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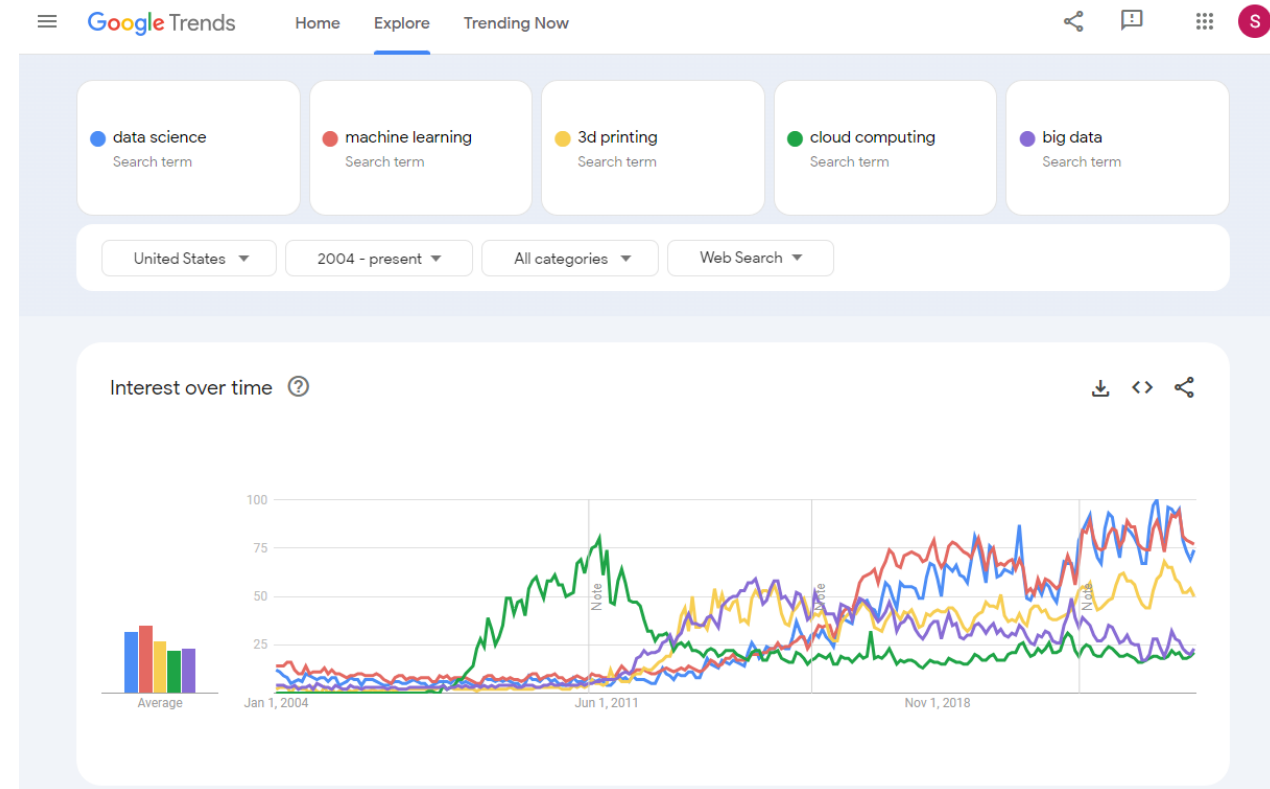
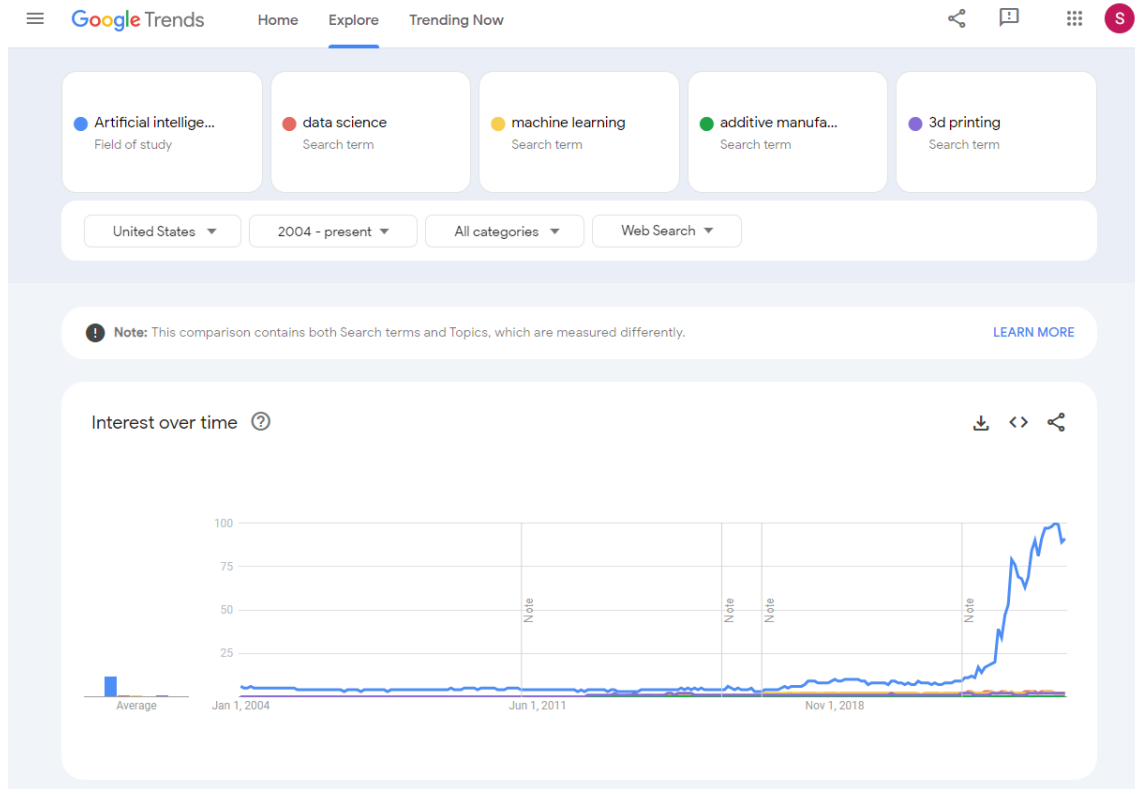
Artificial Intelligence in Manufacturing Systems

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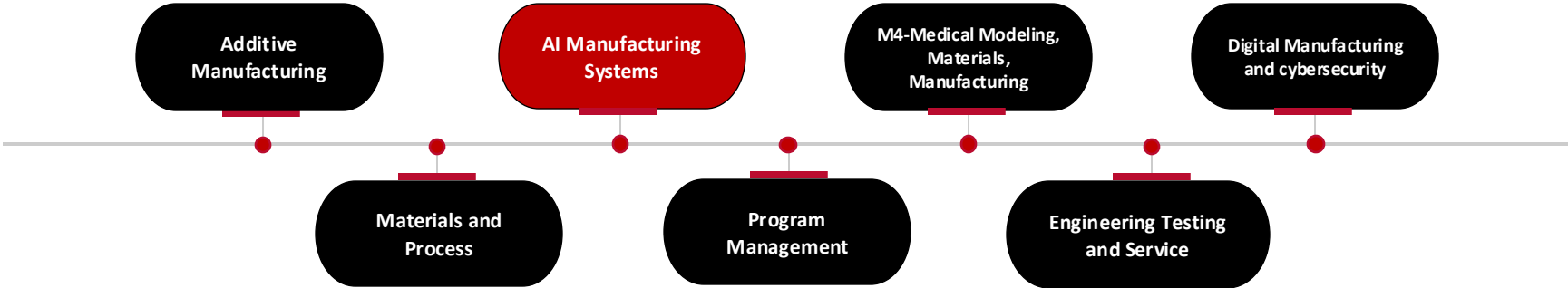
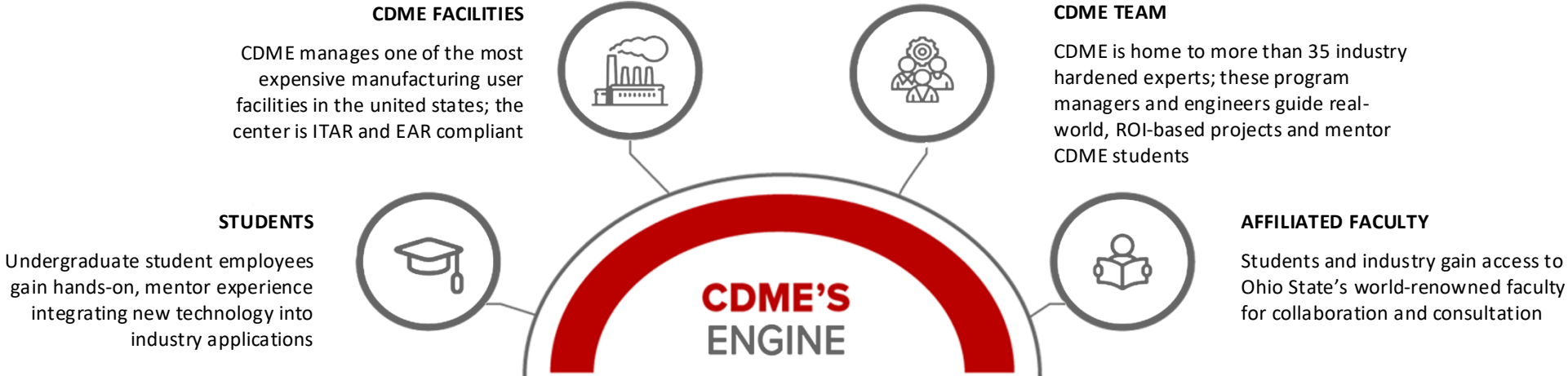
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Artificial Intelligence – The Latest Buzz



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CDME Experiential Education

Project Management

- Proposal and report writing
- Creating a project plan
- Contingency planning
- Managing to deadlines and milestones
- Budgeting and cash flow
- Legal
 - Contracts, intellectual property, non-disclosure, trade secrets, HIPPA, ITAR

Project Execution

- Continuous quality control
- Conducting literature reviews
- Supply chain / logistics foresight
- Fail fast
 - Learn and improve without wasting significant resources
- Significance of “great” design
 - Appeal, size, operation, maintenance, environment, sustainability, human interface etc.

Personal Skills

- Working as a leader, with a team, and with constant collaboration
- Asking for help
- Informed decision-making
- Internal / external communication
 - Setting expectations and communicating issues and progress
 - Debate with an open-mind



Artificially Intelligent Manufacturing Systems - AIMS Division

AIMS is dedicated to the research and development of *manufacturing systems* that utilize or are controlled by various types of artificial intelligence.

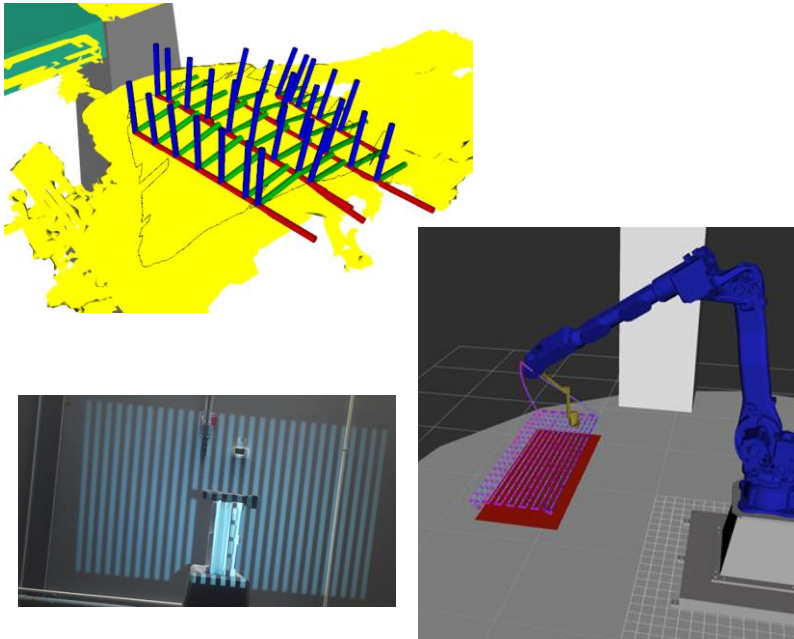
Mission

To improve manufacturing methods through advanced sensing and control while preparing the next generation of workers through experiential educational initiatives.

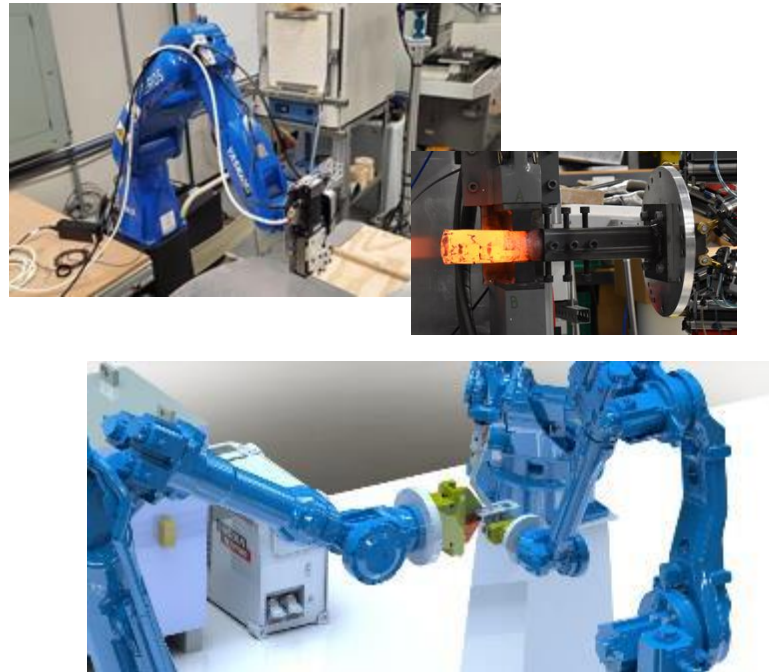


AIMS Division Thrust Areas

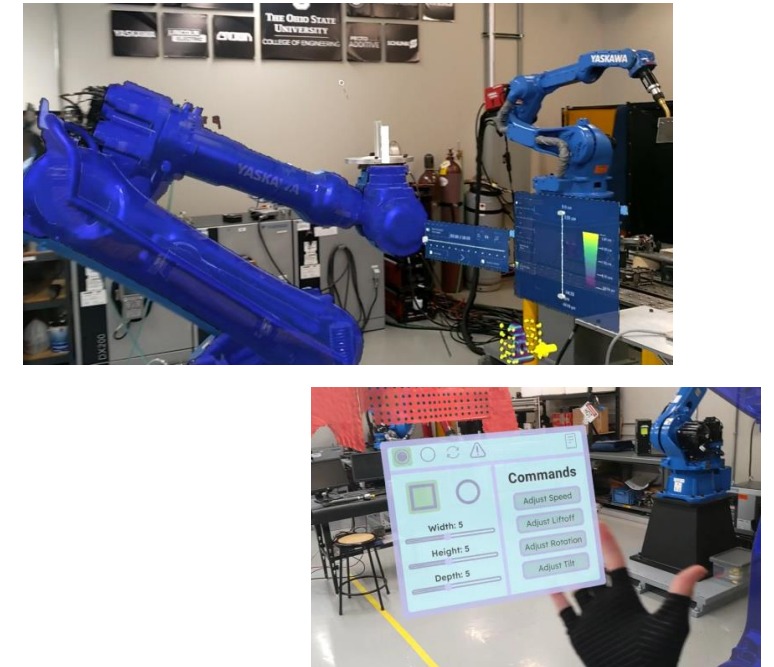
Sensing and Intelligent Control



Intelligent Manufacturing Processes



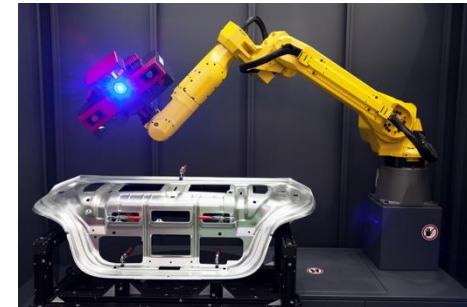
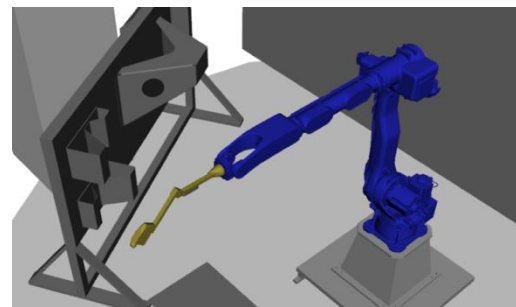
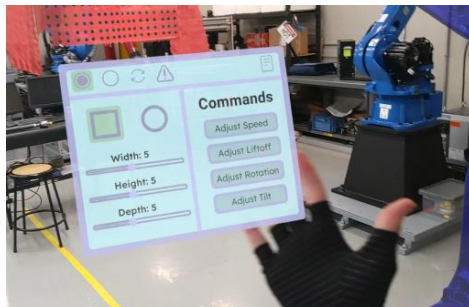
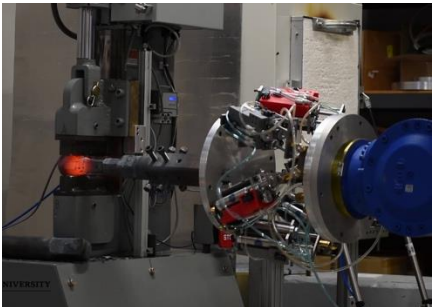
Human-Machine Teaming



--- Systems Design and Integration ---

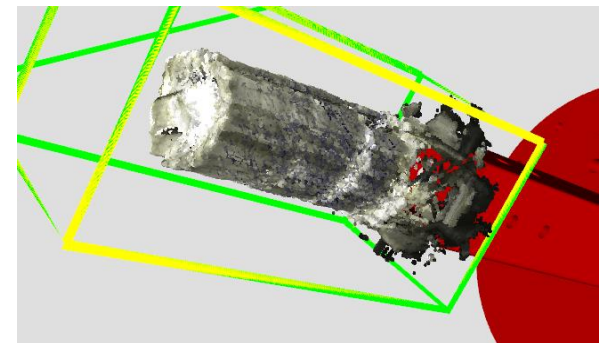
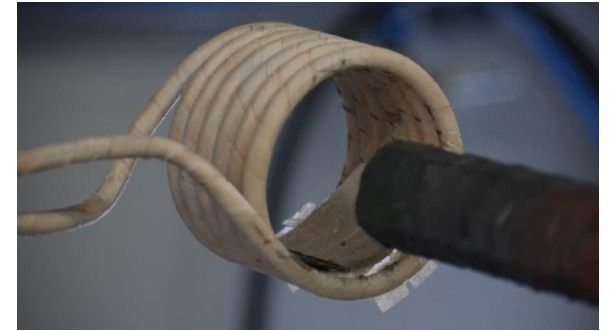
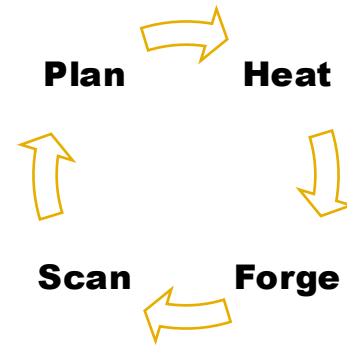


Examples



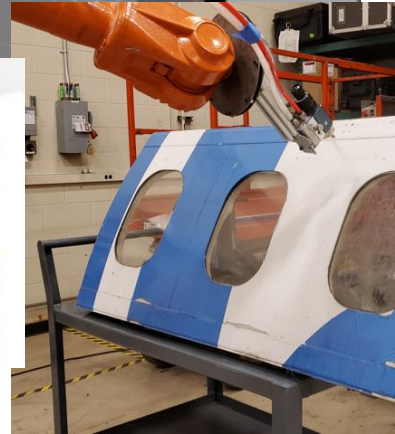
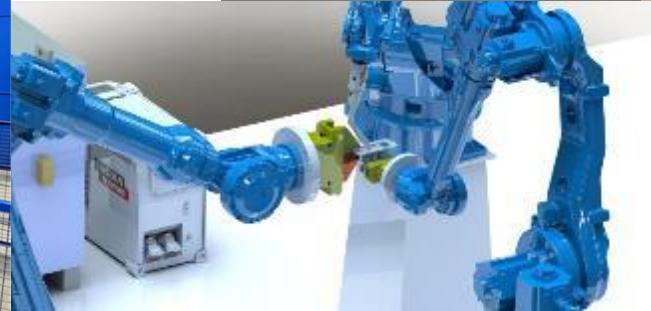
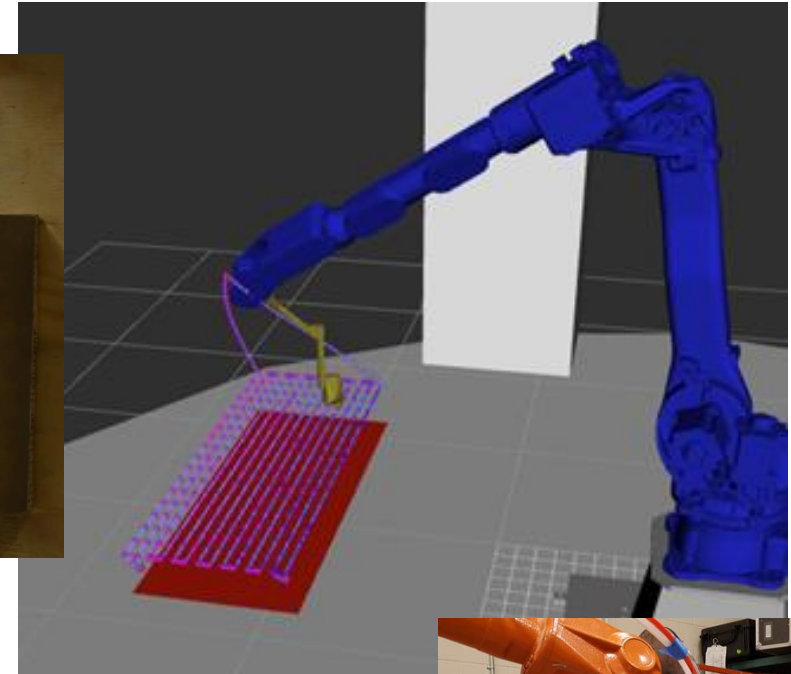
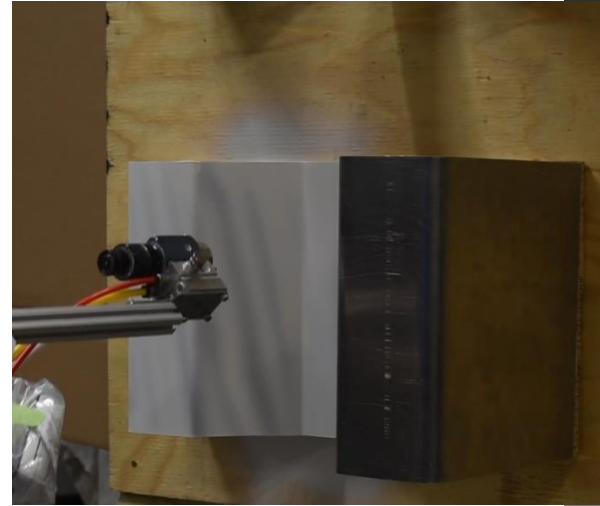
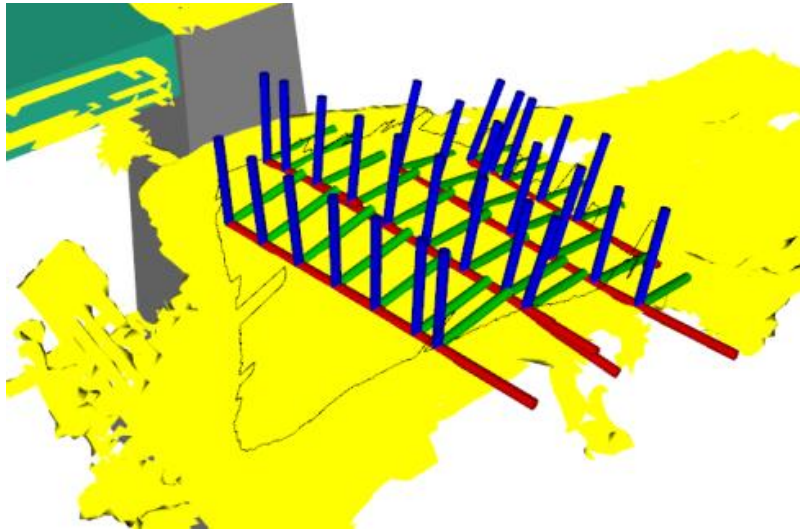
Robotic Forging/Blacksmithing

AIMS and HAMMER are exploring the future of open-die forging to enable manufacturing capability of low-volume high-strength parts.



Digital Twins & Intelligent Motion Planning

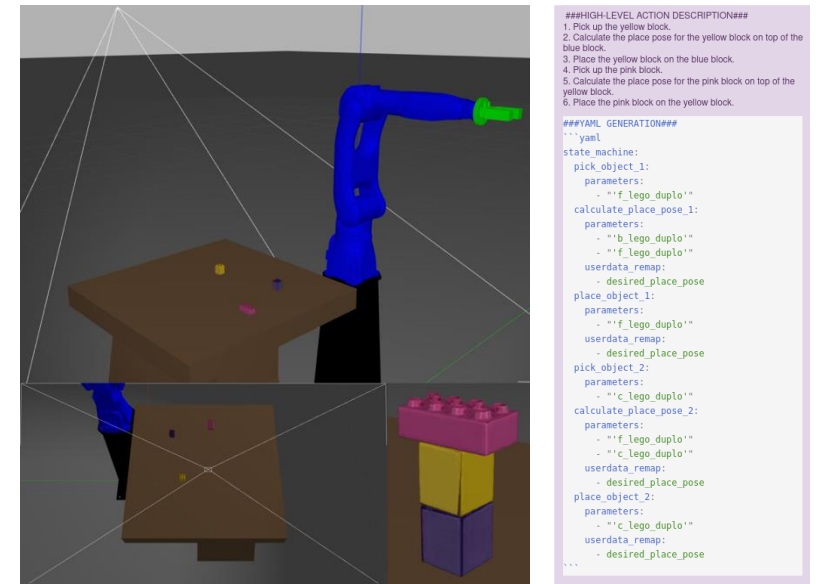
- Coating and Dispensing
- Milling and Finishing
- Welding



Human-Machine Teaming

- Collaborative Path Planning using Augmented Reality
 - User feedback trains upstream ML models
 - Novel in-situ feedback of robotic operations
- Flexible Pick & Place Planning
 - Robot programming through verbal user input
 - Harnessing LLMs for translation and custom software for control

** Combination of both leads to “low-code”/”no-code” programming*



Intelligent Servo-Controlled Forming

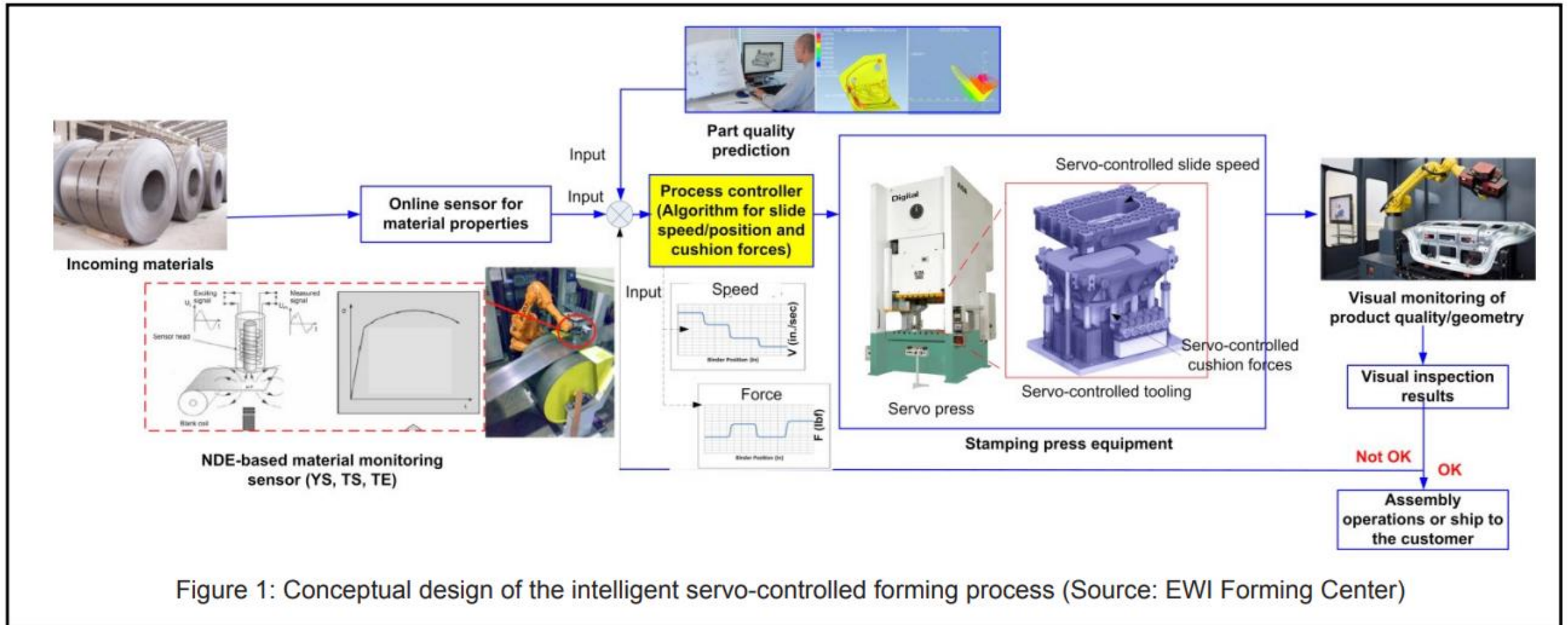
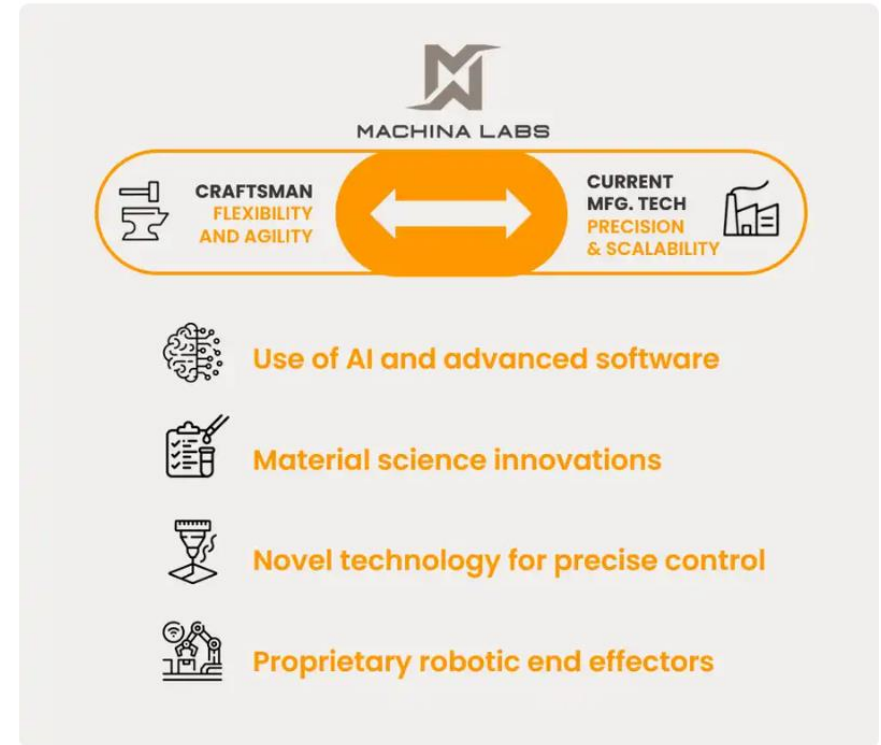
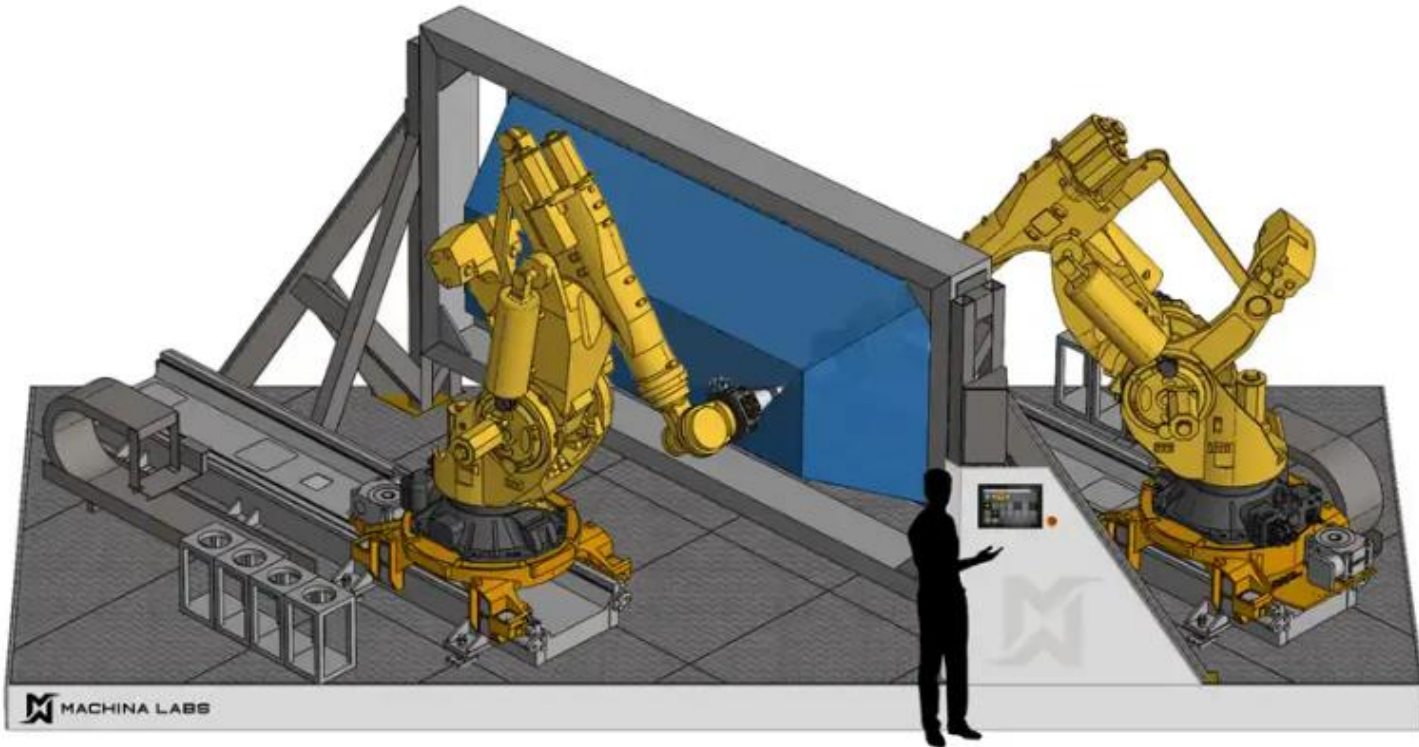


Figure 1: Conceptual design of the intelligent servo-controlled forming process (Source: EWI Forming Center)

<https://ewi.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/12/The-Development-of-Intelligent-Servo-Controlled-Forming-Technology.pdf>



Robotic Craftsman – Machina Labs



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