchi
Department Chief

Research

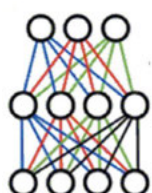
The aim of the Department of Information and Communications Engineering is to contribute to the academic fields that study both fundamental and applicable hardware and software technologies that will allow us to build a sustainable and user-friendly ICT-based society. In order to construct human-centric ICT systems, we need a better understanding of human emotion and the cerebral mechanisms upon which those emotions are based. In addition, we must build structures that allow for effective communication between people and the machines they use, and mechanisms for advanced information processing beyond human capabilities. In order to realize these objectives, we require technologies that can process and transmit vast amounts of information quickly. It is for this reason that the Department of Information and Communications Engineering conducts research in a broad range of technical fields, and puts a strong focus on the intercommunication and exchange between those fields. In concrete terms, our research efforts are directed towards ICT study, in areas that include communications and networks, signal processing, very-large-scale integration (VLSI), computers, security, media information processing, biometric information processing, sense information processing, and intelligent information processing. ICT systems have the potential to change our lives greatly, and our goal is to continuously work towards expanding that potential from the very frontier of the fields.

Education

Students in the master's program gain a fundamental understanding and practical skills as we foster within them a broad overview of the ICT industry as a whole. They simultaneously engage in a variety of activities that provide them with a strong ethical stance needed when viewing the world from the global perspective and engaging in research and development. The aim of these efforts is to graduate future researchers and engineers with a level of competence that is world-class, resulting in leading individuals capable of working in industries around the globe. In the doctoral program, the aim is the help students develop these abilities and perspectives even further, and to cultivate further leaders who will carve a path to new frontiers of science and technology that will make our global society even richer.

Many students who graduate from this department and the specialty program that was its predecessor move on to work in jobs connected to electronic and electrical engineering and in corporations active in the field of ICT. Our graduates are active in a broad range of other fields as well, with some moving on to positions in the mechanical and automobile industries or in chemical/material related work, and some working in the fields of finance and consulting. Graduates of our doctoral degree program can also be found at universities and private research institutes both here in Japan and abroad.

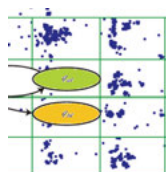
Research Groups and Fields of Research



Human Information Systems Group

Clarifying the underlying mechanisms of human senses, perception, cognition and motor control, engineering mechanisms that mimic those functions, and researching their application systems

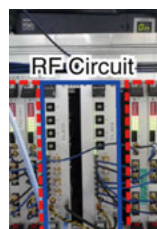
Sensory Information Processing Field
Intelligent Information Processing Field
Media Information Processing Field
Biological Information Processing Field



Signal Processing Group

Researching fundamental mathematical technologies and effective algorithms for processing various types of signals

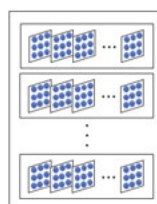
Media Signal Processing Field
Inverse Problems Field



Communication, Networks, and Security Group

Researching algorithms and hardware systems that ensure safe, accurate and speedy transmission of information

Communication Systems Field
Information Theory and Security Field
Communication Networks Field



Integrated Circuit and Computer Group

Researching the algorithms, design technologies, and mechanical systems required to produce high-performance computational systems

Digital Integrated Circuits Field
Analog Integrated Circuits Field
Distributed Information and Advanced Communication Systems Field

Faculty

Human Information Systems Group

Sensory Information Processing Field



Makio Kashino, Visiting Professor

Brain mechanisms of auditory perception, sensory characteristics in autism, decoding of mental states from biological signals, sports brain science



Hirohiko Kaneko, Professor

Visual information processing, Psychophysics, Space perception, Stereopsis, Binocular disparity processing, Multisensory integration, Eye movements, Perceptual adaptation



Rumi Hisakata, Assistant Professor

Psychophysics/Human visual processing/Binocular vision and 3D perception/Motion perception/Visual illusions/small eye movements/visual stability



Yasuharu Koike, Professor (Biointerfaces Unit)

Computational Neuroscience, Human Motor Control Theory, Human interface: Brain Machine Interface, Analysis of subjective feeling based on computational model



Natsue Yoshimura, Associate Professor (Biointerfaces Unit)

Brain activity information decoding (motor control, emotion, language, etc)/Brain-machine interfaces/Machine learning/EEG/fMRI



Hiroyuki Kambara, Assistant Professor (Biointerfaces Unit)

Computational Neuroscience: We proposed computational model for neural motor learning of reaching movements.



Imari Sato, Visiting Professor

Computer vision, Computer graphics, Spectral imaging, Computational photography, and Modeling reality.



Petter Holme, Specially Appointed Professor (Biointerfaces Unit)

Network theory, computational social science



Takehiro Nagai, Associate Professor

Psychophysics/affective engineering/color engineering/color perception/material perception/image processing based on properties of human visual perception

Human Information Systems Group

Intelligent Information Processing Field



Itsuo Kumazawa, Professor (FIRST)

Image Processing, Image Recognition, User Interface, Tactile Display, Optical Sensor, Virtual Reality, Artificial Neural Network



Shunsuke Ono, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

Image Processing (restoration, regularization), Signal Processing (recovery, sparsity), Optimization (convex optimization, proximal splitting)



Minoru Kuribayashi Kurosawa, Associate Professor (Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering)

Acoustics/Ultrasonics/Mechatronics/Transducers Surface acoustic wave motor/Piezoelectric device Energy harvesting/Hi-Fi audio/Passive intermodulation



Nobuhiko SUGINO, Associate Professor

Code Optimization Methods for GPGPU, Automatic Parallelizing Compilers, Implementation Techniques of Digital Signal Processing



Yoshihiro Watanabe, Associate Professor

Augmented Reality using projection technology, high-speed digital archiving, and human-computer interaction based on advanced computer vision.

FIRST: Laboratory for Future Interdisciplinary Research of Science and Technology
GSIC: Global Scientific Information and Computing Center
ASIST: Advanced Research Center for Social Information Science and Technology
WRHI: Tokyo Tech World Research Hub Initiative

Human Information Systems Group

Media Information Processing Field



Manabu Okumura, Professor (FIRST)

natural language processing, text summarization, computer assisted language learning, sentiment analysis, text data mining



Hiroya Takamura, Professor (FIRST)

Computational Linguistics/Natural Language Processing/Machine Learning



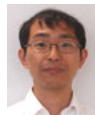
Hidetaka Kamigaito, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

Natural Language Processing/Machine Translation/Syntactic Parsing/Automatic Summarization



Takao Kobayashi, Professor

Speech processing/Statistical parametric speech synthesis/Expressive speech synthesis/Spoken language interface/Signal processing/Machine learning



Takahiro Shinozaki, Associate Professor

Speech information processing putting the focus on automatic speech recognition and understanding, statistical pattern recognition, machine learning.



Takamichi Nakamoto, Professor (FIRST)

Human Olfactory Interface/Olfactory Display/Odor Sensing System/Sensory Information Processing/Embedded System/Biologically-inspired Sensing System



Katsuhito Akahane, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

Virtual reality/Human interface/Haptic display



Shoichi Hasegawa, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Virtual reality technologies, especially haptics and physics simulation and application to interactive embodied agents and entertainment



Hironori Mitake, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

Character Technology to Enrich Life : Conversational Agent with Social/Physical Presence, Touchable Virtual Creature, Motion Generation with Sensor/Motor Simulation etc.



Masahiro Yamaguchi, Professor

Optical imaging and display/Spectral imaging and display/Color reproduction/Image analysis for pathology/Holography/Light-field display/3D user interface



Tomoya Nakamura, Assistant Professor

Computational optics, Optical design, Image processing, Coded imaging, Holography



Human Information Systems Group

Biological Information Processing Field



Takashi Obi, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Medical information system, Medical information network, National e-ID, Medical image processing, Medical information analysis



Hiroyuki Suzuki, Assistant Professor (FIRST)

Biometric authentication, Optical information processing, Medical history management systems, Medical information analysis



Marie Tabaru, Associate Professor (FIRST)

Biomedical Engineering Measurement/Agricultural Engineering Measurement/Medical Engineering/Wave Engineering/Advanced Diagnostic Imaging



Kentaro Nakamura, Professor (FIRST)

Ultrasonics, High power ultrasonics, Optical instrumentation, Optical fiber sensors, Medical measurement and imaging with ultrasonic and optical methods



Kenji Suzuki, Specially Appointed Professor (WRHI)

We develop computational intelligence that learns, from image examples, physicians' knowledge in interpreting images to help make smart decisions in biomedicine.

Signal Processing Group

Media Signal Processing Field



Minoru Nakayama, Professor

Human visual perception and their characteristics in various aspects are analyzed using some behavioral metrics such as EEG, eye movement, pupil responses and other responses.



Izumi Ito, Assistant Professor

Signal processing/Image processing/Transforms and spectral techniques

Signal Processing Group

Inverse Problems Field



Isao Yamada, Professor

Algorithms for Variety of Mathematical Problems in Signal Processing, Optimization, Inverse Problems and Data Science



Masao Yamagishi, Assistant Professor

Signal Processing/Optimization/Inverse Problems/Adaptive Filtering

Communication, Networks, and Security Group

Communication Systems FieldF



Kazuhiko Fukawa, Professor

Transmission and network techniques for wireless communications by developing digital signal processing, adaptive filters, and statistical based algorithms.



Yuyuan CHANG, Assistant Professor

Mobile communication, millimeter wave communication, multiple input multiple output (MIMO) systems, multi-user MIMO (MU-MIMO) systems, user scheduling, wireless sensor network

Communication, Networks, and Security Group

Information Theory and Security Field



Tomohiko Uyematsu, Professor

Information theory for non-parametric data, network information theory, and random number generation



Tetsunao Matsuta, Assistant Professor

Multi-user information theory/Non-asymptotic analysis in information theory/Cache-aided communication/Non-asynchronous communication/Rumor source identification in networks



Wakaha Ogata, Professor

Cryptography, Encryption, Digital signature, User authentication, Secret Sharing, Cryptographic protocol, Multi-party protocol



Kenta Kasai, Associate Professor

Coding Theory/LDPC Codes/Spatially-Coupled Codes/Graphical Models/Fountain Codes/Quantum Error Correcting Codes/Memory Channels



Daniel Berrar, Specially Appointed Associate Professor

Data science, machine learning, statistics, bioinformatics, systems biology

Communication, Networks, and Security Group

Communication Networks Field



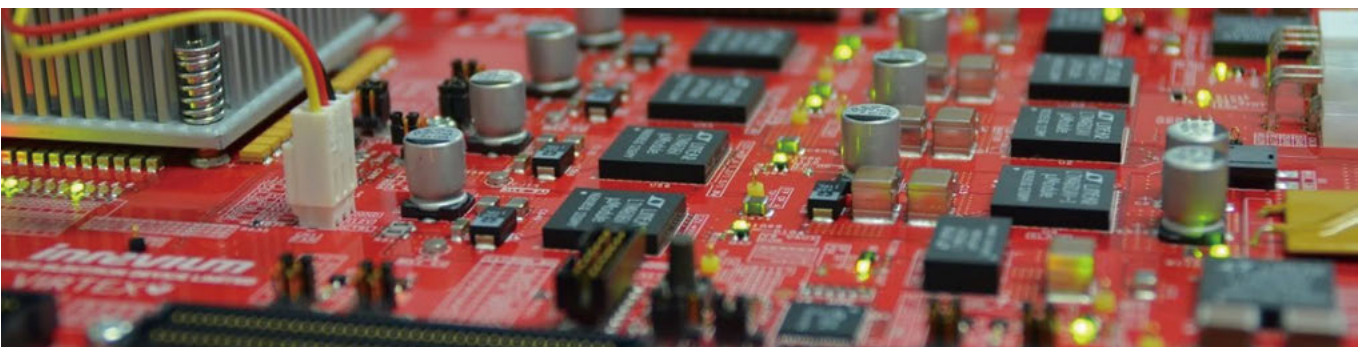
Katsunori Yamaoka, Professor

Information and Communication Network/Internet Technology/Telecommunication Networking/Next and Future Network/Network Engineering for Multimedia and Application



Yoshiaki Kitaguchi, Associate Professor (GSIC)

Information and communication engineering/Next generation network operation and management/Network security/System dependability evaluation/Inter-cloud system



Integrated Circuit and Computer Group

Digital Integrated Circuits Field



Tsuyoshi Isshiki, Professor

System-on-Chip design verification automation, high-performance processor design automation, secure VLSI architecture



Dongju Li, Assistant Professor

Fingerprint Authentication/SOC Architecture/Information Security



Satoshi Tayu, Assistant Professor

Graph algorithm/Combinatorial optimization



Atsushi Takahashi, Professor

High-performance VLSI Design System/Electronic Design Automation (EDA)/Physical Design/Design for Manufacturability (DFM)/Next-Generation Lithography/Graph Theory/Combinatorial Optimization/Synchronous Circuits/Adaptive Computation



Yuko Hara, Associate Professor

Embedded Systems, Internet-of-Things (IoT), High-Level Synthesis, Logic Synthesis, Hardware/Software Co-design, Computer Aided Design (CAD), Architecture/Microprocessor, FPGA

Integrated Circuit and Computer Group

Analog Integrated Circuits Field



Shigetaka Takagi, Professor

Our main research topics are analog integrated circuit designs for high linearity, high-speed operation, low supply voltage operation, reduction in power consumption, etc.



Hiroki Sato, Assistant Professor

CMOS Analog Integrated Circuit, Low-Voltage Circuit Technique, Signal Processing, IP Networking, Computer Security

Integrated Information and Communications Group

Distributed Information and Advanced Communication Systems Field



Masato Motomura, Professor

Reconfigurable Hardware, Intelligent Computing, Deep Learning Processor, Annealing Machine



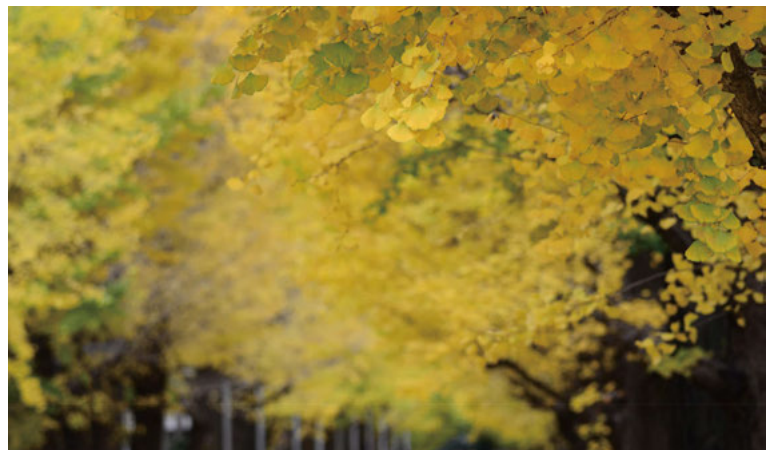
Hiroki Nakahara, Associate Professor

Reconfigurable System, FPGA, Deep Learning, Multi-Valued Logic



Shimpei Sato, Assistant Professor

Digital circuit design/Variable latency circuit/Computer architecture/Many-core processor/Network on Chip/Approximate computing



Department of Industrial Engineering and Economics



How do we more effectively produce and offer better products at lower prices? In order to help people live richer, happier lives, we must thoroughly and logically consider scientific and technological perspectives on what sort of society we should build for the future.

It is necessary to utilize scientific tools such as modelling, quantitative analysis and statistical processing to better respond to constantly changing financial and operational conditions. The knowledge and understanding gleaned using these tools can be used to build even better systems when we utilize the strengths of engineering approaches that have been honed through on-site experience.

This is the strength of the Department of Industrial Engineering and Economics – the ability to combine the theoretical base provided by science and engineering with practical skills and experience.



Tomomi Matsui
Department Chief

Research

Our aim is to analyze various issues in corporate management and economics from the perspectives of mathematics, science, engineering, business administration, economics and various other fields of study, and attempt to find solutions. It is for this reason that the areas and topics of research undertaken in this department are so diverse.

Areas of study include: business strategy; capital procurement and investment; organization management; strategic and financial analysis of management activities through marketing and other means; production management; quality management; supply chain management; finding solutions to various corporate operational issues using management information systems; industrial engineering; ergonomics; cognitive engineering; psychological understanding of human behavior; operations research; optimization; development of mathematical problem solving methods such as analysis of big data; game theory; micro/macroeconomics; econometrics; experimental economics; economic behavioral analysis using mathematical and engineering approaches.

Education

Our curriculum is centered on four pillars of mathematics, economics, business administration, and management technology, and it is designed to provide a focus on specific subjects while helping students reach their educational goals. Our students are able to become engineers, researchers, and specialists with rich imaginations, with the ability to come up with theoretical structures that carve out new areas of research, and with open minds that enable them to put their ideas into practical use.

Approximately 70% of our undergraduates advance to graduate study, while the others start working after their undergraduate degree in various industries that include manufacturing and consulting, and financial industries such as banking, insurance, and securities. Graduates with master's degree also go on to work in a broad range of industries, while the relatively high rate of students work in manufacturing and consulting-related fields. Graduates of the Department of Industrial Engineering and Economics have excellent mathematical abilities and are well-versed in both management and economics theory. They can be found in a broad array of fields, and they are highly thought of in all industries in which they work.

Research Groups and Fields of Research



Advanced Management and Paradigm Creation Group

Developing optimization methods through engineering analysis focused on industrial processes including development, production, and sales, and on human behavior in those processes.

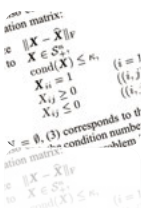
Industrial System Field
Human Centered System Field
Operations Management Field



Corporate System Creation Group

Conducting scientific analysis of corporations that act as drivers of innovation, and presentation of strategies for optimal corporate governance, management/organization, marketing, and capital.

Corporate Governance System Field
Management Strategy / Marketing Field



Analysis Method Creation Group

Developing analytical methods for diverse types of information and optimization methods of management and economic activities, based on mathematical and statistical analysis and active utilization of AI.

Mathematical Sciences and Informatics Field
Operations Research Field
Econometrics Field
Cyber Physical System Field



Economic Science Group

Analyzing economic and social systems based on economics, and designing and presenting policies and institutions that could achieve desirable economic and social situations.

Macroeconomics/Cliometrics Field
Microeconomics/Game Theory Field
Humanomics Field
Global Environmental Research Field

Faculty

Advanced Management and Paradigm Creation Group Industrial System Field



Kenji Itoh, Professor

Ergonomics / cognitive engineering / safety engineering / patient safety / Holistic Management System



Xiuzhu Gu, Assistant Professor

Risk management / patient safety / healthcare operations management / applied ergonomics / occupational health and safety

Advanced Management and Paradigm Creation Group Human Centered System Field



Hiroyuki Umemuro, Professor

Products or services that provide affective experiences / technology and aging / human-robot(agent)-interaction / management considering affective experiences of stakeholders



Hirotaka Aoki, Associate Professor

Cognitive ergonomics / cognitive task analysis applying eye tracking technique / usability and user experience evaluation / development of cognitive task analysis methods / industrial engineering

Advanced Management and Paradigm Creation Group Operations Management Field



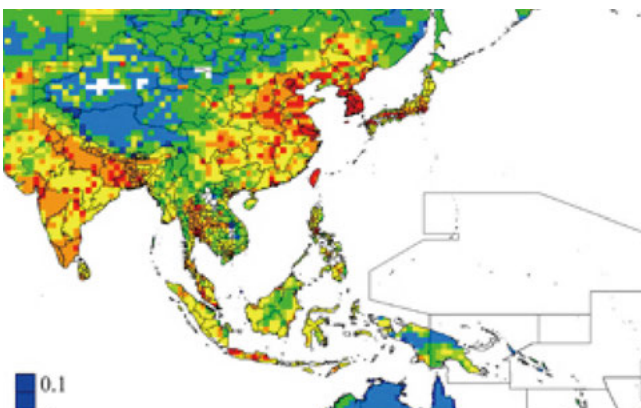
Masami Miyakawa, Professor

Applied statistics / Multivariate analysis / Statistical causal inference / Design of Experiment / Taguchi method



Sadami Suzuki, Associate Professor

Production management / operations management / logistics / supply chain management / customer satisfaction / customer value / service management



Analysis Method Creation Group Operations Research Field



Shinji Mizuno, Professor

Modeling of problems in management science and engineering / approach by operations research / development and analysis of optimization algorithms / solution methods and evaluation



Kazuhide Nakata, Associate Professor

We focus on operations research, machine learning, and optimization. In particular, we develop algorithms for precisely analyzing large scale models.



Tomonari Kitahara, Assistant Professor

Operations Research / Optimization algorithm / Simplex method / Mathematical Programming

Analysis Method Creation Group Mathematical Sciences and Informatics Field



Tomomi Matsui, Professor

Optimization Algorithms based on Mathematics and Informatics / Discrete Optimization / Combinatorics / Operations Research / Algorithm



Akiyoshi Shioura, Associate Professor

Theory of discrete convex analysis / efficient algorithms for discrete optimization problems / application to operations research, mathematical economics, etc.



Yasushi Kawase, Assistant Professor

Discrete optimization / Competitive analysis for online optimization / Algorithmic Game Theory / Robust optimization / Community detection in networks

Analysis Method Creation Group Econometrics Field



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Analysis Method Creation Group Cyber Physical System Field



Junichi Iijima, Professor

Enterprise Engineering consisting of Enterprise Ontology, Enterprise Governance and Enterprise Architecture. Especially, DEMO for Enterprise Ontology and IT-CMF for Enterprise Governance of IT.



Yoichiro Higuchi, Professor

Econometrics, Spatial Econometrics, Development and Application of Spatial Interaction Data on Human Migration, Goods Distribution, Capital Circulation and Information Traffics



Jaehyun Park, Assistant Professor

My research highlights three genres - (1) ICT-enabled Innovations, (2) design thinking, and (3) smart cities & tourism in innovation, information systems, and design.

Corporate System Creation Group

Corporate Governance System Field



Kotaro Inoue, Professor

Corporate finance/corporate investment policy/financial policy/corporate governance/behavioral finance



Kyoko Nagata, Associate Professor

Corporate evaluation/corporate governance/profit adjustment/empirical research on capital market



Naoshi Ikeda, Assistant Professor

Corporate finance/Investment policy/Financial policy/Payout policy/Initial public offering/Corporate governance/Capital market/Heterogeneous beliefs

Corporate System Creation Group

Management Strategy / Marketing Field



Yoshitoshi Tanaka, Professor

Intellectual property strategy/Integration of marketing and intellectual property rights/Patent portfolio with consumer needs/Basic patents and improvement patents/Patent information analysis



Chung Sulin, Associate Professor

Marketing/Distribution strategies/Retail internationalization (especially internationalization process and strategies of convenience store)/modernization of the distribution industry

Economic Science Group

Macroeconomics/Clometrics Field



Kyoko Yamamuro, Professor

Economic History/Clometrics/Quantitative History/Historical Data Analysis/Edo era



Ryoji Ohdoi, Associate Professor

Development of economic growth models based on agents' heterogeneity/analysis of international propagation of shocks/dynamic extension of trade models



Takeo Hori, Associate Professor

Macroeconomics/Economic Growth/Technical Progress/Structural Transformation/Heterogeneous Agents/Sustainability of Public Debts/Monetary Policy



Daisuke Kurisu, Assistant Professor

Mathematical statistics/Econometrics/Time series analysis/Nonparametric statistics

Economic Science Group

Microeconomics / Game Theory Field



Takehiko Yamato, Professor

Economic mechanism design/Market and public goods provision mechanisms: theory and experiments/Behavioral game theory and implementation theory



Ryo Kawasaki, Associate Professor

Game theory/Mathematical economics/Application of stable sets in economics/Potential games and their applications/Analysis of markets with indivisibilities



Tomoya Kazumura, Assistant Professor

Mechanism design/Game theory/Efficient auction design

Economic Science Group

Humanomics Field



Dai Senoo, Professor

Theory of Organization, Strategy, Knowledge Management and Information Systems. Main projects are Creative Office, Open Innovation and Business Ecosystem.



Emiko Fukuda, Associate Professor

Industrial economics/experimental economics/numerical analysis of game theory model/congestion management/security and disaster-relief service



Jacqueline Urakami, Assistant Professor

Human Factors/culture and technology/cognitive ergonomics for interface design/technology for an aging society

Economic Science Group

Global Environmental Research Field



Toshihiko Masui, Professor

Development of integrated assessment model toward low-carbon and sustainable society, and quantification of future scenarios by using the developed model.



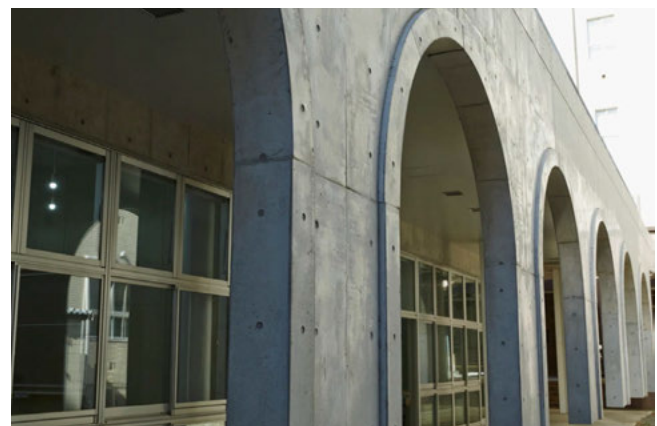
Yuko Kanamori, Associate Professor

Development and analysis of environmental model of household sector/lifestyle/population and household structure analysis



Yosuke Munesue, Assistant Professor

Impacts of food losses and waste on global food insecurity, natural resources, and greenhouse gas emissions/food loss reduction in the Sustainable Development Goals



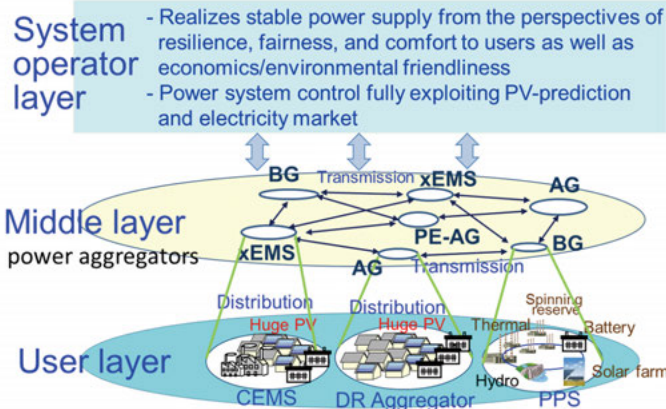
Typical Research Projects

JAPAN SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AGENCY (JST) CREST Program

PV Based Next Generation Smart Grid

System Theory for Harmonized Power System Control Based on Photovoltaic Power Prediction

System framework of next generation power system control accepting 102GW PV power



Research Overview

The main purpose of this research project is to develop a system theory of more advanced generation power system control in order to achieve a harmonized power supply under a large penetration of photovoltaic (PV) power systems. More specifically, this project aims to develop a power system control framework and methodology fully exploiting PV/demand power prediction as well as focusing on functions and properties of a middle layer consisting of various kinds of power aggregators in addition to a system operation layer and a user layer. This research can thus provide a fundamental framework of a future power control system that allows us to continuously introduce up to 102GW of PV, setting 64GW, which is the target proposed by the Japanese government, as a checkpoint, and that can be further developed towards a stable supply under introduction of more than 102GW.

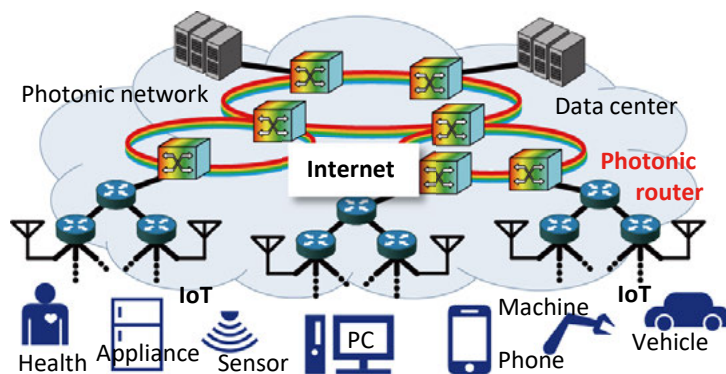
Members

Jun-ichi Imura, Prof. (Systems & Control Eng., p13)
Takayuki Ishizaki, Assis. Prof. (Systems & Control Eng., p13)

JST-CREST

Advanced core technology for creation and practical utilization of innovative properties and functions based upon optics and photonics

Development of zero standby power consumption photonic router by integrating heterogeneous materials of magnetic materials, metals and semiconductors



Research Overview

The research project aims to develop a novel photonic router characterized by no standby power consumption. The router is realized by integrating heterogeneous materials such as magnetic materials, metals and semiconductors on a single silicon photonic circuit chip. It has the great advantage of accommodating an increase in traffic transmitting large-capacity contents together with small-sized contents generated by IoT (Internet of Things) while preventing an increase in power consumption. The router brings about a breakthrough in infrastructural technologies for communication networks.

Members

Tetsuya Mizumoto, Executive Vice President
Nobuhiko Nishiyama, Assoc. Prof. (Electrical & Electronic Eng., p16)
Yuya Shoji, Assoc. Prof. (Electrical & Electronic Eng. (FIRST, IIR), p16)
Tomohiro Amemiya, Assis. Prof. (Electrical & Electronic Eng. (FIRST, IIR), p16)
Kazuhiro Ikeda, Dr. (National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology) [Collaborator]



Soft robots with flexible bodies, motions, and intelligences



Research examples; from left, flight with soft wings, functional robot skin, soft artificial muscle

Research Overview

Conventional robotics has been aiming for power, precision, and certainty. As a result, it achieved the excellent results in the industry, but it is not yet easy to realize some flexible and adaptable motions that living creatures can easily accomplish.

In this project, researchers conducting novel researches concerning "softness" gather from mechanical/electrical engineering, material science, computer science, medicine and biology. Through this interdisciplinary study, we are aiming to create a new discipline, "Science of Soft robots." Tokyo Tech conducts on researches, "flight and swimming with soft wings", "functional soft skin", and "soft artificial muscles" and promoting the project as a key member.

Members

Koichi Suzumori, Prof. (Mech.Eng., p10)

Hiroto Tanaka, Assoc. Prof. (Mech.Eng., p10)

Toshinori Fujie, Assoc. Prof. (School of Life Science and Technology)

Hiroyuki Nabae, Assis. Prof. (Mech.Eng., p10)

Cross-ministerial Strategic Innovation Promotion Program (SIP)

Innovative Combustion Technology

Investigation of the interactions between heat transfer on the wall and knock in spark ignition engine

Research Overview

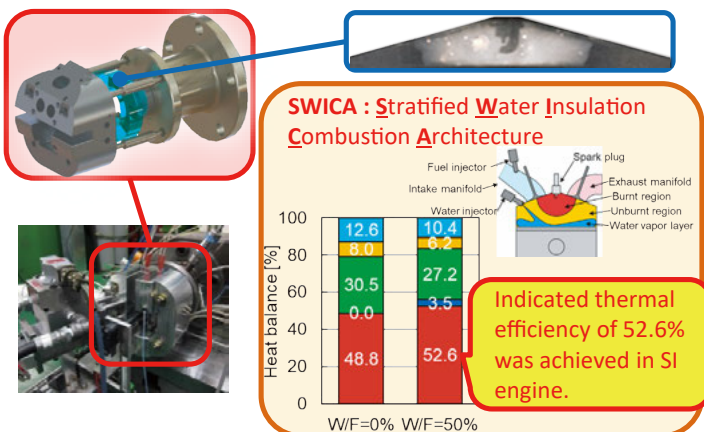
Improvement of thermal efficiency of internal combustion engines (ICE) for automobiles is required strongly for the energy security and global environmental preservation in the future. Council for Science Technology and Innovation took "Innovative Combustion Technology" as a important research issue in SIP program in response to this requirement. We conduct the fundamental researches on the Improvement of thermal efficiency of ICE up to 50 % in SIP. Thermal efficiency of SI engine was improved up to 52.6 % by super lean combustion coupled with water direct injection technology (Stratified Water Insulation Combustion Architecture: SWICA).

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Clarification of Mechanism of Ignition, Flame Propagation and Wall Heat Transfer in Next Generation Gasoline Engine and Model Development

Research Overview

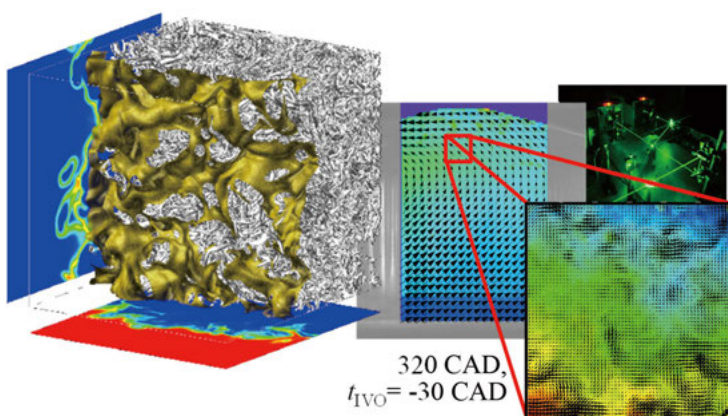
Models of ignition, flame propagation and heat transfer used in computational fluid dynamics (CFD) for practical combustors have great influences on the accuracy of simulations, and are desired to be suitable for ultra-lean and high pressure conditions to be used in the next generation gasoline engines for more than 50% thermal efficiency. In this research project, highly accurate models have been being developed based on the combustion physics investigated by using massively paralleled direct numerical simulations (DNS) and combined laser diagnostics. The model is going to be integrated into HINOCA, which is the CFD software being developed in SIP and expected to be a platform for the industry.

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Research and Development of Power Electronic Systems Using the Next-Generation Power Semiconductor Modules

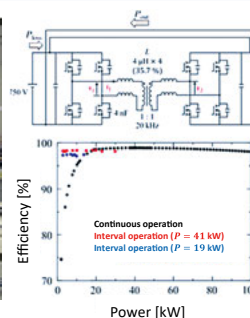
High-power density and high-efficiency power converters
 High-power and high-efficiency isolated dc-to-dc converters
 The next-generation hybrid dc circuit breakers
 SiC-based multilevel power converters for HVDC applications*
 Transformer-less converters for practical 6.6-kV distribution systems*

Research Overview

Power electronics is a key technology for further energy savings, being expected to make the competitiveness of the Japanese industry stronger in the world. The goal of this program is to expand and enhance the application of the next-generation power electronics technology based on power semiconductor modules using a new material of silicon carbide (SiC).

Nine universities and two manufacturers join this program to conduct 13 research themes. Tokyo Tech is responsible for five research themes. Two of them are collaborative research themes with the two manufacturers, as marked with "*" in the above list.

Tokyo Tech designed, constructed and tested a 750-Vdc, 100-kW isolated dc-to-dc converter using SiC-MOSFET modules. The converter recorded a power conversion efficiency as high as, or over, 98.3% in a wide range from 3% to 100%, which is the highest efficiency at present.



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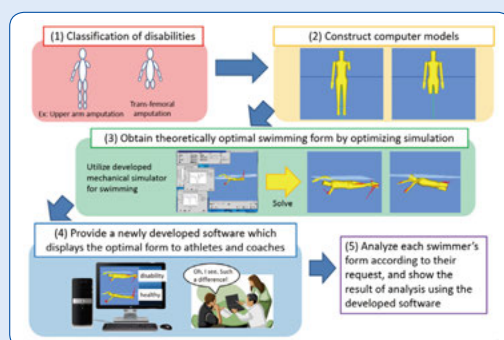
Japan Sports Agency High Performance Support Project

Research and Development Project (for Paralympics)

Research and Development for Paralympic Top Athletes

Research Overview

This project aimed to support the sport events, in which medals in the Paralympics were expected, from advanced sports science and medicine as well as information technology. The researches and developments of equipment for competitions and training for top para-athletes were conducted for two years, by a special team which consisted of 20 or more researchers in 14 organizations. This team was lead by Prof. Motomu Nakashima. The targeted events were swimming, wheelchair tennis, athletics, wheelchair rugby and so on. The left figure shows an example of the project for swimming. The research was conducted in consideration of each para-swimmer.



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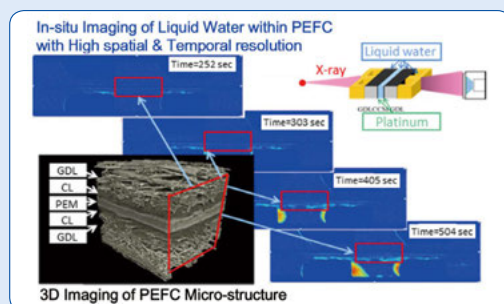
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PEFC Research and Development Program (NEDO)

Liquid Water Visualization & Catalyst Layer Fabrication of PEFCs

In-situ Visualization of Liquid Water within an Operating PEFC by using Wavelength-optimized X-ray Imaging Technique



Polymer Electrolyte Fuel Cells (PEFCs) are known as clean and high efficiency energy device. In PEFCs, water is generated by electrochemical reaction, and the water might impede transport of reactants to the catalyst site. Therefore, detailed understanding of the water transport phenomena within the PEFC is crucially important to reduce cost of the PEFC system.

In this project, laboratory-based in-situ X-ray imaging technique has been developed to visualize the micro-structure and the liquid water behavior within the PEFC. The figure clearly showed liquid water accumulation and discharge behavior within the PEFC, and the results has been used to understand the water behavior and design the high-performance component.

Research about catalyst layer fabrication process has been also promoted in the project. The obtained results has been used to realize better catalyst layer.

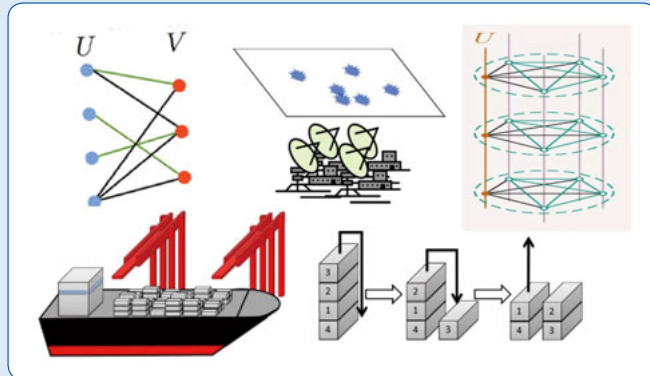
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Research Project Promoted by Department of Industrial Engineering and Economics

Optimization Technology in Industrial Engineering and Economics



Research Overview

Various problems in practice are often written by a similar optimization model. For example, a problem to assign tasks in a factory to machines is called a matching problem, and a solution technique is used for assigning graduating medical students to their first hospital appointments and fusing databases with multiple sensors. It is known that facility location problems of fire departments have structures similar to those of electronic components location problems on electric circuit boards, container location problems at piers and distortion sensor location problems of buildings. Techniques for solving scheduling problems in the manufacturing industry are used for determining the delivery order of parcels and for determining the hole drilling order of electric circuit boards. The Analysis Method Creation Group aims to expand the scope of application as well as deepening the optimization theory.

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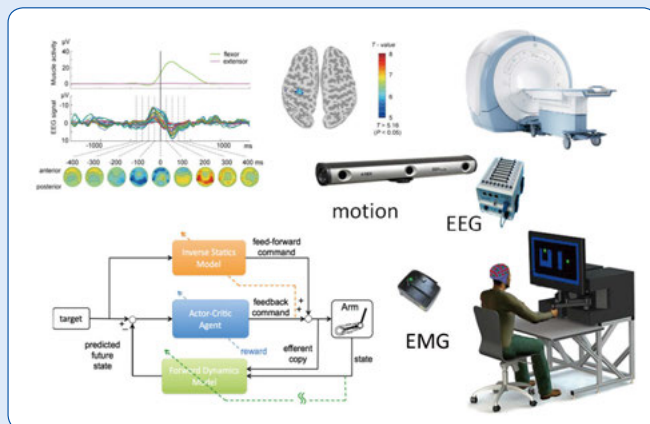
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Program for Advancing Strategic International Networks to Accelerate the Circulation of Talented Researchers (JSPS)

Human Interface

Computational Neuroscience connecting behavior and brain activities



Research Overview

In this research, we aimed to elucidate "How does the brain represent the body motion and solve the control problem. The objective this research is to open up a new field of "Computational brain/body imaging method " which elucidate the brain's theory of computation from EEG and body motion during motion task.

We are conducting research toward realization a society that ensures the quality of life and realizes a safe and secure life by using new rehabilitation techniques and developing prosthesis integrated with the body, even if the possibility of having some disability increases as the aging.

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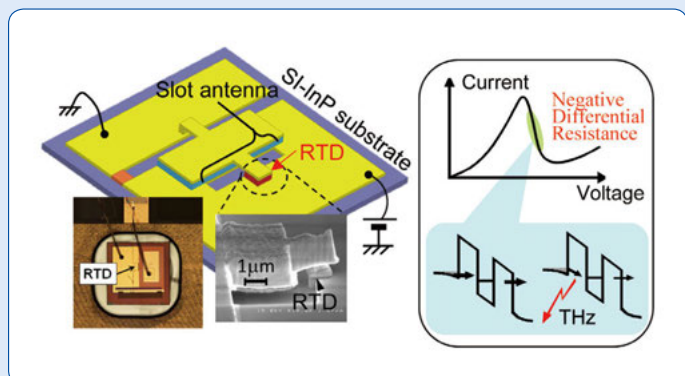
Grant-in-Aid for Specially Promoted Research from Japan Society for the Promotion of Science

Exploration of breakthrough in terahertz-device performance by understanding the radiation mechanism from view point of electron travelling and transition

Research Overview

The terahertz (THz) frequency range of approximately 0.1-10 THz remains unexplored, but various applications are expected, such as ultrahigh-speed wireless communications, imaging, and spectroscopy, etc. Compact semi-conductor sources with high power and room-temperature operation are essential for these applications. Up to now, we have succeeded a room-temperature oscillation of resonant tunneling diodes above 1 THz as the first-time achievement in electronic single devices. Because the THz range is located between light wave and millimeter wave, we have to establish comprehensive base of THz-device physics including the transport and transition of electrons in order to realize high-performance THz devices.

This project aims at establishment of THz-device physics and realization of high performance terahertz sources for various applications.



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Statistics

Number of Staff

(As of May 1 2018)

Course	Professor	Associate Professor	Associate Professor (Lecturer)	Assistant Professor	Total
Department of Mechanical Engineering	24	29	0	20	73
Department of Systems and Control Engineering	10	8	0	10	28
Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering	15	16	0	13	44
Department of Information and Communications Engineering	12	7	0	13	32
Department of Industrial Engineering and Economics	13	10	0	10	33
Total	74	70	0	66	210

Number of Students

(As of May 1 2018)

Undergraduate Course

Department	2nd year				3rd year				Total	
	Men		Women		Men		Women		Total	
	International Student		International Student		International Student		International Student		International Student	
Department of Mechanical Engineering	135	6	12	1	139	10	9	0	295	17
Department of Systems and Control Engineering	41	3	7	0	47	2	2	0	97	5
Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering	70	1	6	1	86	4	2	0	164	6
Department of Information and Communications Engineering	46	2	6	0	49	4	4	0	105	6
Department of Industrial Engineering and Economics	48	2	14	1	53	0	7	0	122	3
Total	340	14	45	3	374	20	24	0	783	37

(As of May 1 2018)

Master's Course

Department	1st year				2nd year				Total	
	Men		Women		Men		Women		Total	
	International Student		International Student		International Student		International Student		International Student	
Department of Mechanical Engineering										
Graduate Major in Mechanical Engineering	144	22	16	7	139	16	4	0	303	45
Graduate Major in Energy Science and Engineering	15	3	1	1	17	1	2	1	35	6
Graduate Major in Engineering Sciences and Design	19	0	0	0	20	2	3	1	42	3
Graduate Major in Human Centered Science and Biomedical Engineering	17	7	1	0	11	2	1	0	30	9
Graduate Major in Nuclear Engineering	3	1	1	1	7	4	0	0	11	6
Subtotal	198	33	19	9	194	25	10	2	421	69
Department of Systems and Control Engineering										
Graduate Major in Mechanical Engineering	60	7	4	2	66	11	1	0	131	20
Graduate Major in Engineering Sciences and Design	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	1
Subtotal	61	8	4	2	67	11	1		133	21
Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering										
Graduate Major in Electrical and Electronic Engineering	119	16	16	9	126	21	5	1	266	47
Graduate Major in Energy Science and Engineering	10	5	0	0	9	2	2	0	21	7
Graduate Major in Engineering Sciences and Design	10	1	2	0	7	0	1	0	20	1
Graduate Major in Nuclear Engineering	7	2	0	0	5	0	1	1	13	3
Subtotal	146	24	18	9	147	23	9	2	320	58
Department of Information and Communications Engineering										
Graduate Major in Information and Communications Engineering	78	22	9	4	70	20	12	6	169	52
Graduate Major in Human Centered Science and Biomedical Engineering	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	5	0
Subtotal	81	22	9	4	72	20	12	6	174	52
Department of Industrial Engineering										
Graduate Major in Industrial Engineering and Economics	53	5	13	7	60	5	10	4	136	21
Graduate Major in Engineering Sciences and Design	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0
Subtotal	58	5	13	7	61	5	10	4	142	21
Total	544	92	63	31	541	84	42	14	1190	221

Interdisciplinary Graduate Majors	1st year				2nd year				Total	
	Men		Women		Men		Women		Total	
	International Student		International Student		International Student		International Student		International Student	
Graduate Major in Energy Science and Engineering	70	14	8	1	72	4	16	3	166	22
Graduate Major in Engineering Sciences and Design	34	5	1	0	25	3	6	3	66	11
Graduate Major in Human Centered Science and Biomedical Engineering	64	13	16	5	47	5	13	1	140	24
Graduate Major in Nuclear Engineering	38	10	10	3	34	9	7	1	89	23
Graduate Major in Artificial Intelligence	65	17	13	7	62	14	6	3	146	41
Graduate Major in Urban Design and Built Environment	45	5	20	8	58	6	17	4	140	23

Doctoral Course

(As of May 1 2018)

AS of May 1 2018

Doctoral Course		1st year				2nd year				3rd year				Total	
Department	Men	Women		Men	Women		Men	Women							
	International Student		International Student	International Student		International Student	International Student		International Student						
Department of Mechanical Engineering															
Graduate Major in Mechanical Engineering	25	13	0	0	16	7	2	0	14	3	1	1	58	24	
Graduate Major in Energy Science and Engineering	2	1	0	0	3	2	2	1	1	0	1	0	9	4	
Graduate Major in Engineering Sciences and Design	2	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	0	1	1	7	3	
Graduate Major in Human Centered Science and Biomedical Engineering	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	3	1	1	0	8	3	
Graduate Major in Nuclear Engineering	2	2	1	1	2	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	7	5	
Subtotal		32	16	2	2	24	13	6	1	21	5	4	2	89	39
Department of Systems and Control Engineering															
Graduate Major in Mechanical Engineering	10	5	1	1	14	6	1	1	3	1	0	0	29	14	
Graduate Major in Engineering Sciences and Design	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Subtotal		10	5	1	1	14	6	1	1	3	1			29	14
Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering															
Graduate Major in Electrical and Electronic Engineering	24	12	1	1	14	11	2	2	12	1	1	1	54	28	
Graduate Major in Energy Science and Engineering	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	4	1	
Graduate Major in Engineering Sciences and Design	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	
Graduate Major in Nuclear Engineering	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			
Subtotal		26	13	1	1	14	11	3	3	14	1	1	1	59	30
Department of Information and Communications Engineering															
Graduate Major in Information and Communications Engineering	19	9	4	3	16	4	5	5	5	0	1	0	50	21	
Graduate Major in Human Centered Science and Biomedical Engineering	7	5	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	10	6	
Subtotal		26	14	4	3	18	5	6	5	5	0	1	0	60	27
Department of Industrial Engineering															
Graduate Major in Industrial Engineering and Economics	7	1	1	1	7	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	20	9	
Graduate Major in Engineering Sciences and Design	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	
Subtotal		7	1	1	1	8	4	3	2	1	1	1	1	21	10
Total		101	49	9	8	78	39	19	12	44	8	7	4	258	120

Interdisciplinary Graduate Majors	1st year				2nd year				3rd year				Total	
	Men		Women		Men		Women		Men		Women			
	International Student		International Student		International Student		International Student		International Student		International Student			
Graduate Major in Energy Science and Engineering	14	5	2	1	16	8	3	2	15	1	3	0	53	17
Graduate Major in Engineering Sciences and Design	2	0	0	0	3	3	1	0	1	0	1	1	8	4
Graduate Major in Human Centered Science and Biomedical Engineering	15	8	3	2	12	3	5	2	5	2	3	1	43	18
Graduate Major in Nuclear Engineering	15	5	6	5	12	5	5	1	9	2	1	0	48	18
Graduate Major in Artificial Intelligence	12	6	4	2	17	6	2	1	10	1	3	0	48	16
Graduate Major in Urban Design and Built Environment	6	2	6	3	8	3	3	3	7	0	4	2	34	13

Research Funds

Year	Number of Projects	Research Fund (in thousand yen)
2014	86	1,676,620
2015	31	1,510,299
2016	48	1,273,790
2017	51	910,291
2018	60	1,712,631
Total	276	7,083,631

(As of December 2018)

Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research 2018

Subject for Research	Number of Adoption	Amount (in thousand of yen)
Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (A)	16	140,900
Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (B)	37	160,300
Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (C)	35	41,500
Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (A)	6	23,600
Grant-in-Aid for Young Scientists (B)/ Grant-in-Aid for Early-Career Scientists	26	28,300
Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research on Innovative Areas	5	127,300
Grant-in-Aid for challenging Exploratory Research/Grant-in-Aid for Challenging Research (Pioneering) or (Exploratory)	15	43,800
Grant-in-Aid for Research Activity start-up	4	4,200
Total	144	569,900

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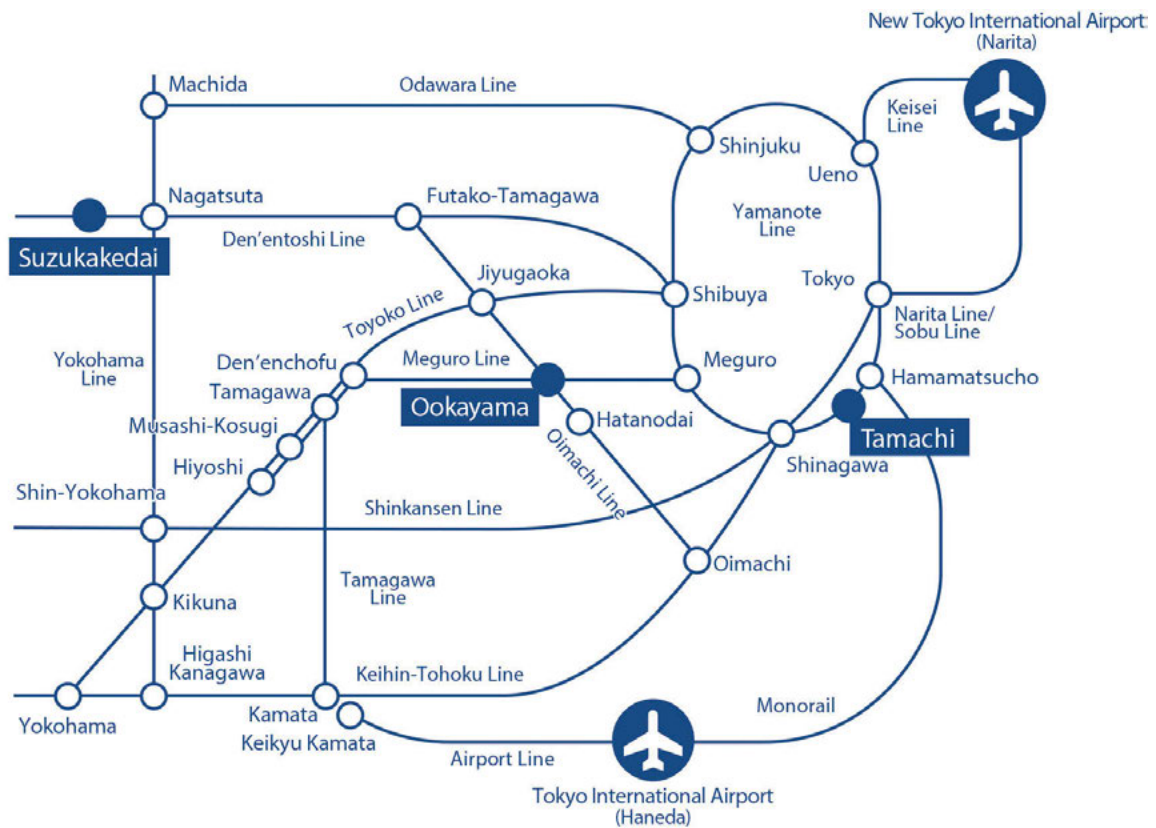
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