



West European Student & Young Professional Congress
19th-21st September 2019, Glasgow UK

CONGRESS PROGRAM DETAILS

THURSDAY – 19TH SEPTEMBER 2019		
TIME	PROGRAM	VENUE
12:00 – 13:00	Arrival, Registration and Check-In	GOVAN MBEKI 1 ST FLOOR
14:00 – 16:30	Art Gallery Tour / Site Visit	Meeting Point at Registration Desk
17:30 – 19:30	HISTELCON-WESYP Joint Reception	Technology and Innovation Centre, University of Strathclyde
19:30 – 23:30	Opening Ceremony and Dinner Welcome from Region 8 <i>Magdalena Salazar Palma, IEEE R8 Director</i>	Student Association Building – N008

FRIDAY – 20TH SEPTEMBER 2019

TIME	PROGRAM	VENUE
08:00 – 09:00	Registration and Breakfast	GOVAN MBEKI 1 ST Floor
09:00 – 10:00	Welcome from UK & Ireland Section <i>Mike Hinchel, IEEE UK & Ireland Section Chair</i> Welcome from WESYP Congress Chair <i>Noel Gomes, IEEE UK and Ireland YP Chair</i> Welcome from Main Sponsor - GCU <i>Prof Ole Pahl, Associate Dean Research, SCEBE</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A426C
10:00 – 11:00	KEYNOTE – I EMERGING TRENDS FOR THE NEXT DECADE AND BEYOND <i>Theo Priestley - Chief Marketing Officer, WFS Technologies Ltd.</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A426C
11:00 – 11:30	COFFEE BREAK	
11:30 – 12:00	ASHOKA CHANGEMAKERS The Common Good <i>Julie Adair, Director of Digital Collaboration, GCU</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A426C
12:00 – 13:00	SUB PLENARY – 1.1 Next Generation Networked Systems <i>Christos Anagnostopoulos, University of Glasgow</i> Applications of digital technologies in construction with focus on Virtual (VR) & Augmented Reality (AR) <i>Mohamed Abdel-Wahab, University of West of Scotland</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A412 <u>Session Chair</u> Hadi Heydari, University of Glasgow
	SUB PLENARY – 1.2 Global Sustainability in Emerging Nations <i>Lorna Bennet, IET Young Women Engineer of the year 2018 Prize Winner</i> <i>Panagiotis Papadopoulos, University of Strathclyde</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A423 <u>Session Chair</u> Vinko Lesic, University of Zagreb
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH AND TRADE EXHIBITION	GEORGE MOORE BLDG Ground Floor

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14:00 – 14:30	<p align="center">SAC/YP/WIE (GENERAL SESSION)</p> <p align="center">Welcome from UK and Ireland Young Professionals, Student Activities and Women in Engineering</p> <p align="center"><i>Noel Gomes, IEEE UK and Ireland YP Chair</i></p> <p align="center"><i>Lee Crudginton, IEEE UK and Ireland SAC Chair</i></p> <p align="center"><i>Maebh Larkin, WIE UK& Ireland Rep</i></p>	<p align="center">GOVAN MBEKI Room - A426C</p> <p align="center"><u>Session Chair</u> <i>Mahsa Sadeghi, GCU</i></p>
14:30 – 16:00	<p align="center">WORKSHOP – 1.1 ENTREPRENEURSHIP</p> <p align="center">Creating an impactful elevator pitch!</p> <p align="center">Mind your own business: Keys to making successful entrepreneurial ventures</p> <p align="center"><i>Sara Cook - Director of Talent Programmes, Entrepreneurial Scotland</i></p>	<p align="center">GOVAN MBEKI Room - A412</p> <p align="center"><u>Session Chair</u> <i>Imran Ansari, University of Glasgow</i></p>
	<p align="center">WORKSHOP – 1.2 GOOGLE WORKSHOP</p> <p align="center">Introducing Technology to the Next Generation – Google Workshop</p> <p align="center"><i>Gori Yahaya - Founder and CEO, Upskill Google Digital Garage</i></p>	<p align="center">GOVAN MBEKI Room - A423</p> <p align="center"><u>Session Chair</u> <i>Lee Crudginton, IEEE UK And Ireland SAC Chair</i></p>
16:00 – 16:30	<p>POSTER COMPETITION</p> <p>COFFEE BREAK</p>	
16:30 – 17:30	<p align="center">IEEE SESSION – 1</p> <p align="center">IEEE Region 8 Programs</p> <p align="center"><i>Lulia Motoc, University of Kent</i></p> <p align="center">YP Workshop</p> <p align="center"><i>Noel Gomes and Vinko Lesic</i></p>	<p align="center">GOVAN MBEKI Room - A426C</p> <p align="center"><u>Session Chair</u> <i>Sennan Matter, GCU</i></p>
16:00 – 17:30	<p align="center">IEEE SESSION – 2</p> <p align="center">Women In Engineering (WIE)</p> <p align="center"><i>Wafa Ben Hmida, WIE Region 8 Rep</i></p> <p align="center">SAC Workshop</p> <p align="center"><i>Lee Crudginton and George Papadimitriou</i></p>	<p align="center">GOVAN MBEKI Room - A426C</p> <p align="center"><u>Session Chair</u> <i>Mahsa Sadeghi, GCU</i></p>
17:30 – 19:30	<p>PHOTO SESSION AND PREPARATION FOR GALA DINNER</p>	
19:30 – 23:30	GALA DINNER	<p>HAMISH WOOD BUILDING</p>

SATURAY – 21ST SEPTEMBER 2019

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08:00 – 09:00	Registration and Breakfast	GOVAN MBEKI 1 ST Floor
09:00 – 10:00	KEYNOTE – II ZERO CARBON/ HYDROGEN BASED ECONOMY <i>Derek Wilson - Founder & CEO, Pandora Project</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A426C
10:00 – 11:00	SUB PLENARY – 2.1 IMPLANTABLE MICROELECTRONIC DEVICES <i>Hadi Heidari, University of Glasgow</i> DATA DEMYSTIFIED <i>Jo Watts - Founder, Effini</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A412 <i><u>Session Chair</u></i> <i>Shufan Yang,</i> <i>University of Glasgow</i>
	SUB PLENARY – 2.2 Last mile distribution debate – AC or DC? Will Edison win this time? <i>Abdullah Emhemed, WSP</i> <i>Dong Chen, Glasgow Caledonian University</i> <i>Tony Lujia Chen, University of Manchester</i> <i>Yanni Zhong, Siemens Gamesa</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A423 <i><u>Session Chair</u></i> <i>Panagiotis Papadopoulos,</i> <i>University of Strathclyde</i>
11:00 – 11:30	COFFEE BREAK	
11:30 – 13:00	PANEL DISCUSSION The next industrial technological revolution <i>Derek Wilson, Founder & CEO, Pandora Project</i> Future of medical electronics <i>Hadi Heidari, University of Glasgow</i> Emerging smart and intelligent sensors <i>Shufan Yang, University of Glasgow</i> Data Care - how to really look after your data to create value? <i>Jo Watts - Founder, Effini</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A426C <i><u>Session Chair</u></i> <i>Fengzhou Wang,</i> <i>University of Edinburgh</i>
13:00 – 14:00	LUNCH AND TRADE EXHIBITION	GEORGE MOORE BLDG Ground Floor

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14:00 – 14:30	OUTBOUND CHALLENGE <i>Sohaib Qamar Sheikh, IEEE Region 8 Technical Activities Vice Chair</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A426C <u>Session Chair</u> Noel Gomes, IEEE UK And Ireland YP Chair
14:30 – 16:00	WORKSHOP – 2.1 ROBOTIC WORKSHOP Autonomous underwater vehicles: exploring the ocean from coast to the deep sea <i>Andrea Munafo , National Oceanography Centre (NOC)</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A412 <u>Session Chair</u> Nazila Fough, Robert Gordon University
	WORKSHOP – 2.2 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT Networking - skills, methods, opportunities Diversity and Inclusion <i>Lynn Tomkins - Chair, Skills 4 UK</i>	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A423 <u>Session Chair</u> Arijit Bagchi, Queen's University Belfast
16:00 – 16:30	PHOTO SESSION COFFEE BREAK	
16:30 – 17:00	AWARD CEREMONY AND CLOSING	GOVAN MBEKI Room - A426C

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