Field Robotics Center Seminar Series

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Design of a Mobile Robot

Abstract

An autonomous mobile robot and/or unmanned ground vehicle is a special vehicle which has the capability of navigating on its own. Since the vehicle should be self behaving and self tuning, it has to run and response to its workspace in which it operates without any interaction from outside. It should be able to sense and model its work space to a sufficient degree, position itself, determine the desired trajectory and follow it. Hence, during the design of a mobile robot all of these have to be taken into consideration whether it is designed from scratch or adopted from an existing platform.

Speaker Bio

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