



June 2020 Highlights

COVID-19 & THE INTERNET OF THINGS

Some perspectives gathered by CDAIT on the use of IoT technologies in preventing and monitoring COVID-19 like infectious diseases & impact on IoT – as of 06/15/20 – 305 entries:

https://cdait.gatech.edu/sites/default/files/covid-19_iot_january_june_15_2020.pdf

COVID-19, DIGITAL DIVIDE & IoT

See current international perspectives:

Staff Writer, “Australia must urgently skill-up for Internet of Things era, says IoT Alliance Australia,” IoT Hub, June 9, 2020 <https://www.iothub.com.au/news/australia-must-urgently-skill-up-for-internet-of-things-era-says-iot-alliance-australia-549045>

Nadia Hewett, “Four ways African governments can bridge digital skills gap needed for post-Covid economic recovery,” Mail & Guardian, June 9, 2020 <https://mg.co.za/coronavirus-essentials/2020-06-09-four-ways-african-governments-can-bridge-digital-skills-gap-needed-for-post-covid-economic-recovery/>

Cath Everett, “Coronavirus: How to cope with the digital skills divide,” [article draws heavily on the UK experience], Computer Weekly, May 1, 2020 <https://www.computerweekly.com/feature/Coronavirus-How-to-cope-with-the-digital-skills-divide>

Staff Writer, “Digital skills gap in Europe: Training people for the future,” Open Access Government, March 6, 2020 <https://www.openaccessgovernment.org/digital-skills-gap-in-europe-training/83494/>

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Biweekly IoT News Digest (06/20 – 1)

IoT News and Market Reports

(First Half of June 2020)

- Selected IoT-related announcements and featured activities/topics in the first half of June 2020 gathered by CDAIT from governments; agencies; consortia; alliances; associations; standards, research and other similar groups around the world – 11 entries – See: https://cdait.gatech.edu/sites/default/files/iot_news_filings_june_2020_first_half.pdf
- Sample list of IoT-related market reports published in the first half of June 2020 gathered by CDAIT– 54 entries – See: https://cdait.gatech.edu/sites/default/files/iot_market_reports_june_2020_first_half.pdf

Special Reading Suggestions

Articles

- Yanitsa Boyadzhieva, “IoT faces short-term Covid-19 hit – GSMA Intelligence,” [Mobile Report authors Sylwia Kechiche and Alex Gharibian ‘emphasized enterprises which lag in IoT adoption could face insolvency or even bankruptcy’] World Live, June 8, 2020 <https://www.mobileworldlive.com/featured-content/top-three/iot-faces-short-term-covid-19-hit-gsma-intelligence/>
- SDChain Alliance (Based on ISO IoT Six-Domain Model standards) “Biweekly Update - 2020.06.12” <https://medium.com/sdchainen/biweekly-update-2020-06-12-f74901a41d26>

Books

- John Davies, and Carolina Fortuna (Editors), “The Internet of Things: From Data to Insight,” ISBN: 978-1-119-54526-2, June 2020, 240 pages <https://www.wiley.com/en-us/The+Internet+of+Things%3A+From+Data+to+Insight-p-9781119545262>
- Gianluca Cornetta, Abdellah Touhafi, and Gabriel-Miro Muntean (Editors), “Social, Legal, and Ethical Implications of IoT, Cloud, and Edge Computing Technologies,” ISBN13: 9781799838173, June 2020, 333 pages <https://www.igi-global.com/book/social-legal-ethical-implications-iot/244250>

Georgia Tech IoT-related Info/Research Noticed by CDAIT

- Technology and Disability Policy Highlights (TDPH) – May 2020 (Wireless Inclusive RERC/GT Center for Advanced Communications Policy [CACAP] – Georgia Tech Ivan Allen College of Liberal Arts) – https://cdait.gatech.edu/sites/default/files/technology_and_disability_policy_highlights_-_may_2020_0.pdf
- Gregory Abowd, “The Internet of Materials: A Vision for Computational Materials,” Published in: IEEE Pervasive Computing (Volume: 19, Issue: 2, April-June 1 2020), date of publication May 15, 2020, <https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/9094291> Dr. Gregory D. Abowd is Georgia Tech Regents’ Professor and J.Z. Liang Chair in the School of Interactive Computing at Georgia Tech
- Jingwen Tian, Xiangyu Chen, and Zhong Lin Wang, “Environmental energy harvesting based on triboelectric nanogenerators,” Published 30 March 2020, Nanotechnology, Volume 31, Number 24 <https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.1088/1361-6528/ab793e/meta> Dr. Zhong Lin Wang is Hightower Chair in Materials Science and Engineering, Regents’ Professor, Adjunct Professor Chemistry and Biochemistry, Adjunct Professor Electrical and Computer Engineering at Georgia Tech
- Ramyad Hadidi, Jiashen Cao, Michael S. Ryoo, and Hyesoon Kim, “Towards Collaborative Inference of Deep Neural Networks on Internet of Things Devices,” IEEE Internet of Things Journal (Early Access), date of publication: February 6, 2020, DOI: 10.1109/JIOT.2020.2972000, <https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/abstract/document/8985265/authors#authors> Mr. Ramyad Hadidi (PhD candidate), Mr. Jiashen Cao (MS student) and Dr. Hyesoon Kim (Associate Professor) are with the School of Computer Science at Georgia Tech

Selected IoT Perspectives

The Growing Importance of the Internet of Medical Things (IoMT)

Benedette Cuffari, “An Overview of Sensors for the Internet of Medical Things,” Azo Sensors, June 4, 2020 <https://www.azosensors.com/article.aspx?ArticleID=1968>

Guest Editorial, “Internet of Medical Things for Health Engineering,” IEEE Journal of Biomedical and Health Informatics, vol. 24, no. 6, pp. 1539-1540, June 2020, doi: 10.1109/JBHI.2020.2988734 <https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/stamp/stamp.jsp?tp=&arnumber=9108346> and <https://www.embs.org/jbhi/articles/special-issue-on-internet-of-medical-things-for-health-engineering/>

Madhukar Jangir, “IoMT Devices Will Revolutionize HealthTech in 2020,” RT Insights, May 25, 2020 <https://www.rtinsights.com/iomt-devices-will-revolutionize-healthtech-in-2020/>

Chris Parsons, “Has COVID-19 Created a Tipping Point in the MedTech Industry?,” MD+DI, May 13, 2020 <https://www.mddionline.com/has-covid-19-created-tipping-point-medtech-industry-0>

See also: Xiao Liu, “The Internet of Bodies is here. This is how it could change our lives,” World Economic Forum, June 4, 2020 <https://www.weforum.org/agenda/2020/06/internet-of-bodies-covid19-recovery-governance-health-data/> --- Note: Telemedicine, Telehealth and Telecare according to the FCC: <https://www.fcc.gov/general/telehealth-telemedicine-and-telecare-whats-what>