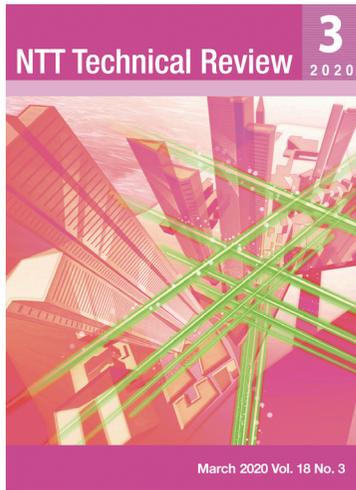


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The NTT Group is committed to solving social issues, and its initiatives and responsiveness have been highly evaluated. The Group joined the international environmental protection initiatives EP100 and EV100 as their first telecommunications carrier member. It has also been selected as a global top innovator for the eighth consecutive year. We asked Atsuko Oka, NTT senior vice president, head of Technology Planning, for her 2020 outlook for the NTT Group, which strives to provide high-quality, highly reliable services for safe and secure operation of information and communication technology infrastructure.



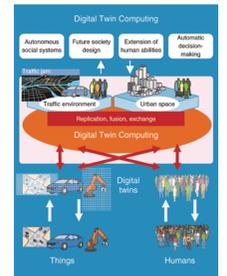
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This article introduces a lecture presented by Ryutaro Kawamura, senior vice president and head of NTT Service Innovation Laboratory Group, at a special session of NTT R&D Forum 2019 held on November 14 and 15, 2019. The lecture described the latest research activities at the laboratory group, focusing on NTT's vision of Innovative Optical and Wireless Network or IOWN.



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Information and communication technology (ICT) will soon be necessary to make the most of and supplement people's abilities and support their activities by harmonizing people and environments through natural interactions that seamlessly blend with their activities. This article introduces the ICT research and development initiatives at NTT Service Evolution Laboratories to achieve a smart world that harmonizes people and environments.

