

# Computational Intelligence

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- ▶ **Organization (Lectures / Tutorials)**
- ▶ **Disambiguation: *Computational Intelligence***

### Who are you?

either

studying “**Automation and Robotics**” (Master of Science)

or

studying “**Informatics**” (Bachelor of Science)

or

studying “**Data Science**” (Master of Science)

or

... let me know!

## Who am I ?

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Tuesday, 10:30–11:30am  
and by appointment

← best way to contact me

← if you want to see me  
(after pandemic)

(after pandemic)

(online, during pandemic)

**Lectures**      Wednesday      10:15-11:45      online (Zoom),      weekly  
from 04-Nov-2020

**Tutorials**      either Wednesday      16:15-17:45      online (Zoom),      ≈ bi-weekly  
or      Thursday      16:15-17:45      online (Zoom),      ≈ bi-weekly  
from 04/05-Nov-2020

**Tutor**      Marius Bommert, MSc, LS 11

## Information (web pages & moodle)

<http://ls11-www.cs.tu-dortmund.de/people/rudolph/teaching/lectures/CI/WS2020-21/lecture.jsp>

**Slides**      see [moodle](#)

**Literature**      see [web page](#)

### Exams

Effective since winter term 2014/15: written exam (not oral)

- Informatik, Bachelor: Module → written exam (90 min)
- Automation & Robotics, Master: Module → written exam (90 min)
- Data Science / Statistics, Master: Module → written exam (90 min)
- whoever else ... → written exam (90 min)

**mandatory** for registration to written exam: **must pass tutorial**

## **Knowledge** about

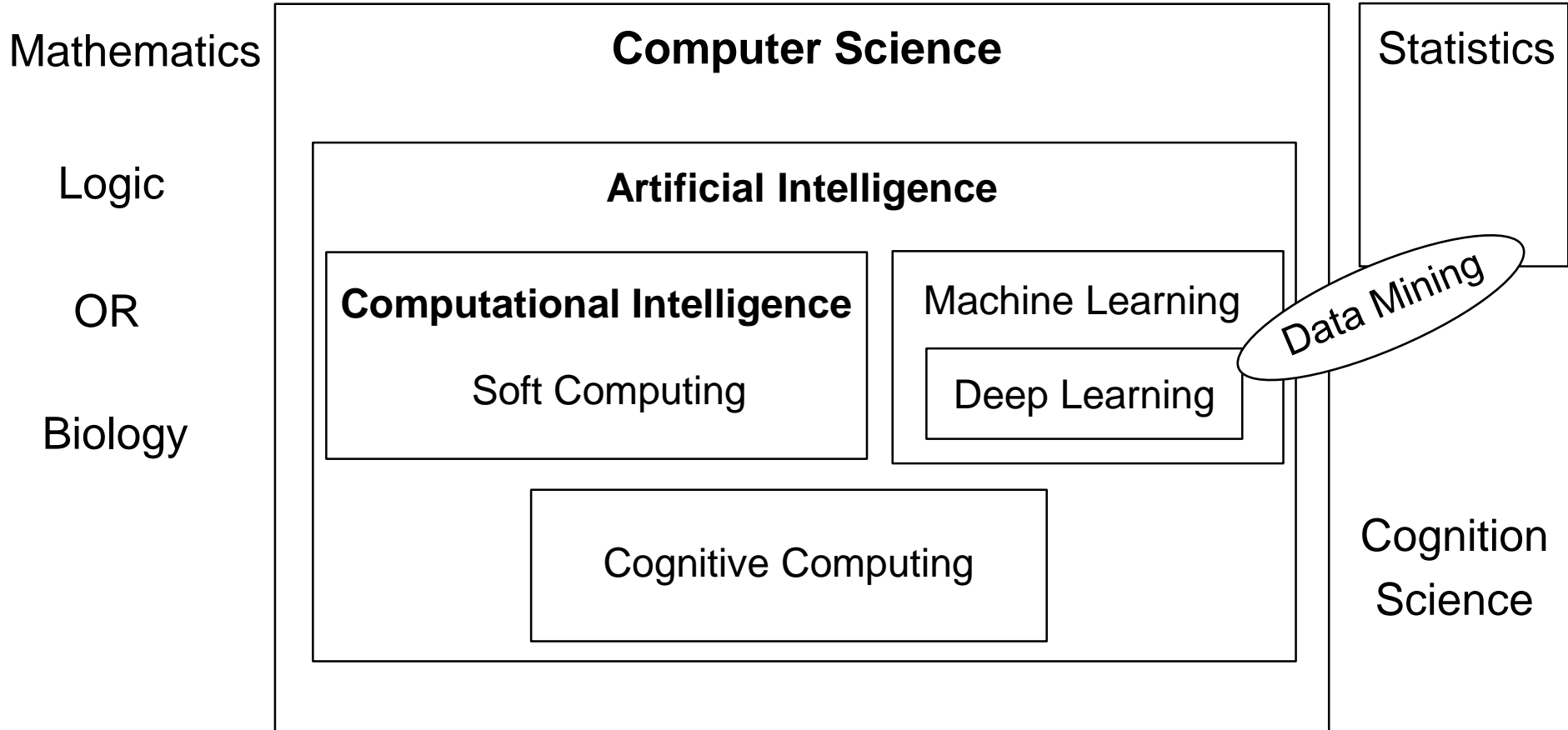
- mathematics,
- programming,
- logic

is helpful.

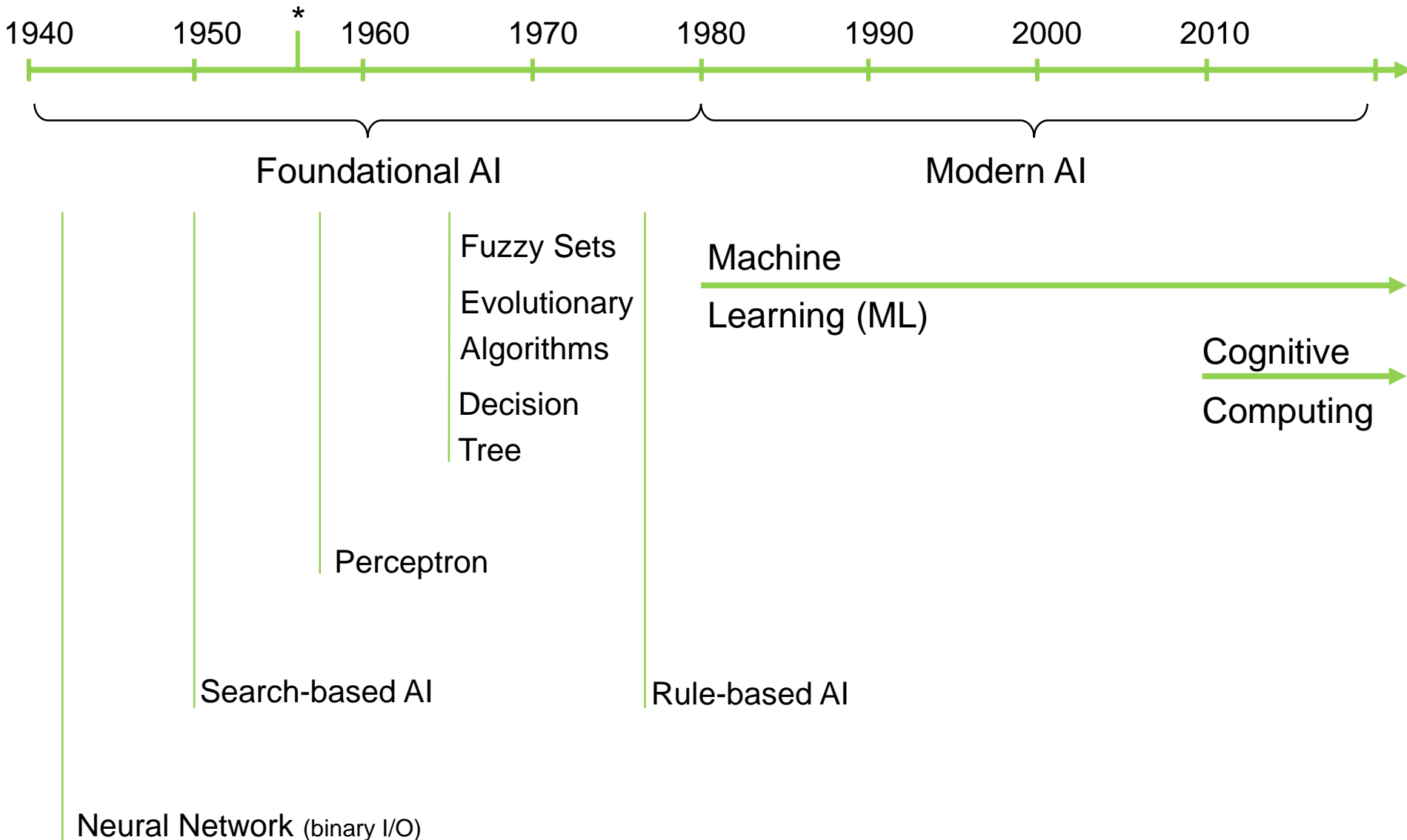
## **But what if something is unknown to me?**

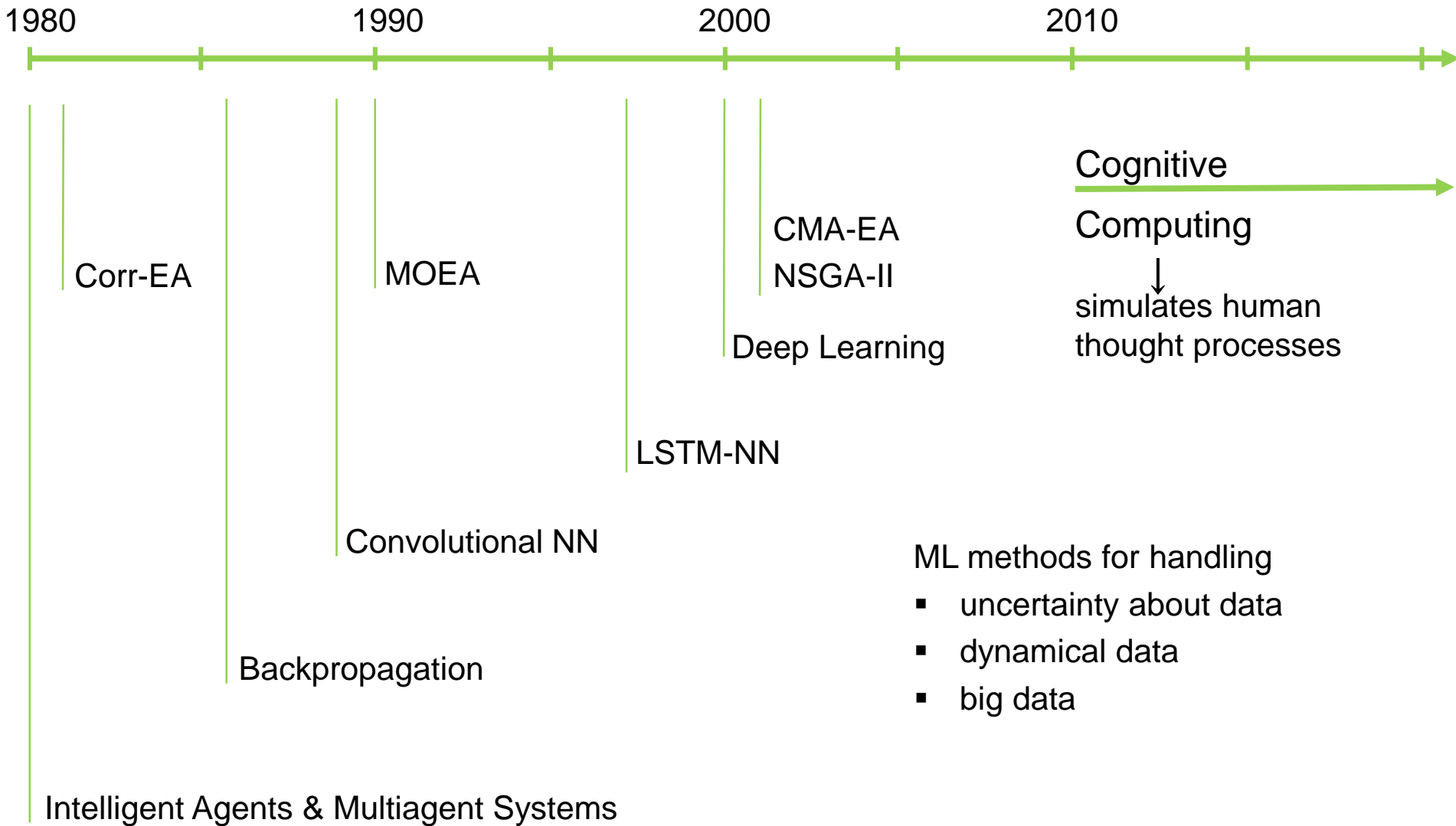
- covered in the lecture
- pointers to literature

**... and don't hesitate to ask!**









What is CI ?

⇒ umbrella term for computational methods inspired by nature

- artificial neural networks
- evolutionary algorithms
- fuzzy systems
- swarm intelligence
- artificial immune systems
- growth processes in trees
- ...

historical backbone

newer developments

- term „computational intelligence“ made popular by John Bezdek (FL, USA)
- originally intended as a demarcation line  
⇒ establish border between artificial and computational intelligence
- nowadays: blurring border → current widespread perception:  $CI \subset AI$

### **our goals:**

1. know what CI methods are good for!
2. know when refrain from CI methods!
3. know why they work at all!
4. know how to apply and adjust CI methods to your problem!