

## IEEE SMC Wuhan Chapter

In this issue, we highlight the IEEE SMCS Wuhan Chapter, chaired by Prof. Wenfeng Li, from School of Transportation and Logistics Engineering, Wuhan University of Technology. The chapter was established in 2020 and currently has 16 active members from the China University of Geosciences, the Huazhong University of Science and Technology, Wuhan University, Wuhan University of Science and Technology, Wuhan University of Technology, and the Zhongnan University of Economics and Law.

Since their establishment, the Wuhan Chapter has engaged in numerous events and activities, including:

- 1) Setting up the organization framework of the SMCS Wuhan chapter, including the creation of a Wechat group and an email list for all chapter members. With these channels, members stay connected to the latest chapter events.
- 2) Inviting several international scientists and experts to give lectures and/or seminars in Wuhan, such as Prof. Haibin Zhu from Canada, Prof. Giancarlo Fortino from Italy, Prof. Mengchu Zhou from USA, Prof. Xiaoou Li from Mexico, Prof. Gabriel Lodewijks from Australia, Prof. Mingjian Zuo from Canada, Prof. Kap Hwan Kim from Korea, and Prof. Weiming Shen from Canada. The main topics of these guest lectures were about intelligent manufacturing, intelligent transportation and logistics, and intelligent computing. Several seminars will be planned for 2024.
- 3) Organizing chapter members to participate in international conferences related to IEEE SMC, including SMC, ICNSC, CSCWD, CASE.
- 4) Organizing their own international conference, the IEEE International Conference on Automation in Manufacturing, Transportation and Logistics (iCaMaL). Three editions of iCaMaL have been held since 2021; IEEE iCaMaL2023 was held from November 3-5, 2023. With these conferences, they have promoted young students and professors to become IEEE SMC members. IEEE iCaMaL2024 is under preparation, so stay tuned!
- 5) Working with other IEEE Wuhan section Chapters, such as IEEE/IES and IEEE/PES to organize joint events.

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