Introduction to Mobile Robotics

Welcome

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Today

- This course
- Robotics in the past and today

Organization

- Wed 16:00 18:00
 Fr 14:00 15:00
 lectures, discussions
- Fr 15:00 16:00 homework, practical exercises (Python)

- Web page: <u>www.informatik.uni-freiburg.de/~ais/</u>
- Exam: Oral or written

Goal of this course

- Provide an overview of problems and approaches in mobile robotics
- Probabilistic reasoning: Dealing with noisy data
- Hands-on experience

Content of this Course

- 1. Linear Algebra
- 2. Wheeled Locomotion
- 3. Sensors
- 4. Probabilities and Bayes
- 5. Probabilistic Motion Models
- 6. Probabilistic Sensor Models
- 7. Mapping with Known Poses
- 8. The Kalman Filter
- 9. The Extended Kalman Filter
- 10. Discrete Filters
- 11. The Particle Filter, MCL

- 12. SLAM: Simultaneous Localization and Mapping
- 13. SLAM: Landmark-based FastSLAM
- 14. SLAM: Grid-based FastSLAM
- 15. SLAM: Graph-based SLAM
- 16. Techniques for 3D Mapping
- 17. Iterative Closest Points Algorithm
- Path Planning and Collision Avoidance
- 19. Multi-Robot Exploration
- 20. Information-Driven Exploration
- 21. Summary

Reference Book

Thrun, Burgard, and Fox: "Probabilistic Robotics"



Relevant other Courses

- Foundations of Artificial Intelligence
- Computer Vision
- Machine Learning
- and many others from the area of cognitive technical systems.

Opportunities

- Projects
- Practicals
- Seminars
- Thesis
- ... your future!