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Theme: Industry 4.0 and AI

The 2021 IEEE International Conference on Networking, Sensing and Control will be held in Xiamen, a historic and scenic city in Fujian Province, China. It will feature plenary speeches, panel sessions, tutorials, workshops, interactive sessions, and invited/special sessions. Contributions are expected from academia, industry, and management agencies. The conference theme is: Industry 4.0 and AI.

Technical topics of the conference include but are not limited to:

Adaptive systems Autonomous agents and multi-agent Automobile control and sensor systems Big Data analytics Collaborative systems Complex system management Control of networks Cyber-physical systems

Discrete event systems Distributed intelligent systems Emergency mitigation Emergency planning

Emergency response Fuzzy and neural systems Hazard mitigation

Heterogeneous wireless networks Homeland security

Human factors Human adaptive mechatronics Human/computer interface Industrial 4.0 system and practice Information systems & infrastructure

Intelligent vehicle highway systems Internet of things

Medical and patient monitoring Micro/nano, electro-mechanical sensor systems

Multi-level multi-objective optimization

Network security

Network-based computing systems Networked control systems Quantum cybernetics

Quantum machine learning

Resilient control systems

Sensor design, integration and fusion

Sensor networks

Smart car and vehicle control Smart city

Smart grids

Smart home environments Smart vision and image processing Software engineering for the IoT

Social networking Social simulation

Space-based networking Tele-robotics

Wearable computing and communications

Wireless communications Wireless sensor networks

Call for Special Sessions/ Workshop

Interested attendees are encouraged to propose special sessions/workshops, each of which consists of five papers providing a focused discussion of new or innovative topics. Each proposal must include the session/workshop title, description, organizers and affiliations. Proposals should be sent to the workshop chairs or special session chairs with the following emails.

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Special session papers will undergo the same intense review process and submission is not a guarantee for acceptance. Special session papers must be clearly indicated when submitted with a copy sent to the designated special session organizer.

Paper Submission

Complete manuscripts must be electronically submitted through the conference website: https://easychair.org Submitted manuscripts should be within six (6) pages in IEEE two-column format, including figures, tables, and references. Please use the templates at http://www.ieee.org/conferences_events/conferences/publishing/templates.html from the conference website to prepare your paper. All submissions MUST be in PDF format.

Important Dates

July 1, 2021 Workshop and Special session proposals deadline

August 1, 2021 Paper submission due September 15, 2021 Notification of acceptance Camera-ready copy due October 15, 2021

November 5-7, 2021 Conference