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# **MODOPT: Modeling and Optimization**

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Modeling and optimization are important design phases for software and hardware systems. With the development of mobile and wireless systems and applications, health and ambient systems, there is a need for new concepts and practices for modeling and optimization to be generalized.

MODOPT 2018 is dedicated to present and discuss innovative solutions or industrial impact on modeling and optimization. We solicit both academic, research, and industrial contributions. We welcome technical papers presenting research and practical results, position papers addressing the pros and cons of specific proposals, such as those being discussed in the standard fora or in industry consortia, survey papers addressing the key problems and solutions on any of the above topics short papers on work in progress, and panel proposals.

**Prospective authors** are invited to submit original papers on topics including, but not limited to:

- Foundations of modeling and optimization
- Enterprise modeling and optimization
- Modeling and optimization in real-time systems
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- Empirical modeling
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- Quality assurance and modeling (analysis, testing, verification)
- Functional and non-functional properties of models
- Programming models and frameworks
- Parallel algebraic modeling
- Model transformations
- Modeling in Internet-of-Thinks systems

- Modeling and optimization in Cloud-oriented systems
- Tools for modeling and optimization
- Languages and notations for modeling and optimization
- Programming aspects for modeling and optimization
- Parallel I/O optimization, convex optimization, stochastic optimization
- Quality, clarity, and accuracy in modeling
- Modeling and statistical modeling approaches
- Performance benchmarking and optimization
- Modeling domains (data analytics, big data, systems engineering, social media, devices and services, mobile applications, health applications, open source software)
- Input noise modeling
- Modeling and Optimization of 5G RAT/RAN (Radio Access Technology/Network)
- Modeling and Optimization of Cloud Access and Small Cells
- Modeling features (collaboration, scalability, security, interoperability, adaptability)
- Maintenance an extension of models
- Cost-effectiveness of models and optimization
- Models for performance analysis and prediction

### **Important Datelines**

- Inform the Chair (see Contact below): As soon as you decided to contribute

Submission: May 28 June 15Notification: June 20 June 25

Registration: June 30Camera ready: June 30

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