

Cyber-Physical-Social Convergence in Smart Living: Challenges and Opportunities

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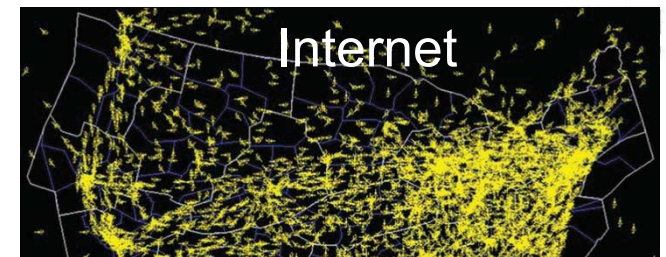
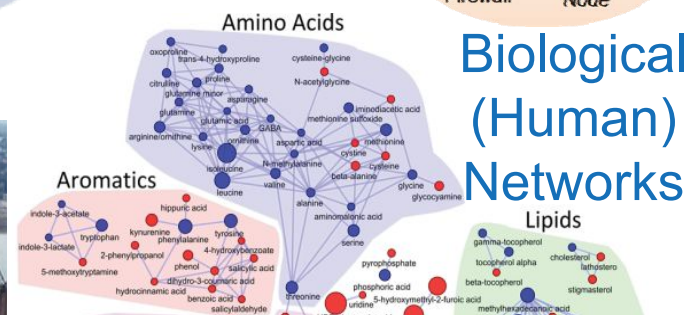
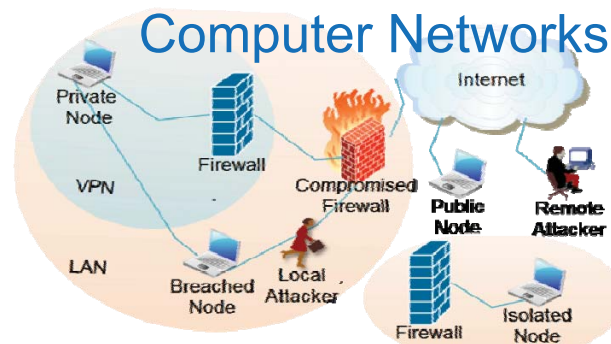
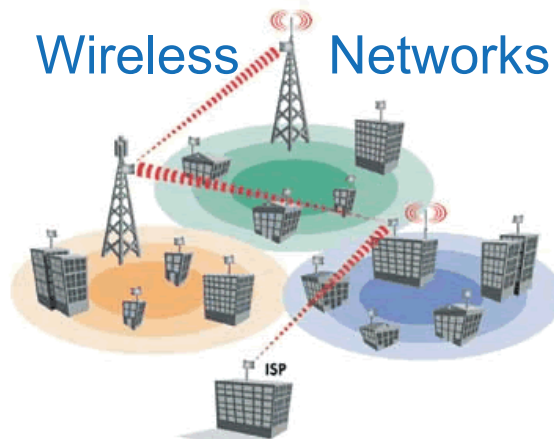
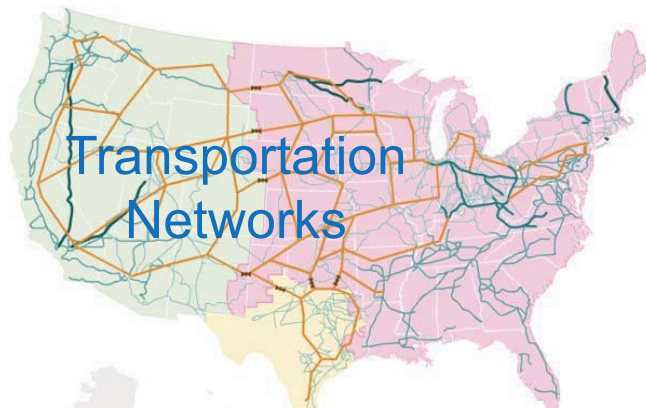
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We are Networked...



Motivation #1: We are Networked...



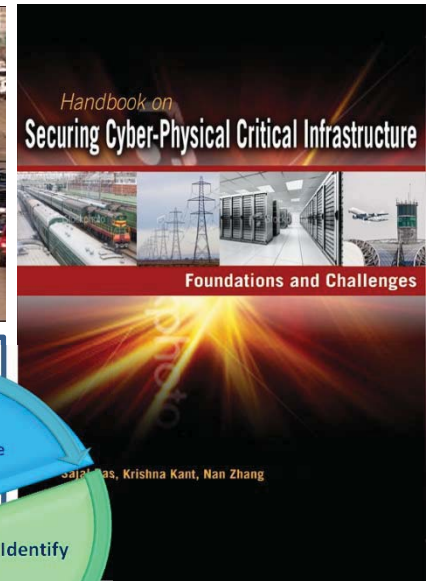
Characteristics: System of Systems, Complex, Large-scale, Heterogeneous

Challenges: Interdependency, Robustness, Cyber-Physical-Social, Big Data

Motivation #2: Societal (Global) Challenges

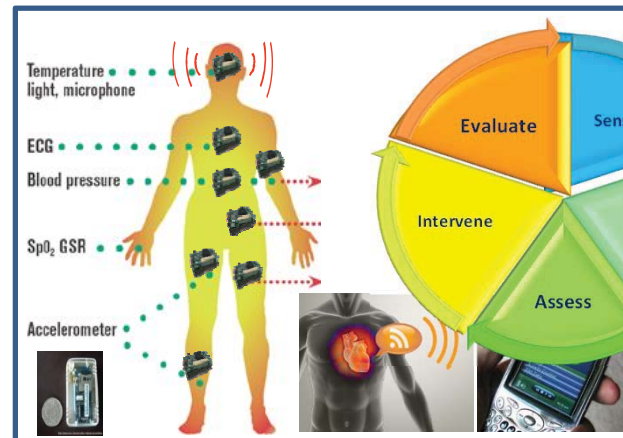
- Energy and Sustainability

Resource management
(energy, water, transportation)



- Security

Security and safety of people,
infrastructures, assets



- Healthcare

Smart and connected health,
wellness management

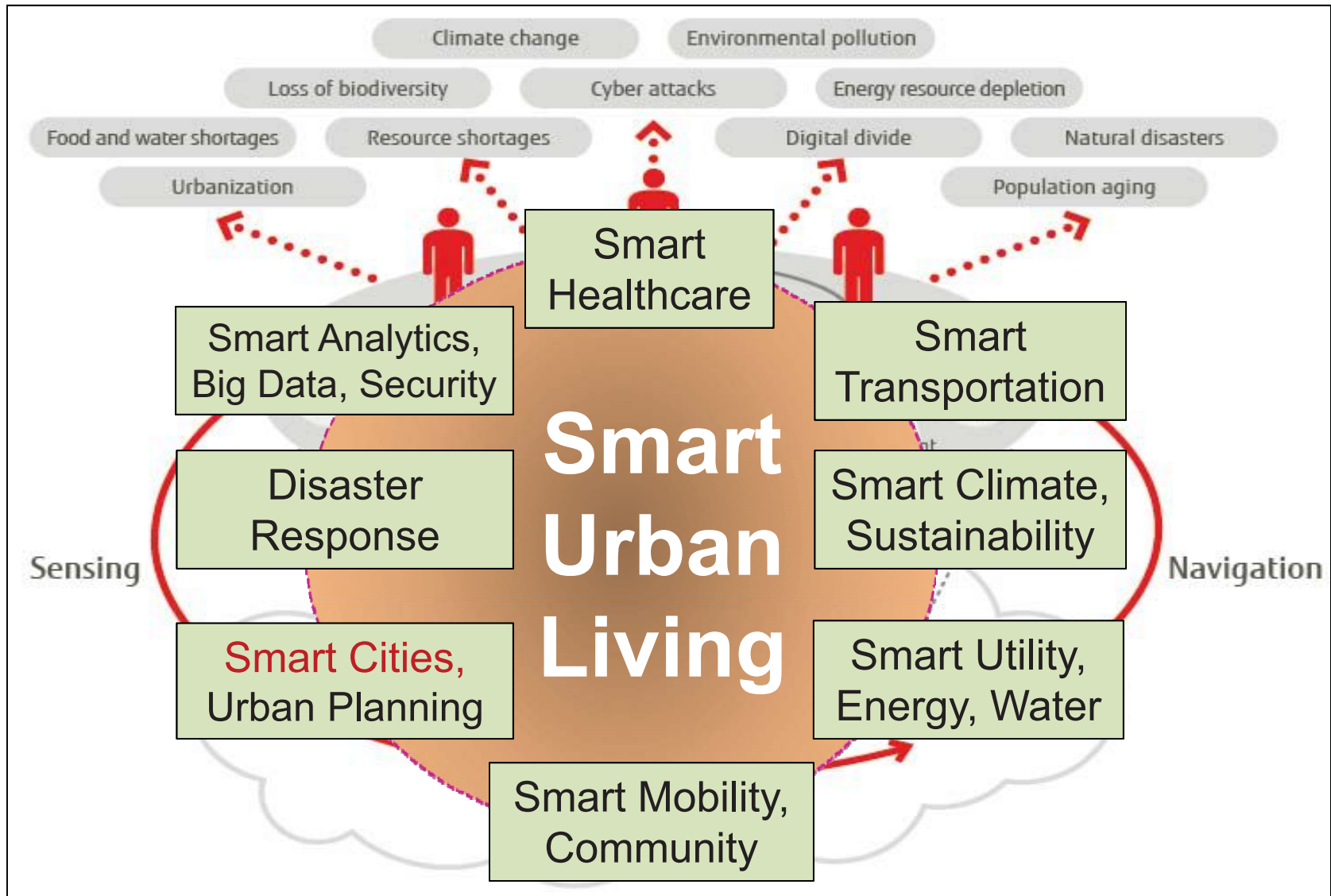
- Extreme Events Management

Natural and inflicted disasters,
Emergency response



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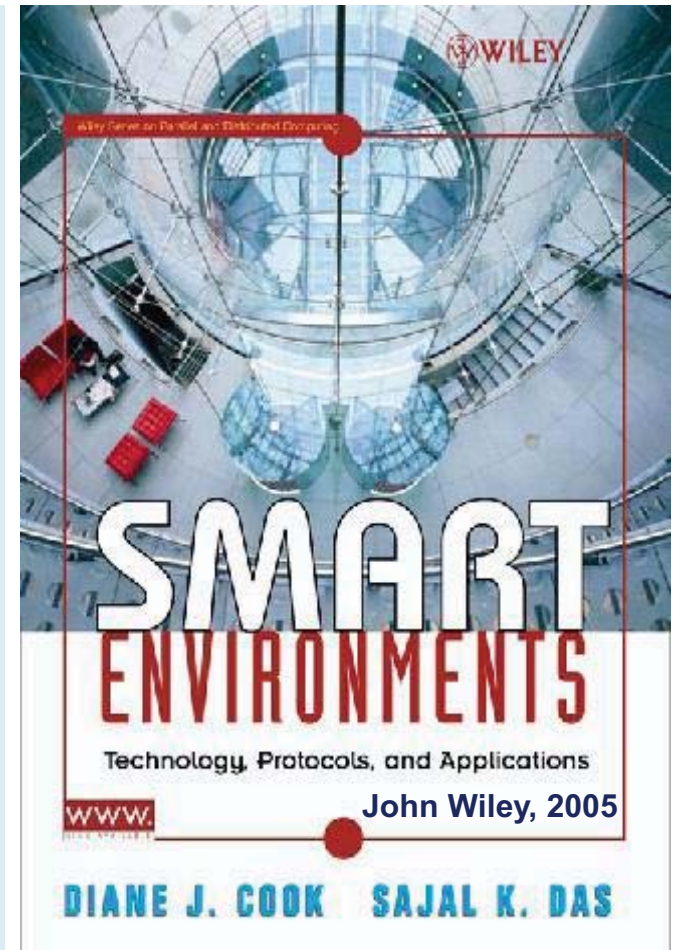
Smart Living: A New Frontier



What are the common invariants?

Experience and Historical Perspective

- 2001: NSF ITR-Medium project, *MAVHome: Designing Adaptive Versatile Smart Homes*
- 2003: ITR, *Pervasively Secure Infrastructures (PSI): Integrating Smart Sensing, Data Mining, Pervasive Networking, Community Computing*
- 2005: Wrote first book on *Smart Environments*
- 2006: Built *Smart Home* testbed @ UTA dorm
- 2008-2011: Program Director, NSF CISE/CNS
- 2012: NSF SCH project, *Crafting a Human-centric Environment Smart Healthcare*
- 2012: I-Corps, *Energy-Efficient Home (E2Home)*
- 2015: *Smart Analytics for Cognitive Healthcare*
- 2015: “Smart Living” – a signature area @ MST
- 2015: CPS projects – (Breakthrough) *Securing Smart Grid*; (Synergy) *Threat Assessment Tools for Human-coupled CPS Infrastructures*



A. Roy, S. K. Das, and K. Basu, “A Predictive Framework for Context-aware Resource Management in Smart Homes,” *IEEE Transactions on Mobile Computing*, 6(11): 1270-1283, 2007.

What is a Smart Environment?

- A **Smart Environment** is one that is able to autonomously *acquire* and *apply* knowledge about inhabitants and their surroundings (**environment**), and *adapt* to improve experience *without explicit awareness*

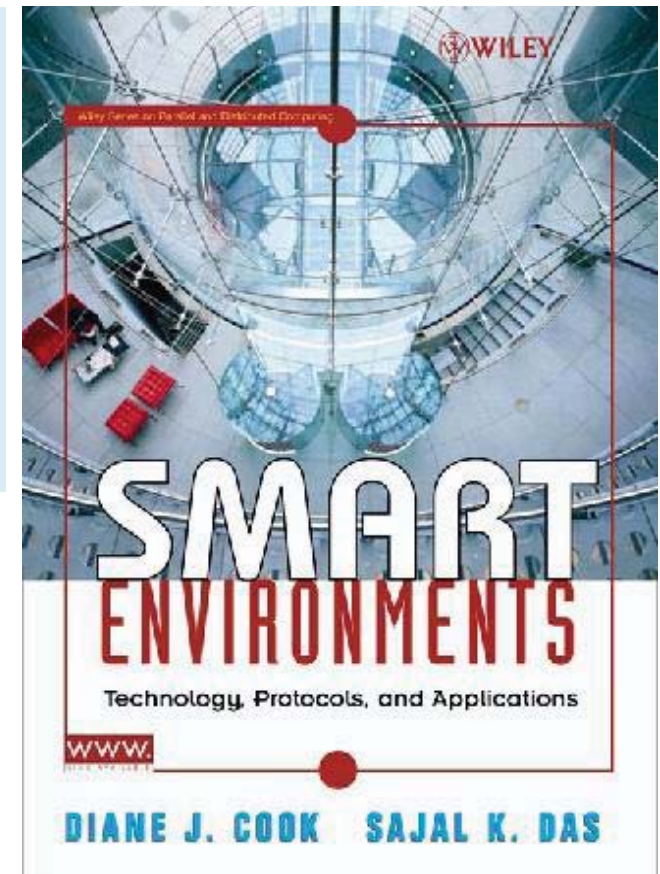
- **Corollary:** makes *intelligent decisions* in *automated, context-aware* manner

→ pervasive computing

- Context / Situation-awareness is the key

- **Example Contexts:**

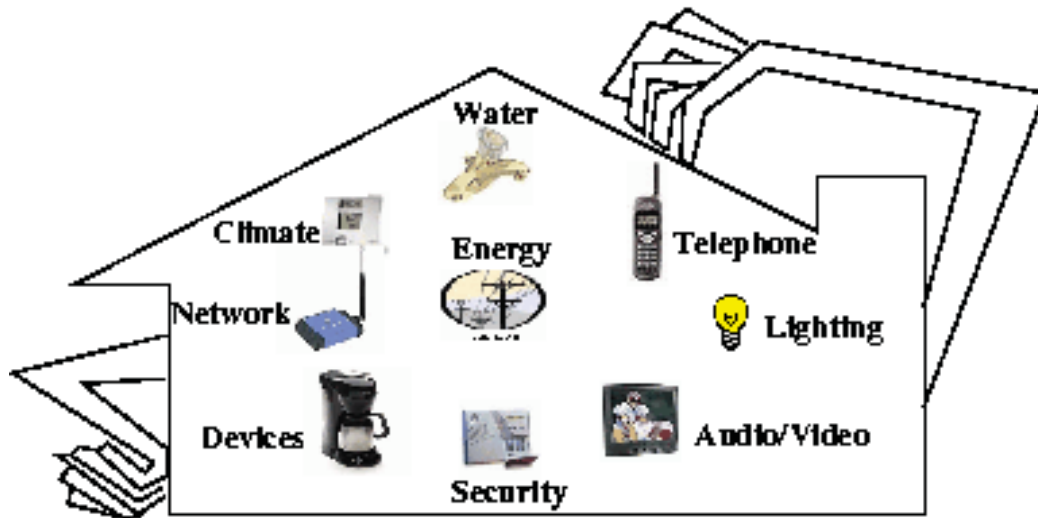
- Mobility, Activity, Occupancy, Preferences, ...
- Desire, Behavior, Mood, Emotions, ...



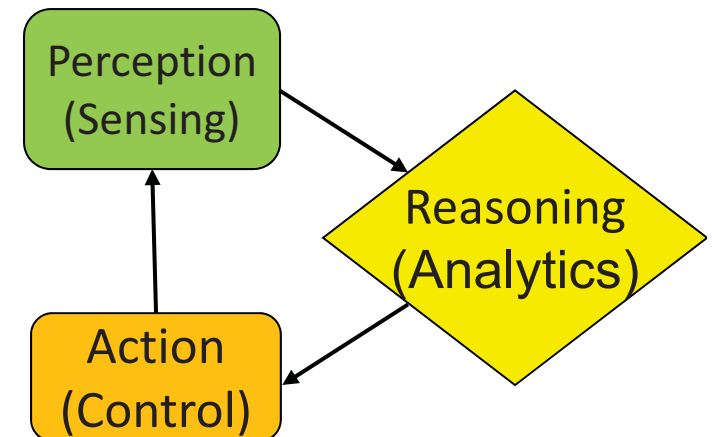
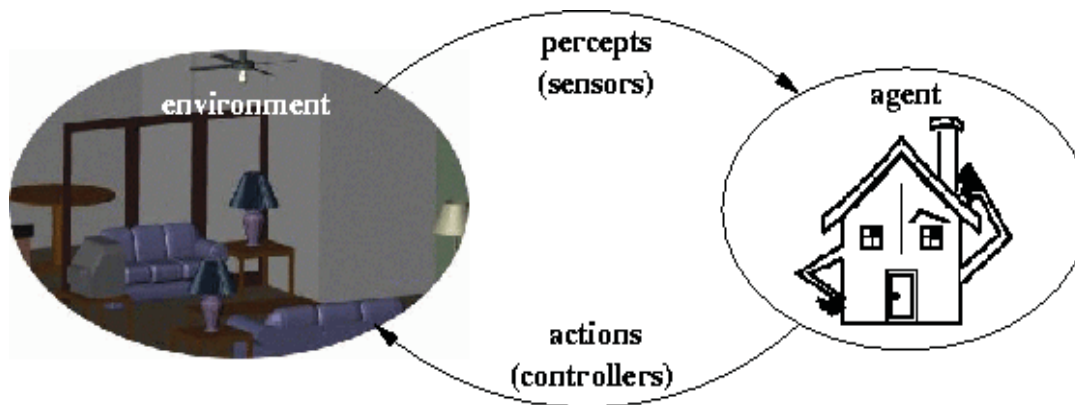
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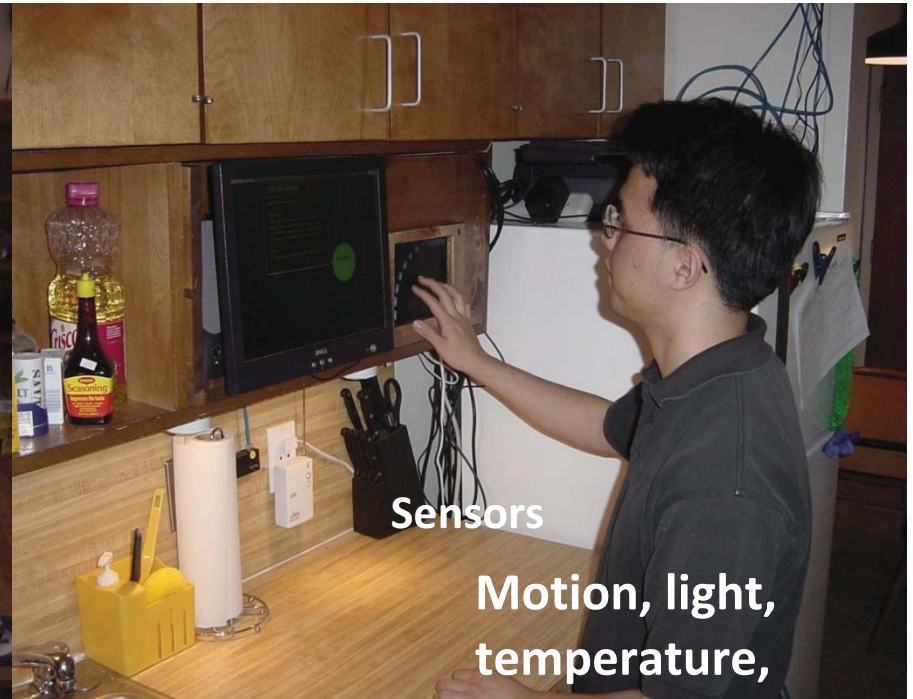
Smart Home as a Rational Agent



- *Perceives* the state of a home via *sensors* and *acts* on environment via *actuators* (controllers)
- *Reasons* about and adapts to inhabitants, predicts context and makes *intelligent decisions*



MavHome @ UT Arlington



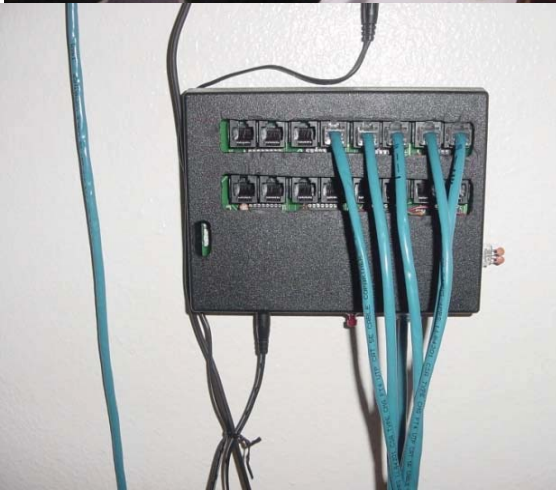
Sensors

Motion, light,
temperature,
humidity, door,
water leak,
smoke, CO2

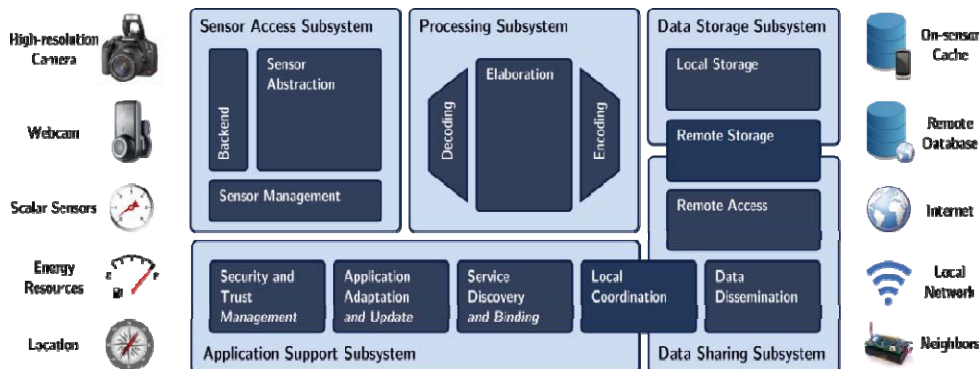


Controllers

Lights, fans, TV,
receiver, mini-
blinds, HVAC,
diffusers



Enabling Technologies



Software/Middleware Services

- Data to storage to computation to service
- Agent based technologies, J2ME
- Intelligent Decision Making
- M2M, HCI (voice, touch, GUI)

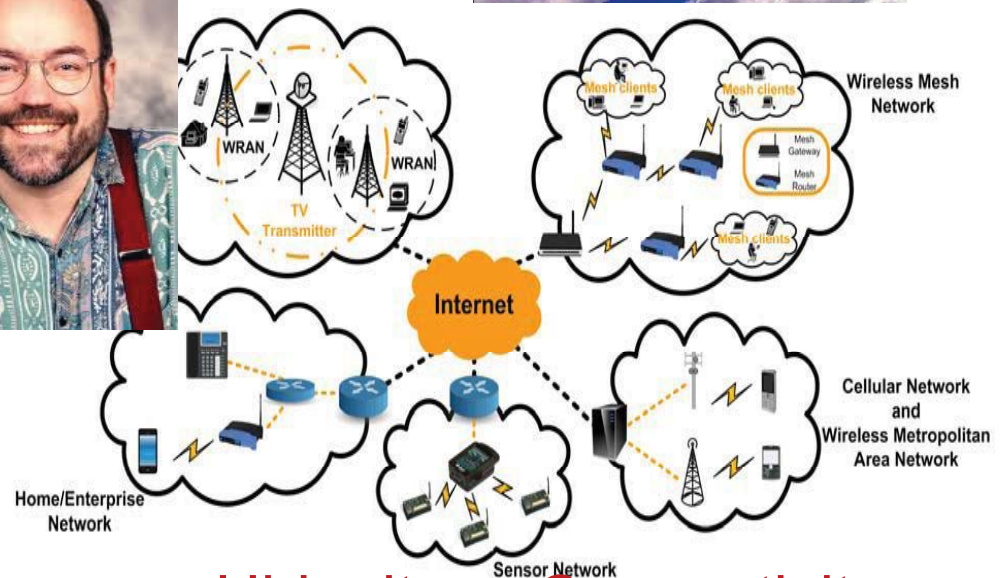


Ubiquitous / Pervasive Computing:

“The most profound technologies are those that disappear. They weave themselves into the fabric of everyday life until they’re indistinguishable from it.”
 [Mark Weiser, *Computing for the 21st Century*, *Scientific American*, 1991]



Smart Devices



Ubiquitous Connectivity

Smartphone: A Rich Sensing Platform

- By 2019, number of smartphones is expected to triple to 5.6 billion

<http://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2013/nov/11/number-smartphones-expected-triple-56-billion-2019/>



- **Plethora of Sensors**
 - temperature, light, humidity, motion, acceleration, GPS, ...
- **Multiple Wireless Interfaces**
 - WiFi, Bluetooth, long range cellular radio to connect to external sensors
- **Internet Access**
 - high-speed 3G/4G connection
- **Multimedia Sensing**
 - Audio, video, image, text

R. Fakoor, M. Raj, A. Nazi, M. Francesco, S. K. Das, "An Integrated Cloud-based Framework for Mobile Phone Sensing," *Proc. ACM SIGCOMM Workshop on Mobile Cloud Computing*, Helsinki, Aug 2012.

Cyber-Physical Systems (CPS)

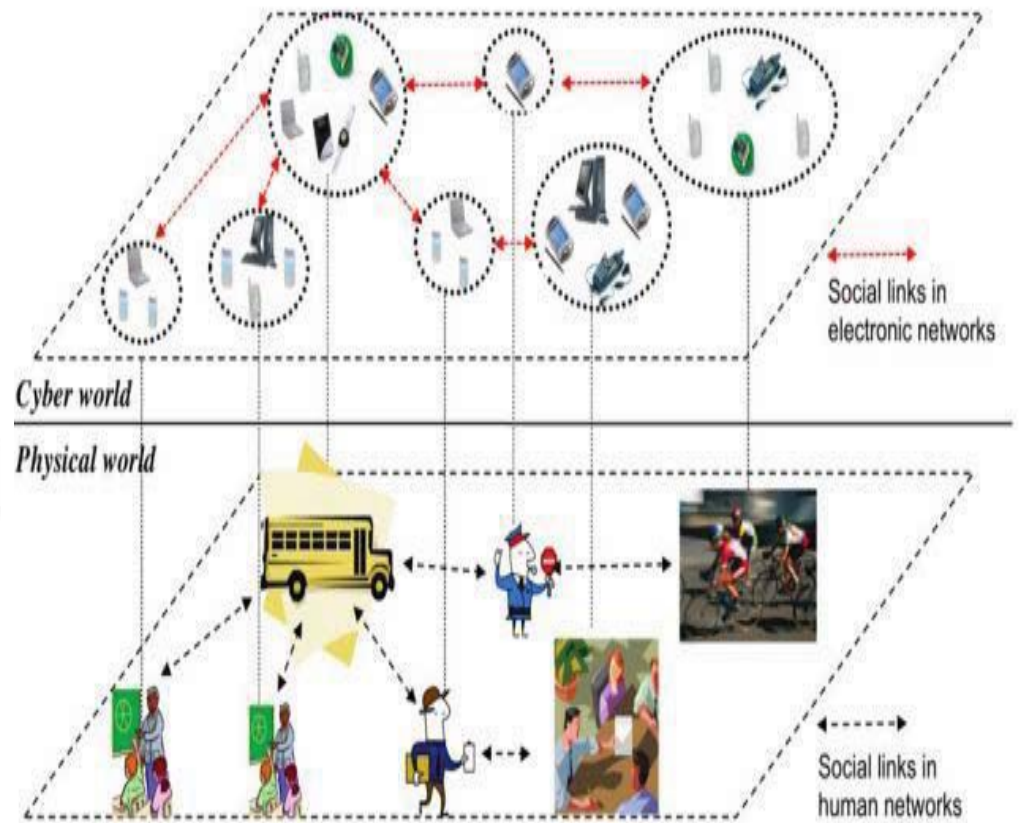
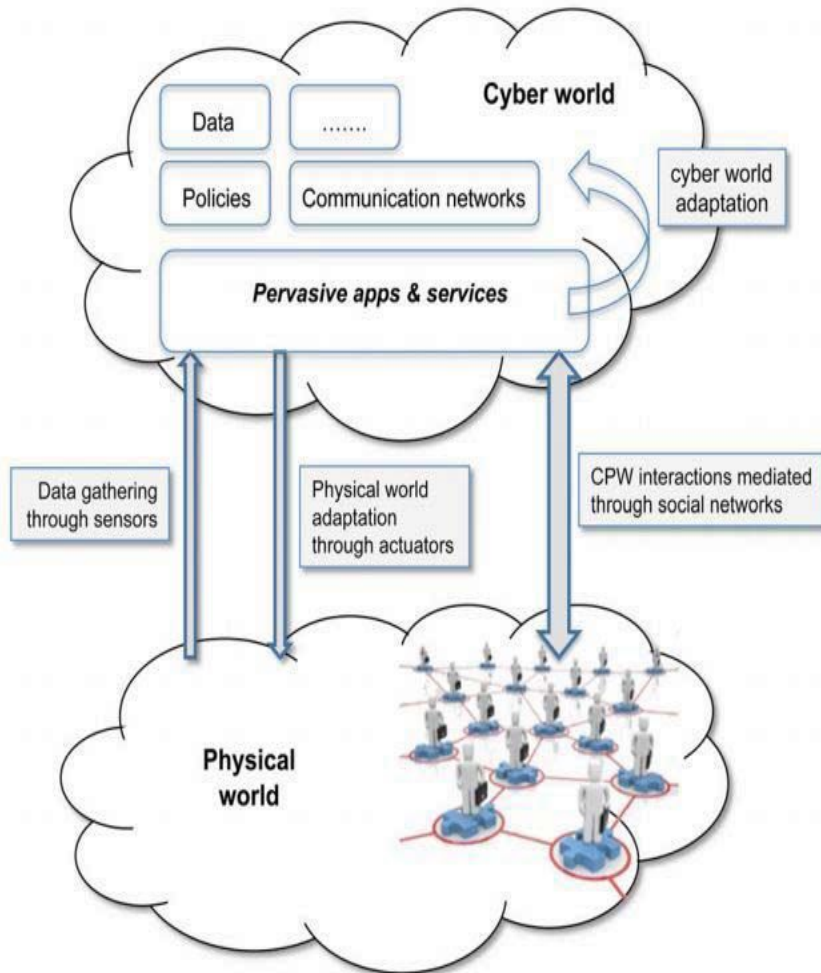
[NSF] CPS are natural or engineered systems that integrate sensing, communication, computing, and control



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Cyber-Physical-Social (CPS) Convergence

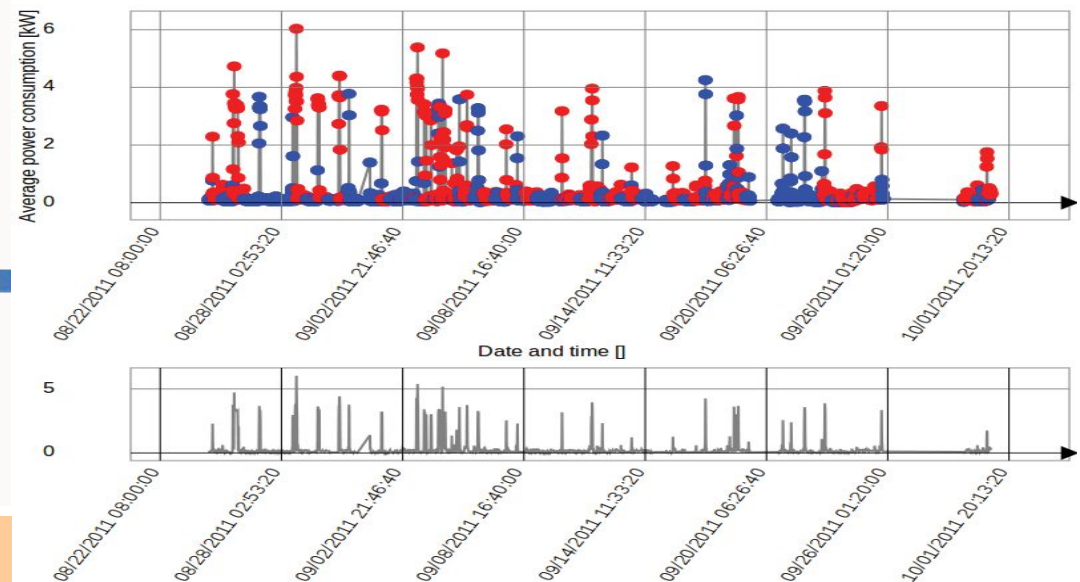
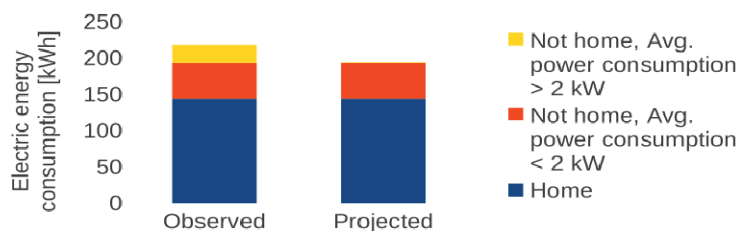
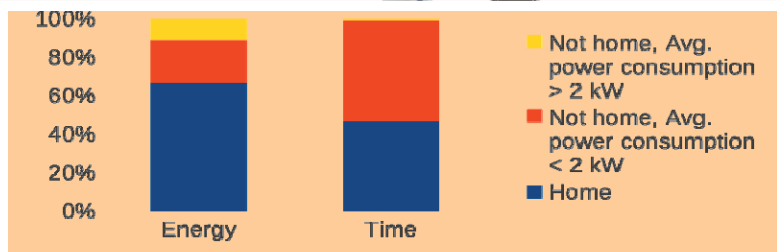
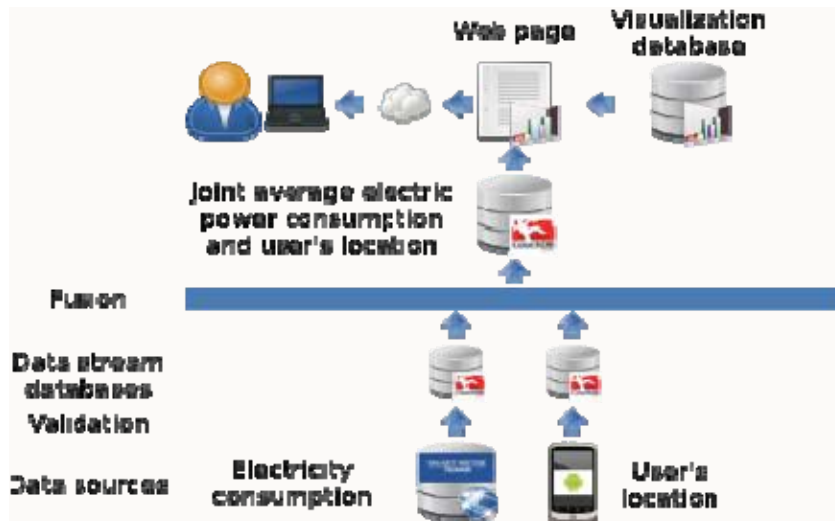
Integration of cyber-physical systems with human in the loop
(social / behavioral aspect – participatory sensing)



CPS (macro) → IoT (micro)

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E2Home: Energy-Efficient Homes (I-Corps)



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- G. Ghidini and S. K. Das, "Energy Efficient Homes (E2Home): A Web-based Application for Integrated Electricity Consumption from Contextual Information." *IEEE SmartGridComm* 2012. (Best Paper Award)
- A. De Paola, S. K. Das, et al. "Intelligent Management Systems for Energy Efficiency in Buildings: A Survey," *ACM Computing Surveys*, 47(1):13:1-13:38, June 2014.
- G. Ghidini, S. K. Das, and D. Pesch, "Sensor Network Protocols for Greener Smart Environments", Book Chapter, in *Design Technologies for Green and Sustainable Computing Systems*, P. P. Pande, A. Ganguly, K. Chakrabarty (eds.), Springer Verlag, May 2013.

Smart Health Care

NSF Smart Connected Health (SCH) Program Crafting a Human-Centric Environment to Support Human Health Needs, (2011 - 2015)

Aging World Population

- By 2040, 23% US population 65+
- 9% of adults aged 65+ and 50% of adults aged 85+ need assistance

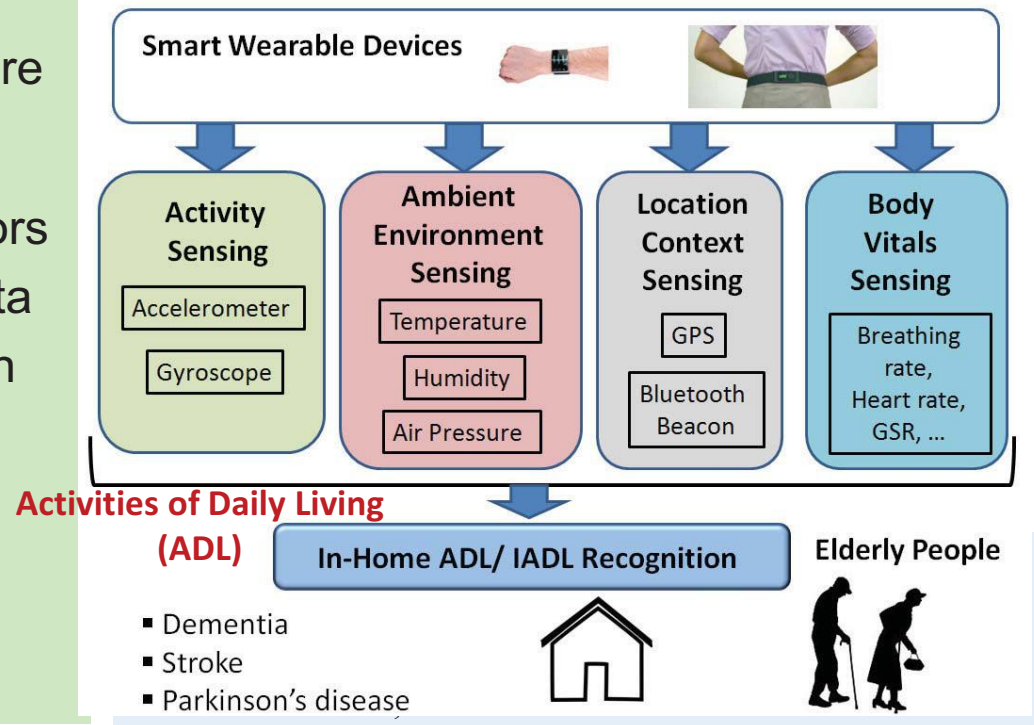
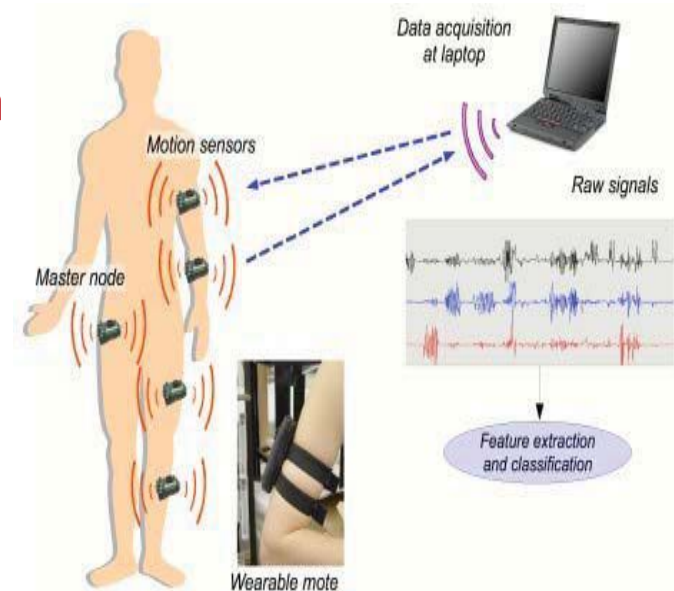
Goal: Automate and improve healthcare

Multi-modal Sensing Framework

- Monitor using heterogeneous sensors
- Fuse and process of multimodal data
- Efficient storage and fast notification

Implementation

- Case Study: Elderly fall detection
- Middleware, CouchDB server
- Validation using sensor test bed



Efficient, Quality-adaptive Framework

➤ Context

- Sample sensor streams to detect vital signs, activity (walking/sleeping), movement, behavior
- Optimize sampling rate for minimum accuracy

➤ Context aware multi-modal data fusion

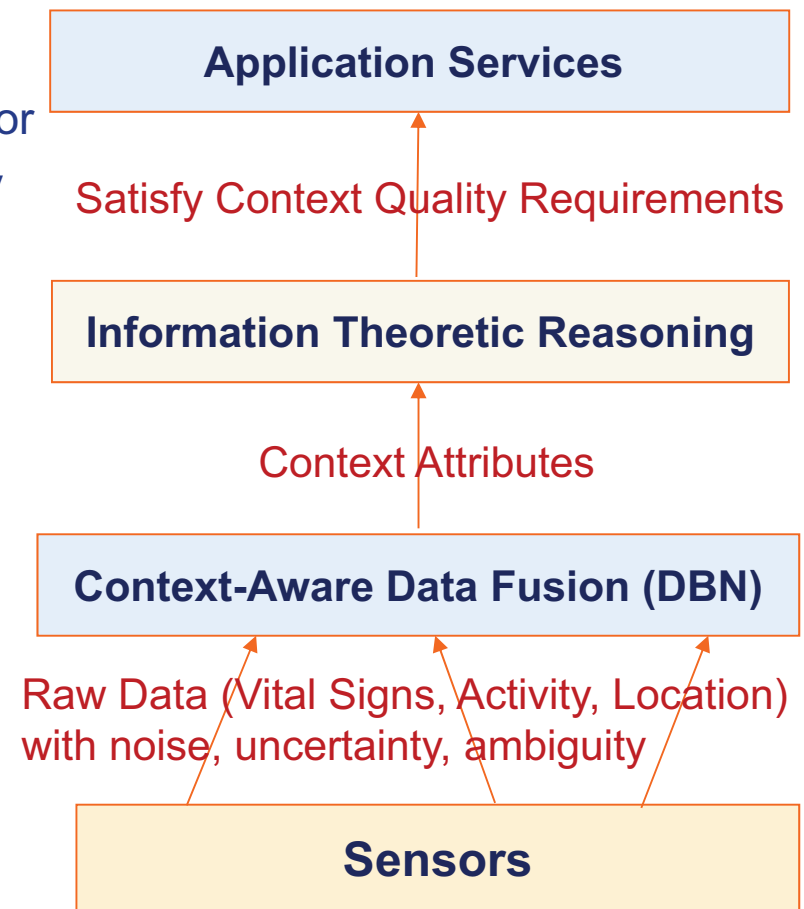
- Characterize uncertainty and ambiguity
- Dynamic Bayesian Network model

➤ Intelligent management of sensor information

- Information theoretic reasoning
- Optimal sensor parameter selection
- Ambiguity/error reduction in state estimation

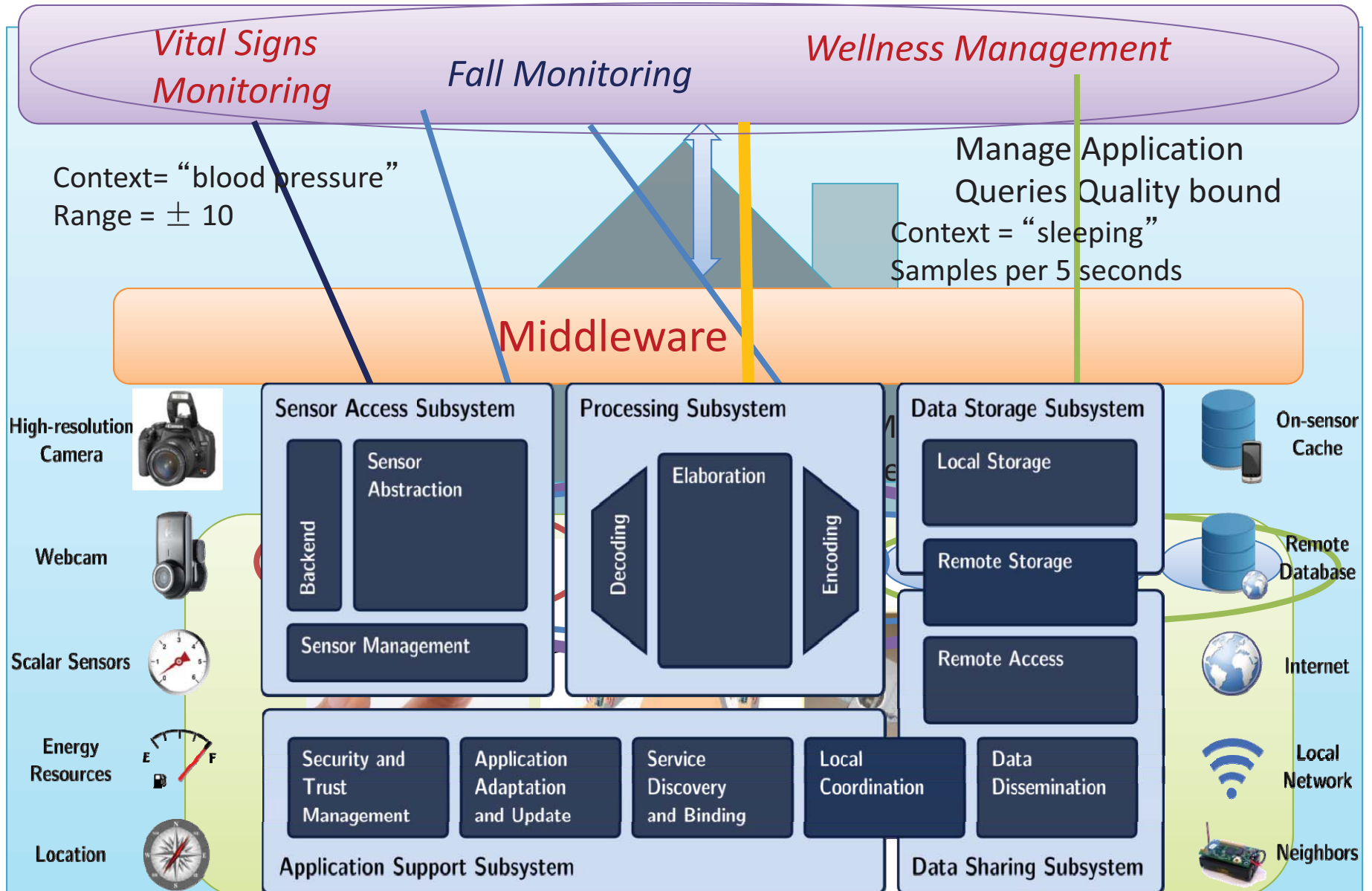
➤ Quality-aware context determination

Tradeoff: Context quality vs. cost (energy)



N. Roy, A. Misra, C. Julien, S. K. Das, "Energy-Efficient Quality-Adaptive Framework for Multi-Modal Sensor Context Recognition", *Proc. IEEE PerCom 2011*. (Best Paper Candidate). Extended version to appear in *IEEE/ACM Transactions on Networking*.

Smart Healthcare



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CPS Challenges in Smart Living (1)

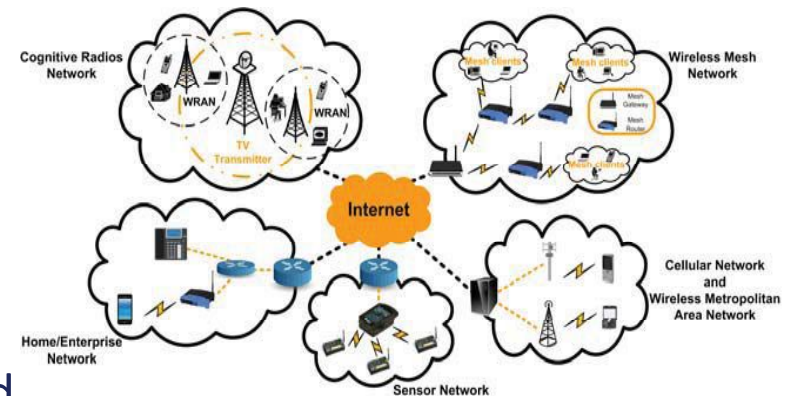
- **Dealing with Heterogeneity and Scale**

- How to manage co-existence and interoperability of diverse wireless, sensing and communication technologies and protocols?
- How to discover communications, computing and IoT services dynamically and at scale?



- **Dealing with Inherent Uncertainty**

- How to handle uncertainty at every level – sensing, wireless communications, mobility, topology control, routing, resource (e.g., energy) and service availability?
- How to design energy-efficient algorithms and protocols for sensing (data gathering, fusion, duty cycling, coverage) and control?
- How to cope with uncertainty, perturbation, and changing requirements for smart living?



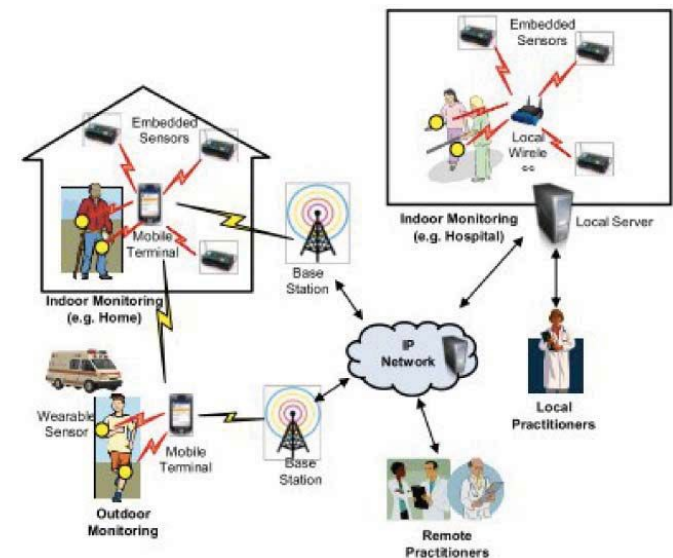
CPS Challenges in Smart Living (2)

- **Multimodal Fusion & Intelligent Decisions**

- What is the semantic model for multi-modal sensory information fusion and knowledge extraction for real-time decision making?
- How to unambiguously determine context and situation awareness despite uncertain, noisy and incomplete data / information?

- **Model Development**

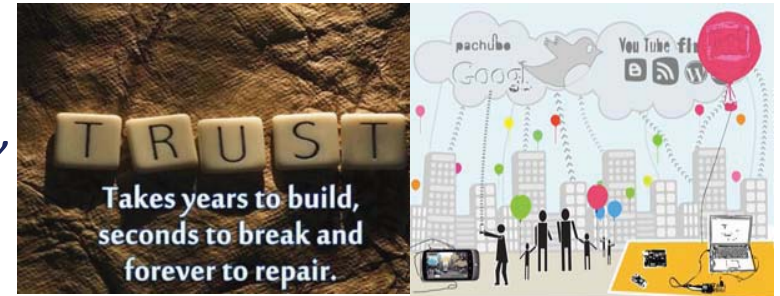
- What data-driven models are able to capture system dynamics, impact propagation and stability in the presence of uncertainty?
- What is the impact of resource limitations in wireless spectrum and energy?



CPS Challenges in Smart Living (3)

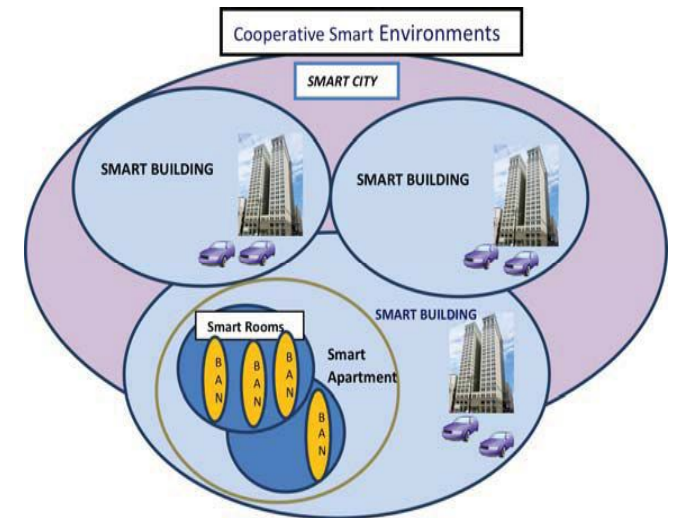
- **Robustness, Security, Trust and Privacy**

- How to trust sensed data (*participatory sensing, crowdsourcing*) to make robust decisions?
- How to guarantee information reliability?
- How to tackle adversarial / malicious behavior?
How to prevent cascade failures?
- How to find hidden correlation among seemingly unrelated events?

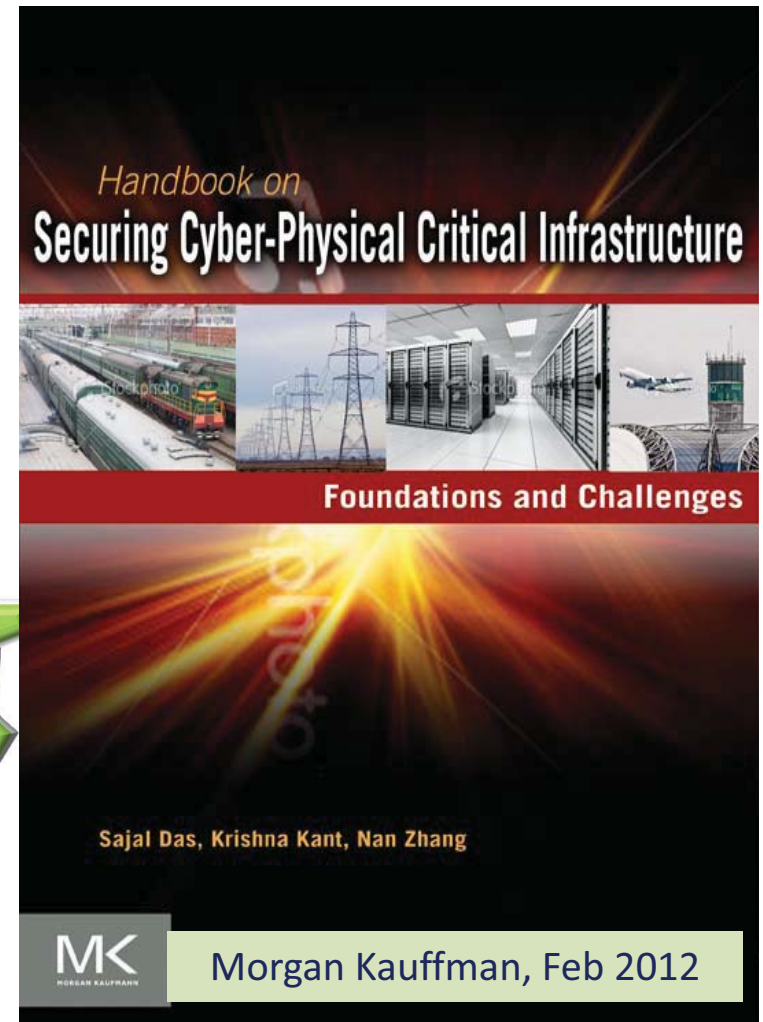
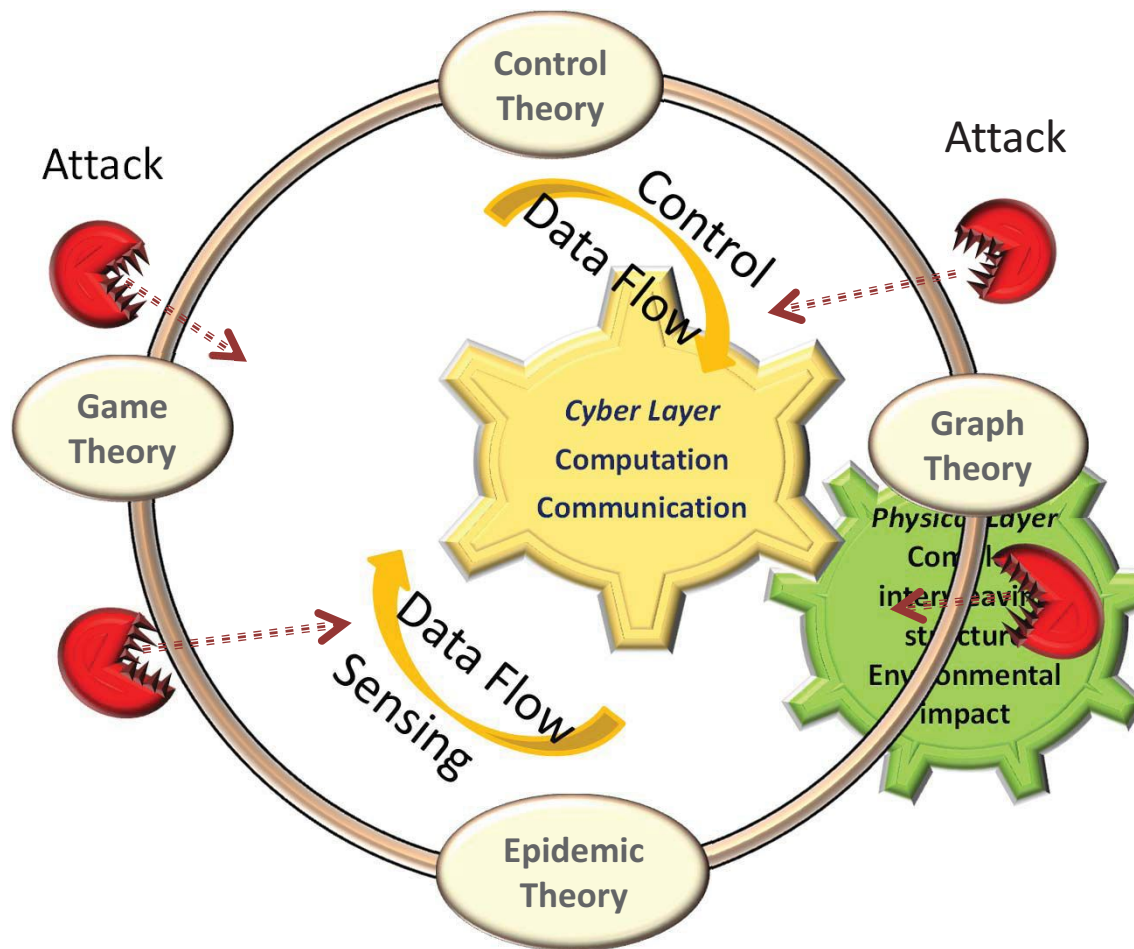


- **Complex Interdependency**

- How to model interdependency among various smart spaces impacting our daily lives? How to dynamically manage information for efficiency?
- How to manage Big Data analytics to build meaningful learning and predictive models?
- What are the impacts of social dynamics and human behavior on Smart Living?

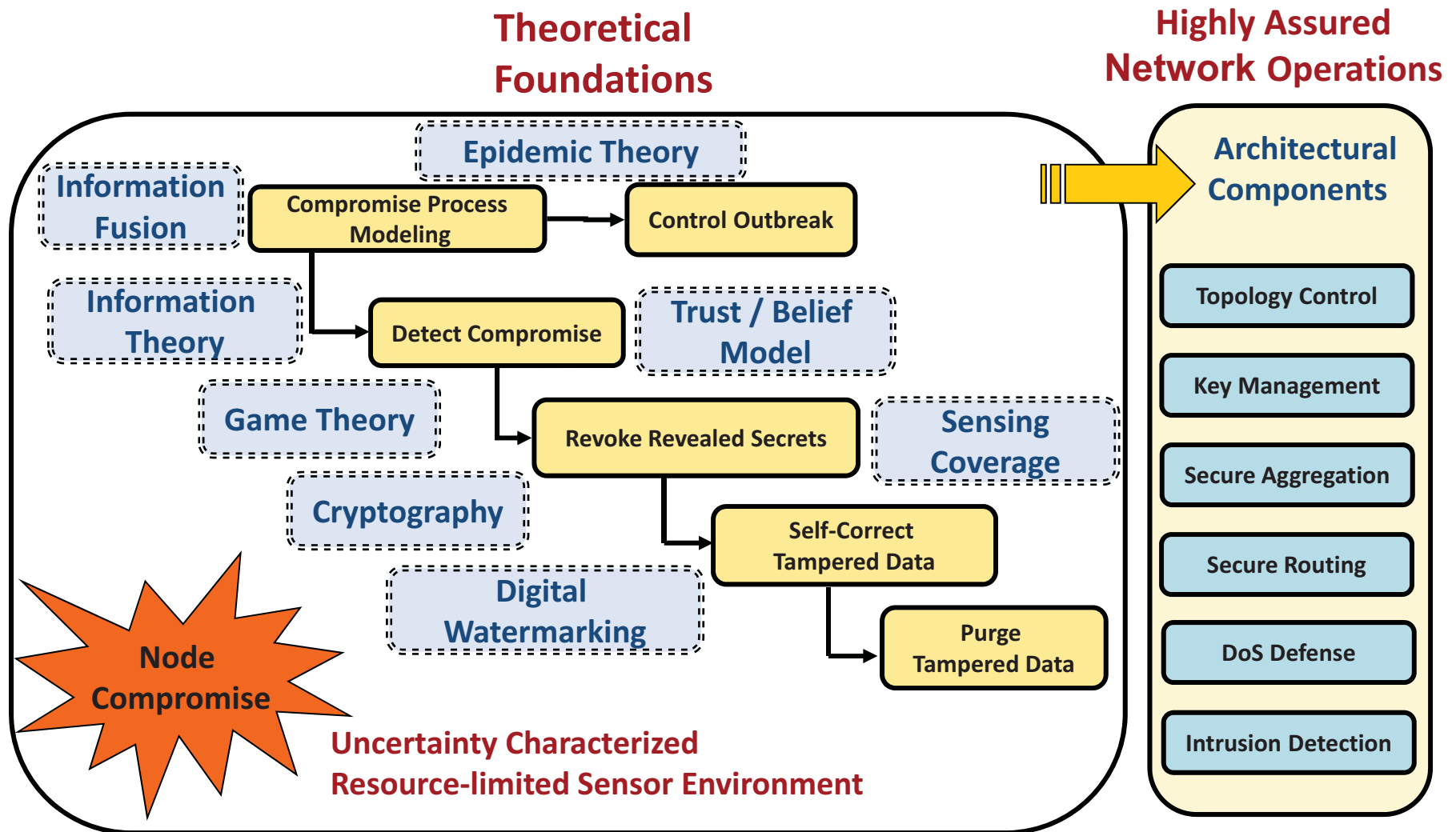


Foundations of CPS Security



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Multi-Level Security Framework



CPS: Breakthrough: Securing Smart Grid by Understanding Communications Infrastructure Dependencies

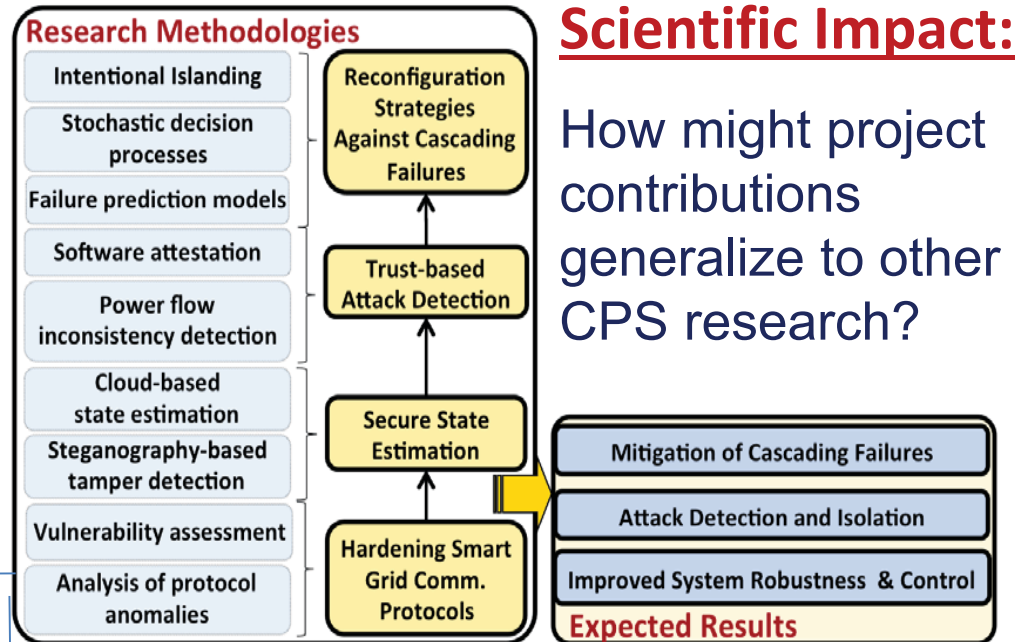
(NSF Project, Sept 1, 2015 – August 31, 2018)

Challenges:

- Characterize inter-dependence between Smart Grid and communication systems
- Robust state estimation and protocols
- Detect impacts (failures and attacks) and prevent cascades.
- Build models for attack mitigation.
- Validate with real test-bed.

Solution Methodologies:

- Substation Protocol hardening
- Steganography based robust state estimation
- Game theory and trust models for attack detection, failure spreading
- Situation-aware models for threat monitoring, analytics, decision control



Broader Impacts:

- Influencing the standards
- Multi-disciplinary security training in coupled CPS.
- Experiential learning in real-life micro-grid facility



Opportunity - Software Defined Infrastructure

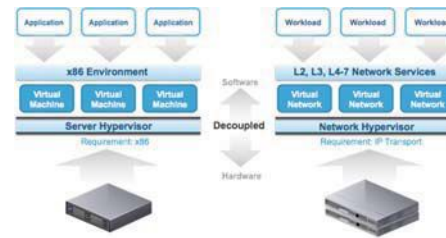
From SDR, SDN, Computer and Storage Virtualization



Software Defined Radio



Software Defined Network



Software Defined Virtualization



➡ To software defined Buildings, Roads, and Cities



Software Defined Buildings

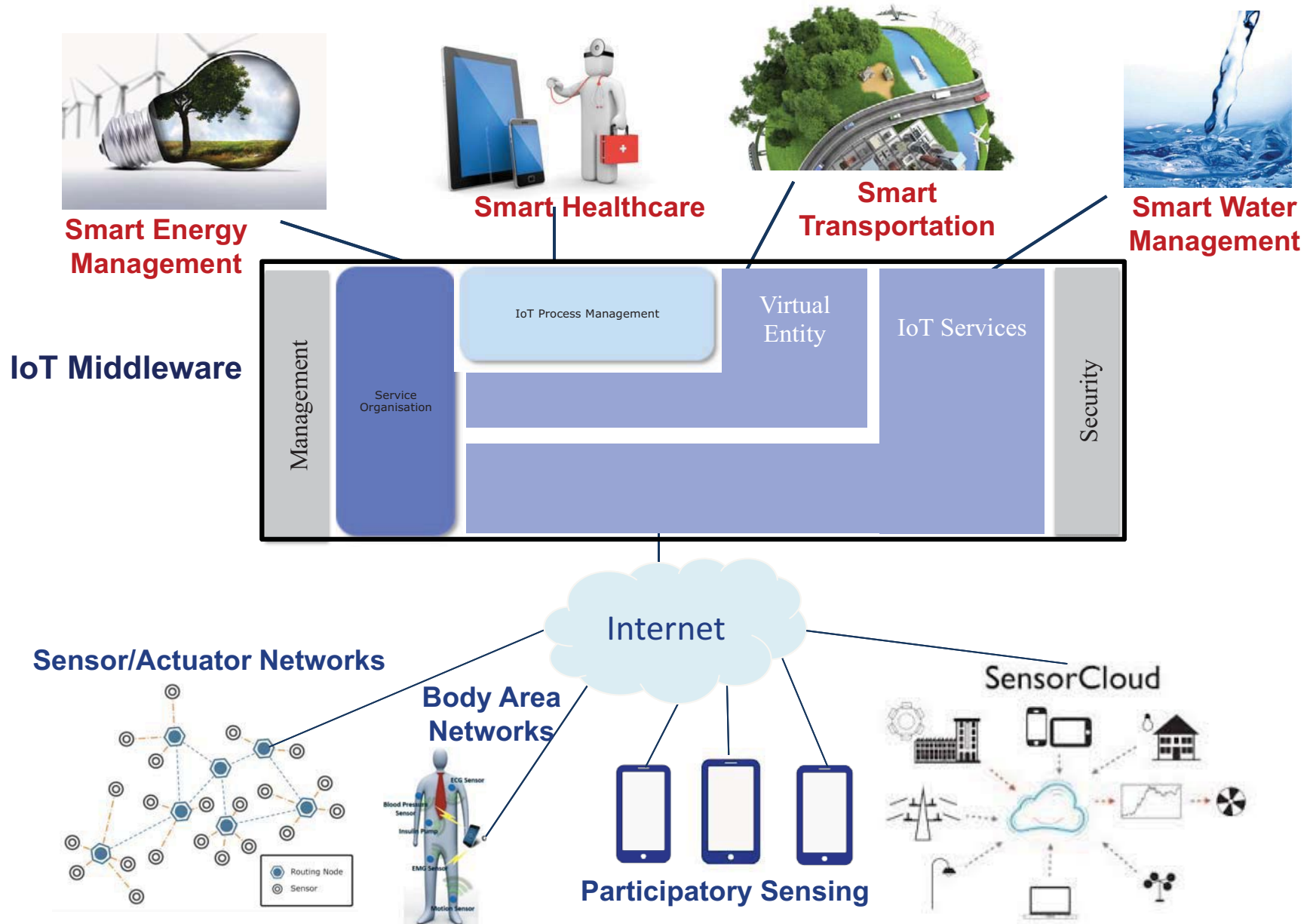


Software Defined Roads



Software Defined Cities

Opportunity - IoT Enables Smart Living



Smart Living is the Way to Go!

Uncertainty
Reasoning
Stochastic
Optimization
Dynamic
Control
Game Theory
Information
Theory
Spread
Dynamics



System Model
Resource
Management
Robustness
Security
Context
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