

## Special Issue

# Information-Theoretic Advances and Emerging Technologies for Cognitive Radio Systems

### Message from the Guest Editors

CRSs are transformative in modern wireless communication, addressing spectrum scarcity and enabling dynamic resource allocation in crowded frequency bands. By optimizing spectrum utilization and improving communication efficiency, CRSs are crucial for next-generation networks. Information theory provides the mathematical foundation for analyzing and optimizing critical aspects of CRSs.

Recent advances include mutual information-based channel modeling, entropy-driven spectrum sensing, and rate-distortion techniques for adaptive coding, enabling robust solutions for spectrum sharing and efficient data transmission. However, challenges like mitigating interference in high-mobility environments, ensuring scalability in dense networks, and achieving real-time optimization under uncertainty persist. This Special Issue invites contributions on entropy-based spectrum sensing, interference modeling, energy-aware communication metrics, adaptive coding techniques, machine learning integration, and computational algorithms for real-time CRS optimization. Join us in advancing the theoretical and practical capabilities of CRSs to meet the demands of next-generation wireless networks.

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