



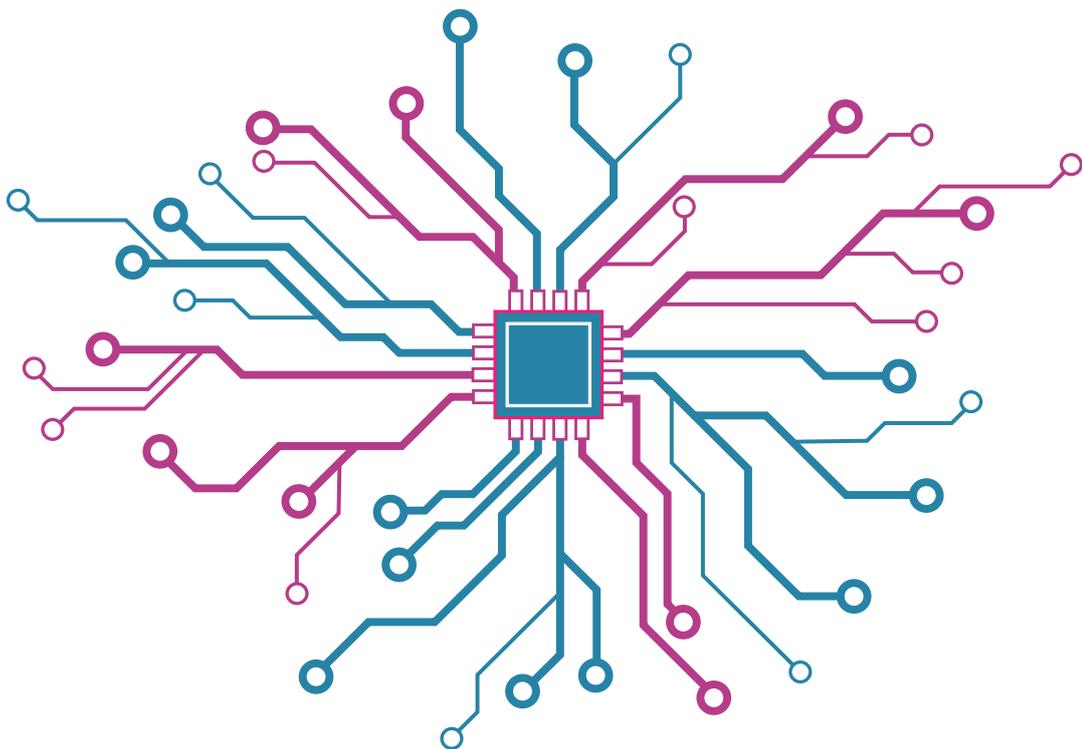
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ROBOTICS, AI, AND HUMANITY: SCIENCE, ETHICS, AND POLICY



16-17 May 2019 | Casina Pio IV | Vatican City



“Only through a firm resolve shared by all economic actors may we hope to give a new direction to the destiny of our world. So too artificial intelligence, robotics and other technological innovations must be so employed that they contribute to the service of humanity and to the protection of our common home, rather than to the contrary, as some assessments unfortunately foresee.”

Message of His Holiness Pope Francis to the Executive Chairman of the “World Economic Forum” on the occasion of the annual Gathering in Davos-Klosters, 23-26 January 2018.

“Humanity has entered a new era in which our technical prowess has brought us to a crossroads. We are the beneficiaries of two centuries of enormous waves of change: steam engines, railways, the telegraph, electricity, automobiles, aeroplanes, chemical industries, modern medicine, information technology and, more recently, the digital revolution, robotics, biotechnologies and nanotechnologies... Technoscience, when well directed, can produce important means of improving the quality of human life, from useful domestic appliances to great transportation systems, bridges, buildings and public spaces... The fact is that ‘contemporary man has not been trained to use power well’ (1), because our immense technological development has not been accompanied by a development in human responsibility, values and conscience. Each age tends to have only a meagre awareness of its own limitations. It is possible that we do not grasp the gravity of the challenges now before us...”

(1) Romano Guardini, *The End of the Modern World*, Wilmington, 1998, p 82.

Pope Francis, *Laudato Si’*, pp 75-78.

Conference concept

Recent advances in machine learning (commonly referred to as artificial intelligence – AI), and robotics have elicited widespread debate over their benefits and drawbacks for humanity. The emergent technologies have for instance implications within medicine and health care, employment, transport, manufacturing, agriculture, and armed conflict. While there has been considerable attention devoted to robotics/AI applications in each of these domains, the time is ripe to gain a fuller picture of their connections and the possible consequences for our shared humanity. To this end, PAS and PASS have agreed to jointly organize this multidisciplinary conference to be held May 16-17, 2019.¹ In addition to examining the current research frontiers in AI/robotics, the participants will discuss the likely impacts on societal well-being, the risks for peace and sustainable development, as well as the attendant ethical and religious dimensions of these technologies. Topics to be addressed in the conference sessions include:

- ▶ Scientific foundations and innovation drivers of AI/robotics (inter alia mathematics, algorithm innovations, computer science, related roles of big data use)
- ▶ Person-robot relations and the implications for socie-

ty, taking into account differences between low- and high-income countries, rural and urban communities, youth and elderly

- ▶ Technology and engineering of robotics and applications of AI/robotics in industries and services, and the implications for work and employment, manufacturing, agriculture and food systems, health services, poverty and marginalization
- ▶ Robot–human interactions and implications
- ▶ AI/robotics and the changing character of warfare
- ▶ Ethical and religious aspects of AI and robotics; robots and identity (or even robots’ rights) and need for regulatory policies on the use and future development of AI/robotics technologies

Papers shall be submitted by April 25, 2019 for circulation before the workshop. The papers will subsequently be revised for open access publication in an edited volume of an academic press.

¹ Two related conferences have previously been held at Casina Pio IV: PAS conference on “Power and Limitations of Artificial Intelligence” (December 2016), and the workshop on “Artificial Intelligence and Democracy” (March 2018).

Programme

DAY 1 16 MAY 2019	
9:00	Opening and Introductory remarks Marcelo Sánchez Sorondo* <i>Bishop Chancellor of the Pontifical Academies of Sciences (PAS) and Social Sciences (PASS)</i> Margaret Archer* <i>Visiting Professor, Arctic University of Norway, Tromsø</i> Joachim von Braun* <i>PAS President</i> Stefano Zamagni* <i>PASS President</i>
1. FOUNDATIONAL ISSUES IN AI AND ROBOTICS (consciousness) Chair: Joachim von Braun	
9:30	Could a robot be conscious? Lessons from the cognitive neuroscience of consciousness Stanislas Dehaene* <i>Collège de France, Paris</i>
9:50	Discussion
10:00	Could a robot be conscious? Lessons from philosophy Markus Gabriel <i>Bonn University, Germany</i>
10:20	Discussion
10:30	Coffee break
2. THE SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING OF AI AND ROBOTS (robotics engineering, industries, internet of things and robot-robot and human-robot interactions) Chair: Stefano Zamagni	
11:00	Logic in computer science and proof systems Gilles Dowek <i>INRIA, France</i>
11:20	Discussion
11:30	Foundation of artificial intelligence and effective universal induction Armin Cremers <i>B-IT Emeritus Research Group, Germany</i>
11:50	Discussion
12:00	Compliant and impedance controlled robots: the paradigm change for innumerable “collaborative” applications (e.g. health and elderly care, factory of the future, space exploration, mobility) Gerhard Hirzinger <i>DLR / Technical University Munich, Germany</i>
12:20	Discussion
12:30	Lunch at the Casina Pio IV
3. AI/ROBOT – HUMAN INTERACTIONS AND ETHICAL IMPLICATIONS (robotics, cognitive science, and social theory) Chair: Pierpaolo Donati	
14:30	Human-robot synergy and its emergent properties Margaret Archer* <i>Visiting Professor, Arctic University of Norway, Tromsø</i>
14:50	Discussion
15:00	Critical ingredients of autonomy, lessons from neuroscience Wolf Singer* <i>Max Planck Institute for Brain Research, Frankfurt, Germany</i>
15:20	Discussion

* Designates PAS or PASS Academicians.

15:30	Human-robot interactions and affecting computing: the ethical implications Laurence Devillers <i>Paris-Sorbonne, LIMSI-CNRS, France</i>
15:50	Discussion
16:00	What is it to implement human-robot joint action? Aurélie Clodic <i>LAAS/CNRS, Toulouse, France</i>
16:20	Discussion
16:30	General discussion
17:00	Coffee break
4. ROBOTICS CHANGING THE FUTURE OF WORK, FARMING, POVERTY AND ECOLOGY (labour markets, and employment; impacts on the unskilled and poor, industry 4.0, opportunities and challenges for poverty reduction; precision farming; environment and ecology opportunities and risks) Chair: Gregory M. Reichberg	
17:30	Industrial robotics and the global organization of production Koen De Backer <i>OECD, Paris, France</i>
17:50	AI/robotics implications for poverty and marginalization Joachim von Braun* <i>Director Centre for Development Research, Germany</i>
18:10	Discussion
18:20	Farming robotics for precision agriculture Ciryll Stachniss <i>University of Bonn, Germany</i>
18:40	Robotics and AI for food security and innovation Maximo Torero <i>Assistant Director General for Economics, FAO</i>
19:20	AI and robots in workplaces Arisa Ema <i>University of Tokyo and Visiting Researcher at RIKEN Center for Advanced Intelligence Project</i>
19:40	General discussion
20:00	Dinner at the Casina Pio IV

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5. ROBOTICS AND SERVICES (education, the aged, health services/personalized medicine, mobility, homes...) Chair: Joachim von Braun	
9:00	Explainability and plausibility as prerequisite for trusted AI Christoph Peylo <i>Global Head of Bosch Center for Artificial Intelligence, Stuttgart, Germany</i>
9:20	Discussion
9:30	Regulating AI in the financial services industry Frank Pasquale <i>University of Maryland, Baltimore, USA</i>
9:50	Discussion

10:00	Robotics in the classroom. Hopes or threats? Pierre Léna* <i>Université Paris-Diderot and Paris Observatory, France</i>
10:20	Discussion
10:30	Moral development in the digital environment Antonio Battro* <i>Academia Nacional de Educación, Buenos Aires, Argentina</i>
10:40	Discussion
11:00	General discussion
11:15	Coffee break
6. ROBOTICS, AI, AND MILITARIZED CONFLICT Chair: Armin Cremers	
11:45	Designing robots for the battlefield: state of the art Bruce Swett <i>Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory, Baltimore, USA</i>
12:05	Discussion
12:15	Military applications of AI and the relevance of virtue ethics Gregory M. Reichberg* and Henrik Syse <i>Peace Research Institute Oslo, Norway</i>
12:35	Discussion
12:45	The use of AI in cyber war: ethical and regulatory challenges Sophie-Charlotte Fischer <i>Center for Security Studies, ETH Zurich, Switzerland</i>
13:05	Discussion
13:15	The impact of AI on nuclear deterrence and military strategy, including the ethical implications Nobumasa Akiyama <i>Hitotsubashi University, Tokyo, Japan</i>
13:35	Discussion
13:45	General discussion
14:00	Lunch at the Casina Pio IV
7. SOCIETY, ETHICAL, RELIGIOUS, AND REGULATORY DIMENSIONS OF ROBOTICS/AI (identifying dividing lines between robots and AI/human 'enhancement', 'personhood' and robots; 'self-consciousness', empathy, defining risks, and what should be prevented; altering of legislation and regulation, e.g. accountability, judicial and insurance issues, criminal responsibility, public and corporate governance) Chair: Margaret Archer	
15:00	Robots and rights Wolfgang M. Schröder <i>Katholisch-Theologische Fakultät Würzburg, Germany</i>
15:20	Discussion
15:30	Responsible robotics Aimee van Wynsberghe <i>Delft University of Technology, Netherlands</i>
15:50	Discussion
16:00	Impact of robotics on human relations Pierpaolo Donati* <i>Alma Mater Professor University of Bologna, Italy</i>

16:20	Discussion
16:30	Regulating AI: considerations that apply across domains Angela Kane <i>Vienna Center for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation, Austria</i>
16:50	Discussion
17:00	Coffee break
17:30	AI regulation: finding a balance between efficiency and social effects Stefano Quintarelli <i>Chair, Italian Digital Agency</i>
17:50	Discussion
18:00	Conclusions and discussion of workshop statement A workshop statement will be drafted before the workshop and shared with participants for discussion and inputs in this session Joachim von Braun, Stefano Zamagni, and Margaret Archer (moderated discussion with all participants)
19:00	Dinner at the Casina Pio IV

List of Speakers



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