MICROS WORKSHOP

October 21st, 2022

half-day workshop, hybrid event co-located with CIKM 2022

SCHEDULE (Atlanta time)

09:00 – 09:10 Introduction (Ida Mele, IASI-CNR, Rome, IT)

SESSION 1

Keynote Talk (45 min + 15 min for questions)

Chair: Nikos Voskarides, Amazon, Barcelona, ES

09:10 – 10:10 "Improving trust in conversational models through user feedback and knowledge grounding"

Speaker: Siva Reddy

10:10 – 10:40 Coffee Break (30 min)

SESSION 2

Accepted Papers (30 min + 10 min for questions)

Chair: Cristina Ioana Muntean, ISTI-CNR, Pisa, IT

10:40 – 11:20 "A Child-Friendly Approach to Spoken Conversational Search"

Speaker: Thomas Beelen

11:20 – 12:00 "Towards a theoretical formalization of conversational recommendation"

Speaker: Claudio Pomo

SESSION 3

Invited Papers

Chair: Mohammad Aliannejadi, University of Amsterdam, NL

12:00 — 12:40 "Zero-shot Query Contextualization for Conversational Search" (30 min + 10 min for questions)

Speaker: Andrew Yates

12:40 - 13:00 "Personal Entity, Concept, and Named Entity Linking in Conversations" (15 min + 5 min for questions)

Speaker: Hideaki Joko

13:00 - 13:20 "SCC — A Test Collection for Search in Chat Conversations" (15 min + 5 min for questions)

Speaker: Ismail Sabei

13:20 — 13:30 Closing (Ida Mele, IASI-CNR, Rome, IT)