

Special Issue

Machine Learning and Cognitive Robotics

Message from the Guest Editors

The focus of this Special Issue explores the intersection of Machine Learning (ML) and Cognitive Robotics, highlighting advancements in intelligent systems capable of perception, reasoning, learning, and interaction with humans and dynamic environments.

The focus is on cutting-edge algorithms, cognitive architectures, and real-world applications that bridge AI and robotics. We invite contributions addressing (but not limited) to ML for Robotics (deep learning, reinforcement learning, and transfer learning in robotic control and decision-making), Cognitive Architectures (bio-inspired models, neuromorphic computing, and hybrid AI systems for autonomous robots), Human–Robot Interaction (HRI) (NLP, emotion recognition, and collaborative robotics), Ethics and Trust (explainable AI (XAI), safety, and fairness in cognitive robotic systems), Applications (healthcare robots, industrial automation, autonomous vehicles, and assistive technologies), etc.

The purpose of the Special Issue is to showcase innovations integrating ML with cognitive robotics, fostering dialogue between researchers in AI, robotics, and cognitive science, as well as identifying challenges and future directions.

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