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Special track

SACR: Social Analytics and Community Resilience

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along with

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A community's *resilience* refers to its capacity to survive and continue to function in the presence and aftermath of stressful conditions, such as natural disasters, economic problems, and social or political strife. Resilience is an emergent property of a community's institutions, natural and engineered infrastructure, and human capital. Theoretical perspectives and computational methods are needed to predict a community's resilience against various potential stressors, and to monitor its recovery after exposure.

Social analytics may provide a significant source of information about community resilience, and thus may drive both theory and method. Expressions of sentiment in social media, patterns of community mobility, participation in political and civil events, confidence in government and other institutions, microeconomic behavior, and patterns of immigration (and emigration) are all examples of sources of information for social analytics.

At a personal level, resilience may be reflected in belief structures, social networks, and subjective well being. Resilience may differ across subgroups within a community, especially when significant disparity exists across the community.

Prospective authors are invited to submit original papers on topics including, but not limited to:

- Sentiment analysis for community issues,
- Computable indicators of confidence in institutions,
- Non-invasive monitoring of community mobility,
- Prediction of subgroup membership from social media,
- Computational models of individual belief structures,
- Monitoring vulnerable populations during crisis events,
- Social analytics for estimating risk of suicide,
- General methods for tracking recovery at personal and community levels.

Important Datelines

- Inform the Chair: As soon as you decided to contribute

Submission: March 7, 2018 April 28, 2018
Notification: April 7, 2018 May 20, 2018
Registration: April 21, 2018 May 30, 2018
Camera ready: May 2, 2018 May 30, 2018

Note: These deadlines are somewhat flexible, providing arrangements are made ahead of time with the chair.

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