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Summary

As automated vehicles (AVs) gradually integrate into mixed traffic with human-driven vehicles, this thesis addresses critical challenges during the transition era. It enhances AV capabilities in sensing and perception, anomaly detection, and planning and control. Employing spatial-temporal deep learning models, self-supervised pretraining methods with masked sequential autoencoders, and innovative social-aware decision-making strategies, this work aims to facilitate safe, efficient, and socially compliant automated driving, thereby advancing future transportation systems.

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Invitation

You are cordially invited
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The defence will be held
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Aula Conference Centre,
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Prior to the defence,
I will give a brief presentation
in English about my research
starting at 17:00h.

After the defence,
there will be a reception
in the Aula.

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