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Special track

**CGI-DC: Challenges in Green Initiatives in Data Centers**

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New strategies are being developed with a goal to limit the energy consumption of data centers. However, nothing comes for free. Compared to an ideal solution, practical Green initiatives have associated costs to overcome and researchers and industry have to address the balance between cost and benefits. This track examines the concepts associated with current green energy initiatives. From data center air-coolers to on-chip implementations, energy conservation is predominant and innovative research is ongoing to address this huge energy drain. The need to limit or recover energy consumed has an associated cost.

The main objective of this track is to explore industrial practices and research initiatives, that address the challenges in implementing green initiatives in the field of computing, storage, network and cooling technologies in data centers, such as (i) air cooling initiatives, (ii) managing compute servers, (iii) energy oriented storage solutions, (iv) networking techniques and (v) related economic and reliability studies.

**Topics include, but not limited to:**

- Green initiatives in data center Energy management & architectures
- Compute, Storage & Networking Applications and test results
- Quality of Service issues in Green computing
- New business and economic models
- Cross-layer cost benefit optimization

**Important Datelines**
Inform the Chair: As soon as you decide to contribute
Submission: August 31
Notification: September 20
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