

DII Program

'Solution Design Phase' SEMINAR

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Title: The Role of PhD Talent in Advanced AI Startups

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ABSUTRACT

Preferred Networks, one of Japan's top AI developers, has a large number of PhD talents. While most of the PhDs are in informatics and mathematics, there are a certain number of PhDs who specialize in physics and chemistry. What do AI startups expect from those of us who have studied physics? It is not necessarily the ability to develop AI, but also the expertise in physics. I will talk about what companies expect from PhD holders. I will also discuss the gap between what is seen from the outside and what is actually seen from the inside of a startup company's hiring process.



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