

Special Issue

Intelligent Network Orchestration and Resource Management in 5G/6G Wireless Networks

Message from the Guest Editors

The objective of this Special Issue is to bring together the state-of-the-art research contributions that address challenges in contemporary networks design, dimensioning and optimization towards the 6G networks. Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Vision, key drivers, new services and requirements for 6G
- System and network architectures for 5G/6G
- 5G and beyond towards 6G testbeds and experimentation
- Optical backhauling and hybrid architectures for 5G/6G
- Intelligent radio access network architectures
- Wireless Terahertz technologies
- Spectrum modeling towards 6G
- Next Generation IoT architectures
- Distributed intelligence schemes
- Grant-free transmission techniques in 6G-enabled IoT
- Real-time industrial applications and services
- Self-organizing 6G networks
- Network softwarization
- V2X communications
- Cognitive automation
- Predictive network orchestration and resource management methods
- Security and privacy concepts
- Blockchain-enabled security schemes

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