



**Submission Data for 2020-2021 CORE conference Ranking process  
Artificial Intelligence Applications and Innovations**

Lazaros Iliadis

**Conference Details**

**Conference**

Title: Artificial Intelligence Applications and Innovations

Acronym : AIAI

Rank: Regional

**Requested Rank**

Rank: B

**Recent Years**

**Proceedings Publishing Style**

Proceedings Publishing: series

Link to most recent proceedings: <https://link.springer.com/book/10.1007/978-3-030-49161-1>

Further details: SPRINGER IFIP AICT Series

<https://www.springer.com/gp/computer-science/lncs/lncs-satellite-series/ifip-aict-editors/12000754>

**Most Recent Years**

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Year: 2020

URL: <http://www.aiai2020.eu/>

Location: Online LIVE participation via Webex events

Papers submitted: 149

Papers published: 70

Acceptance rate: 47

Source for numbers: <https://www.springer.com/gp/book/9783030491857>

**General Chairs**

Name: Ilias Maglogiannis

Affiliation: University of Piraeus, Dep of Digital Systems

Gender: M

H Index: 38

GScholar url: <https://scholar.google.gr/citations?user=RXF4kxsAAAAJ&hl=en>

DBLP url: <https://dblp.org/pid/64/836.html>

Name: Plamen Angelov

Affiliation: Lancaster University, UK

Gender: M

H Index: 53

GScholar url: <https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=CCW8PwkAAAAJ&hl=en>

DBLP url: <https://dblp.org/pid/16/6228.html>

Name: John Macintyre

Affiliation: University of Sunderland, Faculty of Applied Sciences, UK

Gender: M

H Index: 9

GScholar url: <https://dblp.org/pid/96/630.html>

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## Program Chairs

Name: Stefanos Kolias  
Affiliation: University of Lincoln, School of Computer Science, UK  
Gender: M  
H Index: 49  
G Scholar url: <https://scholar.google.gr/citations?user=-h2va3cAAAAJ&hl=en>  
DBLP url: <https://dblp.org/pid/k/StefanosDKollias.html>

Name: Lazaros Iliadis  
Affiliation: School of Engineering, Democritus University of Thrace, Greece  
Gender: M  
H Index: 29  
G Scholar url: <https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=SnqR9wYAAAAJ&hl=en>  
DBLP url: <https://dblp.org/pid/22/582.html>

## Second Most Recent Year

Year: 2019  
URL: <http://www.aiai2019.eu/>  
Location: CRETE Greece, Aldemar Knossos Royal  
Papers submitted: 101  
Papers published: 49  
Acceptance rate: 49  
Source for numbers: <https://www.springer.com/gp/book/9783030198220>

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DBLP url: <https://dblp.org/pid/22/582.html>

Name: Elias Pimenidis  
Affiliation: University of the West of England, Bristol, UK  
Gender: M  
H Index: 11  
G Scholar url: <https://scholar.google.co.uk/citations?user=HkryptNYAAAAJ&hl=en>  
DBLP url: <https://dblp.org/pid/70/3268.html>

## Third Most Recent Year

Year: 2018  
URL: <http://easyconferences.eu/aiai2018/>  
Location: Rhodes, Greece  
Papers submitted: 88  
Papers published: 42  
Acceptance rate: 48  
Source for numbers: <https://www.springer.com/gp/book/9783319920153>

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Name: John Macintyre Affiliation: University of Sunderland, Faculty of Applied Sciences, UK Gender: M H Index: 9 G Scholar url: <a href="https://dblp.org/pid/96/630.html">https://dblp.org/pid/96/630.html</a> DBLP url: <a href="https://dblp.org/pid/96/630.html">https://dblp.org/pid/96/630.html</a>

### Program Chairs

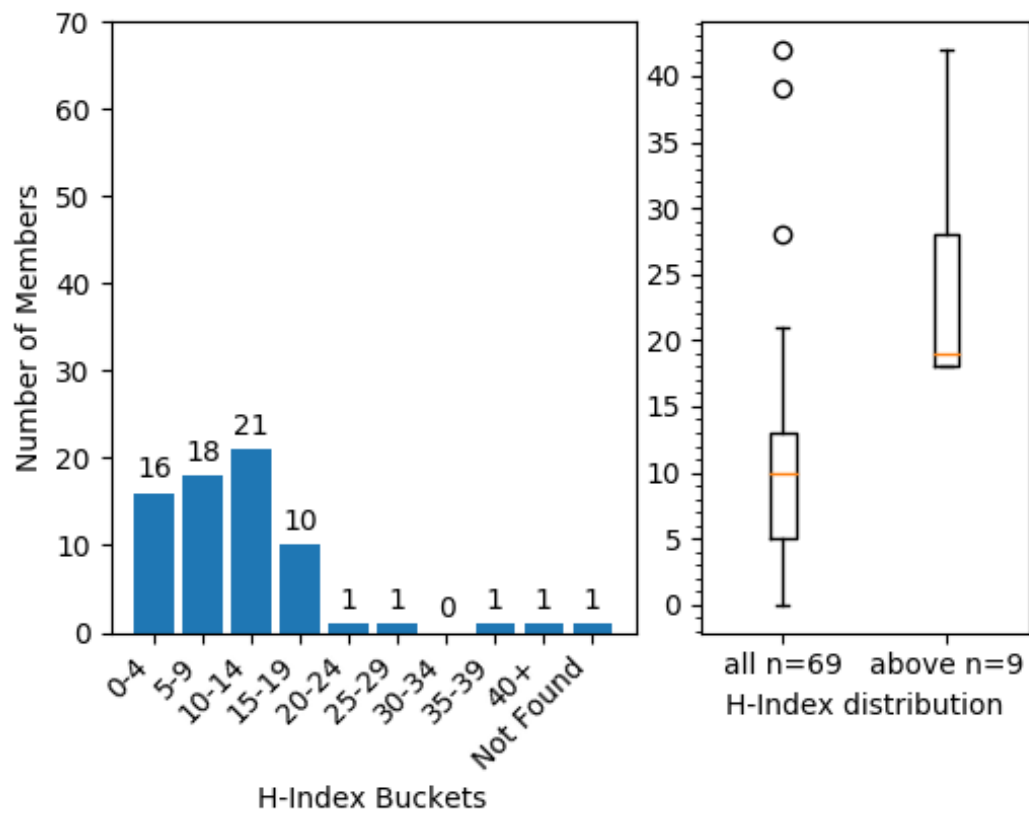
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### Policies

Chair Selection: Scientific Background: Artificial Intelligence - ICT  
Research achievements CV and research history of the chairs: H-index - Impact of their research, Research programs, Scientific Publications in the AI area.  
Preferably they should be Senior Members of the Artificial Intelligence Community.  
The conference is run by the IFIP Working Group 12.5 (Artificial Intelligence Applications). Thus we support active participation from WG12.5 with excellent scientific background. However chairs' positions are mainly open to members of the broader AI scientific community.  
No Policies.

### (Senior) Program Committee

Link to (s)pc: <http://www.aiai2020.eu/committees/>  
File: [http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/conf\\_submissions\\_spc\\_file/aiai2020\\_pc\\_v2.txt](http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/conf_submissions_spc_file/aiai2020_pc_v2.txt)  
H-index plot: [http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/conf\\_submissions\\_hindex\\_plots/hindex\\_buckets\\_1281.png](http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/conf_submissions_hindex_plots/hindex_buckets_1281.png)  
Information Contained within this graph is derived using the Elsevier Scopus Database 2021.



## Data and Metrics

### Google Scholar Metrics

Sub-category url: [https://scholar.google.com.au/citations?view\\_op=top\\_venues&hl=en&vq=eng\\_artificialintelligence](https://scholar.google.com.au/citations?view_op=top_venues&hl=en&vq=eng_artificialintelligence)

Position in sub-category: 20+

Image of top 20: [http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/changes\\_h5/higherrank1281\\_gscholar\\_minh5.jpg](http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/changes_h5/higherrank1281_gscholar_minh5.jpg)

	Publication	<a href="#">h5-index</a>	<a href="#">h5-median</a>
1.	International Conference on Learning Representations	<a href="#">203</a>	359
2.	Neural Information Processing Systems	<a href="#">198</a>	377
3.	International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML)	<a href="#">171</a>	309
4.	AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence	<a href="#">126</a>	183
5.	Expert Systems with Applications	<a href="#">111</a>	152
6.	IEEE Transactions On Systems, Man And Cybernetics Part B, Cybernetics	<a href="#">111</a>	150
7.	IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems	<a href="#">107</a>	146
8.	Neurocomputing	<a href="#">100</a>	143
9.	Applied Soft Computing	<a href="#">96</a>	123
10.	International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI)	<a href="#">95</a>	140
11.	IEEE Transactions on Fuzzy Systems	<a href="#">87</a>	117
12.	Knowledge-Based Systems	<a href="#">85</a>	121
13.	The Journal of Machine Learning Research	<a href="#">82</a>	153
14.	Neural Computing and Applications	<a href="#">67</a>	98
15.	Neural Networks	<a href="#">64</a>	92
16.	International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics	<a href="#">57</a>	89
17.	Engineering Applications of Artificial Intelligence	<a href="#">57</a>	78
18.	Robotics and Autonomous Systems	<a href="#">56</a>	87
19.	Conference on Learning Theory (COLT)	<a href="#">54</a>	80
20.	Journal of Intelligent & Fuzzy Systems	<a href="#">50</a>	79

*Dates and citation counts are estimated and are determined automatically by a computer program.*

No Google Scholar h5 index available for this conference

Potential reason for no h5 index: We have not made a profile for the AIAI IFIP conference (if this should be done by us). However in our website we have announced that according to Springer's statistics, the last 13 AIAI conferences have been downloaded 1, 143, 372 (more than 1 million times!!). Among the top 25% most downloaded eBooks in its respective eBook Collection

<http://www.aiai2020.eu/bibliometrics/>

### ACM Metrics

Not Sponsored by ACM

### Aminer Rank

Not Listed in Aminer

### Other Rankings

URL: <http://www.conferenceranks.com/#data>

Description: Qualis Rank for AIAI: B4

Rank: B4

Conferences in area: WCCI IJCNN AIAI ICANN INISTA ICCCI EANN

### Top People Publishing Here

Not Providing Top People Publishing Here

### Where People Publish

### Top (Senior) Program Committee Members

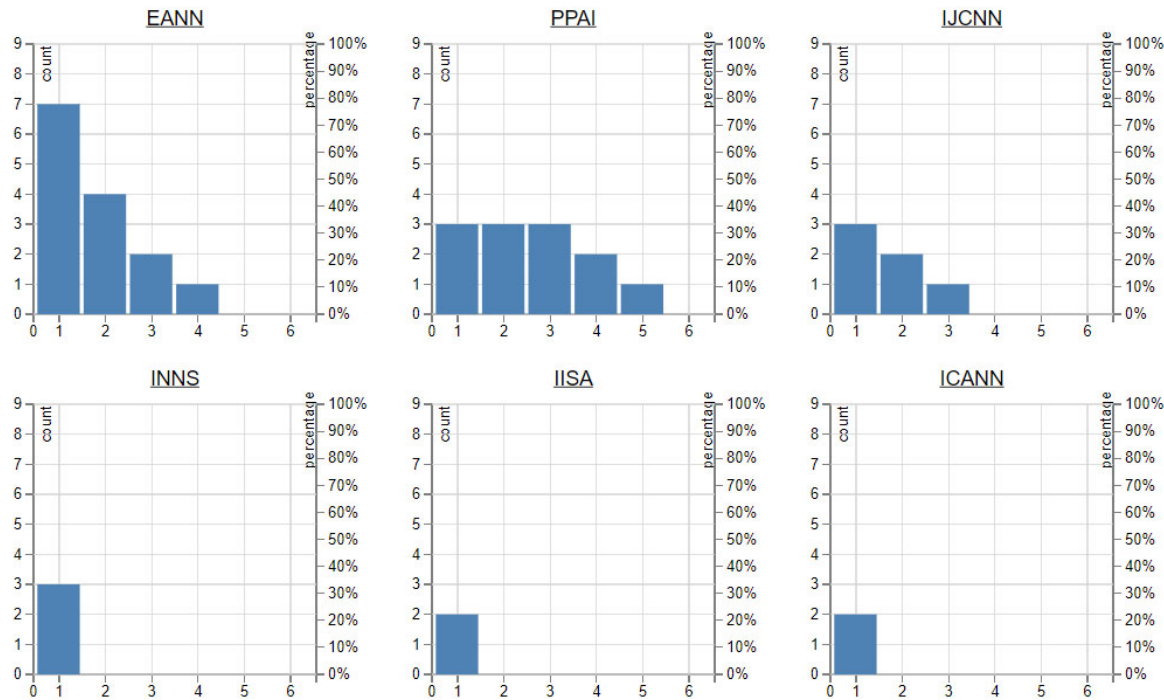
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Graphs: [http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/conf\\_rank\\_graphs/higherrank1281\\_spc\\_graph.jpg](http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/conf_rank_graphs/higherrank1281_spc_graph.jpg)

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*These graphs show numbers of people publishing in multiple years. Each column shows number of people in that many or more years. The number publishing in a specific number of years can be seen by the difference with respect to the previous column.*



Reference item: \\ The search tool WPP for some reason confuses the AIAI conference with PPAI conference when it searches in DBLP. This may be due to a DBLP or WPP error for example Prof Ilias Maglogiannis who has more than 43 publications in the proceedings of AIAI (<https://dblp.org/pid/64/836.html>) appears to have no publications in AIAI by the search engine. On the other hand, Prof Maglogiannis appears in the results of WPP tool, to have few publications in PPAI which is wrong according to google scholar and to his publication history.

## Top People Report

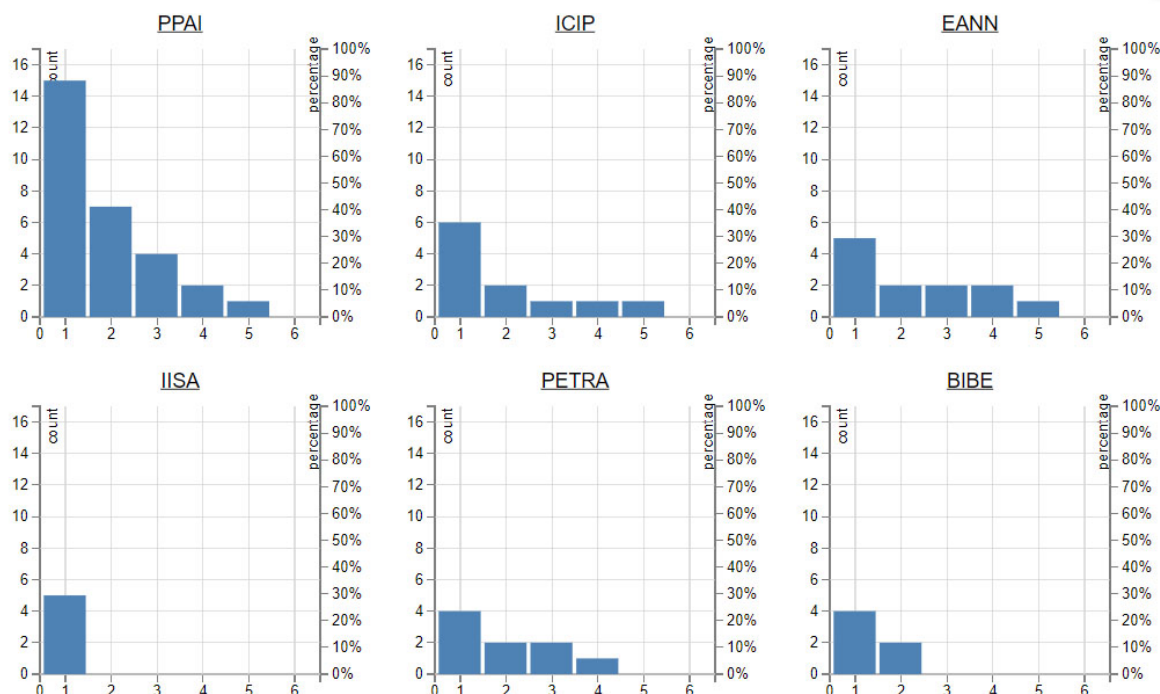
Method of selection: The selected authors have been determined by their H index

Keyword: H index google scholar

name	h-index	gscholar url
Ioannis Kompatsiaris	49	<a href="https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=Nr7smP8AAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=Nr7smP8AAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
Pietro Lio	53	<a href="https://scholar.google.it/citations?user=3YrWf7EAAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.it/citations?user=3YrWf7EAAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
John Oomen	40	<a href="https://scholar.google.ca/citations?user=E5TiDR4AAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.ca/citations?user=E5TiDR4AAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
Anastasios Tefas	40	<a href="https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=4stOS3YAAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=4stOS3YAAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
Zoran Obradovic	61	<a href="https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=iuNS000AAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=iuNS000AAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
Rui Ribeiro	38	<a href="https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=0JPGdBsAAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=0JPGdBsAAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
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Luis Paulo Reis	29	<a href="https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=bCKD3moAAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=bCKD3moAAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
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Dimosthenis Kyriazis	21	<a href="https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=bYjcoDQAAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=bYjcoDQAAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
George Caridakis	21	<a href="https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=LBOSWEcAAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=LBOSWEcAAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
Dimitrios Kosmopoulos	19	<a href="https://scholar.google.gr/citations?user=bk9Xp1kAAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.gr/citations?user=bk9Xp1kAAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
Henrique Lopez, Cardoso	17	<a href="https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=6EINAs8AAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=6EINAs8AAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>
Nemoto Takafumi	17	<a href="https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=1SRp8P0AAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=1SRp8P0AAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>

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## Other Information

### Comparator Comparison

#### Comparator

International Conference on Tools with Artificial Intelligence

Explanation as to why conference is superior to comparator:

AIAI is better than ICATI for the following reasons: A) The General Chairs and the Program Chairs of the AIAI are mature scientists with much better H index much better contribution to science (please see DBLP). B) The AIAI had 5 invited speakers and several workshops in 2020 who presented LIVE through webex whereas though the ICTAI 2020 has been held in November 2020 NO Keynote speakers are announced. C) There is no announcement of the acceptance rate.

Link to comparator report:

[http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/conference\\_submission\\_2020/Data\\_Comparator\\_for\\_1281\\_444.pdf](http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/conference_submission_2020/Data_Comparator_for_1281_444.pdf)

#### Comparator

International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Statistics

Explanation as to why conference is superior to comparator:

istats has no general chairs at all. The Program chairs of the istats (the people who guarantee the high scientific level of the accepted papers) have very low impact and poor scientific profile for 2020 and moderate for the rest of the years. The respective Program chairs of AIAI for each year are well respected scientists with high impact. The participants of istats will attend only 2 keynote lectures whereas the attendees of AIAI always attended 5-6 keynote lectures given by top scientists, they attend tutorials and many workshops with state of the art presentations. The springer proceedings of AIAI are more cited than the ones of istats. AIAI proceedings have been downloaded more than 1 million times the last 11 years (see the [aiai2020.eu](http://aiai2020.eu)) based on Springer data (add annual downloads announced in every proceedings volume announced by springer).

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## Other Relvant Info

Other relevant information: The AIAI is a more mature event. The proceedings of AIAI have been downloaded more than 1, 140, 000 1 million one hundred thousand times in the last 11 years based on Springer statistics. Please see attached pdf.

**Attachments**

[http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/request\\_attachment/bilbiometricsAIAI.pdf](http://portal.core.edu.au/core/media/request_attachment/bilbiometricsAIAI.pdf)

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