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Special track

ESTAMOS: Empirical Studies and Measurement of Software

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Empirical studies are fundamental to understand and improve the software development and maintenance process as well as the software products. Before adopting any practice, method or tool that aims at improving the process of the product we need to know that it is truly effective.

The ESTAMOS special track is dedicated to the activities that provide evidence supporting the evaluation of the effectiveness of software engineering activities and instruments.

We aim at collecting evidence that not only provides elements to assess current activities and instruments but is also able to suggest new ideas and directions for new software engineering developments.

We expect contributions concerning any aspect of software empirical engineering, including, but not limited to:

- Empirical studies
- Replication of empirical studies
- Experiments, quasi-experiments, and simulations
- Case studies
- Surveys
- Artificial Intelligence (AI)-based approaches to Software Engineering
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Camera ready: September 10, 2021

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