CALL FOR PARTICIPATION
23rd Conference of Open Innovations
Association FRUCT
Bologna, Italy, 13-16 November 2018

Overview
FRUCT is a large Pan-European cooperation network that promotes open innovations of academia and industry. FRUCT conference is a high-quality scientific event for meeting academia and business people and setting projects. The average conference is attended by 120+ participants representing over 30 member organizations and guests from other organizations. Participants come from Italy, Finland, Russia, UK, Denmark, India, Brazil and other countries and industry is primary represented by Dell EMC, Nokia, MariaDB, Intel, Jolla, Open Mobile Platform, etc. The conference attracts most active and talented students to present their R&D projects, meet people alike, create new teams, and find employers and investors. The conference invites the world-class academic and industrial experts to lecture on the hottest topics. Traditionally the program consists of FRUCT work groups meetings and intensive (half or full day) technology trainings scheduled for Tu. The main conference program is for Wed-Fri. It includes regular sessions and thematic workshops, e.g., Workshop on IoT in Agriculture and Water Distribution. We welcome everybody to submit papers and take part in the conference, share your research and join the FRUCT Association. Thanks to sponsors we traditionally have low registration fee and various discounts can be applied. For further details refer to http://www.fruct.org/cfp and the registration is open at http://www.fruct.org/registration.

List of conference topics
✓ Internet of Things and enabling technologies
✓ Next Generation Networks, Wireless Technologies, 5G
✓ Smart Spaces, Linked Data and Semantic Web
✓ Big Data, Data Mining, Data Storage and Management
✓ Knowledge and Data Managements Systems
✓ Location Based Services: e-Tourism/Logistics/Navigation
✓ Open Source Mobile OS: Architectures and Applications
✓ Security and Privacy: Applications and Coding Theory
✓ Natural Language Processing, Speech Technologies
✓ Software Design, Innovative Applications
✓ Bioinformatics, e-Health and Wellbeing
✓ Sensor Design, Ad-hoc and Sensor Networking
✓ Context Awareness and Proactive Services
✓ Artificial Intelligence, Robotics and Automation
✓ Computer Vision, Image and Video Processing
✓ Smart Systems and Embedded Networks
✓ Crowdsourcing and Collective Intelligence
✓ Intelligence, Social Mining and Web
✓ IoT based Water Distribution Management
✓ IoT and CPS solutions for societal challenges

Call for papers
Depending on the type and maturity level please submit your work into one of the following 3 categories:
1. Full paper (min 6 pages, max 12 pages) OR 2. Short paper (min 200 words, max 5 pages)
   Submission deadline: 14 September 2018 Early-bird deadline: 24 August 2018
   Notification of acceptance: 5 October 2018 Camera-ready deadline: 12 October 2018
3. Poster / Demo proposal: submission deadline: 29 October 2018

Publication
All submitted Full Papers will be peer reviewed by the technical committee. Accepted Full papers and extended abstracts are published in the proceeding of FRUCT conference (ISSN 2305-7254). All accepted Full Papers will be included into IEEE Xplore, and indexed by Scopus, ACM, DBLP and RSCI. Selected papers will be recommended for CPCI indexing (Web of Science) and to IJERTCS journal. The Full Papers proceedings will be included to Scimago Journal Rank http://scimagojr.com/journalsearch.php?q=21100305223&tip=sid and DOAJ. FRUCT is rated by many national libraries, e.g., Norwegian, Danish (BFI ID 8782540).

Contacts
Paper templates, conference news and other relevant details are available at http://www.fruct.org/conference23. If you get some questions that are not covered at the conference web page, feel free to send email to info@fruct.org.