

SPECIAL NOTICE – COVID-19 Pandemic (Coronavirus)

Please know that our thoughts are with those affected by the COVID-19 pandemic (Coronavirus). The health and safety of our members and participants are our first priority. We are closely monitoring any specific travel advisories through official channels, which include the World Health Organization (WHO), the Hong Kong Government, and the University of Hong Kong.

Before traveling to the conference, we recommend that you stay informed of any information your local health agencies may make available and take reasonable precautions to protect yourself. IEEE continues to closely monitor this dynamic situation and will provide updates with any developments.

The following proactive steps are being taken to maintain a safe and healthy environment at 2020 IEEE 16th International Conference on Automation Science and Engineering.

- We are committed to following regional jurisdiction guidelines and rules in maintaining a safe environment for our attendees. The World Health Organization's (WHO) guidelines are located [here](#).
- We are working closely with the University of Hong Kong in Hong Kong and surrounding venues hosting official IEEE CASE 2020 programming to ensure there are sufficient medical processes in place and sanitation products readily available.
- We are supporting individuals who may be unable to travel to Hong Kong from affected regions with Zoom online presentation facilities.
- We will continue to provide timely WHO and other relevant updates to registered attendees throughout the conference as needed.