Subject: QRS 2022 will be moved to online

Dear QRS Attendees:

Due to the ongoing pandemic, certain districts of Guangzhou have been listed as COVID-19 high-risk infectious areas. As a result, QRS 2022 will cancel all the in-person sessions and move the entire conference to online via Zoom.

This is going to be a very difficult task because attendees are from different time zones. It is almost impossible to find appropriate slots that are good for everyone. Moreover, a session may include authors from various regions which can be inconvenient for some of them to give a *live* presentation during a preassigned block of time.

In response to all the challenges, the conference will take a mixed approach such that each paper has two parts of presentations: video and at conference.

Part I: Presentation via video

Authors will submit a video with a maximum of 30 minutes to explain the details of their papers and upload it to the following website

https://app.oatos.com/link?code=qmDSqJE (password QRS2022)

The deadline is November 25, 2022. These videos will be made available for all the attendees before the conference so that they can watch them at their own convenience.

Part II: Presentation during the conference

Videos submitted before the conference (see Part 1) will not be played during the conference. Authors of each paper must give a 5-minute short presentation to summarize their methodologies and findings followed by a Q/A. They will log in to a prescheduled live session via Zoom to give their presentations and answer questions. Details of log in information for Zoom meetings will be posted soon on the conference website (http://grs.techconf.org).

Please refer to the following announcements for more details

- Video preparation and submission [More]
- Paper Presentation (Video & at Conference) [More]

It is very important that all the attendees and authors visit the conference website regularly for the most recent updates. If you have any questions, please contact Dongcheng Li at dxl170030@utdallas.edu

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