

B305-Safety Assurance of Automated Driving, Part 1: Safety Argumentation in State of the Art Projects and Initiatives



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Anne Collin holds an Engineering Diploma from Ecole Nationale des Ponts et Chaussees, and a M.Sc. in Technology and Policy and a Ph.D. in Aeronautics and Astronautics, both from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. She is a Senior Research Scientist at Motional in the Rulebooks team, which is in charge of autonomous vehicle behavior specification. Her research interests include complex systems modeling and architecture, optimization, and performance quantification of Artificial Intelligence Systems.



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Dr. Laura Fraade-Blanar is an associate policy researcher at RAND Corporation. Her work sits at the intersection of health, technology, and transportation, applying her background in public health and injury epidemiology to questions around measuring risk and uncertainty. She focuses on the safety of new transportation modes including automated vehicles and mobility-on-demand/mobility-as-a-service, as well as access and equity issues around older adult transportation. Dr. Fraade-Blanar holds a PhD from the University of Washington, School of Public Health. Prior to her doctoral work she was a research scientist at

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PhD and engineer in Physics and Optronics, I joined the PSA group in 2000. I have since worked in the domain of the ADAS starting with studies with the driving simulators and then piloting various innovation projects. My activities have focused on functional safety issues, particularly for ADAS and ADS. I also participated at various European and French projects (Adaptive, aspecss, CATS, L3Pilot, Automate, SVA, Moove) in the field of ADAS. I am currently a functional safety expert for ADAS and ADS.



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Sebastien Glaser is a Professor at CARRS-Q, Queensland University of Technology, in Intelligent Transport System. After a PhD in Automation in 2004, his research focused on building Automated Driving System in cooperation with the driver. He was involved in several large French and EU projects on sharing the task between the driver and the automation. He moved to Australia in 2018, where he started to manage the Cooperative and Highly Automated Driving Safety Study project, a partnership between the iMOVE Australia, and the Queensland Department of Transport and Main Roads. He delivered several first demonstrations around Brisbane (2019 and 2020), where the Automated Vehicle was driving on an open road with real traffic, facing several challenges.



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Dr. Li received his M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from Tsinghua University in 2006 and 2009. Before joining Tsinghua University, he has worked at Stanford University, University of Michigan, and UC Berkeley. He is now leading Intelligent Driving Lab (iDLab) at Tsinghua University. His active research interests include intelligent vehicles and driver assistance, reinforcement learning and optimal control, distributed control and estimation, etc. He is the author of over 120 peer-reviewed journal/conference papers, and the co-inventor of over 30 patents. Dr. Li was the recipient of Best Paper Awards in IEEE ITSC 2020, ICCAS 2020, IEEE ICUS 2020, CCCC 2018/2019, ITSAPF 2015, IEEE ITSC 2014, etc. His important awards include National Award for Technological Invention of China (2013), Excellent Young Scholar of NSF China

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Dee Williams is currently the Deputy Associate Administrator for NHTSA's Office of Vehicle Safety Research. In this role, she leads the development and implementation of vehicle safety research initiatives, including policy, strategic and program planning, and program assessments, to advance national highway traffic safety programs and motor vehicle safety standards related to the integration of innovative technologies and emerging roadway safety issues, including the United States Department of Transportation's (USDOT) and NHTSA's vehicle automation initiatives. Prior to rejoining NHTSA in October 2016, from January 2014 to October 2016, she served as the Chief of the Compliance Division for the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA), a sister agency to NHTSA, where she was responsible for a portfolio of programs including Compliance, Safety, Accountability (CSA), New Entrant Safety Assurance, and Drugs and Alcohol. Also, while at FMCSA, from August 2010 to January 2014, she held the position of Division Chief for Strategic Planning and Program Evaluation. Preceding her time at FMCSA, she held a variety of positions back at NHTSA, serving nearly a decade, including as their Acting Director for the Office of Government Affairs, Policy, and Strategic Planning, a direct arm to the NHTSA Administrator. Before joining USDOT, Dee served as the program manager and spokesperson for the Cellular Telecommunications & Internet Association's (CTIA), distracted driving educational campaign, "Safety – Your Most Important Call." She holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science (cum laude) from Susquehanna University, located in Central Pennsylvania, with minor emphasis areas in legal studies and sociology.