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~ Overview of JFLI ~

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Background & Objectives

History

- ❖ 2006-2008: JSPS – CNRS funding for FR-JP projects in Computer Science : boosted and structured the FR-JP cooperation on this topic
- ❖ 2009/1/1: JFLI created as “Laboratoire International Associé” (LIA)
- ❖ 2012/1/1: JFLI as “International Research Laboratory” (IRL 3527)
Partners: **CNRS**, UPMC (now: **Sorbonne University**), **University of Tokyo**, **NII**, **Keio University**
- ❖ INRIA joined JFLI as new partner in October 2012, but left in 2020
- ❖ Renewed in 2020, preparing phase 2026~2030

Why JFLI?

- ❖ To organize, strengthen and develop cooperation on IT between France and Japan
- ❖ To create a perennial structure : smoothing the “n-year” project problem ...
- ❖ To have more “visibility”, a unified framework e.g. for applications to funding agencies
- ❖ To promote scientific exchanges and interdisciplinary research

Research Topics

Quantum information processing, quantum networks, quantum internet, CV quantum computations, quantum optimization

Music & creative intelligence, knowledge representation & machine learning, optimization methods, photonic intelligence, AI for multimedia

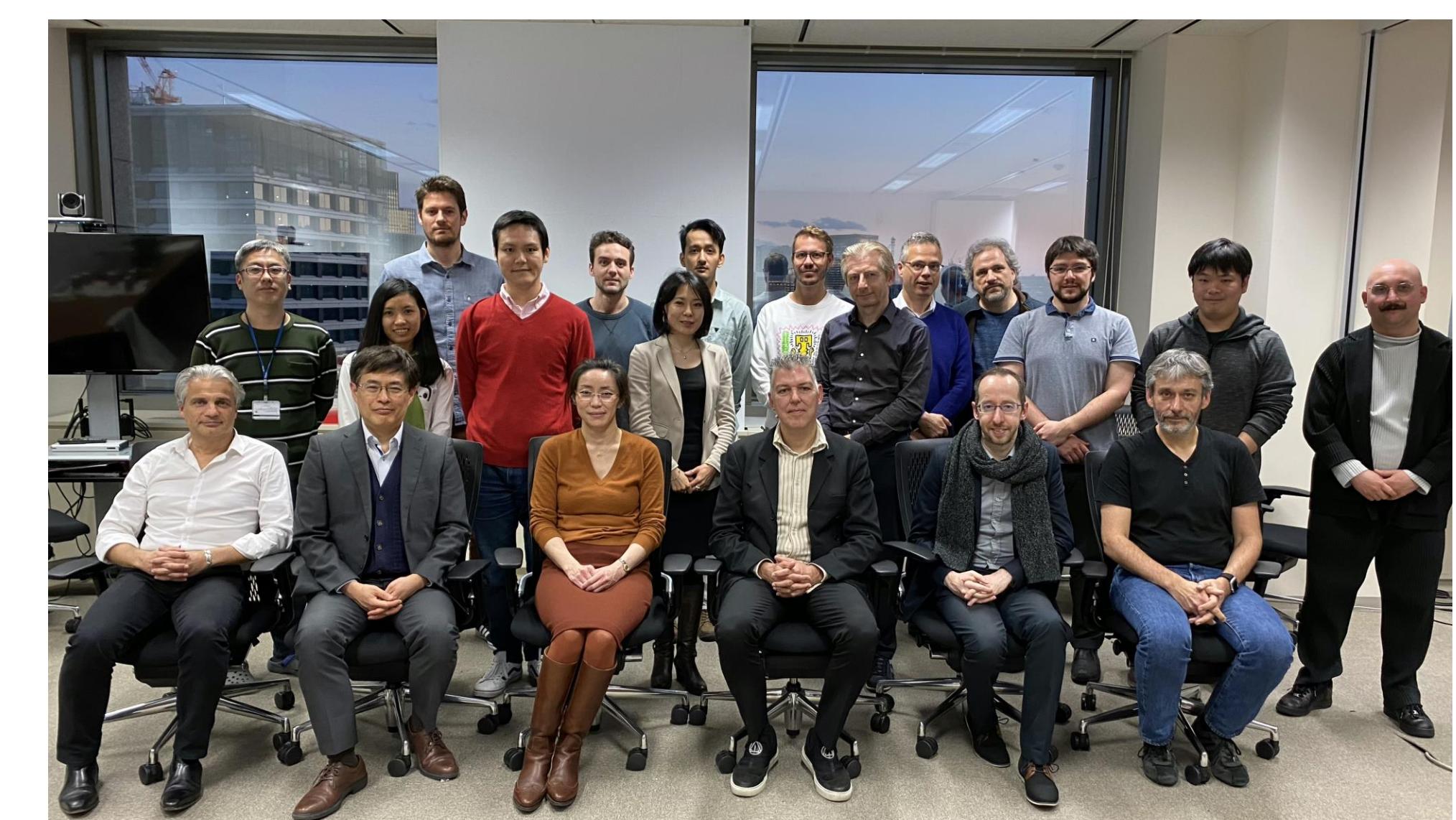
Software verification & validation, formal methods, semantics and category theory

Quantum Computing

Artificial Intelligence

Networks & Cybersecurity

Foundations of Informatics



JFLI Workshop on Next Generation Networking

held in Feb. 2020 (just before Covid lockdowns)

Researchers at JFLI:

- IRL FR-side Director: Philippe Codognet, Professor at Sorbonne Univ., CNRS delegation
- IRL JP-side Director: Kae Nemoto, Professor at NII & OIST
- 6 French researchers (2024-2025) :
 - 2 ass. profs. in CNRS research leave: F. Boudin, K. Piamrat
 - 1 Ph.D. (NII): A. Simon (supervisor: Prof. Karawabayashi)
 - 2 post-docs (JSPS, UTokyo): J. Poiroux, N. Michel
- 7 host professors @NII
- 8 host professors @University of Tokyo
- 2 host professors @Keio University
- 7 associate researchers: JFLI alumni in Japan

Some ongoing JP-FR collaborations :

- INRIA–NII Associated Team:
 - K. Piamrat (Nantes U) & K. Fukuda (NII) : “Resource Adaptation and Network Management for continuum computing Applications (RANMA)”
- JST ASPIRE funding :
 - Megumi Kaneko (NII, co-PI) & Alexandre Guitton (Clermont-Auvergne Univ.) & Lila Boukhatem (Paris-Saclay Univ.)
 - Kensuke Fukuda (NII, co-PI) & Patrice Abry (ENS Lyon/CNRS)
- NTCIR-19 Pilot Task – Organization Team:
 - Akiko Aizawa (NII), Florian Boudin (Nantes U)
- Joint Ph.D. students :
 - Co-supervisors: M. Kaneko & A. Guitton, K. Piamrat & K. Fukuda
- Internship students: 5 Master students from Nantes University



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