

Guidelines for paper preparation

When preparing your paper, keep these guidelines in mind.

1. Paper should include:
 - i) Clear formulation of the research question and its motivation,
 - ii) State of the art / related literature,
 - iii) Research contribution and innovation,
 - iv) Discussion of results and critical view,
 - v) Conclusions and further work,
 - vi) References.
2. Explicitly show how the work contributes to the main theme of the conference.
3. Originality of research: clearly state what is new. The degree of **novelty** will be one of the major evaluation criteria in the review process. Relate the work to existing previous work in the field.
4. Paper to be authored by the PhD student (who must present it) and the supervisor and possibly other research colleagues.

VERY IMPORTANT: After the introduction, include (if you haven't done it yet) a section "2. Contribution to technological innovation" in which you clearly show the main contributions of your work to the main theme of the conference ("Emerging Trends in Technological Innovation"). This is mandatory in order to ensure that the Proceedings book has a consistent "message".