Call for Papers

The College of Information and Communication Technologies (CoICT) of the University of Dar es Salaam (UDSM), Tanzania in collaboration with the Department of Informatics of the University of Oslo, Norway are jointly hosting the International Federation for Information Processing (IFIP) Working Group 9.4 conference in May 1-3 2019 at Ramada Resort Hotel, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania. The designated IFIP working group 9.4 seeks to provide a platform where researchers and practitioners from developing and industrialized countries can share and exchange experiences on the social implications of computers in developing countries.

With the proliferation of Information Communication Technology (ICT) related projects to support development, the southern countries are now emerging as important innovators and actors in the global adoption of ICT for the community development. Strengthening a southern-driven cooperation promotes ICT projects for, in and by developing countries. Thus, the upcoming conference theme of “Strengthening Southern-driven cooperation as a catalyst for ICT4D” seeks to stimulate and encourage critical discussions on different facets of Southern-driven cooperation, its promises and potential for creating a better world, and the challenges faced in achieving the promised potential.

IMPORTANT DATES

**Main Conference**

1. Full Paper Submission .......................................................... 14th October 2018
2. Notification of Decision to Authors ........................................ 17th December 2018
3. Deadline for Final (camera-ready) Papers ............................... 4th February 2019
4. Conference Dates ................................................................. May 01-03, 2019

**For early career Researchers**

1. Abstract Submission .............................................................. 20th July 2018
2. Notification to Authors .......................................................... 30th July 2018

**PhD Workshop**

1. PhD Status Report Submission ............................................ 28th February 2019
2. PhD Workshop Day .............................................................. 30th April 2019

Visit official conference website below for more information and updates

https://2019ifipwg94.net

**NOTE:** All accepted papers will be published as conference proceeding with the Springer.

**CONFERENCE TRACKS**

We invite interested participants to submit articles to one of the following tracks:

1. Digital Platforms for Development.
2. FinTech and Development.
5. Harnessing agriculture, land administration and public financial management for ICT4D.
6. ICT for Displaced Population: How it helps? How it hurts?
7. Communities, ICT-Enabled Networks, and Development.
8. Pushing the boundaries - New research methods, theory and philosophy in ICT4D.
10. Locally developed process and method innovations in ICT4D.
11. Sustainable ICT, Informatics, Education and Learning in a turbulent world - “doing the safari way”

For detailed information about the tracks, please visit the conference website