

**Claims**

[Claim 1]

A computer system for determining a partner of communication, the computer system comprising:

a processor configured to:

communicate with a terminal device of a user to present an input portion on a user interface of the terminal device of the user;

receive, from the terminal device of the user, content of communication desired by the user which is input on the input portion via the user interface;

specify a person based on evaluation of communication performed by the user in the past and/or evaluation of communication performed by other users similar to the user in the past and specify features of the specified person as a first feature that the partner of the communication should have based on results of communication performed by the user in past and/or results of communication performed by other users similar to the user in past;

determine at least one partner based on the content of the communication desired by the user and the first feature;

transmit, to the terminal device of the at least one partner, a request for communication with the user;

in response to receiving, from the terminal device of the at least one partner, an input that the at least one partner has approved the request, communicate with the terminal device of the user to present the at least one partner who has approved the request as the partner of the communication on the user interface; and

after receiving, from the terminal device of the user, an input selecting that the user performs communication with the at least one partner, initiate the communication between the user and the at least one partner via the terminal device of the user and the terminal device of the at least one partner, wherein

the processor is further configured to specify the first feature by:

specifying the person who is evaluated by the user or the other users to have an evaluation value above a threshold value; and

specifying features of the specified person as the first feature.

[Claim 2]

The computer system according to claim 1,  
wherein the processor is further configured to  
extract a plurality of candidates for the partner  
based on the content of the communication desired by the  
user and the first feature,

for each candidate for the partner of the plurality of candidates for the partner, specify a second feature that the partner should have in communication with the candidate for the partner based on results of communication performed by the candidate for the partner in past, and

determine the at least one partner from the plurality of candidates for the partner based on whether or not the user has the second feature of each of the plurality of candidates for the partner.

[Claim 3]

The computer system according to claim 1 or 2,  
wherein the content of the communication desired by the user includes a topic that the user wants to talk about in the communication and/or response of the partner desired by the user in the communication.

[Claim 4]

The computer system according to any one of claims 1 to 3,  
wherein the first feature includes a feature regarding a job.

[Claim 5]

The computer system according to claim 4,

wherein the feature regarding the job includes a career.

[Claim 6]

The computer system according to claim 5,  
wherein the processor is further configured to  
receive content of a career desired by the user, and  
determine the at least one partner based on the  
content of the career.

[Claim 7]

The computer system according to any one of claims 1  
to 6, comprising:

transmit a request for communication with the user  
to the determined at least one partner; and

present the at least one partner who has approved  
the request to the user as the partner of the  
communication in response to approval of the request by  
the at least one partner.

[Claim 8]

The computer system according to claim 7,  
wherein the user is anonymously indicated in the  
request, and

the at least one partner is anonymously presented to  
the user.

[Claim 9]

The computer system according to any one of claims 1 to 8, comprising a database unit that stores evaluation of communication performed by a plurality of users in the past and features of the plurality of users.

[Claim 10]

The computer system according to any one of claims 1 to 9, the computer system is configured to enable communication between the user and the determined at least one partner to be executed.

[Claim 11]

The computer system according to claim 10, the communication is executed via only speech or via video and speech or via text or via an avatar.

[Claim 12]

The computer system according to any one of claims 1 to 9, the processor is further configured to

provide a plurality of input portions on the user interface; and

receive the content of communication input to one of the plurality of input portions via the user interface, and

wherein the determined at least one partner is presented on the user interface.

[Claim 13]

A method for determining a partner of communication,  
the method comprising:

communicating with a terminal device of a user to  
present an input portion on a user interface of the  
terminal device of the user;

receiving, from the terminal device of the user,  
content of communication desired by the user which is  
input on the input portion via the user interface;

specifying a person based on evaluation of  
communication performed by the user in the past and/or  
evaluation of communication performed by other users  
similar to the user in the past and specifying features  
of the specified person as a first feature that the  
partner of the communication should have based on results  
of communication performed by the user in past and/or  
results of communication performed by other users similar  
to the user in past;

determining at least one partner based on the  
content of the communication desired by the user and the  
first feature;

transmitting, to the terminal device of the at  
least one partner, a request for communication with the  
user;

in response to receiving, from the terminal device  
of the at least one partner, an input that the at least

one partner has approved the request, communicating with the terminal device of the user to present the at least one partner who has approved the request as the partner of the communication on the user interface; and

after receiving, from the terminal device of the user, an input selecting that the user performs communication with the at least one partner, initiating the communication between the user and the at least one partner via the terminal device of the user and the terminal device of the at least one partner, wherein

the specifying the first feature includes:

specifying the person who is evaluated by the user or the other users to have an evaluation value above a threshold value, and

specifying features of the specified person as the first feature.

[Claim 14]

A non-transitory computer-readable storage medium that stores a program for determining a partner of communication, the program being executed in a computer system including a processor unit, and the program causing the processor unit to execute processing comprising:

communicating with a terminal device of a user to present an input portion on a user interface of the terminal device of the user;

receiving, from the terminal device of the user, content of communication desired by the user which is input on the input portion via the user interface;

specifying a person based on evaluation of communication performed by the user in the past and/or evaluation of communication performed by other users similar to the user in the past and specifying features of the specified person as a first feature that the partner of the communication should have based on results of communication performed by the user in past and/or results of communication performed by other users similar to the user in past;

determining at least one partner based on the content of the communication desired by the user and the first feature;

transmitting, to the terminal device of the at least one partner, a request for communication with the user;

in response to receiving, from the terminal device of the at least one partner, an input that the at least one partner has approved the request, communicating with the terminal device of the user to present the at least one partner who has approved the request as the partner of the communication on the user interface; and

after receiving, from the terminal device of the user, an input selecting that the user performs communication with the at least one partner, initiating

the communication between the user and the at least one partner via the terminal device of the user and the terminal device of the at least one partner, wherein

the specifying the first feature includes:

specifying the person who is evaluated by the user or the other users to have an evaluation value above a threshold value, and

specifying features of the specified person as the first feature.