



## Session: Energy & Environment

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## **Agenda**

- 14:15 14:25: Welcome and Overview
- 14:25 14:35: <u>EVtonomy</u>: A Smart EV routing app Elnaz Shafipour, University of Southampton
- 14:35 14:45: <u>InterNET ZERO</u>: Developing Participatory Futuring Approaches to Design Infrastructural Imaginaries for Sustainable and Trustworthy AI <u>Michael Stead</u>, Lancaster University
- 14:45 14:55: A Citizen Carbon Budget for reducing CO2 emissions Gisela Reyes-Cruz, University of Nottingham
- 14:55 15:05: Utilising Autonomous Systems for Effective Early Detection of Pests & Diseases in Forests Calum Imrie, University of York
- 15:10 15:45: Panel Session
  Chairs: Enrico Gerding & Sebastian Stein
  Speakers: Elnaz Shafipour, Michael Stead, Gisela Reyes-Cruz, Calum Imrie

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# University of Southampton Energy & Environment Projects

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## **UKRI AI Centre for Doctoral Training in AI for Sustainability**

- 70 fully funded PhD studentships in the application of AI for Sustainability for 2024-2028 entry
- Research focuses around 5 themes:
  - Al for Transportation and Logistics
  - Al for Sustainable Energy and Buildings
  - Al for Sustainable Operations and Circular Economy
  - Al for Biodiversity
  - Sustainable Al



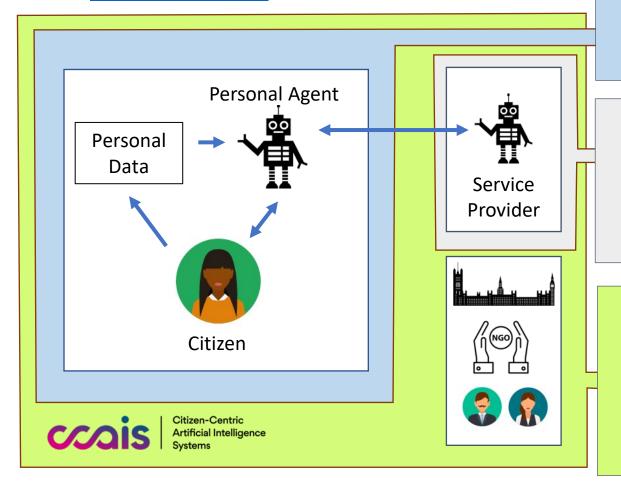
http://sustai.info





## **Citizen-Centric Al Systems**

- UKRI Turing AI Acceleration Fellowship
- https://ccais.ac.uk



#### **Preference Learning**

- Dealing with sparse data?
- How to elicit information from citizens while minimising the cognitive burden?
- How to transfer learnt knowledge between citizens?

#### Incentive-Aware Mechanisms

- How to minimise information that service providers need from citizens?
- How to learn what incentives work effectively? And how does this learning interact with strategic behaviour?

#### Explainability, Auditability and Fairness

- How to ensure decisions are seen as fair and equitable?
- How to explain decisions and decision processes of complex algorithms to citizens?
- How to enable all stakeholders to participate in a continuous feedback loop?

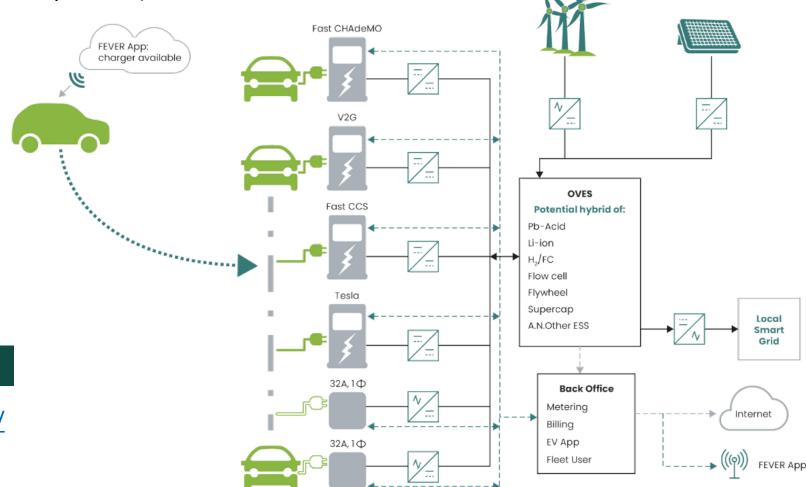
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### **FEVER:**

#### **Future Electric Vehicle Energy networks supporting Renewables**

• EPSRC Programme Grant (PI: Andy Cruden)



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