

# Message from the FiCloud 2018 Workshops Coordinators

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Welcome to the FiCloud Workshops 2018 (W-FiCloud 2018) edition. This year ten workshops and symposia were organized in conjunction with the IEEE 6th International Conference on Future Internet of Things and Cloud (FiCloud 2018), the 15th International Conference on Mobile Web and Intelligent Information Systems (MobiWis 2018) and the 4th International Conference on Big Data Innovations and Applications (Innovate-Data 2018). These were held in Barcelona, Spain, during 6–8 August 2018. These include:

- 5th International Symposium on Intercloud and IoT (ICI 2018)
- 5th International Symposium on Big Data Research and Innovation (BigR&I 2018)
- International Symposium on Social Networks and Applications (SoNet 2018)
- 5th International Workshop on Mobile Applications (MobiApps 2018)
- 5th International Symposium on Advanced Web and Mobile Applications (AWMA 2018)
- 12th International Symposium on Performance Modeling and Evaluation of Computer and Telecommunication Networks in Cloud & IoT (PMECT 2018)
- 2nd International Workshop on Cyber Security (CSW 2018)
- 1st International Workshop on Cloud Gamification (WCG 2018)
- 2nd International Workshop on Data Science for Intelligent Decision Support (DS4IDS 2018)
- 5th International Workshop on Energy Management for Sustainable Internet-of-Things and Cloud Computing (EMSICC 2018)

All the submitted papers were reviewed by members of the program committees of the workshops and symposia. Based on the reviews each workshop and symposium has accepted a relatively small number of papers. The technical program of the workshops and symposia cover state-of-the-art and timely topics such as big data, intercloud, security, social networks, advanced networking, mobile applications, data science, cloud gamification, energy management in IoT and cloud.

The organizing and program committees of the workshops and symposia have put together an interesting technical program which comprises papers from authors from different countries across the world. We hope that participants will find the technical program useful and will help them to develop further research ideas in the areas related to the theme of the workshops and symposia.

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