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#### Front-line Researchers

# Ryuichiro Higashinaka, Visiting Senior Distinguished Researcher, NTT Human Informatics Laboratories/NTT Communication Science Laboratories

#### **▼**Abstract

Ryuichiro Higashinaka, a visiting senior distinguished researcher of NTT Human Informatics Laboratories/NTT Communication Science Laboratories and professor of the Graduate School of Informatics, Nagoya University, is aiming to create a dialogue system that allows humans and computers to understand each other and intelligently collaborate by clarifying the principles of natural-dialogue interaction between them. We interviewed him about the progress of his research and his attitude as a researcher.

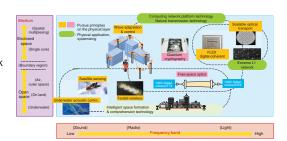
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Optical and Wireless Transmission Technologies for IOWN/6G

# Research and Development for Pioneering a New **Communications Paradigm with Wide-area Coverage**

#### **▼**Abstract

Research and development at NTT Network Innovation Laboratories aims to establish elemental technologies for next-generation communication networks envisioned under NTT's Innovative Optical and Wireless Network (IOWN) and the 6th-generation mobile communication system (6G). This article introduces optical/wireless transmission technologies and systemization technologies currently being researched and developed at NTT Network Innovation Laboratories.



#### **Feature Articles**

ICT Platform for Connected Vehicles Created by NTT and Toyota

# Overview of Technical Development and Verification in the Connected-vehicle Field

#### **▼**Abstract

The NTT Group and Toyota Motor Corporation are collaborating on the research and development of an ICT platform for connected vehicles. They conducted joint field trials from 2018 to 2020 and established the basic technology through various use cases and verification of the platform. In the Feature Articles in this issue, the NTT Group operating companies and NTT laboratories that are participating in the collaboration present the details of the field trials, the results, technologies applied, value provided, and future issues.

