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Fridays, 18 Jan – 9 May 2008, 4:30 pm – 5:30 pm

Room **B6605**, City University of Hong Kong

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(All presentations will be in **English**)

THE CENTRE FOR CHAOS AND COMPLEX NETWORKS at the City University of Hong Kong and the Department of Electronic and Information Engineering at the Hong Kong Polytechnic University continue their joint seminar series in this semester, to present tutorial overviews and original research work in the general areas of chaos and bifurcation, systems control, and their engineering applications. A list of tentative topics and schedule is as follows.

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| 18 Jan | Prof. Guanrong Chen, City University of Hong Kong
<i>Cooperative control over multi-agent networks</i> (Venue: CD634 PolyU, Chair: M. Tse) |
| 25 Jan | Prof. Frank Lewis, University of Texas at Arlington, USA
<i>Optimal adaptive control for nonlinear discrete-time systems</i> (Venue: B6605, CityU, Chair: R. Chen) |
| 1 Feb | Mr Xi Chen, Hong Kong Polytechnic University
<i>Internet gateway dynamics</i> (Venue: CD634, PolyU, Chair: M. Small) |
| 15 Feb | Dr Ming Zhao, University of Science and Technology of China
<i>Enhancing complex network synchronizability</i> (Venue: B6605, CityU, Chair: T. Ko) |
| 22 Feb | Miss Xia Zhang, Hong Kong Polytechnic University
<i>Construction of short-length LDPC codes with low error floor</i> (Venue: CD634, PolyU, Chair: F. Lau) |
| 29 Feb | Dr Xingang Wang, Singapore National University, Singapore
<i>Oscillations of complex networks</i> (Venue: B6605, CityU, Chair: T. Chow) |
| 7 Mar | Mr Hongbin Chen, Hong Kong Polytechnic University
<i>Source extraction in bandwidth constrained wireless sensor networks</i> (Venue: CD634, PolyU, Chair: M. Tse) |
| 14 Mar | Prof. Tommy Chow, City University of Hong Kong
<i>Obsession with world university ranking: Feature selection, visualization and SOM</i> (Venue: B6605, CityU, Chair: A. Leung) |
| 28 Mar | Prof. Wolfgang Schwarz, Technical University of Dresden, Germany
<i>Continuous-discrete systems - models, analysis and applications</i> (Venue: CD634, PolyU, Chair: M. Tse) |
| 11 Apr | Dr Wallace K S Tang, City University of Hong Kong
<i>Jumping Gene - A new engine for searching</i> (Venue: B6605, CityU, Chair: K.W. Wong) |
| 18 Apr | Prof. Yuming Shi, Shandong University, China
<i>A discrete computer network model with varying dimensions</i> (Venue: CD634, PolyU, Chair: M. Tse) |
| 25 Apr | Dr Sammy Chan, City University of Hong Kong
<i>Design and analysis of a hybrid ARQ scheme for broadband wireless communications</i> (Venue: B6605, CityU, Chair: K.W. Chung) |
| 9 May | Prof. Michael Tse, Hong Kong Polytechnic University
<i>Potpourri of applications of complex networks</i> (Venue: B6605, CityU, Chair: W. Tang) |