Special Issue

Information Theory of Optical Fiber

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue will address the following topics: Nonlinear optical fiber communications: - Propagation models, including information-theory-friendly models - Signaling with nonlinear Fourier transforms - Capacity, capacity bounds, and information rates - Coding and shaping tailored for fiber nonlinearity - Digital and analogue signal processing Fiber-related channels: - Modified fiber channels with new interesting features - Fiber channels with inline optical regenerators or phase-conjugation - Integrable channels (via nonlinear Fourier transform) Direct-detection systems: - Capacity, capacity bounds, and information rates - Stokes receivers - Channels with both ASE and thermal noise Quantum communications: - Holevo capacity - Capacity-achieving quantum receivers

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