MARGRIT BETKE

Video-based Tracking for Human-Computer Interaction and Conservation Biology

Margrit Betke co-leads the Image and Video Computing Research Group at Boston University and is a Research Scientist at the Massachusetts General Hospital and Harvard Medical School. Dr. Betke will discuss her ideas on improving the status of women in computer science. She will also discuss the work that she and her students have done with artificial intelligence and webcams. Dr. Betke is an associate professor in the Computer Science Department at Boston University. She earned her Ph.D. degree in Computer Science and Electrical Engineering at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1995. Professor Betke has received the National Science Foundation Faculty Early Career Development Award in 2001 for developing "Video-based Interfaces for People with Severe Disabilities." She was one of two academic honorees of the "Top 10 Women to Watch in New England Award" in 2005.

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