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**Call for Papers & Participation to pH Health 2019**
Genoa, Italy, 10 – 12 June 2019
[https://phealth2019.unige.net](https://phealth2019.unige.net)

Dear Colleague,

I thank you very much for your support in one or more of our pH Health conferences as well as related event of the European Federation of Medical Informatics (EFMI). I’d like to direct your attention to the coming pH Health 2019 Conference happening from 10-12 June 2019 in Genoa, Italy.

The 2019 edition of pH Health will emphasize the interrelated aspects framing ubiquitous pervasive health: mobile technologies, wellness, micro-nano-bio smart system, bio-data management and analytics for personalized health, precision medicine and virtual care. It also addresses new potential risks for security and privacy as well as safety chances and challenges, the motivation of patients in care processes by game and gamification, and health systems challenges in developing countries. The intended outcome is intelligent and connected health devices and services leading to integrated care. The multilateral benefits of pH Health technologies for all stakeholder communities give enormous potential, not only for medical quality improvement and industrial competitiveness, but also for managing health care costs and, last but not least, improving patient experiences.

The 2019 Italian version will include workshops and related pre-conference Summer Schools for graduates and PhD students in the field, and it will showcase the Italian healthcare system and related EU and national projects. The event is hosted by the Department of Informatics, Bioengineering, Robotics and System Engineering (DIBIRS) of the University of Genoa, one of the largest universities in Italy.

All papers formatted in accordance with the IOS Press template instructions have to be submitted through the conference online system at: [http://phealth2019.unige.net/submission-instructions.aspx](http://phealth2019.unige.net/submission-instructions.aspx). All submitted papers will be subject to a peer-review process by three independent reviewers. Accepted full papers will be included in the pH Health 2019 Proceedings published at IOS Press in the Series “Studies in Health Technology and Informatics”. The series is indexed at Elsevier's EMCare, Elsevier's SciVerse Scopus, Google Scholar / Google Books, MEDLINE, PubMed, Thomson Reuters' Book Citation Index, and Thomson Reuters’ Conference Proceedings Citation Index. More details can be found on the pH Health 2019 Website [https://phealth2019.unige.net](https://phealth2019.unige.net).

**Key Dates:**
- Paper submission deadline: 18 February, 2019
- Notification of acceptance: 11 March 2019
- Re-submission of camera-ready papers: 15 April, 2019
- Early-bird author registration: 20 April, 2019
- Conference Dates: 10 – 12 June 2019

The organizers would like to welcome you for pH Health 2019 to the city Genoa, an important area for science and industry as well as research and development in Italy. Please join us to share your expectations, experiences, projects, and results, and to open our domain up for the digitized future!

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