



Dear TC 9.5 Fan Club,

Please find below the latest news related to TC 9.5 - there is a lot going on!

First of all we welcome the new TC members – in stochastic order without titles:

Ella Magdalena Ciupercă, Romania

Denis Fedyanin, Russia

Maria Cristina Iliescu, Romania

Youshaa Murhij, Russia

Peter Trefilov, Russia

Victor Adrian Vevera, Romania

Orlagh Costello, Ireland

Vassil Guliashki, Bulgaria

Xhemajl Mehmeti, Kosovo

Fahmida Chowdhury, USA

Denis Fedyanin, Russia

Richard Murray, USA

Bozenna Pasik-Duncan, USA

Emily Watson, Ireland

Catherine Anne Kelly, Ireland

Ille Gebeshuber, TU Wien, Austria

Claudia Schickling, TU Wien, Austria

Therefore we have currently 131 members in our TC.

TECIS 2019: The conference was a success. The organizers received approx. 140 contributions, 117 accepted, 114 scheduled - approx. 120 participants. The contributions were 6 plenary talks, 6 invited sessions and 25 regular sessions. They covered a very broad field of subjects including Social Aspects of Technology Transfer, Globalisation Impact of International Stability, Control Education and International Stability, Engineering Ethics, Cultural Effects, Knowledge Management and Intelligent Systems, Complex Adaptive Systems, Technology and Environmental Stability, Cost Oriented Automation (COA) and End of life Management (EoL). The modern conference hotel on the seaside had a very good conference infrastructure, was located at the Black sea. The social program included a welcome party and a banquet dinner with Bulgarian folklore.

The TC 9.5 meeting was organized on Saturday, September 28, 2019. Minutes see attachment.

Further, we are delighted to announce TECIS 2021 which will take place in Moscow (Russia), September 15-18, 2021. Please mark this in your calendar.

The new working group "9.5.5 Diversity and Inclusion" chaired by Mary Doyle Kent was installed. For details pls. visit <https://tc.ifac-control.org/9/5/all/scope-1/scope> or contact Mary.

Very important: IFAC World Congress 2020 in Berlin, Germany. Members of our TC proposed an open invited session "Past, present and future: technology developments in view of their impact on society, the environment and international stability". Pls. upload your contributions under the session code m3543 until November 11, 2019.

Thanks and looking forward to meet you in Berlin or Moscow at latest.

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Peter (Kopacek)