



Message from Conference Chairs

Dear members of the SOCO family,

As you know, it was planned that the 2020 edition of SOCO conference was going to be held in the beautiful and historic city of Burgos (Spain), in September 2020. However, due to the COVID-19 outbreak, and taking delegate' health a as priority, the conference is being held fully online.

In this relevant edition, a special emphasis was put on the organization of special sessions. Thirteen special session have been organized related to relevant topics such as: Soft Computing Applications in Precision Agriculture, Manufacturing and Management Systems, Management of Industrial and Environmental Enterprises, Logistics and Transportation Systems, Robotics and Autonomous Vehicles, , Computer Vision, Laser-Based Sensing and Measurement and other topics such as Forecasting Industrial Time Series, IoT, Big Data and Cyber Physical Systems, Non-linear Dynamical Systems and Fluid Dynamics, Modelling and Control systems.

After a through peer-review process, the SOCO 2020 International Program Committee selected 83 papers authored by researchers from 32 countries, which represents an acceptance rate of 35%. The selection of papers was extremely rigorous in order to maintain the high quality of SOCO conference editions and we would like to thank Session Chairs and the members of the Program Committees for their



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hard work in the reviewing process. This is a crucial process to the creation of a high standard conference and the SOCO conference would not exist without their help.

We would like to thank you all for your support and understanding. Hopefully, we will meet face-to-face in the 2021 edition.

Be safe

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