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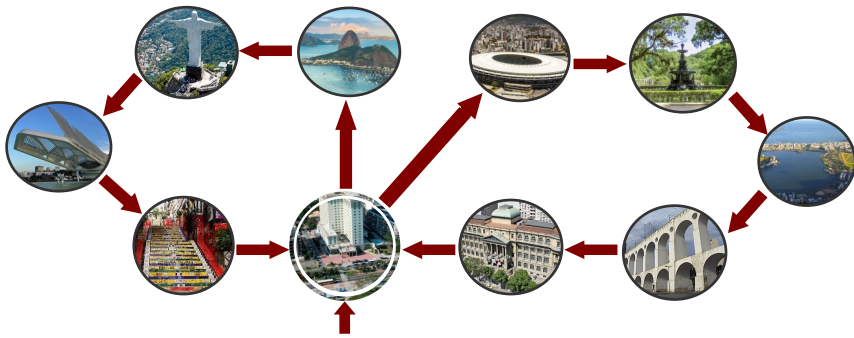
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Discrete Event Systems

April 29th – May 1st Rio de Janeiro, Brazil



2nd Call For Papers

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- Formalisms and modeling methodologies: Petri nets, automata, state charts, process algebras, max-plus algebra, queueing networks;
- Control of discrete-event systems with emphasis on supervisory control and on real time control;
- Performance evaluation, optimization and scheduling; Diagnosis, fault detection, test, identification;
- Discrete approaches for hybrid systems;
- Event-driven methods in systems and control;
- Applications including manufacturing systems, transportation systems, power production, distributed systems, software engineering, home automation, workflow, telecommunication systems, biological systems;
- Automation methods and software tools enabling efficient handling of industrial-sized systems.
- Cyber-security of networked systems modeled by discrete event models



WODES 2024 will be held at Windsor Barra Hotel and it is organized by the Federal University of Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ). The venue is located at Barra da Tijuca beach, a pleasant neighborhood with an active commerce and in a walking distance of a subway station. The subway is a secure way of transportation throught the city and it provides easy access to most of the main tourist attractions of the city of Rio de Janeiro, such as the South and West Zone Beaches, Cristo Redentor, Sugarloaf mountain, Museum of Tomorrow, Selarón Steps, Maracanã Stadium, Botanic Garden, Rodrigo de Freitas Lagoon, Carioca Aqueduct (Arcos da Lapa), and the National Library.

Key Dates:

Special Session Proposals due: October, 20th 2023
Decision notification on Special Session proposals: October, 25th 2023
Submission site opens: November, 11th 2023
Initial paper submission due: January 7, 2024 (firm deadline)
Decision notification: February, 11th 2024
Final submission site opens: March, 4th 2024
Final paper submission due: March, 11th 2024

Submission details can be obtained from the conference website.





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Basis:

Originality, clarity, and potential impact on practical applications or theoretical foundations of control.

Procedure:

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- Download and fill out the Wodes 2024 Best Student Award Nomination Form (not available yet);
- Send the filled nomination form to wodes2024@dee.ufrj.br;
- Important Information: The nominating form must be filled out in full containing the following information

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3. The advisor's telephone number and e-mail address.
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