

# CYBER 2023

## Forward

The Eighth International Conference on Cyber-Technologies and Cyber-Systems (CYBER 2023), held between September 25<sup>th</sup> and September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023, continued a series of international events covering many aspects related to cyber-systems and cyber-technologies; it is also intended to illustrate appropriate current academic and industry cyber-system projects, prototypes, and deployed products and services.

The increasing size and complexity of the communications and the networking infrastructures are making difficult the investigation of the resiliency, security assessment, safety and crimes. Mobility, anonymity, counterfeiting, are characteristics that add more complexity in Internet of Things and Cloud-based solutions. Cyber-physical systems exhibit a strong link between the computational and physical elements. Techniques for cyber resilience, cyber security, protecting the cyber infrastructure, cyber forensic, and cyber-crimes have been developed and deployed. Some new solutions are nature-inspired and social-inspired, leading to self-secure and self-defending systems. Despite the achievements, security and privacy, disaster management, social forensics, and anomalies/crimes detection are challenges within cyber-systems.

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We hope that CYBER 2023 was a successful international forum for the exchange of ideas and results between academia and industry and for the promotion of progress related to cyber-technologies and cyber-systems.

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