



✦ AIM

The ETFA conference brings together experts from industry and academia to disseminate novel ideas and emerging trends, research results and practical achievements in the area of industrial and factory automation. The ultimate goal is fostering the development and adoption of scientific methods, models, and tools for the efficient design and operation of industrial and factory automation systems.

✦ SOLICITED PAPERS

Research papers. Survey papers. Work-in-progress and Industry practice papers.

✦ TECHNICAL TRACKS

- ✦ Information Technology in Automation
track co-chairs: Alexander Fay (Germany) and Stamatis Karnouskos (Germany)
- ✦ Industrial Communication Technologies and Systems
track co-chairs: Jürgen Jasperneite (Germany) and Luis Lino Ferreira (Portugal)
- ✦ Real-Time (and Networked) Embedded Systems
track co-chairs: Luis Almeida (Portugal) and Martin Horauer (Austria)
- ✦ Automated Manufacturing Systems
track co-chairs: Jorge Júlvez (Spain) and Michael Weyrich (Germany)
- ✦ Industrial Control
track co-chairs: Herminio Martinez (Spain) and Antonio Visioli (Italy)
- ✦ Computer Vision and Human-Machine Interaction in Industrial and Factory Automation
track co-chairs: Marco Porta (Italy) and Javier Silvestre-Blanes (Spain)
- ✦ Intelligent Robots & Systems
track co-chairs: José Angel Castellanos (Spain) and Alberto Ortiz (Spain)
- ✦ Intelligent Sensors, Sensor Networks, and Information Processing
track co-chairs: Thilo Sauter (Austria) and Stefano Vitturi (Italy)
- ✦ Complex Automation Systems and Systems Engineering
track co-chairs: Athanasios Kalogeras (Greece) and Luca Ferrarini (Italy)
- ✦ Artificial Intelligence for Cyber-Physical Systems in Automation
track co-chairs: Tullio Fachinetti (Italy) and Oliver Niggemann (Germany)

✦ SPECIAL SESSIONS

Special Sessions provide the opportunity to focus on particular emerging topics that are not covered in the conference's main technical tracks and/or to stimulate in-depth discussions in special areas relevant to the conference theme. Deadline for submission of Special Session proposals: January 10, 2019. Acceptance notification: January 24, 2019.

✦ WORKSHOPS

Workshop proposals to address cutting edge research and developments in technological sciences are welcome. The Workshops will be held on September 10, 2019. Deadline for submission of Workshop proposals: March 1, 2019. Acceptance notification: March 8, 2019

✦ INDUSTRY DAY

The Industry Day offers an opportunity to exchange views with researchers and practitioners from academia and industry. The Industry Day will be held on September 10, 2019.

✦ AUTHOR'S SCHEDULE (2019)

✦ Regular and special sessions papers

Submission deadline April 1 April 22
 Acceptance notification May 6 May 20
 Deadline for final manuscripts June 17 June 27

✦ Work-in-progress/ Industry practice papers

Submission deadline May 13 June 3
 Acceptance notification June 10 June 24
 Deadline for final manuscripts June 17 July 1

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