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Objectives and topics
Currently, rapid growth of multimedia is observed in various fields. Dropping cost of computer and networking hardware has made multimedia applications accessible to an ever-increasing number of users of graphic applications such as computer games or different simulators on one hand and the growing size of the Internet has made it possible to publish multimedia content comparatively cheaply to an immense audience on the other hand.

Ease of reaching the recipients caused a kind of race in accusing them with multimedia content, but in a manner that distinguishes it from the environment. That causes the problem of multimedia invasiveness, that use more and more sophisticated techniques to attract the human attention. Therefore design of an effective multimedia seems very actual and important nowadays.

After delivering visitors to a website from sources such as paid advertising and organic searches, the next stage of marketing efforts is usually converting visitors into customers. Website operators benefit from traffic obtained through clicks, signups, purchases, or downloads. Various developmental areas of Web design are targeted at increasing Web systems effectiveness with the use of persuasion or visual elements with high intensity to encourage impulse buying. Earlier studies have analyzed the conative reactions of Web users to the dominant hue of a website, the role of Web quality in consumer attitudes towards online shopping. Many factors influence the behaviour of online consumers on websites and online games. Communication through persuasive technologies, intra-site banners, proper localization of advertisements within editorial content, recommendation systems, and customer reviews and ratings are commonly used to increase the effectiveness of multimedia and Web systems. The special session is focused on new directions in this field including:

- Metrics for a quantitative evaluation of the efficiency of multimedia content
- Image quality assessment
- Efficiency of multimedia components based on cognitive process
- Visual friendly multimedia content
- Increasing effectiveness and conversion within Web systems
- Increasing effectiveness and conversion within ecommerce platforms
- Increasing effectiveness of games and MMO platforms
- Banner blindness and habituation in Web systems
- Effectiveness of digital marketing
- Human-computer interaction in Web systems
- Web analytics and effectiveness monitoring
- Optimization of multimedia and Web systems
- Persuasion in multimedia and Web systems
- Intrusive marketing content
- User experience design and monitoring
- User experience vs conversion maximisation
Important dates

Submission of papers: 6 May 2018 (Final / Firm / STRICT!)
Notification of acceptance: 24 May 2018
Camera-ready papers: 31 May 2018
Registration & payment: 31 May 2018
Conference date: 12-14 September 2018

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Submission

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