

SCS WEDNESDAY WIRE | February 23, 2022

A midweek update from the SCS Dean's Office

SCS NEWS + AWARDS

— [Congratulations to Manuela Veloso](#), the Herbert A. Simon University Professor Emeritus in SCS and head of JPMorgan Chase & Co. AI Research, who was elected as a 2022 member of the [National Academy of Engineering](#) in recognition of her contributions to machine learning and its applications in robotics and the financial services industry. The honor is among the highest professional distinctions bestowed on engineers.

[Register for the AI in Action seminar](#) on Monday, February 28 starting at 12:30 p.m. to hear from Manuala Veloso as she discusses the science and engineering of AI, her research, and her recent practice experience including an introduction to AI research at JPMorgan Chase & Co.

— [Jian Ma](#), the Ray and Stephanie Lane Professor of Computational Biology, will join the American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering's (AIMBE) College of Fellows. AIMBE's College of Fellows comprises the top 2% of medical and biological engineers in the country. Fellows are nominated, reviewed and elected by peers and current members.

REGISTER TODAY

— The Dickson Prize in Science award ceremony and lecture honoring Turing Award recipient and computer scientist **Geoffrey Hinton** will take place virtually on Wednesday, March 2 at 5 p.m. as a University Lecture Series event. [Register to receive the Zoom login link](#) in a confirmation email.

THE LINK IS NOW ONLINE

— THE LINK, the magazine of the School of Computer Science, is available online. Read the [current issue](#), check out the [previous issue](#) or peruse a few years of [past issues](#). News story ideas can be sent to magazine@cs.cmu.edu.

GOING NATIONAL

— The first season of PBS's [The Robot Doctor](#), locally produced in Pittsburgh by WQED with production support from CMU and the University of Pittsburgh faculty and staff, will be made available to PBS stations for broadcast nationwide. Check out the eight 14-minute episodes in Season 1.

RESTROOM PLACARDS

— Thanks to those who reported the recent removal of several restroom placards around GHC. Our SCS Building Facilities team is working with Facilities Management & Campus Services to look into this matter and repair/replace the placards as soon as possible.

Until next week,

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REMEMBER YOUR RESOURCES

Connect with a [Dean's Advisory Committee](#) if you have questions or concerns you want to share.

Connect with a representative leader from [SCS Council](#) if you'd like to submit a topic for Council to consider.

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