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# SIMPUTT: The Use of Simulation Models for Creating Timetables in Public Transportation

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Public transport operates in almost every city in the world and its role in every day's travels is constantly growing. However, in order to become a viable alternative to individual means of transport – public transport must offer high quality in all aspects of operation: availability (in terms of space and time), high reliability, safety, attractive tariff system, high comfort (at every step of travel) and attractive network of lines.

Reliability is particularly important, expressed by the acceptable time of the entire trip (door to door), competitive in relation to car travel and unchangeable travel time (high probability that the trip will take place within the prescribed time), as well as high punctuality and regularity of operation. In order for these requirements to be met - there is a need to provide realistic timetables.

Scheduled travel times must be adapted to changing traffic conditions. This is a difficult practical issue, because many disturbing factors, often with a random nature of influence, affect the traffic of public transport vehicles. This opens the field for the use of advanced simulation methods that enable the determination of optimal travel times, also in real time. Therefore, this special track is devoted to the use of simulation methods in the design of better public transport.

### Topics include, but not limited to:

- Modeling of scheduled travel times of public transport vehicles
- Influence of the number of passengers on time losses of public transport vehicles
- Procedures for creating timetables in practice
- Simulation of public transport traffic in urban networks

These are only suggestions; we welcome papers discussing other issues related to the creation of timetables in public transportation.

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Submission: Sep 18, 2019 Notification: Oct 17, 2019 Registration: Oct 27, 2019 Camera-ready: Oct 27, 2019

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