Information Visualization of NSWC Crane Innovation Ecosystem as part of Naval Science and Technology

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Evolution of the Crane Innovation Ecosystem



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In *Phase I*, publication and funding data will be used in <u>Study 1</u>. In *Phase II*, patent data will be added to support <u>Study 2</u>; course and degree data as well as job advertisement data will be used in support of <u>Study 3</u>.

This talk presents results from <u>Study 1</u> that

- 1. conducted a user needs analysis to identify areas of strategic interest to CRANE as well as analyses and visualizations that best support strategic decision making and
- 2. developed methods for the identification of leading experts and potential collaborators in relevant research areas, analyzing investments by other funding organizations, and tracing the development of emerging research areas.

Stakeholder Needs Analysis



The design of easy-to read and actionable data visualizations requires a **deep understanding of target stakeholder's needs and expertise**. An expert survey was performed to identify stakeholder types, demographics, task types, insight needs, work contexts, and priorities.

Surveyed 11 experts to understand

- how they make strategic decisions
- which data analyses and visualizations would be most beneficial

Overall, participants were quite comfortable with a variety of visualization types.

- 11 expressed familiarity with graphs and maps
- 10 expressed familiarity with tree diagrams
- 8 expressed familiarity with network diagrams
- 4 have taken a seminar, course, or training session in visualization.

Expert Survey Results cont.

Understanding **static visualizations** around the topic "**Hypersonic**" including

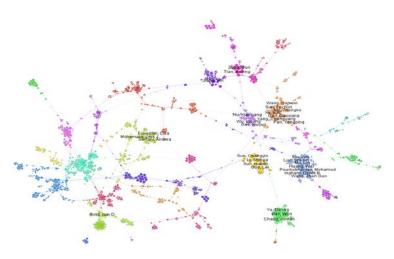
- 1. # papers per year (rated most useful by 1)
- top-10 most frequently acknowledged organizations that fund "hypersonic" research. (rated most useful by 7)
- 3. Co-author network (rated most useful by 2)

One participant responded that all were equally useful in different ways but were each not as useful on their own.









Expert Survey Results cont.



Understanding **interactive visualizations** around the topic "Hypersonic" including

- 1. co-authorship geospatial visualization (rated most useful by 6)
- 2. co-authorship network visualization (rated most useful by 3)
- 3. science map visualization (rated most useful by 2)

Other comments:

- Fig 1 allows me to 'quickly see where and with whom, researchers are interacting. I can find related researchers and research quickly, specifically groups that I'm unaware of.'
- In Fig 2, it would help to '**focus on influential authors** which could then lead to other insights such as geospatial or topic maps.'
- Fig 3, the science map is good for 'target growth & engagement of complementary expertise already internal to Crane. Co-author network is best to 'identify insertion points for new areas of R&D engagement.'

Several expressed the desire to **modify the time frame** represented in these visualizations. Note that interactive visualizations are planned for Phase II of this project.

Expert Survey cont.



Topical Interests

Topic Area	Number of Experts that Expressed Interest
Advanced electronics	10
Artificial intelligence	10
Sensors and sensor fusion	9
Internet of things	4
Human systems integration	4
Robotics	3
System of systems test and evaluation	3
Power and energy management	2

Other strategic areas included: Atmospheric models, adversary technology progression, quantum sensing, quantum computing, cybersecurity (2), hypersonics (5), energy, MOOC-based systems engineering, signal processing, hardware assurance, radiation-material interactions, model-based systems engineering, quantum science (2), Photonics, Synthetic Biology, Biomimicry, Trusted & assured microelectronics, Trusted & assured quantum electronics.

Picking Key Topics



Given that Study 1 focuses on the usage of **funding** and **publication** data, below Table also shows the number of NSF awards and publications for the top-ranked topics. For many areas, no or few funding awards and publications exist.

Торіс	#Experts that expressed interest	#NSF Funding awards active in 1998-2017	WOS Publications
Advanced electronics	10	122	
Artificial intelligence	10	1,075	6,533
Sensors and sensor fusion	9	145	
Internet of things	4	349	4,898
Human systems integration	4	0	
Robotics	3	3,075	13,152
System of systems test and evaluation	3	4	
Power and energy management	2	0	

Picking Key Topics cont.



Recent publications on the importance of **Artificial Intelligence**, **Internet of Things**, and **Robotics** for global defense and security:

- "As the world deals with changes brought about by emerging technologies such as robotics, rapid manufacturing, autonomous vehicles, artificial intelligence, and at the same time struggles with cybersecurity and biosecurity, the nation's defense and security agencies are perhaps moving even faster to understand what these new technologies will mean in the future" (Tally, 2016).
- Artificial Intelligence, IoT, and Robotics were named top technologies in 2018 with strong arguments and examples of how these technologies will drive digital innovation and completely transform business models (Matthieu, 2017; Pascu, 2018).
- AI and Robotics will have a major impact on the future of work and it is of utmost importance that businesses prepare for these transformational changes.

Thus, **Artificial Intelligence**, **Internet of Things**, and **Robotics** were selected for detailed analysis is in Phase I of this project.

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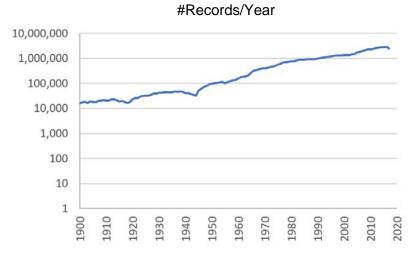
Publications

Clarivate (formerly Thomson Reuters) Web of Science XML raw data (Web of Knowledge version 5.4) was acquired by the IUNI Science of Science Hub. The number of total publications is 69M and there are more than 1B citation links from 1900 through 2017. Most publications have title, abstract, keyword information that can be used for text mining. Publications have a publication year and author data. The ER diagram and data dictionary can be found at http://iuni.iu.edu/resources/web-of-science.

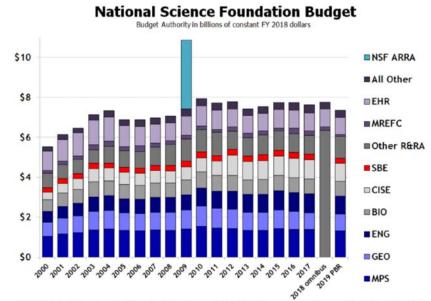
Funding

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Web of Science Publication Data



NOTE: Directorate-level spending figures for FY 2018 are not yet available. Congress does not appropriate by directorate in the omnibus. Source: Historical NSF budget data and the FY 2018 omnibus. FY 2019 is the request. © 2018 AAAS

Top-Funded AI Awards, Active in 1998-2017

Title	NSF Org.	Start Date	Principal Investigator	Organization	Program Manager	End Date	Awarded Amount To Date
BEACON: An NSF Center for the Study of Evolution in Action	DBI	8/1/2010	Erik Goodman	Michigan State University	George W. Gilchrist	7/31/2021	\$43,035,209
Center for Research in Cognitive Science	BCS	2/1/1991	Aravind Joshi	University of Pennsylvania	Cecile Mckee	7/31/2002	\$20,878,702
Spatial Intelligence and Learning Center (SILC)	SMA	10/1/2011	Nora Newcombe	Temple University	Soo-Siang Lim	9/30/2018	\$18,306,816
System Engineering Risk Reduction	CNS	1/1/2008	Brig 'Chip' Elliott	Raytheon BBN Technologies Corp.	Joseph Lyles	12/31/2012	\$14,058,434
RII: Enhancing Alabama's Research Capacity in Nano/Bio Science and Sensors	EPS	9/1/2011	Mahesh Hosur	Tuskegee University	Uma D Venkateswaran	8/31/2017	\$11,332,243
Collaborative Research: Computational Sustainability: Computational Methods for a Sustainable Environment, Economy, and Society		8/15/2008	Carla Gomes	Cornell University	Ralph Wachter	7/31/2016	5 \$7,939,359
RII: Enhancing Alabama's Research Capacity in Nano/Bio Science and Sensors	EPS	9/1/2008	Mahesh Hosur	Alabama A&M University	Kelvin Chu	10/31/2012	\$6,000,000
MRI-R2: Development of Common Platform for Unifying Humanoids Researcl	CNS า	7/1/2010	Youngmoo Kim	Drexel University	Rita V. Rodriguez	9/30/2015	\$5,999,997
PIRE: International Program for the Advancement of Neurotechnology (IPAN)	OISE	11/1/2015	Euisik Yoon	University of Michigan Ann Arbor	Cassandra M. Dudka	10/31/2020	\$5,000,000
Digital Government: COPLINK Center: Information and Knowledge Management for Law Enforcement	IIS	7/1/2000	Hsinchun Chen	University of Arizona	Lawrence Brandt	9/30/2006	\$3,579,649

Data Preprocessing

All unique **WOS** *Author Keywords* specific to the three topic areas were identified and used to identify relevant terms for NSF funding awards.

Specifically, characters like [] { } " were removed, then MaxMatch was applied to NSF titles and abstracts.

MaxMatch performs word segmentation to improve precision. The algorithm first computes the maximum number of words in the lexical resource (here NSF award titles and abstracts); it then matches long terms first before matching shorter terms. Thus, given text 'Artificial Intelligence' and 'Intelligence' in a set of relevant terms, and 'Artificial Intelligence' in the title and/or abstract of an award, the algorithm returns 'Artificial Intelligence' accounting for oversampling of popular, short terms.

Wong P-K, Chan C (1996) Chinese word segmentation based on maximum matching and word binding force. *Proc 16th Conf Comput Linguist* 1:200–203.

Algorithm Comparison Results

Algorithm Name	Average Precision	Average Recall	Average F ₁
ExactMatch	0.419	0.731	0.514
MaxMatch	0.704	0.705	0.686
NgramMatch	0.177	0.250	0.194
StanfordNER	0.473	0.487	0.467
StanfordLLDA3	0.333	0.042	0.073
StandfordILLDA5	0.200	0.042	0.068



WOS-Top Organizations and Funding: AI



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WOS-Top Organizations and Funding: Robotics

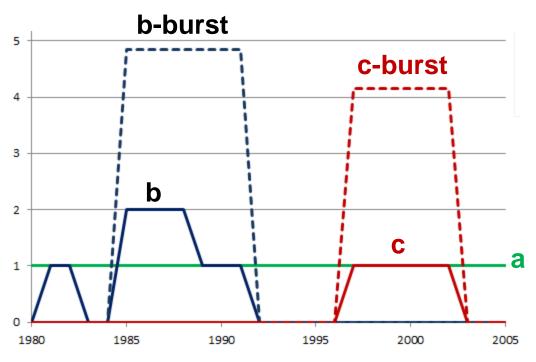
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Burst Analysis & Visualization

1	А	В
1	Year	Words
2	1980	a
3	1981	a b
4	1982	a b
5	1983	а
6	1984	a
7	1985	a b b
8	1986	a b b
9	1987	a b b
10	1988	a b b
11	1989	a b
12	1990	a b
13	1991	a b
14	1992	a
15	1993	a
16	1994	а
17	1995	а
18	1996	a
19	1997	a c
20	1998	a c
21	1999	a c
22	2000	a c
23	2001	a c
24	2002	a c
25	2003	a
26	2004	a
27	2005	a

Kleinberg's burst-detection algorithm identifies sudden increases in the frequency of words. Given time-stamped text, it identifies words that burst.

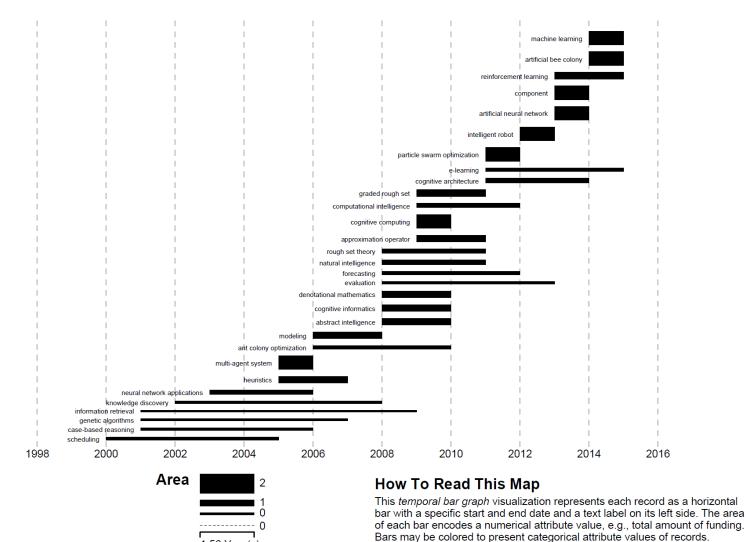
"a" does not burst. "b" bursts more than "c"



Bursts: Artificial Intelligence Publications

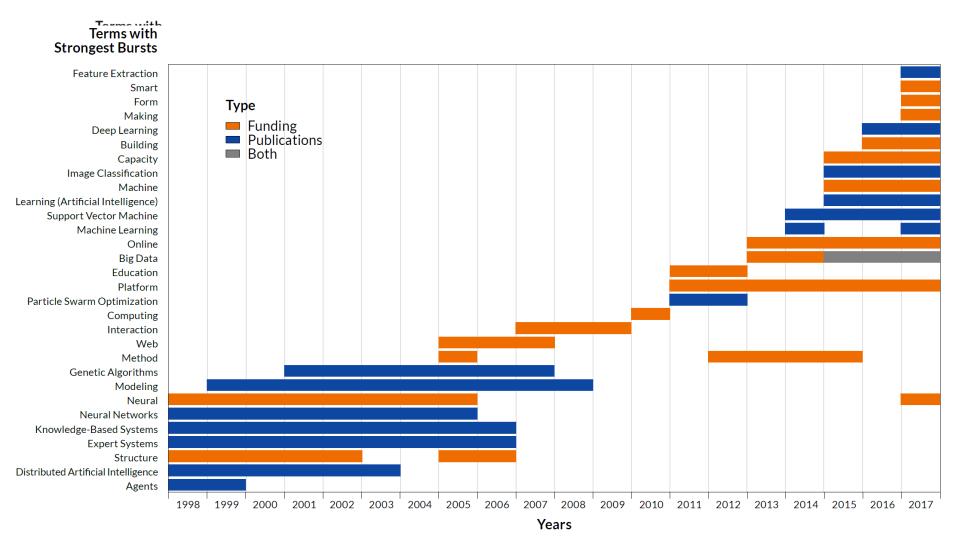
Temporal Visualization

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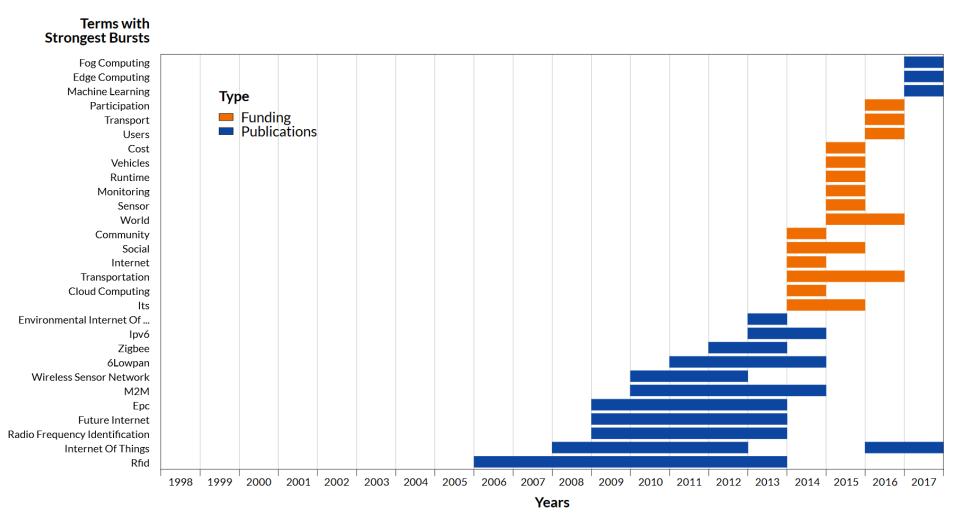


1.56 Year(s)

Bursts: Artificial Intelligence (AI)



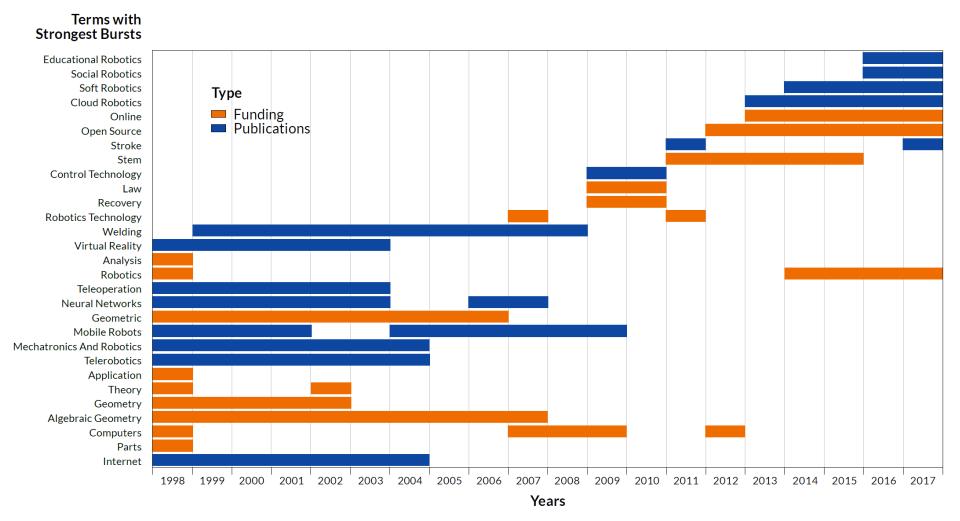
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Bursts: Robotics



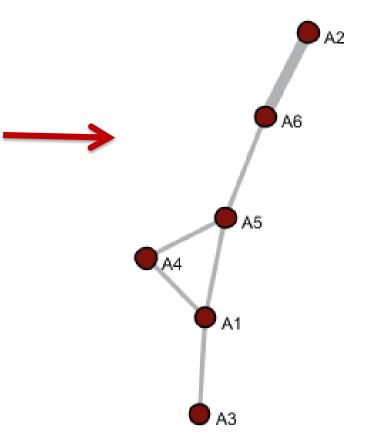


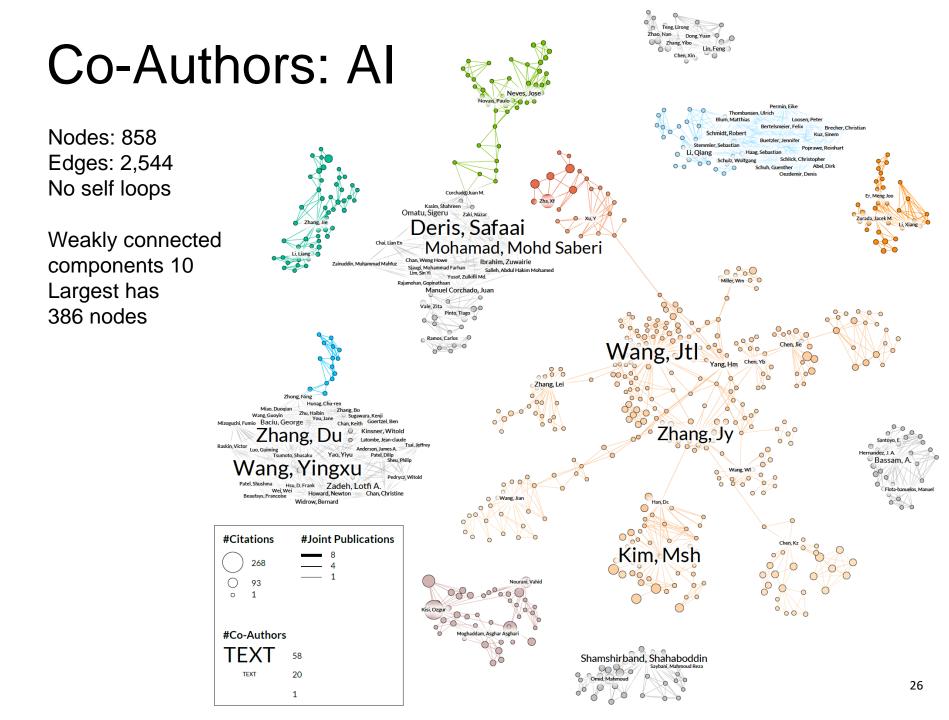
Co-Author Analysis & Visualization

Network Extraction:

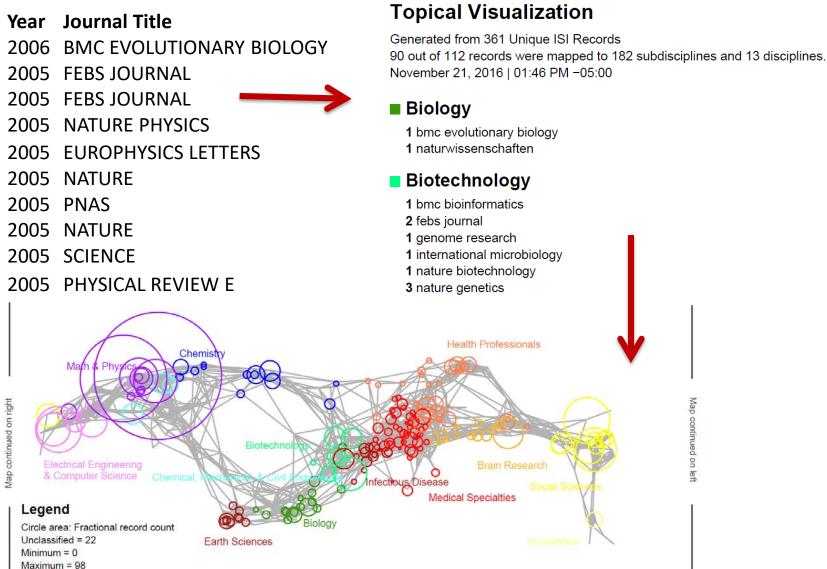
Weighted, undirected co-occurrence network

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1	Paper	Authors	References	Year
2	P1	A1		1970
3	P2	A2;A6	P1	1980
4	P3	A1;A3	P1;P2	1990
5	P4	A1;A4;A5	P2	1995
6	P5	A5;A6	P1;P2;P3;P4	1995
7	P6	A2;A6	P5	2000

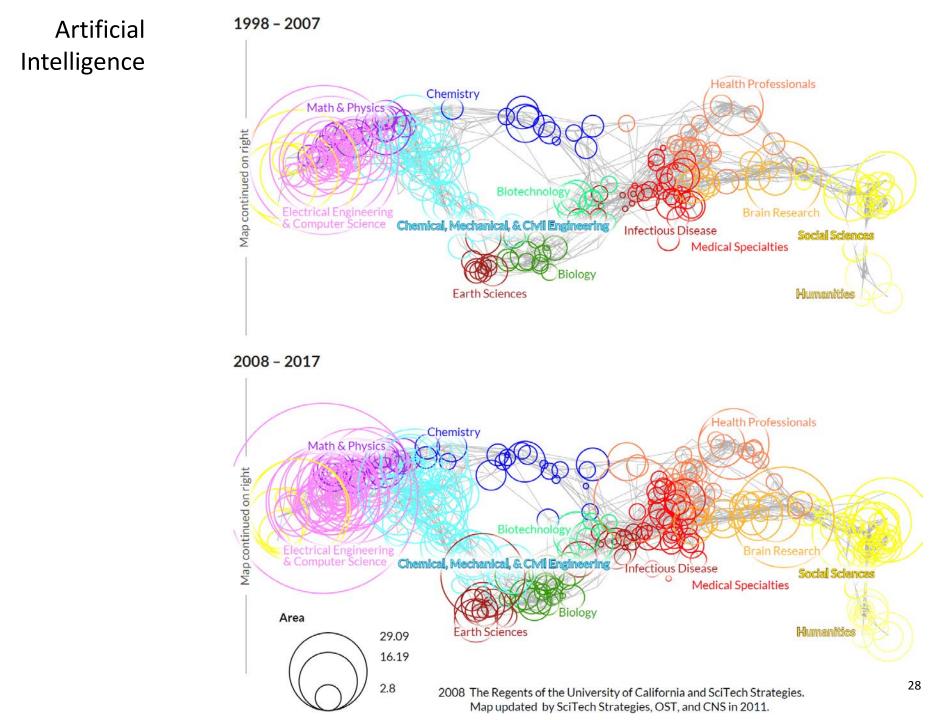


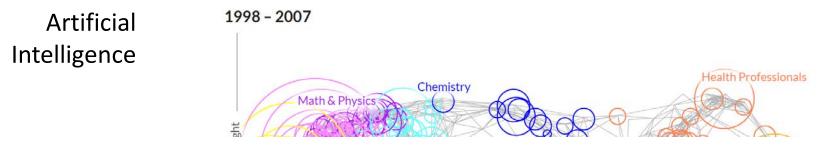


Topical Analysis & Visualization



Color: Discipline

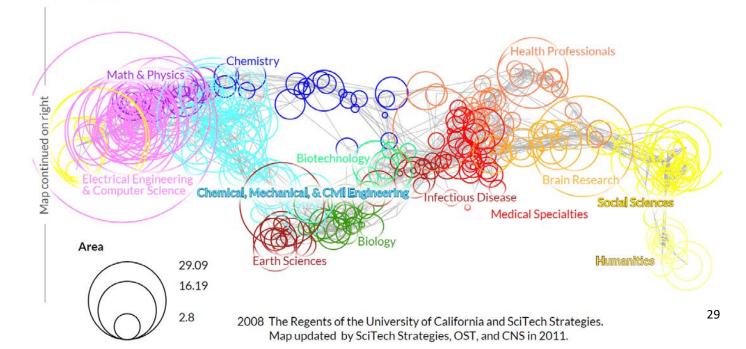




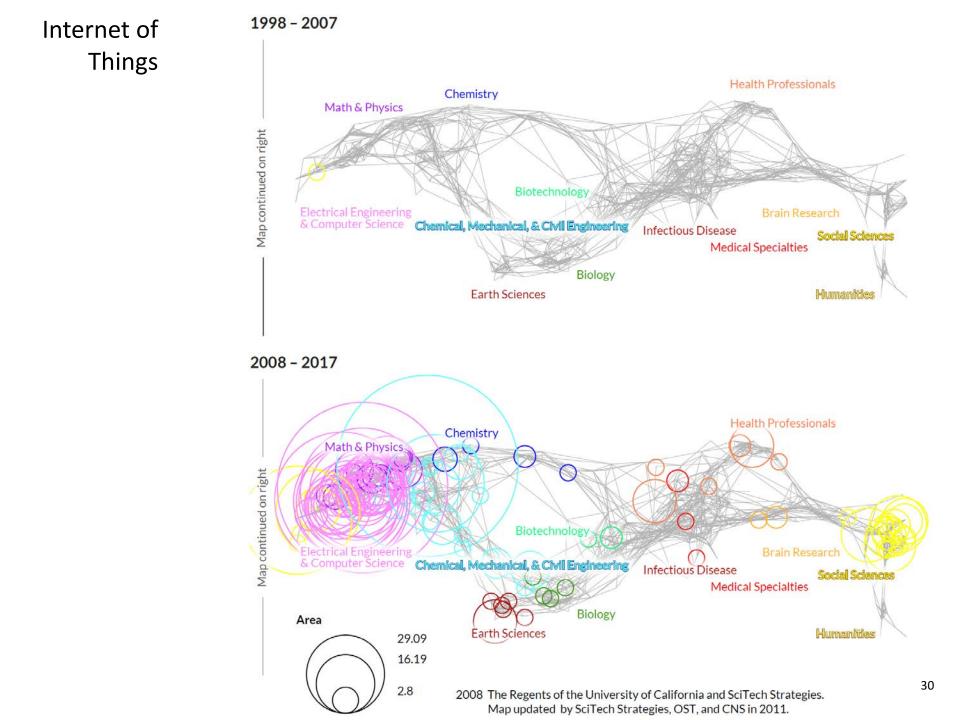
Top-10 most cited

1998 Modeling supply chain dynamics: A multiagent approach	314
1998 Artificial neural networks (the multilayer perceptron) - A review of	537
2003 Psychological aspects of natural language use: Our words, our	559
2008 Advances in Diagnostic Techniques for Induction Machines	401
2011 ViBe: A Universal Background Subtraction Algorithm for Video Sequ	369

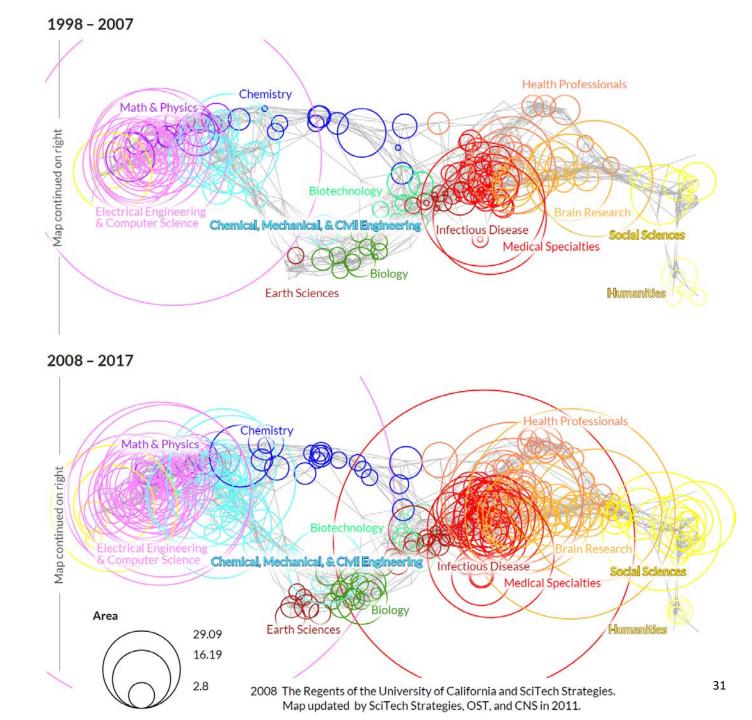
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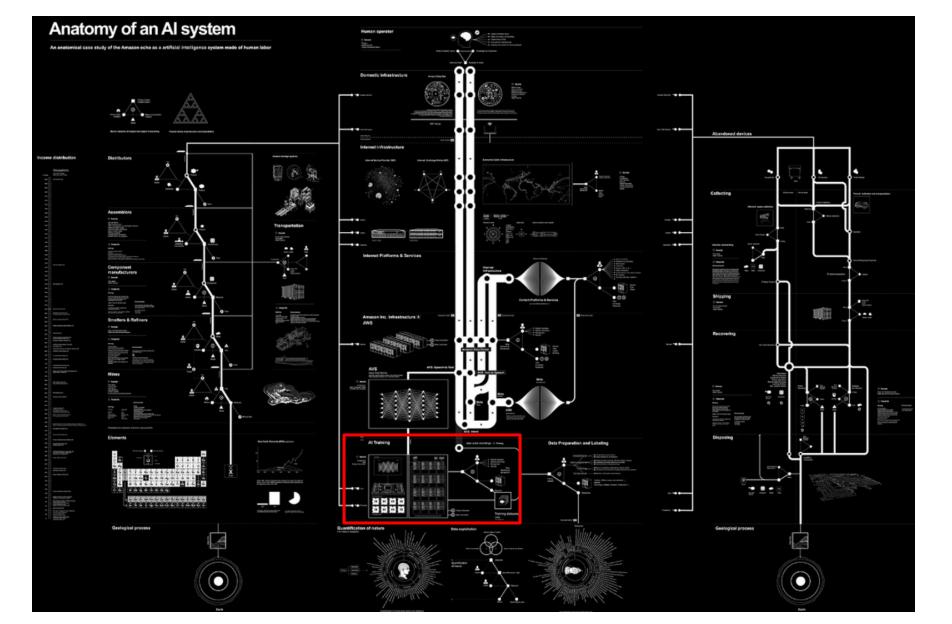


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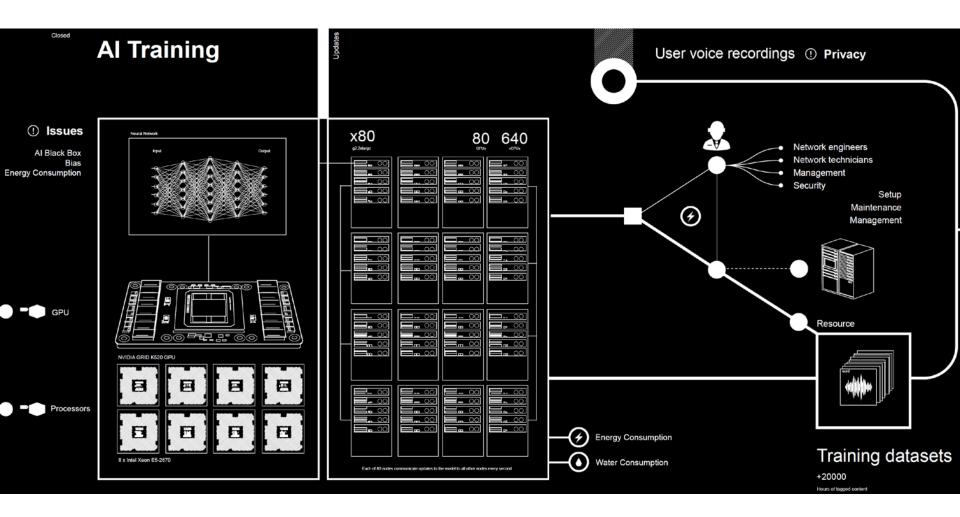




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User Studies

Visualizations were validated and then optimized through a user study that examined readability, memorability, reproducibility, and utility of different data visualizations.

- readability: users can easily find certain records, linkages, patterns (e.g., bursts, high degree nodes), pathways;
- memorability: users can answer if certain items were present and where they were placed;
- reproducibility: users can re-draw key elements of the visualizations after exploration; and
- utility: the visualizations provide actionable insights and/or prompt more meaningful questions, or are otherwise useful for human decisionmaking.

Standard human subject studies procedures were used:

After giving consent, participants

- completed a pre-test questionnaire that collected demographic info (age, gender, native language, expertise),
- 2. read an information sheet with basic information on the specific study,
- 3. performed specific tasks using different visualizations, and
- 4. completed a post-test questionnaire / interview.



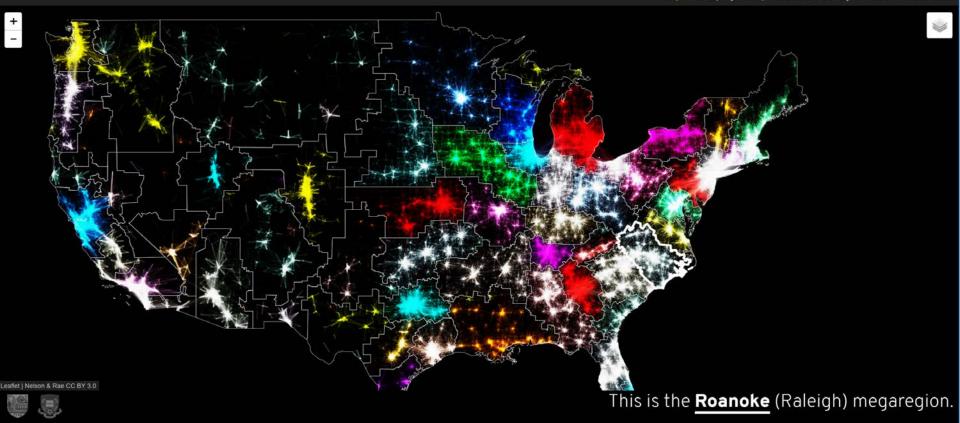
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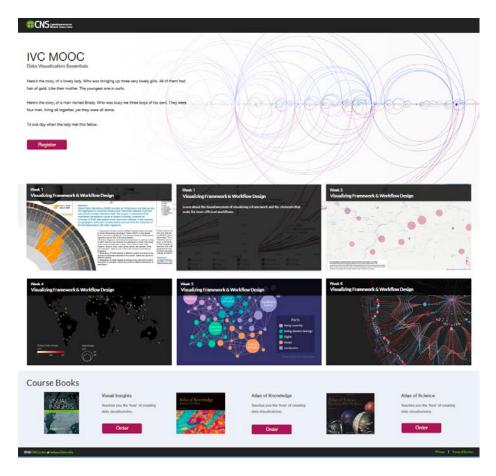
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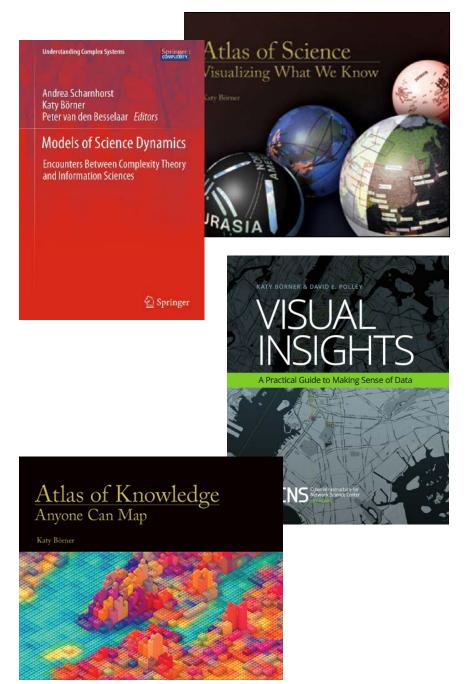
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