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Special Session: New Directions in Fuzzy Adaptive Control

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Scope:
The aim of this special session is to present the state-of-the-art results in the area of adaptive intelligent control theory and applications and to get together researchers in this area.

Adaptive control is a technique of applying some methods to obtain a model of the process and using this model to design a controller. Especially, fuzzy adaptive control has been an important area of active research for over three decades now. Significant developments have been seen, including theoretical success and practical design. One of the reasons for the rapid growth of fuzzy adaptive control is its ability to control plants with uncertainties during its operation.

The papers in this special session present the most advanced techniques and algorithms of adaptive control. These include various robust techniques, performance enhancement techniques, techniques with less a-priori knowledge and nonlinear intelligent adaptive control techniques.

This special session aims to provide an opportunity for international researchers to share and review recent advances in the foundations, integration architectures and applications of hybrid and adaptive systems.

Keywords:
Fuzzy control, adaptive control, robust control, hybrid intelligent control, knowledge based control systems, fuzzy applications

Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:
Adaptive and learning control theory
Adaptive control of processes
Data based auto-tuning of the controller
Estimation and identification and its application to control design
Fuzzy Control
Fuzzy Control and Robotics
Fuzzy Applications
Soft Computing/ computational intelligence in control systems
Fuzzy Modeling and Simulation
Cooperative Control
Hybrid Intelligent Control
Adaptive Control
Robust Control
Modelling and Simulation
Knowledge based control systems
Control applications

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