

Dear Editor,

We are submitting a manuscript for prospective publication in Archives of Acoustics. The title of the paper is “Estimating Ensemble Location and Width in Binaural Recordings of Music with Convolutional Neural Networks”. The manuscript is authored by Paweł Antoniuk (corresponding author) and Sławomir Krzysztof Zieliński.

- We are submitting the paper to Archives of Acoustics as we believe its content fits well within the scope of the journal (the area of speech processing and communication systems).
- ‘Speech processing and communication systems’ constitute the field of acoustics covered by Archives of Acoustics, according to the journal website.
- We affirm that this manuscript has not been published elsewhere and is not under consideration by another journal.
- We suggest the following reviewers:
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- In our opinion the manuscript should be classified as a “research paper,” considering the empirical content of the study described.
- We are aware that the manuscript exceeds the recommended 20-page limit. This has been caused by the need to describe the methodology at sufficient level of detail, allowing other researchers to replicate our study. Therefore, we believe that the extended content is in this case justified.

Thank you in advance for considering the manuscript.