



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2019

EMBnet AGM

The EMBnet Annual General Meeting 2019 will be held in Skopje, Republic of North Macedonia, on 20-21 October 2019 at the “Ss. Cyril and Methodius University of Skopje”, [Faculty of Computer Science & Engineering](#), ul.Rudzer Boshkovikj 16, P.O. 393, 1000 Skopje.

The AGM will be preceded by an EMBnet workshop on “*Big Data Analysis and Reproducibility: new challenges and needs of the post-genomic era*” (<http://www.ictinnovations.org/embnet-workshop>) that will be held on October 18th as a special session of the ICT Innovation Conference 2019.

A call for abstract submission is open. All information are available at the EMBnet workshop website: <http://www.ictinnovations.org/embnet-workshop>

To allow the participation of EMBnet Juniors members at the AGM and at the Conference and EMBnet workshop, four EMBnet travel grants were made available for candidacy.

EMBnet is glad to announce that candidates admitted to the travel grants are:

Eleni Papakonstantinou (Greece)
Katerina Pierouli (Greece)
Temitayo A. Olagunju (Nigeria)

EMBnet AGM Programme

A preliminary programme will be available by September 15th, whereas the definitive version will be available on October 10th.

The programme includes a one-day discussion-meeting on October 20th and the usual business meeting (half-day) on October 21th.

A scientific session for members to present their activities or scientific issues they would like to discuss with other members will be run as part of the discussion-meeting.

Submission of abstracts from EMBnet members to present their work (one page size) has to be made by e-mail to Lubos Klucar (klucar@embnet.sk) and Domenica D’Elia (domenica.delia@ba.itb.cnr.it) by September 30th.

A call is open for candidates for the following positions:

- Chair of the Education & Training Committee
- 1 Member of the Executive Board that will replace Etienne de Villier, stepping down because at the end of his mandate.

AGM Venue: [Faculty of Computer Science & Engineering](#), ul.Rudzer Boshkovikj 16, P.O. 393, 1000 Skopje.

<https://www.finki.ukim.mk/en>

[Google map](#)

Travel to Skopje

<https://wikitravel.org/en/Skopje>

Airport to city and vice versa

<https://www.shuttletaxi.mk/>

<https://www.inyourpocket.com/skopje/gettingaround>

Accommodation

Members will be hosted for 2 (Europeans) or 3 nights (members working outside of Europe), depending on the country of origin. For representatives of Organisational members paying a 1000 membership annual fee reimbursement of 500 euro for travel expenses is available.

Closest nearby hotels according to the booking map: <https://www.hotelskopje.mk/en-gb>

The image shows a Google Maps interface with a list of hotels on the left and a map of Skopje on the right. The map is centered on the Faculty of Computer Science & Engineering (FCE) and its surroundings. A black box on the map highlights the FCE building. The list of hotels includes:

- Hotel Dolce International** (4.9 rating, 376 reviews, €51 per night)
- Accommodation Adriatic Inn** (4.9 rating, 45 reviews, €30 per night)
- Hotel Karpos** (4.0 rating, 73 reviews, €60 per night)
- Hotel Skopje** (4.6 rating, 99 reviews, €65 per night)
- Hotel Tim's** (4.4 rating, 36 reviews, €59 per night)

For any further information, please, contact Domenica D'Elia at domenica.delia@ba.itb.cnr.it or domicadelia@gmail.com