HCII2025 Design Café
Human-AI Teaming fostering innovations
rooted in the Human/Humanity-Centered Design approach

Call for Participation

https://2025.hci.international/DesignCafe.html

Friday, 27 June 2025, 13:30 – 18:00 (in-person only)

22-27 June 2025
Gothia Towers Hotel and Swedish
Exhibition & Congress Centre,
Gothenburg, Sweden

HCI International 2025 (HCII2025), jointly with the affiliated Conferences, under the auspices of 21 distinguished international boards, held under one management and one registration, will take place at Gothia Towers Hotel and Swedish Exhibition & Congress Centre, Gothenburg, Sweden. The Conference's objective is to provide an international forum for the dissemination and exchange of up-to-date scientific information on theoretical, generic, and applied areas of Human-Computer Interaction.

The HCII2025 Design Café on "Human-AI Teaming"

The 'HCII Design Café' is an interactive satellite event to be held in person during the HCII2025 conference. The goal is to provide a forum for (re)thinking and discussing HCI issues in the context of broader topics relevant to society and the economy. Inspired by the 'World Café method' and following the successful HCII2023 Design Café, the HCII2025 Design Café is based on a proven valuable participatory scheme for engaging on a specific topic in a moderated small group setting, with interested stakeholders that come from different professions in related fields. The aim is to stimulate open dialogue, constructive deliberations, and informal but meaningful collaboration, to empower creativity and inspiration in a casual atmosphere, and to promote innovative approaches for transforming ideas into practice. The event will be of interest to academic and research experts, students from universities and design schools, professionals working in design or R&D departments in industry, government institutions, service providers, decision-makers, etc. A registration fee of $75 (inclusive of 25% VAT) is applicable for all participants. **As the number of seats is limited, applications will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.**

The HCII2025 Design Café topic is Human-AI-Teaming [HAT]. Rooted in the Human-/Humanity-Centered-Design approach, the HCII2025 Design Café will explore how HAT is developed in a human-centered way in accordance with the policies of the EU AI ACT. Three frameworks will guide the HAT discussion:

1. **The HCI Grand Challenge #6: Learning and Creativity**, in the White Paper "Seven HCI Grand Challenges". Its focus is to highlight the unique contributions of technology to learning and to discuss challenges and implications from the use of technology in learning.
2. **The UN Sustainable Development Goal (SDG)#9: Foster Innovation**, which focuses on industry, innovation and infrastructure to "Improve scientific research and expand the technological capacities of industrial sectors in all countries and significantly strengthen R&D (people, money)"
3. **The EU Artificial Intelligence Act (EU AI Act)** came into force on the 1st of August 2024 and is "the first comprehensive regulation on AI by a major regulator anywhere." It lays the foundations for the regulation of AI in the EU, providing key principles, such as those described in article 1 "Subject Matters" and in article 51 "Classification of General-Purpose AI Models as General-Purpose AI Models with Systemic Risk".

Interaction and discussion will be moderated in a face-to-face group setting with the goal of finding innovative approaches that can be transferred into practice. The results of the HCII2025 Design Café will be published.

Get more details and **register**
for the HCII2025 Design Café

Read the open-access article
"Seven HCI Grand Challenges"

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