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# Advances in Computer Vision, Pattern Recognition, Machine Learning and Symmetry

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### **Message from the Guest Editors**

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Machine intelligence is no longer a science fiction utopia but rather a very present reality. It has been evolving rapidly within the fields of computer vision, pattern recognition, machine learning, and symmetry. It is a daunting task to try and keep up with the abundance of new publications that present the most recent advancements within each field. As such, this Special Issue is dedicated to presenting and aggregating recent advancements in these research fields, spread across a universe of applications, such as industry, medicine, robotics, biotechnology, mechanical engineering, and others, as well as in fundamental and theoretical forms.

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