

Call for Doctoral Workshop Proposals Smart Cities through Projects: Achieving Quality of Life?

We encourage the presentation of Doctoral Workshop Proposals in the early and middle stages of the PhD research. The workshop focuses on interdisciplinary perspectives and dialogue.

Starting a New Journey – this proposal focuses on your PhD journey at the beginning of your research. Use the chance to present your research questions and the first outline of your project. Profit from in-depth discussions with and feedback by peers and professionals from different fields.

On the Journey – this proposal focuses on the first outcomes of your research in the middle stage of your PhD journey. Share your current research findings, and strengthen your arguments by the qualified feedback from professionals with diverse perspectives on your findings.

All presented proposals can be considered for elaboration and extension. PhD researchers will be given a chance to be published in either **IEEE Xplore** or **Project Management Research & Practice Journal**.

Presentation of each Doctoral Workshop Proposal should take max 15 minutes. The presentation will be followed by a 10 minutes discussion, during which researchers will also get feedback and suggestions for their future research.

At **IEEE E-TEMS 2021** – organised by the European Partnership for Project and Innovation Management – participants will share their understanding of the quality of life within cities, showcase their **digital transformation projects** and explore related themes. The programme will be a balance between topics emergent from submissions and those we specifically seek. For those interested in **regional perspectives**, it is essential to note that we are actively seeking contributions from organizations in and around Dortmund, Bilbao, Trondheim, Kaunas, Leuven, Kyiv and other Smart Cities.

Format:

The Doctoral Workshop is a part of the IEEE E-TEMS 2021 Conference, which will be held **completely online**.

A board of experienced researchers will decide which proposals will be presented. All PhD students and researchers are welcome to attend the workshop and the conference.

Please note that the registration for the IEEE E-TEMS 2021 is required.

Deadlines

Doctoral Workshop Proposal (1-2 pages) Submission: **January 31st, 2021** and Notification: **February 22nd, 2021**.

Topics:

- Achieving Smart Cities through Projects
- Transforming towards Digital Delivery
- Ensuring Diversity in Smart Cities
- Viewing Smart Cities from Gender Perspectives
- Being Mobile in Smart Cities
- Forming Digital Ecosystems
- Urbanizing Sustainably
- Engineering Smart Cities
- Securing Privacy in Smart Cities
- Training & Educating
- Definitions of Quality of Life in Smart Cities
- Managerial & Economical impact of Industry 4.0

More information about the submission requirements: <http://www.etems.digital/2021/paper-preparation/>

The submission should be done via EasyChair system: <https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=etems2021>

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