

# AAAI 2013 Spring Symposium on Lifelong Machine Learning

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## **Monday, March 25, 2013**

- 9:00 – 9:15 Opening and Welcome  
Eric Eaton, Bryn Mawr College (Chair)
- 9:15 – 10:30 Invited Talk: Rich Sutton, U. Alberta
- 10:30 – 11:00 *Coffee break*
- 11:00 – 12:00 Paper Presentations
- Lifelong Machine Learning Systems:  
Beyond Learning Algorithms*  
Daniel Silver, Qiang Yang & Lianghao Li
- Information-Theoretic Objective  
Functions for Lifelong Learning*  
Byoung-Tak Zhang
- Towards Pareto Descent Directions in  
Sampling Experts for Multiple Tasks  
in an Online Learning Paradigm*  
Shaona Ghosh, Chris Lovell & Steve Gunn
- 12:00 – 12:30 Discussion
- 12:30 – 2:00 *Lunch break*
- 2:00 – 3:10 Invited Talk: Jeff Dean, Google  
*Large-Scale Learning from  
Multimodal Data*
- 3:10 – 3:30 Paper Presentation
- Learning Sensorimotor Concepts  
Without Reinforcement*  
Yasser Mohammad and Toyoaki Nishida
- 3:30 – 4:00 *Coffee break*
- 4:00 – 5:00 Paper Presentations
- Online Object Representation Learning and  
Its Application to Object Tracking*  
Amirreza Shaban, Hamid R. Rabiee,  
Mehrdad Farajtabar & Mohsen Fadaee
- Organizing Behavior into Temporal  
and Spatial Neighborhoods*  
Mark Ring & Tom Schaul
- Autonomous Selection of Inter-Task  
Mappings in Transfer Learning*  
Anestis Fachantidis, Ioannis Partalas,  
Matthew E. Taylor & Ioannis Vlahavas
- 5:00 – 5:30 Discussion
- 5:30 – 6:00 *Break*
- 6:00 – 7:00 Reception

## **Tuesday, March 26, 2013**

- 9:00 – 10:00 Invited Talk: Paul Ruvolo, Bryn Mawr  
*Efficient Lifelong Machine Learning*
- 10:00 – 10:30 Emerging Applications
- A Feedback-enabled Machine Learning Approach  
for Multi-Engine Machine Translation (Short Paper)*  
Christian Federmann
- Applications of Lifelong Learning to  
the Google Knowledge Graph*  
Terran Lane
- 10:30 – 11:00 *Coffee break*
- 11:00 – 12:00 Paper Presentations
- Lifelong Learning of Structure in the  
Space of Policies*  
Majd Hawasly & Subramanian Ramamoorthy
- Automatic Abstraction in Reinforcement  
Learning Using Ant System Algorithm*  
Nasrin Taghizadeh, Mohsen Ghafoorin &  
Hamid Beigy
- Hashing for Lightweight Episodic Recall*  
Scott Wallace, Evan Dickinson & Andrew Nuxoll
- 12:00 – 12:30 Discussion
- 12:30 – 2:00 *Lunch break*
- 2:00 – 2:10 Paper Presentation
- The Consolidation of Task Knowledge for Lifelong  
Machine Learning (Short Paper)*  
Daniel Silver
- 2:10 – 3:10 Invited Talk: Matthew Taylor,  
Washington State University  
*Agents as Teachers and Learners*
- 3:10 – 3:30 Organization of Working Sessions
- 3:30 – 4:00 *Coffee break*
- 4:00 – 5:30 Working Sessions
- 5:30 – 6:00 *Break*
- 6:00 – 7:00 Plenary Session
- ## **Wednesday, March 27, 2013**
- 9:00 – 10:30 Reports by Working Session Leaders  
Discussion
- 10:30 – 11:00 *Coffee break*
- 11:00 – 12:30 Open discussion: Next steps toward  
lifelong machine learning