

European Robotics Forum 2015
 Vienna (Austria), 11-13 March 2015
Application Form
(Suggestion for a Workshop/Session)
Deadline: 15 Nov. 2014



Workshop Proposal	
<p>Session Title: <i>Please state here the exact title of your workshop (how the workshop should appear in the agenda)</i></p>	<p>Cognition in Robotics: pre-programmed vs. learning</p>
<p>Organiser(s): <i>Please list the organiser of the workshop, with name, organisation and Email address</i></p>	<p>Alessandro Saffiotti, Örebro University, Sweden Markus Vincze, Technische Universität Wien, Austria</p>
<p>Topic Group: <i>If this workshop is organised by a Topic Group of SPARC, please mention the name:</i></p>	<p>AICoR – Artificial Intelligence and Cognition in Robotics</p>
<p>Motivation and objective: <i>why is this session important, what is our message; short description</i></p>	
<p>Approach: <i>Example: "The workshop will consist of a series of targeted presentations of approximately 10 minutes on different aspects of systems engineering for robots, with intermittent discussions"</i></p>	<p>50% priming talks, 5 minutes each, mixed industry and research, on the demand in applications resp. newest exploitable results 50% discussion on how to bring cognitive approaches onto the workshop level The discussion will involved selected recent or ongoing EU projects with a distinctive focus on applying AI and cognitive approaches to generate innovation (e.g., SMERobotics).</p>
<p>Agenda of the workshop: <i>Please write (if possible) how you plan to structure your workshop. E.g.</i> - 09:00 – 09:05 Introduction by the moderators - 09:05 – 10:00 Presentations by selected participants, followed by a discussion - 10:00 – 10:30 Round Table Discussion - 10.30 – 11:00 Conclusions for the Roadmapping Process under SPARC/Horizon 2020</p>	<p>9:00 Introduction by the moderators 9:10 Flash presentations by selected industrial participants 9:30 Flash presentations by selected academic participants 10:00 Flash presentations by selected EU projects 10:15 Open discussion speakers and audience 10.45 Summary, measures to take to bring cognitive methods to application needs, how can euRobotics and the AICoR TG help</p>
<p>Speaker(s): <i>Please list all speakers with name, function and organisation.</i></p>	<p>The speakers below have expressed interest but their participation needs to be confirmed. More speakers will be invited among the AICoR membership.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Paolo Ferrara, FerRobotics, AU • Lukas Silberbauer, taurob, AU • Francesco Ferro, PAL Robotics, ES • Thilo Zimmermann, GPS • Gerhard Kraetzschmar, Univ Bonn, DE • Nick Hawes, Univ Birmingham, UK • Vincent Müller, Anatolia College, Oxford University, UK • Olivier da Costa, EU Commission, BE
<p>How can participants contribute to, and prepare for, the workshop? <i>Example. "Participants will be asked to participate</i></p>	<p>Speakers will be given a specific list of questions related to the "Approach" above. These should be addressed in a short document and in their</p>

<p><i>in a brainstorming session on current challenges, how projects should be set up to identify optimum solutions, and how benchmarking should be applied”.</i></p>	<p>flash presentations. Questions will be given 4 weeks before the workshop. Answers will be circulated among all speakers one week before the workshop.</p>
<p>Further information: <i>Links to publications, websites...</i></p>	<p>If accepted, Website with background material and program will be set up. Slides will be collected and made available.</p>
<p>Planned follow-up: <i>Please state what you plan to do with the outcome / results of your workshop. Example “After the workshop, the information collected will be organised in a short report which will be made available to the relevant Topic Groups focussing on systems integration”</i></p>	<p>All presentations will be made available on the website. Summary report written by organisers will be on website. Input for next TG meeting and input to MAR and SOD documents.</p>