FOREWORD

The 12th International Symposium on Information and Communication Technology (SOICT 2023) is held on December 7-8, 2023, in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam. SOICT 2023 is an international academic forum for researchers and graduate students to share their latest research findings and to identify future challenges in computer science.

SOICT 2023 has received papers from 25 countries and regions in four major areas of research including AI Foundation and Big Data, Networking and Communication Technologies, Multimedia Processing, and Software Engineering, in addition to special sessions on Operations Research for Sustainable Urban Development, Artificial Intelligence and Data Science for Smart Health and Medicine, Recent Advances in Cyber Security, Human Computer Interaction and Intelligent Interactive Systems, and Lifelog Event Retrieval. The Program Committee has followed a formal standard reviewing process; bidding, reviewing, and deliberating for selecting 75 papers for regular presentation, and 61 papers for poster presentation and publication in the proceedings. It is our great honor to receive World-class invited speakers: Nabil Absi (École des Mines de Saint-Étienne, France), Tzung-Pei Hong (National University of Kaohsiung, Taiwan), Ravishankar K. Iyer (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, United States), Hans-Jürgen Zepernick (Blekinge Institute of Technology, Sweden), and Shengdong Zhao (National University of Singapore, Singapore).

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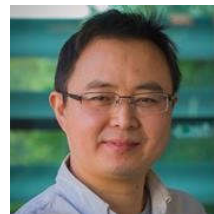
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Together, let's make the SOICT 2023 Conference a successful event!

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