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Abstract: **AI for improving HPC efficiency and energy footprint**

The recent success and developments of AI algorithms, in particular machine learning and deep learning require computing systems to be scalable, flexible and have low latency at all levels to effectively tackle these challenges.

On the other hand, hardware is becoming increasingly heterogeneous, with many domain-specific processors such as GPU and FPGA.

To extract performance from large-scale heterogeneous architectures in a seamless ecosystem, new programming paradigms, languages, compilers operating and runtime systems will be needed to provide new abstractions and services over highly heterogeneous hardware.

In this talk, we will present how AI techniques can support computing systems to be efficient, to consume less energy while staying within error and time constraints, and to detect anomalies.

Bio

Dr. Michela Milano is full professor at the Department Computer Science and Engineering of the University of Bologna and Director of the ALMA-AI Interdepartmental center for Human-Centered AI.

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