

Mark Your Calendar
7th of February, 2019



The 2017 Launch of the University of Agder's Centre for Artificial Intelligence Research (CAIR) on Campus Grimstad.

PROGRAM, 7th of February, 2019:

09.00 – 10.15:

- Launch House of CAIR by CAIR-Director, Prof. Ole-Christoffer Granmo
- 8-minute talks by distinguished AI researchers

Venue: Auditorium: A2 135

10.15 – 11.00:

Mingling, refreshments

Venue: Amphitheater

11.00 – 16.00:

Round table discussions future Artificial Intelligence research projects

Venue: To be decided



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INVITATION GRAND OPENING HOUSE OF CAIR

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Campus Grimstad

WELCOME TO THE GRAND OPENING OF THE HOUSE OF CAIR

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Taking the Lead

The University of Agder takes great pride in welcoming you to the inauguration of House of CAIR; a world-leading hub of talent pushing the frontiers of Artificial Intelligence research, ultimately becoming a significant part of the global, technological footprint.

”Europe should have more ambition in AI research

- It is not necessary for Europe to develop its own Facebook. You need funding for research, you need a good infrastructure for universities, large computational infrastructure that is accessible to researchers, you need industry support. But there could be that in Europe.

*Yann LeCun Chief Artificial Intelligence Scientist
at Facebook AI Research*

HOUSE of CAIR – A Computational Powerhouse

09.00 – 10.15:

Joined by ten highly acclaimed AI researchers from around the world, CAIR-director, prof. Ole-Christoffer Granmo presents *House of CAIR*, *CAIR ARENA*, and *CAIR EDUCATION*, three components of a pioneering effort to create a world-leading AI community on the Grimstad campus.

CAIR ARENA – Supporting Value Creation and Innovation

Supporting value creation and innovation in the private and public sectors, we're launching CAIR Arena; a parallel track in our new House of CAIR, proposing three levels of collaboration.

- **Bronze partner:** Share data and cases, deliver bachelor and master projects.
- **Silver partner:** Conduct groundbreaking research, fund industrial PhDs, take the lead by advancing the research frontier.
- **Gold partner:** Get full access and ownership to House of CAIR's computational infrastructure. [Terms and conditions for Gold partners negotiated on a case-by-case basis]

CAIR EDUCATION – Enhancing AI Competence

Hosted by the ICT department, our first 5-year specialization track in Artificial Intelligence (master's program) is currently under construction. Collaborating with the Mechatronics Innovation Lab, we'll offer courses and certificates available to companies and organizations.