

## **Invited Sessions Application Form**

## Topic: Smart Mechatronics and Robotics Systems

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## Abstract

In the past years, smart mechatronics and robotics systems have attracted more attentions because machine learning, computer vision and advanced controls are usually integrated together in these systems that show more flexible and intelligent behaviors. For promoting the development of smart mechatronics and robotics systems, the ICCSE conference is held on August 19 to 21, 2018. This session is intended to provide a forum for colleagues in smart mechatronics and robotics areas to share their experiences and new research achievements. Topics are included but not limited to:

- Intelligent robots and mechatronics products
- Autonomous vehicles or robots
- Machine learning applications in robotics
- Vision based robotic or mechatronics systems
- Advanced control of autonomous robots or self-driving vehicles
- Deep learning and neural network technologies



## **Short Bio of Chairs**



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