



PANEL #2

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Theme: AI-based IoT Systems Optimization



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Issues on the AI-based IoT Systems, and its optimization

- **Big data**
 - How to collect and to keep?
 - How to extract important data and discard unimportant data?
- **Digital twins**
 - Do simulations reflect real-world correctly?
 - How to extract regularities and rules?
- **Security**
 - How to prevent, and how to detect?
 - How to keep balance between availability and confidentiality (integrity)?



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- **PANELIST POSITION on**
 - **AI-based Network Optimization for IoT networks**
 - IoT functional architecture
 - IoT in 6G networks
 - AI/ML in 6G-IoT networks



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- **IoT layered functional architecture**
 - **Perception Layer (PL)** (a.k.a *Device Layer*)
 - Physical objects (e.g., sensors, actuators), collects info and executes commands
 - **Network Layer (NL)**
 - **Many wired/wireless technologies/protocols: IEEE 802.11/15 Infrared, ZigBee, 4G/5G/6G, LPWAN, etc.**
 - **Middleware Layer (MdL)**
 - Service management, database, info processing, decision based on the results
 - **Application Layer (AL)**
 - Global apps management (health, farming, home, smart cities, industrial, intelligent transportation, etc.)
 - **Business Layer (BL)**
 - IoT system overall management
- **AI/ML - in principle, it can be used in any layer for different purposes**



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IoT in 6G networks

- **6G-IoT Applications-examples**
 - Industrial Internet of Things
 - Internet of Healthcare Things
 - Vehicular Internet of Things and Autonomous Driving
 - Unmanned Aerial Vehicles
 - Satellite Internet of Things

AI/ML in 6G-IoT networking

- AI/ML – proposed to be intensively used in 6G networks and services
- *AI Action types: sensing, mining, optimization, prediction, reasoning, etc*
- **6G Macro architectural planes** (on top of networking infrastructure)
 - *Network Function Plane* (control base station (cNB), service base station (sNB))
 - *Data Plane* (data - collection, storage, processing, provisioning)
 - *Intelligent Plane* (planning, deployment, optimization, monitoring)



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AI/ML in 6G-IoT networks

- **AI-supported framework - 6G functions and activities**
 - **Network AI Management and Orchestration**
 - Network AI Service Orchestrator
 - Service orchestration and scheduling for: Data traffic, AlaaS
 - Network AI Service Manager
 - Infrastructure (connectivity + computing) Orchestrator/Manager
 - AI Model Library Hub
- **AI activities for service orchestration, management and scheduling**
 - Data collection
 - Network channel quality, resource utilization, network topology, security data
 - Sensing, localization, THz imaging
 - Industry, 3rd party, IoT, Terminal, holographic, Cloud X, XR
 - Data processing
 - Models of algorithms, dimension, labels, indicators, graphs
 - Pre-processing, post-processing, policy enforcement, ...
 - Storage: Distributed, centralized
 - Data provisioning: Access control, Capability exposure

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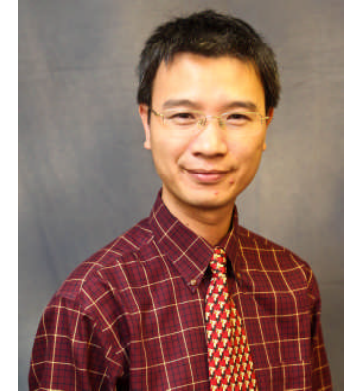
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■ AI Based Anomaly Detection in Cybersecurity

- Data Representation
- Classification
- Machine Learning Techniques such as SVM
- Cluster Analysis for Anomaly Intrusion Detection
- Deep Learning for Anomaly Intrusion Detection

■ Secure Mobile Software Development (SMSD)

- Develop teaching materials on secure mobile software with a collection of hands-on materials that will improve the ability of students to develop mobile software securely and avoiding common security vulnerabilities
- Eight Learning Modules and Four API Plugin has been developed (<https://sites.google.com/view/projectsmsd>)
- Pre-Lab, Hands-on Labs, and Post-Labs



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- **AI adaptation everywhere**
 - **Impacts of IoTs' 3V properties**
 - **Big Data from IoTs**
 - **CIA: Convenience, Intelligence, Automation**
 - **Safety issues of applying IoTs**
- **CIA in cybersecurity: Confidentiality, Integrity, Availability**



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- **Security is as strong as the weakest link**
 - IoT devices are everywhere
 - Asset management -> risk assessment
- **IoT malware attacks**
 - IoT malware attacks up by 37% in the first half of 2023
- **Attack surface**
 - Each IoT device increase new attack surfaces and risks



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▪ Internet of Urban Objects

▪ Examples

- Bootle banks
- Trees and automatic watering
- Traffic
- Pollution
- Waste management



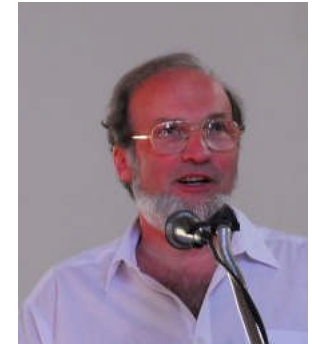
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- **Digital twins based on sensors and IoT**
- **Fixed, mobile, and semi-mobile objects**
 - **Managed/followed by city**
 - **“ “ by other companies**
- **AI and big data**
 - **Extracted knowledge → rules**
 - **Optimization of services**



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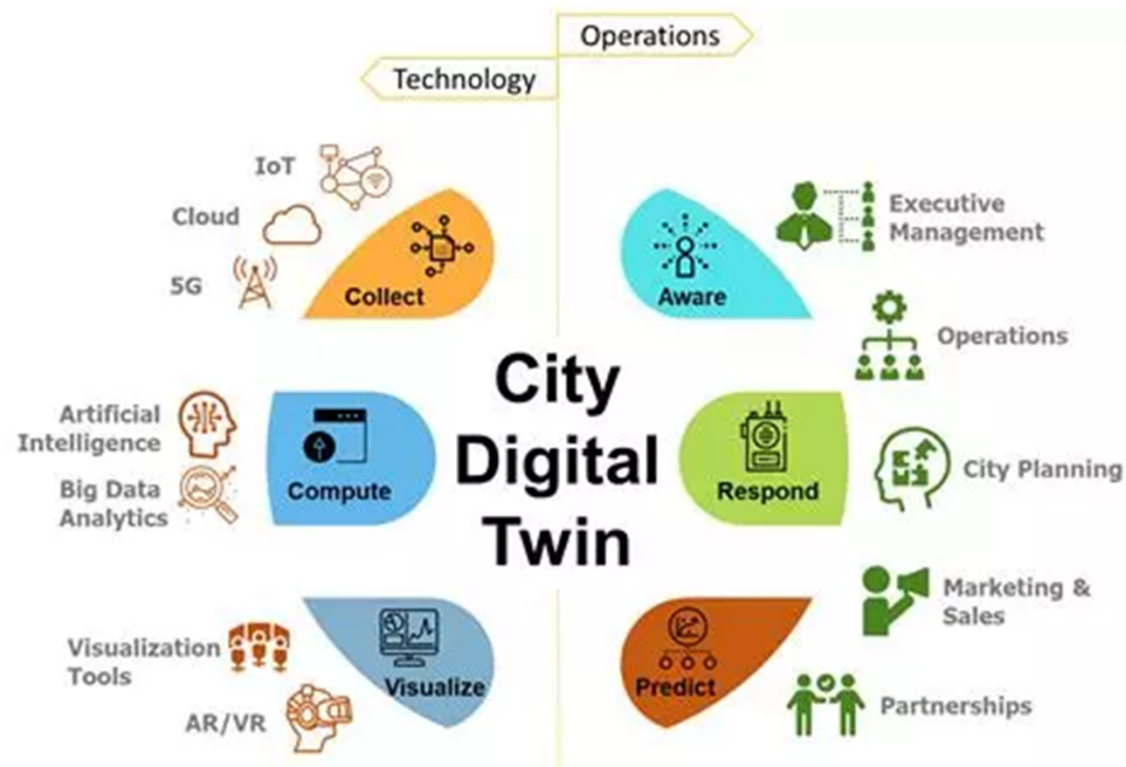




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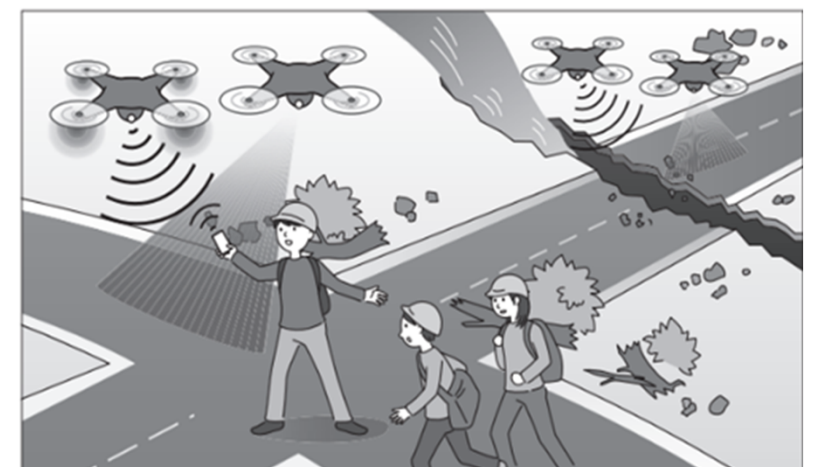
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▪ Disaster Prevention and Disaster Mitigation

- IoT powered by AI is a strong tool to prevent and mitigate disasters
- Sensor networks give us early warning
- UAVs plays good roles for evacuation route finding
- UAVs are useful for guiding evacuating people
- UAVs can provide Ad-hoc network



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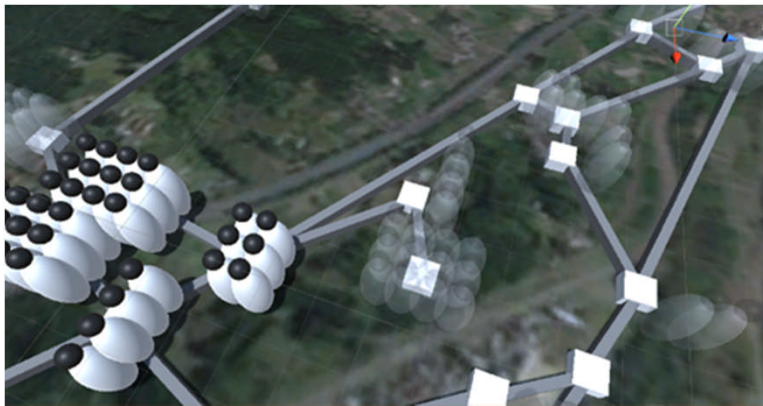
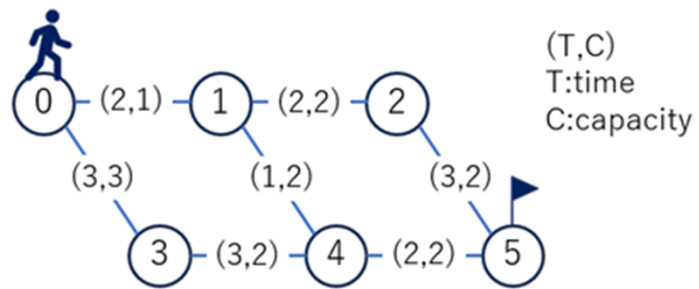




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- We need to count the number of evacuees, and their flows.



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