

Hybrid Event

A Future without Physical Limitations: The Japanese Avatar Robot

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Featuring:

Aki Yuki, Co-founder and COO, OryLab Inc.

Moderator:

David E. Weinstein, Director, Center on Japanese Economy and Business (CJEB), Columbia Business School; Carl S. Shoup Professor of the Japanese Economy, Columbia University

On October 28, 2021, CJEB held a hybrid event featuring Aki Yuki virtually via Zoom. Her talk was attended by a live Zoom audience and a limited number of Columbia affiliates on campus. Ms. Yuki presented on the cutting edge applications of robotics in unique areas beyond manufacturing. She also explained how OryLab came to be, what OriHime is, and what functions avatar robots have from a business perspective, elaborating on the possibilities and experiences robots create for humans by helping humans go beyond physical limitations. The webinar concluded with a Q&A session.