

Special Issue

The Application of Image Processing and Signal Processing Techniques in Unmanned Aerial Vehicles

Message from the Guest Editors

Image and signal processing in UAVs is becoming increasingly important. The cameras, LiDARs, inertial sensors, and other advanced sensors mounted on UAVs can transmit data that are more flexible and have a better view than ground platforms. With the development of artificial intelligence and computer vision, the sensor data from UAVs can also be used for object recognition, tracking, 3D reconstruction, SLAM, etc. This Special Issue is dedicated to collect and promote the latest work of image processing and signal processing techniques on drone platforms. The applications include but are not limited to drone photography, object detection and tracking, 3D reconstruction, drone localization, path planning, navigation, and drone autonomy.

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