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NUMERICAL AND EVOLUTIONARY  
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# Schedule

## Day 1, September 23, 2025 (Research Experience Day)

"(V)" denotes virtual participation

08:00 — 08:30	Registration
08:30 — 9:00	Opening and group photo
09:00 — 10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Jian-Qiao Sun, UC Merced, USA</b> What machine learning can do for engineering</li> </ul>
10:00 — 11:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Panel discussion: Strategic alliance between graduate programs and industry. <b>Participants: Luis Ledezma (ITJ), Guillermo Sanchez (ThermoFisher Scientific), Leonardo Trujillo (TecNM/ITT)</b></li> </ul>
11:30 — 11:50	Break
11:50 — 12:50	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Víctor Díaz Ramírez, CITEDI-IPN, Mexico</b> Hybrid methods in multichannel vision, image processing, and pattern recognition.</li> </ul>
12:50 — 13:50	<p>Finding your graduate program (<b>ITT, IPN, CETYS</b>)</p> <p>Dr. Ricardo Martínez Soto, Cetys Universidad, Coordinador de Maestría en Ingeniería e Innovación.</p> <p>Dr. Ricardo Cardenas, TecNM/ITT, Coordinador de Posgrado en Ciencias de la Ingeniería.</p> <p>M.A.E. Anaïd Berenice Álvarez Fuentes, Citedi, Coordinadora de Maestría en Ciencias en Sistemas Digitales.</p>
13:50 — 14:20	Closing
14:20 — 16:00	Break
16:00 — 17:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Workshop 01: Opening the Black Box — Neural Networks. <b>Oliver Cuate, ESFM-IPN</b></li> <li>• Workshop 02: Intensive Course — Deploying Large Language Models in Colab. <b>Adrian Rodriguez Aguiñaga, UABC</b></li> <li>• Workshop 03: Interactive Workshop — Data Visualization with Python. <b>Noelia Torres and Rogelio Valdez, TecNM/ITT</b></li> </ul>

## Day 2, September 24, 2025

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08:00 — 09:00	Registration
09:00 — 09:30	Opening
09:30 — 11:00	Session I (GPHS1, 4 talks, Room 1) and Session II (AML1, 4 talks, Main Room)
<b>Session I:</b>	Chair: Leonardo Trujillo <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Quantifying the impact of genetic programming feature transformations: an analysis using the optimal transport dataset distance. <b>Joel Nation</b></li> <li>• Integrating MLIR Infrastructure with MOEAs for FPGA Design Space Exploration. <b>Joel Quevedo</b></li> <li>• Hardware description language based approach for GSGP design. <b>Juan Flores-R</b></li> <li>• GSGP-CUDA for Supervised Classification. <b>Cesar Lepe García</b></li> </ul>
<b>Session II:</b>	Chair: Daniel Hernández <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Embedded System for Vehicle Environment Perception and License Plate Recognition (LPR) Using Computer Vision and Deep Learning. <b>Rogelio Leonardo Méndez Macías</b></li> <li>• Underwater Computer Vision for Tilapia Aquaculture: YOLACT-Based Trajectory Tracking and Group Behavior Analysis During Feeding. <b>Osbaldo Aragón-Banderas</b></li> <li>• Optimizing Employee Attrition Prediction Models with TPOT AutoML. <b>Daniel E Moreno</b></li> <li>• Comparative Analysis of Machine Learning Models for Congestive Heart Failure Detection from QRS Complex. <b>Adriel Lozada Romero</b></li> </ul>
11:00 — 11:20	Coffee break
11:20 — 12:20	Keynote I: <b>Ryan J. Urbanowicz, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, USA</b> Learning to Evolve, Evolving to Learn: Interpretable AI for Unlocking Biomedical Complexity.
12:20 — 12:40	Group Photo
12:40 — 14:00	Poster session
13:00 — 14:00	Lunch Boxes (Lunch boxes will be provided)
14:00 — 15:00	Session III (EMO1, 3 talks, Main Room) and Session IV (OOG1, 3 talks, Room 1)
<b>Session III:</b>	Chair: Oliver Schütze <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Multi-objective Particle Swarm Algorithm for Multi-objective Reinforcement Learning. <b>Teresa Becerril (V)</b></li> <li>• A Continuation Method for Parameter Dependent Multi-objective Optimization Problems. <b>Francisco Vidal</b></li> <li>• Course Scheduling Optimization Using Genetic Algorithms: A Case Study in a Mathematics Department. <b>Leonardo E. Rivera-Zacarias</b></li> </ul>

**Session IV:** Chair: Rolando Menchaca-Méndez

- A Comparison of Heuristic Methods for the Identification of Regions of Interest in Wildfires.

**Braulio Leonardo Santa Fe-García (V)**

- Socio-Environmental Regionalization Based on Clustering and Geospatial Analysis.

**Erick Estrada Patiño(V)**

- Computing Regulatory Control Policies in Facility Location Games Using Reinforcement Learning.

**Rolando Menchaca-Méndez**

15:00 — 15:20

Coffee break

15:20 — 17:20

Session V (DO1, 3 talks, Room 1), Session VII (LSEO1, 3 talks, Room 1) and Tutorial (Main Room)

**Session V:** Chair: Guadalupe Carmona Arroyo

- Optimal Hyperspectral Band Selection Using Metaheuristics for the Detection of *Aspergillus flavus* in Figs with Convolutional Neural Networks.

**Israel Calderon Aguilar (V)**

- A Belief Model for BDI Agents Derived from Roles and Personality Traits.

**Eduardo David Martínez-Hernández (V)**

- Knowledge-Based Design Methodology for Human Resources Information Management.

**Sofia Morales Zaleta(V)**

**Session VII:** Chair: Guadalupe Carmona Arroyo

- Study of Performance from Hierarchical Decision Modeling in IVAs within a Greedy Context.

**Francisco Federico Meza Barrón (V)**

- Study on the impact of machine learning techniques to support CO2 capture process via Ionic liquids.

**Rodolfo Ortega (V)**

- A methodology for Information Retrieval from Industrial Systems based on Artificial Intelligence Methods.

**Jesús Carballo Ruelas (V)**

**Tutorial:**

- Evolutionary Artificial Intelligence: An Industrial Case Study.

**Dr. Octavio Ramos-Figueroa and Marcela Quiroz-Castellanos**

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## Day 3, September 25, 2025

09:00 — 09:30	Registration
09:30 — 11:00	Session VIII (GPHS2, 4 talks, Main Room) and Session IX (EMO2, 4 talks, Room 1)
<b>Session VIII:</b>	Chair: Yazmín Maldonado <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Estimation of total body fat using Genetic Programming. <b>José Manuel Muñoz Contreras</b></li> <li>• Machine Learning Algorithms for Translating Inductive Band Signals into Spirometric Volume Estimates. <b>José Rosario Ortega Ramírez</b></li> <li>• Implementation of a CNN in FPGA for Pulmonary Volume Estimation. <b>Fidel Alejandro Ortega Ramírez</b></li> <li>• Exploration of FPGAs as a Platform for the Development of Adaptive Logic Circuit Design Using ANN. <b>Teodoro Alvarez-Sanchez</b></li> </ul>
<b>Session IX:</b>	Chair: Oliver Cuate <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scenario Optimization in Fuzzy Cognitive Maps by Means of Multi-objective Evolutionary Algorithms. <b>Carlos Ignacio Hernández Castellanos</b></li> <li>• RSG, a Method for Pareto Front Approximation and Reference Set Generation. <b>Angel Rodriguez-Fernandez</b></li> <li>• An Evolutionary Approach for the Computation of <math>\varepsilon</math>-Locally Optimal Solutions for Multi-Objective Multimodal Optimization. <b>Carlos Ignacio Hernández Castellanos</b></li> <li>• Smooth Path Planning for Multi-robot Systems in Warehouses. <b>America Morales-Díaz</b></li> </ul>
11:00 — 11:20	Coffee break
11:20 — 12:20	Keynote 2: <b>Pierrick Legrand, Bordeaux INP and IMS, France</b> Artificial Evolution and Illustrative Applications
12:20 — 12:40	Coffee break
12:40 — 13:20	Session X (AML2, 2 talks, Room 1) and Session XI (LSEO2, 2 talks, Main Room)
<b>Session X:</b>	Chair: Daniel Hernández <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Analysis of Mexican pandemic COVID-19 mobility data through an NP-hard propagation model. <b>José Alejandro Cornejo-Acosta (V)</b></li> <li>• Neural Architecture Search with CMA-ES for Facial Emotion Recognition. <b>Ricardo Santiago (V)</b></li> </ul>
<b>Session XI:</b>	Chair: Marcela Quiroz <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Comparative Analysis of Optimization Techniques Applied to Automotive Assembly Using Big Data. <b>Jose Peinado</b></li> <li>• Experimental Data-Driven Gaussian Process Regression Model for Thermal Conductivity Prediction in Aluminum Alloys. <b>Jaime Guillen</b></li> </ul>

13:20 — 15:00	Lunch (on your own)
15:00 — 15:20	Coffee break
15:20 — 17:20	WNEO Chair: Yazmín Maldonado
19:00 — 23:00	Gala dinner - Food is served at 20:00

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## Day 4, September 26, 2025

09:00 — 10:00      Session XII (OOG2, 3 talks, Main Room) and Session XIII (EMO3, 3 talks, Room 1)

**Session XII:**      Chair: Rolando Menchaca-Méndez

- Graph-Based Strategies for Grouping Variables in Multiobjective Optimization With Overlap.

**Miguel Angel Hernández Servin**

- Fitting and validation of a Monod–logistic model for *Stigeoclonium nanum* in a thin-layer photobioreactor.

**Jesus Leonel Arce Valdez**

- The Moving Firefighter Problem with Heterogeneous Propagation Times.

**Rolando Menchaca-Méndez**

**Session XIII:**      Chair: Oliver Cuate

- Bailando++: An Approximation from Computational Creativity.

**Fernando Rodrigo Valenzuela**

- The Pareto Tracer for the Numerical Treatment of High-dimensional Multi-objective Optimization Problems.

**Pablo Uriel Benítez Ramírez**

- Optimizing Solar Panel Allocation in Smart-City Buildings Using Genetic Algorithms.

**Ponciano Escamilla-Ambrosio**

10:00 — 11:00      Session XIV (DO2, 3 talks, Main Room) and Session XV (LSEO3, 3 talks, Room 1)

**Session XIV:**      Chair: Marcela Quiroz

- Analysis of Tumor Growth Under Oncological Treatment Using Mathematical Modeling and Artificial Intelligence.

**Uriel Solís Procopio**

- Toward a Data Science Pipeline for the Design of Hyper-Heuristic Grouping Genetic Algorithms.

**Octavio Ramos-Figueroa**

- Task Scheduling Optimization in Cloud Computing: A Bin Packing and Machine Learning Perspective.

**Jessica Gonzalez San Martin(V)**

**Session XV:**      Chair: Guadalupe Carmona Arroyo

- Dynamic Multi-objective Evolutionary Algorithm Based on Decomposition with Adaptive Response Change Environment Method (DMOEA/D-ARCEM).

**Miguel Garcia(V)**

- A Hybrid Ensemble Model for Financial Time Series Forecasting Integrating Statistical, Machine Learning and Deep Learning Methods.

**José Olvera (V)**

- Efficient Selection of Low Level Heuristics in Hyperheuristics Using Combinatorial Testing for the Master Bay Planning Problem.

**Norberto Castillo-García (V)**

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11:00 — 11:20	Coffee break
11:20 — 12:40	Session XVI (AML3, 4 talks, Main Room) and Session XVII (DO3, 4 talks, Room 1)
<b>Session XVI:</b>	<p>Chair: Paul Valle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A Machine Learning Approach to Gender Classification via Operating System GUI Interaction Pattern. <b>Eduardo Navarro Bautista (V)</b></li><li>• Preprocessing of EEG signals to measure the impact of psychological interventions through Artificial Intelligence. <b>David Octavio Roa-Rico</b></li><li>• Evolutionary NAS Models and Pre-Trained CNNs for Tattoo and Face Recognition. <b>Benjamin Fajardo Hernandez</b></li><li>• Beyond Hyperscalers: How MLOps Unlocks AI in Latin America. <b>Adrian Rodriguez Aguiñaga</b></li></ul>
<b>Session XVII:</b>	<p>Chair: Octavio Ramos-Figueroa</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• EV-STSP on Directed Urban Networks: Construction, Energy Enrichment, and Evaluation. <b>Juan Hernandez-Marin(V)</b></li><li>• SA and TA algorithms applied to alternative assets in mexican stock exchange. <b>José Purata Aldaz(V)</b></li><li>• Ensemble Deep Learning and Metaheuristic Strategies for Stock Forecasting and Investment Portfolio Optimization. <b>José Purata Aldaz (V)</b></li><li>• Query Optimization in RAG: Retrieval and Context Construction. <b>Fabricio Chia (V)</b></li></ul>
12:40 — 13:00	Closing

**Poster session, September 24, 2025**

- Predictive glucose monitoring and telemedicine-enhanced diabetes management.

**Jose Ricardo Cardenas Valdez**

- Statistical and Machine-Learning Framework for Climate–Socioeconomic Interactions in Mexico and Developed and Emerging Economies.

**Guadalupe Valdez**

- Design and Development of an Optimized Control System for a Solar Tracking System.

**Andres Calvillo-Tellez**

- Fuzzy Decision Trees and Genetic Algorithms for the Automated Construction of Fuzzy Predicates.

**Jose Padron Tristan**

- Particle Swarm Optimization for Hydro-Thermal Power Scheduling Problem with a Type-1 Fuzzy Controller for Dynamic Parameter Adjustment.

**Norberto Castillo-García**