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Bundesministerium für Verkehr, Innovation und Technologie Dear IFAC Friends and Colleagues, Ladies and Gentlemen.

It is a great honor and a privilege to address this distinguished Assembly. I am very grateful to you, the representatives of the National Member Organizations of IFAC, for having elected me to serve our Federation as its 21st President. Thank you for your generous support to IFAC over many years and I count on your continued support to IFAC in the future.

You are more than welcome to contact me anytime to discuss any issue related to IFAC activities and to the involvement of your NMO.

I would also like to congratulate the newly elected officials and I look forward to working with all of them. We are extremely fortunate and thankful that so many high quality volunteers are contributing to IFAC and devoting so much of their time to serve the automatic control community at large.

The formal French process of bidding for the IFAC World Congress started in 2006. Our intent was reaffirmed during the Council and related meetings in Toulouse in 2007, and during the IFAC friendship evening in Seoul (2008) where we unveiled the booklet "IFAC in France". We were finally awarded the bid to host the 2017 IFAC World Congress at the Council meeting in Baltimore, USA, in 2010.

The bidding process was a real team effort and I would like to express my sincere appreciation to our team consisting of Jean-Michel Dion, Serge Boverie, Dimitri Peaucelle, Didier Henrion, Denis Dochain, Louise Trave-Massuyes, Luc Dugard, Alexandre Dolgui, Isabelle Queinnec, Houria Siguerdidjane, Hervé Panetto, and many other wonderful colleagues from different French and Belgian institutions and research centers that I just don't have the time to mention them all. I would like to express my heartfelt thanks to Jean-Michel Dion, past Council member, for his precious help to obtain institutional and government funding and support to our bidding process. I am also very grateful for the support and the involvement of the Belgian NMO in the organization of the 2017 World Congress.

I am thankful to the support of my employer, the University of Reims Champagne-Ardenne,



IFAC President Janan Zaytoon

to my service to IFAC. And on a more personal level, I am enormously grateful to my wife Florence; without her generous and unselfish support, my IFAC involvement would not have been possible.

IFAC was founded in Paris in 1957, and Automatic Control has a long tradition in France. The more than 100 IFAC events organized so far or scheduled to take place in the coming years in France clearly demonstrate that the French automatic control community is strongly committed to IFAC and treasures its involvement in IFAC's activities.

My own involvement with IFAC started at the IFAC Conference on Integrated Systems Engineering, in Baden-Baden, Germany, in 1994, where I presented a paper. In 1999, I became the coordinator of the French NMO and have since been fortunate to contribute to IFAC at various levels, from being a Technical and Executive Committee member, and then Editorial Board member and Technical Committee Chair, to being a member of the Executive Board and Council. I have also chaired 7 IFAC events, initiated the series of IFAC Conferences on Analysis and Design of Hybrid Systems, and served as past Editor-in-Chief of an IFAC affiliated journal.

Our Federation is in good health thanks to the top-level quality of the individuals involved, Continued on page 2

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From Editorial teams of our journals; to the technical and executive boards and their committees that rely on the highly competent efforts of more than 2000 volunteers.

I wish to express my sincerest thanks to all previous leaders of IFAC, for having managed the Federation so well over the past years. I am very grateful to IFAC Past Presidents Brian Anderson, Steve Kahne, Pedro Albertos, Vladimir Kucera, Wook Kwon, Alberto Isidori, and Ian Craig for their support and advice, and for the opportunities they gave me to serve IFAC in various roles.

In particular, I wish to congratulate Ian Craig for his vision and his great achievements. President Craig's term of office will be long remembered in IFAC's history as the term during which a very important and successful strategic review process of IFAC missions and procedures was conducted. The whole process has resulted in a tremendous added value to the brand and the quality of activities of our Federation and will inspire future IFAC actions and projects for many years to come.

During his triennium as president, Ian Craig was very ably assisted by Vice-Presidents Roger Goodall and Iven Mareels, Immediate Past President Alberto Isidori, and Treasurer, Lino Guzzella and then John Lygeros. I have really appreciated working with all of them and have greatly benefited from their advice and their help.

My duties will be to ensure that IFAC builds on the strong and solid foundation laid by my predecessors to make IFAC, and control science and engineering, attractive for larger sets of young people. During my term of office (2014 to 2017) many initiatives and projects will be conducted to:

- better involve young people and women in IFAC activities, and create new awards for young people;
- better reach new people from less favored regions with the help of the IFAC Foundation. In this respect, the NMOs will be consulted by a postal ballot to introduce a special category membership for NMOs from less favored regions;
- complete the contents of IFAC-PapersOn-Line by scanning the old IFAC event proceedings that are currently only available on paper in IFAC archives;
- strengthen the IFAC journals portfolio and the role of education within IFAC;
- better articulate to industry the value of IFAC's activities;
- raise the visibility and outreach of IFAC through social media, reinforcement of IFAC branding and archiving of IFAC history;
- and additionally-- to provide assistance to the website management of our technical activities.

The IFAC finances will be used wisely to implement these projects.

I am very fortunate to begin a term of office with the help of an outstanding team of officers, including Past President Ian Craig, President-Elect Frank Allgower, TB Chair Frank Doyle, EB Chair Sergio Bittanti, and our Treasurer John Lygeros, as well as a strong team of advisors and officials.

We are also very thankful to the excellent support that we continue to receive from our Secretary Kurt Schlacher and his team in Laxenburg, Harald Albrecht, Elske Haberl and Katharina Willixhofer, who is attending her first IFAC World Congress this year.

I am happy that a new contract that manages the excellent relationship between IFAC and our prestigious publisher, Elsevier, has been established. According to this contract, PapersOnLine will move to Science Direct with the aim of reinforcing its indexing coverage.

We are extremely grateful for the longstanding support of the Austrian government and now the Austrian Ministry of Technology and Innovation (BMVIT) to the activities of IFAC. I would therefore like you to join me in expressing our sincere thanks to Mr Michael Wiesmueller who is the representative of BMVIT.

All that remains for me is to invite you to attend the 2017 IFAC World Congress in Toulouse, France, where we will celebrate the 60th anniversary of IFAC. The Congress team is already hard at work to make this a highly rewarding, memorable and enjoyable event.

Thank you.

## 19th IFAC World Congress Cape Town, South Africa 24 – 29 August 2014

#### PLENARY LECTURES

Professor Ian Craig (IFAC President 2011-2014) received a large number of excellent suggestions for plenary and semi-plenary lectures. The final list of plenary speakers was as follows:

- Hajime Asama, The University of Tokyo
- Lei Guo, Chinese Academy of Sciences
- Thomas Jones, Stellenbosch University
- Mustafa Khammash, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology Zurich (EHTZ)
- · Naomi Leonard, Princeton University
- Jack Little, MathWorks
- Joseph Lu, Honeywell Process Solutions
- Richard Murray, California Institute of Technology
- Ernst Scholtz, ABB Corporate Research
- David Vos, Tebogo LLC

### TECHNICAL PAPERS

The total number of papers received and in the final programme is summarised in Table 1 below. The papers per Coordinating Committee are also shown. Because all the Invited Sessions are grouped together, it does not give a full picture of the contribution in each area.

#### **Tabel 1 Paper statistics**

Received/Accepted into final programme Contributed extended abstract 10 6 1512 Contributed regular paper 2064 7 Contributed survey paper 12 5 Interactive paper 5 **Invited extended abstract** 1 1 9 9 Invited keynote paper **Invited regular paper** 547 459 **Totals** 2648 1999

In the peer review process, 7117 review reports were obtained and processed, making an average of 2.7 reviews per paper. The effort of editors, associate editors and reviewers in this significant task is acknowledged.

Papers in the final programme by Coordinating Committee with Invited Session papers represented separately.

## Coordinating Committee/Papers in Program

Systems & Signals	359
Design Methods	404
Computers, Cognition &	
Communication	43
Mechatronics, Robotics &	
Components	206
Manufacturing Systems	68
Industrial Systems	281
<b>Transportation &amp; Vehicles Systems</b>	187
Bio & Ecological Systems	109
Social Systems	35
Invited Sessions	307

#### **AUTHOR STATISTICS**

There were 6420 individual authors of accepted papers (excluding plenary speakers) from 73 countries.

Contributed & Invited Papers in Program (All Authors)

Table 1 Distribution of authors of accepted papers per country

Country Accepted papers (All Authors)

China	735
France	680
United States of America	532
Italy	519
Germany	517
Sweden	265
Spain	250
Australia	229
United Kingdom	226
Brazil	210
Japan	201
Netherlands	165
New Zealand	153
Russia	138
Belgium	117

Total Authors	6420
Zambia	1
Vietnam	1
Trinidad and Tobago	1
Peru	1
Mauritius	1
Cyprus	1
Cameroon	1
Bulgaria	1
Belarus	1
Bangladesh	1
Serbia	2
Luxembourg	2
Egypt Indonesia	2 2 2 2 2
Ecuador	2
Thailand	3
Sudan	3
Pakistan	3
Malaysia	3
Botswana	3
United Arab Emirates	4
Ukraine	5
Qatar	5
Nigeria	5
Cuba	5 5
Colombia	5
Estonia	6
Saudi Arabia	7
Argentina	8
Algeria	9
Morocco	11
Taiwan Croatia	19
Slovenia Taiwan	19 19
Israel	21
Ireland	22
Greece	22
Iran	23
Chile	23
Romania	30
Singapore	33
Hungary	38
Turkey	44
India	48
Finland	49
Poland	51
Slovakia	55
Portugal	57
Austria Norway	63
Czech Republic	76 64
Mexico	82
Korea, South	92
Switzerland	101
Canada	103
South Africa	111
Denmark	112

## Total Countries THANKS

The IFAC World Congress is a large, high quality scientific event and with respect to the technical programme thanks are due to the IPC, the Editors, Associate Editors, Technical Associate Editors, reviewers and authors. For the practical success of the

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Congress, thanks are due to the National Organising Committee, the South African Council for Automation and Control (the IFAC NMO), the IFAC Secretariat, the sponsors, the professional conference organiser (African Agenda) and the team at PaperCept paper management system.

#### **International Program Committee**

- IPC Co-Chairs: E Boje (ZA), X Xia (ZA)
- **IPC Vice Chairs:** I Mareels (AU), S Boverie (FR), D Cho (KR)
- IPC Members: G Irwin (GB), S Bittanti (IT), D Henrion (FR), J Stoustrup (DK), J de la Puente (ES), D Dochain (BE), P Misra (US), M Braae (ZA), T Jones (ZA), P van den Hof (NL), T Samad (US)
- IPC Advisors: I Craig (ZA), A Isidori (IT), J Zaytoon (FR), L Guzzella (CH), R Goodall (GB), I Mareels (AU), J Lygeros (CH)
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E Gyurkovics, C Hadjicostis, M Heemels, UR Helmke, J-C Hennet, D Henrion, G Herrmann, J Hespanha, S Hirche, J Huang, G Indiveri, H Ishii, H Ito, B Iung, F Jabbari, K Janschek, R Jardim-Goncalves, B Jayawardhana, Z-P Jiang, KH Johansson, R Johansson, U Jumar, M Kano, I Karafyllis, DS Karbing, N Karcanias, M Kinnaert, P Kopacek, P Korondi, MV Kothare, Ü Kotta, L Kovacs, UB Kucukdemiral, A Kugi, CM Lagoa, Y Le Gorrec, KY Lee, J-J Lesage, ZL Lin, ZY Lin, V Lippiello, JJ Loiseau, M Macchi, JAT Machado, Y Majanne, L Marconi, B Maschke, M Matteucci, F Mayer, L Menini, T Meurer, W Michiels, SOR Moheimani, S Mondie, C Moog, M Nagai, S Narayanan, P Nenninger, S-I Niculescu, N Noguchi, G Notarstefano, C Ocampo-Martinez, N Olgac, G Oriolo, H Ozbay, H Panetto, S Panzieri, T Parisini, AM Pascoal, I Petrovic, S Pickl, U Pielmeier, AY Pogromsky, M-N Pons, C Pretty, C Prieur, SE Rees, G Rizzo, A Ruano, J Rudolph, J Sabatier, S Savaresi, T Sawaragi, O Sawodny, C Scali, A Sebastian, O Sename, A Serrani, S Sharma, T Shen, H Siguerdidjane, I Smets, B Solvang, M Soroush, M Sorrentino, SK Spurgeon, L Stapleton, T Stoilov, J Stoustrup, O Stursberg, A Tarasyev, T Thomessen, A Tsourdos, V Turetsky, P Valckenaers, RRP van Nooijen, G van Straten, F Vanderhaegen, B Vanek, R Vazquez, M Verhaegen, A Visioli, B Vogel-Heuser, F-Y Wang, H Weber, M Wegrzyn, E Weyer, JJ Winkin, F Woittennek, Y Xi, T Yamaguchi, M Zdravkovic, J Zhang, Y Zhang, Q-C Zhong, MC

## **National Organising Committee**

- Chair: F Camisani
- Members: C Aldrich, E Boje, K Brooks, L Coetzee, I Craig, T Jones, R Marumo, K Matjila, J McKenzie, F Nelwamondo, O Nyandoro, K Oosthuizen, R Roberts, C Sandrock, D Stepto, H Steyn, R Tzoneva, K Uren, P van Vuuren, J Viljoen, X Xia
- African Agenda (PCO): K Burton, K Tremeer

Submitted by Ed Boje, IPC Co-Chair

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## Highlights from the 2014 IFAC World Congress and Related Meetings



Celebrating the birthday of IFAC Advisor Mohammed Mansour after the Incoming Council held on Saturday, 30 August 2014. Pictured: IFAC Advisor Mohammed Mansour, IFAC President Janan Zaytoon and wife Florence Zaytoon.

Mansour served IFAC from 1981 – 1993 as IFAC treasurer.

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Plenary lecture given by Naomi Leonard (a 2011-2014 IFAC Fellow) of Princeton University, US. This year there were 10 plenary speakers at the IFAC World Congress.



Bozenna Pasik-Duncan (US) receiving her IFAC Fellow Award. This triennium saw a record-breaking number of IFAC Fellow Awards being awarded to women.

In addition Pasik-Duncan was the chair of TC 9.4 which hosted a workshop for high school students interested in control-related topics at the 2014 IFAC World Congress.



The IFAC Secretariat at work during the IFAC General Assembly, which was held on 25 August 2014. Pictured: IFAC Secretary Kurt Schlacher and Secretariat staff members Katharina Willixhofer and Elske Haberl. During the 2011-2014 triennium the Secretariat transitioned to new staff due to the 2012 retirements of Barbara Aumann and Ernestine Rudas.



IFAC President Ian Craig (2011-2014) and his family welcomed invited guests from South Africa and abroad to the IFAC President's Dinner, which was held at The Lookout, Cape Town, South Africa, on Saturday, 23 August 2014.



Two of the new Ordinary Council members for the 2014-2017 triennium. Pictured at the IFAC President's Dinner: Radhakant Padhi (India) and Ian Petersen (Australia).

Other new Ordinary Council members for the 2014-2017 triennium are: Jozsef Bokor (HU), Eduardo Camacho (ES), Dong-il (Dan) Cho (KR), Derong Liu (CN), and Sarah Spurgeon (UK).



Former IFAC Treasurer Lino Guzzella receiving his IFAC Advisor seal and certificate from Ian Craig. Each IFAC President may appoint advisors at the end of his/her presidential term of service. Ian Craig appointed four advisors. Listed in alphabetical order they are: Roger Goodall (UK), Lino Guzzella (CH), Alberto Isidori (IT), and Iven Mareels (AU).

On the subject of IFAC Advisors: Article 22 a) of the IFAC Constitution was amended at the 2014 General Assembly to bring several advisors appointed in previous triennia into compliance with the IFAC Constitution. The new wording is now included in the IFAC Constitution which is available on the IFAC website at:

http://www.ifac-control.org/about/ IFAC%20Constitution-and-By-Laws. pdf/view



IFAC President Ian Craig (2011-2014) with Chris Greenwell of IFAC publisher Elsevier and Outstanding Service Award winner during the 2011-2014 triennium, and Fei-Yue Wang (China), former TC 9.1 chair and current PubCom member for 2014-2017.

Due to a promotion within Elsevier, IFAC's publisher, Chris Greenwell has moved on to new responsibilities. Adam Wheeler is now serving as IFAC's Elsevier representative, a role which he has held since 2013.

Two new Elsevier contracts signed in Cape Town continue the Elsevier/IFAC relationship through 2020.



## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

2014 No. 5 October

Title	2014	Place	Further Information
IEEE/IFAC, SAE and others Conference on Connected Vehicles & Expo 3rd ICCVE 2014	November 03 – 07	Vienna Austria	http://www.iccve.org/ e-mail: committee@iccve.org
Title	2015	Place	Further Information
8th TU Vienna/IFAC Conference on Mathematical Modelling MATHMOD 2015	February 18 – 20	Vienna Austria	http://www.mathmod.at e-mail: info@mathmod.at
4th IFAC/SUT/ONR Workshop on Navigation, Guidance and Control of Underwater Vehicles NGCUV 2015	April 15 – 17	Girona Spain	http://ngcuv.udg.edu/ e-mail: mvs2015@unisalento.it
15th IFAC/IEEE/IFIP/IFORS Symposium on Information Control Problems in Manufacturing INCOM 2015	May 11 – 13	Ottawa Canada	http://incom2015.org/ e-mail: secr@incom2015.org
13th IFAC/IEEE Conference on Programmable Devices and Embedded Systems PDES 2015	May 13 – 15	Cracow Poland	http://pdes.polsl.pl/ e-mail: pdes@polsl.pl
3nd IFAC/IEEE Workshop on Multivehicle Systems MVS 2015	May 18	Genova Italy	http://mvs2015.unisalento.it/ e-mail: mvs2015@unisalento.it
2nd IFAC Workshop on Automatic Control in Offshore Oil and Gas Production OOGP 2015	May 27 – 29	Florianopolis Brazil	http://www.ifac-oilfield.ufsc.br/ e-mail: not yet available
5th IFAC Workshop on Dependable Control of Discrete Systems DCDS 2015	May 27 – 29	Cancun Mexico	http://not yet available e-mail: not yet available
Asian Control Conference (ASCC) in cooperation with IFAC	May – June 31 – 03	Kota Kinabalu Malaysia	http://ascc2015.com/ e-mail: secretariat@ascc2015.com
9th IFAC Symposium on Advanced Control of Chemical Processes ADCHEM 2015	June 07 – 10	Whistler Canada	http://www.adchem2015.ca/e-mail: adchem.2015@ualberta.ca
IFAC Workshop on Advanced Control and Navigation for Autonomous Aerospace Vehicles ACNAAV 2015	June 10 – 12	Seville Spain	http://www.aero.us.es/acnaav15 e-mail: rvazquez1@us.es
2nd IFAC Conference on Embedded Systems, Computer Intelligence and Telematics CESCIT 2015	June 22 – 24	Maribor Slovenia	http://cescit2015.um.si/ e-mail: cescit2015@um.si
1st IFAC Conference on Modelling, Identification and Control of Nonlinear Systems MICNON 2015	June 24 – 26	St. Petersburg Russian Federation	http://micnon2015.org/ e-mail: not yet available
12nd IFAC Workshop on Time Delay Systems TDS 2015	June 28 – 30	Ann Arbor, MI USA	http://me.engin.umich.edu/dirifac/ e-mail: timedelay2015@umich.edu
American Control Conference (ACC) in cooperation with IFAC	July 01 – 03	Chicago, IL USA	http://www.a2c2.org/conferences/acc2015/e-mail: braatz@mit.edu
8th IFAC Symposium on Robust Control Design ROCOND 2015	July 08 – 11	Bratislava Slovakia	http://www.rocond15.sk e-mail: info@rocond15.sk
European Control Conference (ECC) in cooperation with IFAC	July 15 – 17	Linz Austria	http://www.ecc15.at/ e-mail: secretariat@ecc15.at
AIChE's, PD2M Meeting on Foundations of Systems Biology in Engineering - FOSBE 2015 in cooperation with IFAC	August 09 – 12	Boston, MA USA	http://fosbe.org/ e-mail: rcraven@fosbe.org
4th IFAC Workshop on Engine and Powertrain Control, Simulation and Modeling E-COSM 2015	August 23 – 26	Columbus, OH USA	http://not yet available e-mail: not yet available



## FORTHCOMING EVENTS (ctd.)

## 2014 No. 5 October

10th IFAC Conference on Manoeuvring and Control of Marine Craft MCMC 2015	August 24 – 26	Copenhagen Denmark	http://www.conferencemanager.dk/mcmc2015 e-mail: secretariat@mcmc2015.dk
4th IFAC Conference on Analysis and Control of Chaotic Systems CHAOS 2015	August 26 – 28	Tokyo Japan	http://ctrl.mech.se.tmu.ac.jp/chaos2015 e-mail: not yet available
9th IFAC Symposium on Biological and Medical Systems BMS 2015	Aug. – Sept. 31 – 02	Berlin Germany	http://www.bms2015.org e-mail: info@bms2015.org
9th IFAC Symposium on Fault Detection, Supervision and Safety of Technical Processes SAFEPROCESS 2015	September 02 – 04	Paris France	http://safeprocess15.sciencesconf.org/ e-mail: contact@safeprocess2015.fr
5th IFAC Conference on Nonlinear Model Predictive Control NMPC 2015	September 17 – 20	Seville Spain	http://disa.us.es/nmpc15/ e-mail: dlm@us.es
16th IFAC Conference on Technology, Culture and International Stability TECIS 2015	September 24 – 27	Sozopol Bulgaria	http://www.tecis.tu-plovdiv.bg/ e-mail: tecis@tu-plovdiv.bg
16th IFAC Workshop on Control Applications of Optimization CAO 2015	October 06 – 09	Garmisch-Partenk. Germany	http://not yet available e-mail: not yet available
1st IFAC Workshop on Linear Parameter Varying systems LPVS 2015	October 07 – 09	Grenoble France	http://www.gipsa-lab.fr/LPVS2015/ e-mail: sssc2013@gipsa-lab.grenoble-inp.fr
5th IFAC Conference on Analysis and Design of Hybrid Systems ADHS 2015	October 14 – 16	Atlanta, Georgia USA	http://not yet available e-mail: e-mail: not yet available
17th IFAC/IEEE/CSS Symposium on System Identification SYSID 2015	October 19 – 21	Beijing China	http://sysid2015.info/index.html e-mail: secretariat@sysid2015.info
9th IFAC Symposium on Control of Power and Energy Systems CPES 2015	December 09 – 11	New Delhi India	http://www.cpes2015.org/ e-mail: info@cpes2015.org
Title	2016	Place	Further Information
7th IFAC Conference on Management and Control of Production and Logistics MCPL 2016	February 22 – 24	Bremen Germany	http://not yet available e-mail: not yet available
11th IFAC Symposium on Dynamics and Control of Process Systems, including Biosystems DYCOPS 2016	June 06 – 08	Trondheim Norway	http://not yet available e-mail: not yet available
8th IFAC Symposium on Advances in Automotive Control AAC 2016	June 20 – 23	Kolmården Wildlife R. Sweden	http://not yet available e-mail: not yet available
8th IFAC/IEEE and others Conference on Manufacturing Modelling, Management and Control MIM 2016	June 28 – 30	Troyes France	http://mim2016.utt.fr/ e-mail: mim2016@utt.fr
20th IFAC Symposium on Automatic Control in Aerospace ACA 2016	August 21 – 25	Sherbrooke, Québec Canada	http://aca2016.ngcaerospace.com/ e-mail: aca2016@ngcaerospace.com
10th IFAC Symposium on Non-Linear Control Systems NOLCOS 2016	August 23 – 25	Monterey, CA USA	http://not yet available e-mail: not yet available
17th IFAC and others Symposium on Mining, Mineral and Metal Processing MMM 2016	Aug. – Sept. 31 – 02	Vienna Austria	http://www.ifacmmm2016.org/ e-mail: not yet available
Title	2017	Place	Further Information