



## France-Japan Symposium on Deep Learning and Artificial Intelligence

**October 12th at The University of Tokyo, Koshiba Hall (Hongo Campus)**

### Announcement

The latest developments in Machine Learning, Data Analytics and Deep Learning are revolutionizing the field of Artificial Intelligence and paving the way for new applications with a high societal impact, such as automatic language translation, self-driving cars, support of elderly people or intelligent assistants interacting with humans in natural language. However, many challenges remain and international collaboration would be key to tackle them.

Therefore, the Department for Science and Technology of the Embassy of France, the University of Tokyo (Policy Alternatives Research Institute), Elsevier and CEA Tech will organise on October 12th a France-Japan Symposium on Deep Learning and Artificial Intelligence at The University of Tokyo (Hongo Campus).

This symposium will gather researchers in Machine Learning and Deep Learning as well as companies using these technologies for their products, from Japan and France. It will show the status of techniques for « narrow Artificial Intelligence », their potential and practical applications, as well as their societal and ethical implications. The symposium also aims at highlighting synergies between Japan and France and identifying future promising collaborations. A program of side visits will be organised for the speakers.

This event is organised in the framework of the “Japanese-French Year of Innovation” that was launched on October 5th 2015 by French Prime Minister Manuel Valls and Japanese Prime Minister Shinzo Abe, with the objective to especially promote public-private partnerships with a focus on high impact topics in terms of innovation.

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**Attendance at the symposium is by invitation only**

