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Special track

# **CIP-NCT:** Critical Infrastructure Protection – Novel Concepts and Technologies

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Critical Infrastructures (CI) together with their utility networks play a crucial role in the societal and individual day-to-day life. A failure within critical infrastructures might have huge impacts on the economy, environment, population and society in general. Thus, the estimation of potential threats and security issues, as well as an appropriate assessment of the respective risks is a core duty of CI operators.

In this special track, we want to focus on novel methodologies, concepts and tools for the protection of critical infrastructures. The objective is to discuss approaches from different fields of application, i.e., physical aspects, cyber aspects and societal aspects. In this context, we are interested in conceptual work (e.g., frameworks and best practices), technical solutions (e.g., tools and prototypes), as well as empirical studies.

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

- Security and risk management for CIP
- Threat and vulnerability analysis for CIP
- Classification and evaluation of CI interdependencies
- Identification and assessment of cascading effects
- Resilience measures and frameworks for CIs
- Importance of the human factor in CIP
- Impact assessment for CIs on the society
- Application of frameworks and guidelines in CIP
- Tools supporting risk and security management of CIP
- Conflicting aspects in CIP with upcoming technologies

## **Important Datelines**

- Inform the Chair (see Contacts below): as soon as you decided to contribute
- Submission: June 1 July 10
- Notification: July 2 July 30
- Registration: July 16 August 10
- Camera ready: July 22 August 10

## **Contribution Types**

- Regular papers [in the proceedings, digital library]
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