Call for Special Tracks

IEEE CBMS 2020, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minnesota, USA

June 22-24, 2020

Contact: cbms2020specialtrack@gmail.com

IEEE CBMS 2020 invites proposals for organisation of special tracks that will be held in parallel with the general conference track. A special track consists of a group of papers in a sub-discipline, such as health informatics, biomedical engineering/technology or a specialised field.

Special tracks are an integral part of most CBMS conferences since 2005. The themes of the special tracks should not overlap with the general conference topics and should focus on emerging research fields. Their papers should report on significant unpublished work and must meet the same standards as main conference papers. All accepted papers are included in the conference proceedings.

Organiser(s) of each Special Track (ST) are responsible for the quality of the papers in their track as well as managing the review process accordingly and assigning Program Committee members as reviewers for the ST. Special Track Chairs in collaboration with the ST organiser(s) and PC chairs will do the final paper selection. A successful special track will consist of at least 4-5 accepted papers per session and 1-3 sessions.

If you are interested in organizing a Special Track, please submit your proposal by email to cbms2020specialtrack@gmail.com adding to the subject "[CBMS 2020 ST Proposal]"

Each proposal needs to include

- Special track title
- Rough estimate of the expected ST size as number of sessions (with 4-5 papers per session)
- A brief biography of ST organizer(s)
- List of Special Track program committee members
- A draft of Special Track "Call for papers"
- One or two appropriate journals or follow up publications: tracks are expected to organize a special issue

Important dates, to be considered during ST planning and follow up publication arrangements:

- Submission page opens (for all tracks): Jan 15, 2020
- Submission deadline (for all tracks): Feb 29, 2020
- Notification of acceptance (for all tracks): March 30, 2020
- Camera ready due: April 15, 2020
- Author registration deadline: April 22, 2020
- IEEE CBMS 2020: June 22-24, 2020

Important dates for track proposal submission:

- Special track proposal submission: January 10, 2020
- Notification of acceptance: January 15, 2020

For further questions please contact the Special Track chairs or Email to them via cbms2020specialtrack@gmail.com. Also, Check CBMS webpage for contact details!