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RoboCup SPL@UNSW

RoboCup continues to inspire and motivate our research interests in cognitive robotics and machine learning, particularly layered hybrid architectures, abstraction, and high-level programming languages.

The RoboCup Standard Platform League is an excellent training for students who also make a significant contribution towards research. Innovations for 2012 include natural landmark recognition, visual odometry, ICP feature integration for localisation, a new walking style, upgrade of the foveated vision system, new kicking routines, and new player behaviours (see forthcoming team reports for details).

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