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Things we can do with theory in HCI but often don't

Abstract

Theory is supposedly central to scholarship. Yet, the field of human-computer interaction (HCI) is confused about what theory is and what to do with it. In this talk I will present some data on what we do with theory in HCI. I will also discuss some ideas on what we instead should do with theory. They include conceptual analysis, building and testing propositions, and comparing theories.

Biography

Kasper Hornbæk received his M.Sc. and Ph.D. in Computer Science from the University of Copenhagen, in 1998 and 2002, respectively. Since 2014 he has been a professor in computer science at the University of Copenhagen. His core research interests is human-computer interaction, including usability research, shape-changing interfaces, large displays, body-based user interfaces, and information visualization. He serves on the editorial board of ACM Transactions on Human-computer Interaction and Human-Computer Interaction. In 2020, he was inducted to the CHI Academy.



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