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## Special track

# 5GMOONS: Management and Orchestration of Resources in 5G Networks using SDN and NFV

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The increasing consumption of multimedia services and the demand of high quality services from customers poses challenges to service providers and mobile operators in terms of control and management of network resources. Driven by cutting-edge technologies such as Software Defined Networking (SDN), Network Function Virtualization (NFV), Cloud/Edge Computing, the next Telecommunication Systems landscape is expected to change radically in the next few years. Softwarization and Virtualization using the above technologies are expected to fulfill a gap in the control and management of network resources through programmable 5G networks.

The main objective of this track is to explore the landscape of softwarization technologies to accelerate and exploit the huge next generation network transformation with embedded intelligent techniques leveraging NFV and SDN. The aim is find better solutions that allow for proactive management of next generation softwarized network infrastructures.

#### **Ideally topics should connect** to the following, but not limited to:

- Quality of Service/Experience (QoS/QoE) issues in next generation 5G networks
- Novel approaches to next generation network management in SDN/NFV based 5G networks
- Network slicing and slice management in 5G Networks
- Centralized vs Distributed control, management & orchestration in 5G networks
- Abstractions and virtualization of resources, services, and functions
- Energy efficient and green software-defined infrastructures (SDI)
- Routing mechanisms, real-time operations and efficient network/service monitoring in SDN/NFV
- Lifecycle management of network software and APIs, protocols, and languages for programmable networks
- Networks policy-based management and autonomic Management in next generation networks
- New Business models and AI techniques to support network service automation
- Efficient network/service monitoring and mobility management in software defined 5G networks

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Submission: Jan 29, 2019 Notification: Feb 18, 2019 Registration: Feb 27, 2019 Camera-ready: Feb 27, 2019

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