Call for Papers: Student Symposium for the Unconference of SACAIR2020

The Organising Committee of the *Southern African Conference for Artificial Intelligence Research (SACAIR2020 - http://sacair.org.za) Un-Conference* invites the submission of extended abstracts of work in progress for presentation at the **Student Symposium** to be held on the 22 February 2021. The student symposium is one of several events to be hosted as part of the unconference. The un-conference will be hosted a day before the main conference and is a platform for students and emerging researchers to present and discuss ideas in an informal setting and encourages engagement with other participants.

Scope of the Student Symposium

The scope of the student symposium is similar to that of the main conference but encourages submissions on a broad array of topics related to Artificial Intelligence. If you would like to share an idea on A.I., or engineering or technologically based law/ethics or anything in between, we want to hear from you. As per the main conference, the topics are listed below but are not limited to these:

- Machine Learning Theory
- Knowledge Representation and Reasoning
- Applications of AI
- AI for Ethics and Society (including data ethics, machine ethics, ethics of socio-robotics, neuro ethics, trustworthy and sustainable AI, aesthetics of AI, and AI and the performing and visual arts)
- AI for Development and Social Good (including any aspect of AI within Information Systems and AI-driven business).

Papers will be accepted for oral presentation and/or poster presentations. Poster presentations will be at the unconference and on view during the main conference.

Paper Submission

- The organisers invite short papers and extended abstracts of no more than 2 pages in length (excluding references).
- Submissions must be made on this google form. (*Note that you will require a google account to allow uploading of files*): https://forms.gle/c7t213qBkdGrfMDC9

Important Dates

· Submission of Extended Abstracts (no more than 2 pages) : **20 November**
· Outcome of reviews to authors: **30 November** **(notifications)**

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