

**Prof. Robert Kozma appointed new Editor in Chief for the Transactions of Systems, Man, and Cybernetics: Systems**

Upon the recommendation of the Editor in Chief Search Committee, approved by the Society President and the SMCS Board of Governors members, Professor Robert Kozma was appointed the new Editor-in-Chief of the [Transactions of Systems, Man, and Cybernetics: Systems](#), as the previous EiC Professor Philip Chen's term ended on December of 2019.

During Prof.'s Chen term, we experienced the great ride of these Transactions' Impact Factor from IF of 0 to IF of 7.351 in 6 years, as well as its being well-positioned in the third rank of Systems and Control journals and second rank of Computer Science: Cybernetics category in Web of Science publications. The paper submission number went from 1600+ submissions in 2014 to 2900+ submissions in 2019, almost double, showing the popularity of these Transactions.

Congratulations to Prof. Philip Chen for his great achievements as EiC and welcome to Prof Robert Kozma in his new role as EiC: we wish him much success!

Photo Prof. Robert Kozma



Photo Prof. Philip Chen

