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Preface

The 2nd International Conference on **Novel & Intelligent Digital Systems** (NiDS2022) was held in Athens, Greece, from September 29 to 30, 2022. The conference was implemented virtually due to COVID-19, under the auspices of the Institute of Intelligent Systems (IIS). The Hosting Institution of NiDS2022 was the University of West Attica (Greece).

NiDS lays special emphasis on the novelties of intelligent systems and on the interdisciplinary research for enabling, supporting and promoting artificial intelligence (AI) in software development. It promotes high-quality research, creating a forum for exploration of challenges and novel advancements in AI. It triggers an exchange of ideas in this field, reinforcing and expanding the network of researchers, academics and market representatives.

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The call for scientific papers solicited work presenting substantive new research results in using advanced computer technologies and interdisciplinary research for enabling, supporting and enhancing intelligent systems.

The international program committee consisted of 52 leading members of the intelligent systems community, as well as highly promising younger researchers. The conference (General) chairs were Cleo Sgouropoulou and Ioannis Voyatzis from University of West Attica (Greece), whereas the program committee chairs were Akrivi Krouska and Christos Troussas from University of West Attica and

Jaime Caro from University of the Philippines. The keynote speaker of NiDS 2022 was Prof. Mirjana Ivanovic, a full professor at Faculty of Sciences, University of Novi Sad, Serbia. The title of her speech was “How Artificial Intelligent Approaches Support Medical Decisions and Patients’ Wellbeing”.

Scientific papers were reviewed rigorously by two to three reviewers (one of which was senior) through a double-blind process, thus reflecting our commitment to make NiDS a top-flight, selective and high-quality conference. We believe that the chosen full papers describe some very significant research, while the short papers present some very interesting new ideas. In the review process, the reviewers’ evaluations were generally respected. The management of the review process and the preparation of the proceedings were handled through EasyChair.

We would like to thank all those who have contributed to the conference, the authors, the program committee members and the organization committee with its chair, Kitty Panourgia, as well as the Institute of Intelligent Systems.

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