

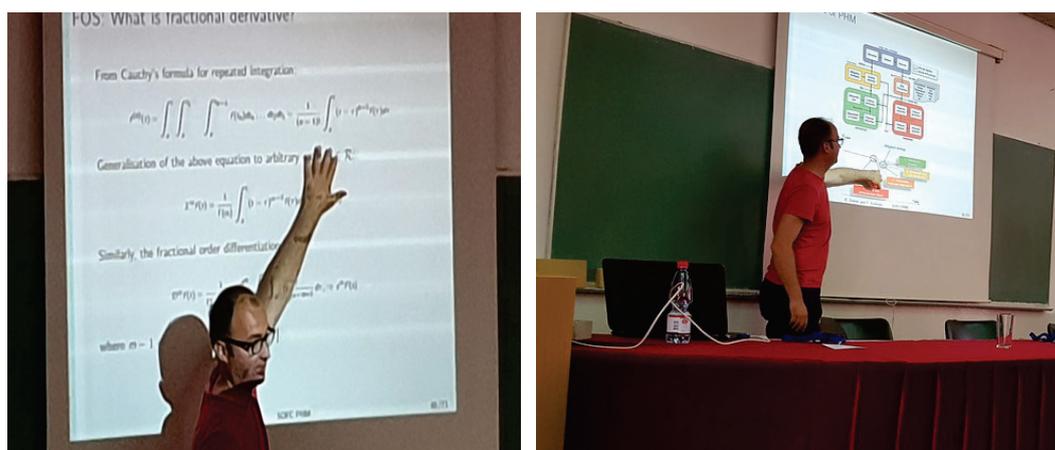
ICEST 2019 - Conference on Information, Communication and Energy Systems and Technologies

The 54th International Scientific Conference on Information, Communication and Energy Systems and Technologies ICEST 2019 was held from 27 to 29 June in Ohrid, North Macedonia. Everything began in 1963, when the first conference was organized by Technical University of Sofia, under the name Days of the radio. Later, it changed its name a few times: “Communication, Electronic and Computer Systems” (1977) and “Energy and Information Systems and Technologies” (2001). This year the Conference was for eighteenth time jointly organized by the Faculty of Technical Sciences, Bitola, North Macedonia, the Faculty of Electronic Engineering, Niš, Serbia and by the Faculty of Telecommunications, Sofia, Bulgaria.

The Conference covers a wide range of interesting topics from information, communications, energy systems, electronics, control systems, signal processing. As to the earlier ICEST conferences, authors from institutions all over the world submitted their papers. Program Committee consisted from professors from prestigious world universities like Berkley University of California, South Carolina University, Aalborg University Denmark, universities from Germany, Japan, Canada, Portugal, Italy, Spain, Turkey, Poland, Czech Republic, etc. This year 252 authors from 14 countries presented their 103 scientific and application-oriented papers. Participants were from Macedonia, Serbia, Bulgaria, Slovenia, Croatia, Bosnia, Hungary, Portugal, Colombia, Czechia, Germany, United Kingdom, USA, etc.

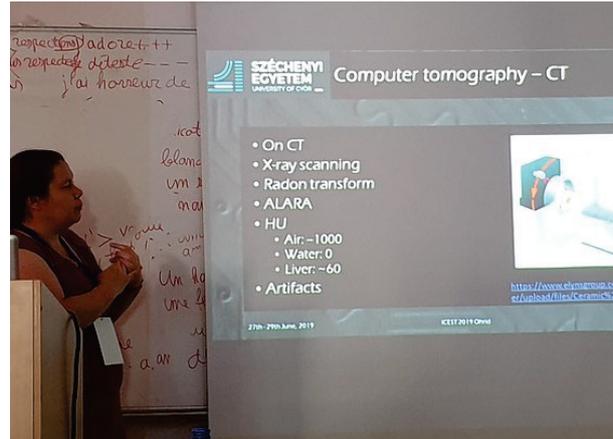
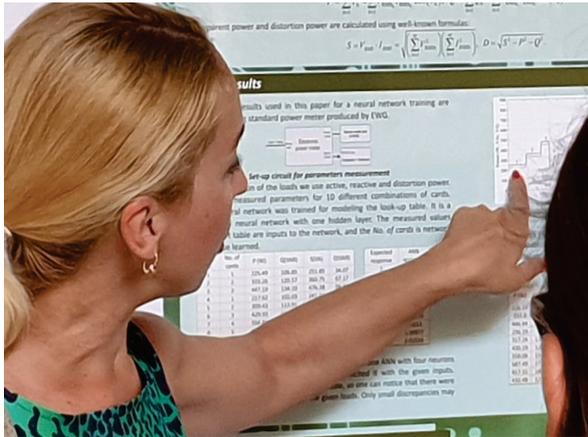


Opening session: Prof. Dr. Mitko Kostov



A plenary lecture by Pavle Boškoski

A plenary lecture about solid oxide fuel cell systems as an alternative of fossil fuels was given by Pavle Boškoski, Department of Systems and Control, Jožef Stefan Institute, Ljubljana, Slovenia. These systems contribute in reduction of pollution due to the emission gasses which is in focus in our modern world. They are relatively cheap for production, efficient, flexible. But, high temperatures during operation limit their efficiency and life.



Sessions

All the participants took the opportunity to exchange their knowledge, experiences and ideas, and made contacts and established further collaboration.

A social program, rich in events, provided more relaxing atmosphere during the meetings among colleagues. The Conference dinner took place on 27 June at hotel Millennium where all participants enjoyed fine cuisine, good beverages and exclusive live music.

The Conference organizers hope that all the attendees will remember this Conference as a successful one and that they will meet at the next ICEST conference in Niš, Serbia July 01-03, 2020.



Social events

*Prof. Dr. Mitko Kostov
ICEST 2019 Conference Chair*