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## **OBJECTIVE**

The objective of this symposium is the development of new technologies for artificial life and robotics which have been recently born in Japan and are expected to be applied in various fields. This symposium will discuss new results in the field of artificial life and robotics.

#### **GENERAL SESSION TOPICS**

Artificial brain research
Artificial life & Brain science
Control & Techniques I
Evolutionary computations
Human-machine cooperative systems
Image processing II
Mobile vehicles I
Multi-agent systems
Robotics I
Robotics & Bipedal robot
Pattern recognition

Artificial intelligence
Chaos & Cognitive science
Control & Techniques II
Intelligent control & Modeling
Image processing I
Innovative computations
Mobile vehicles II
Neural networks
Robotics II
Robotics & Application
Virtual reality

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System sensing and control Learning control and robotics

Control and automata

Soft robotics

Intelligent system and applications

Robot control Intelligent systems Artificial intelligent Intelligent classification

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Bio-inspired theory and applications Brain-like intelligence and biomedical

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Artificial application & Artificial and green

technology I

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