Special Issue

Networked Sensing and Control in Smart Cities

Message from the Guest Editors

Smart Cities aim to provide a better quality of life for their citizens by leveraging the advances in information and communication technology (ICT). Ubiquitous actuation, sensing, and control technologies can be used to improve a number of smart city services. including intelligent transportation systems, smart power grids, smart health monitoring, water management, etc. Unique characteristics of these smart city services make the sensing and control tasks in these smart services very challenging. A proper communication infrastructure should be in place for these sensors to communicate with each other. The development of advanced networking, sensing, and control technologies play a key role in enabling these smart city services. This Special Issue intends to seek innovative and state-of-the-art solutions for open challenges in the networking, sensing, and control for a variety of smart cities services, such as intelligent traffic control, autonomous driving, smart grid, smart buildings, smart homes, etc.

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We welcome contributions from diverse fields that bring fresh perspectives to urban challenges, from smart infrastructure and IoT integration to data-driven decision-making and sustainable development. Through a combination of rigorous peer-review and rapid publication, we aim to disseminate impactful research that fosters the development of smarter, more resilient cities.

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