

# INSTRUCTIONS TO PREPARE A FULL-LENGTH PAPER FOR THE EUROMECH578 COLLOQUIUM ON ROLLING CONTACT MECHANICS FOR MULTIBODY SYSTEM DYNAMICS

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**Summary:** *This document provides information and instructions for preparing the full-length paper for the EUROMECH578 Colloquium (10-13 April, 2017 in Madeira Island, Portugal).*

## 1 INTRODUCTION

The Colloquium publication will consist of a CD or pen drive containing papers of the contributions received and a printed Book of Abstracts containing the accepted abstracts. The authors should upload the full-length paper (max 20 pages) to the online submission system, using the format of this template, by February 01, 2017.

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## 2 GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

The full-length paper must be written in English and should have a maximum length of approximately 20 pages.

## 3 TITLE, AUTHORS, AFFILIATION, KEY WORDS

The first page must contain the Title, Author(s), Affiliation(s), Key words and the Summary. The Introduction must begin immediately below, following the format of this

template.

### 3.1 Title

The title should be written centered, in 14pt, boldface Times, all capital letters. It should be single spaced if the title is more than one line long.

### 3.2 Author

The author's name should include first name, middle initial and surname.

### 3.3 Key words

Please, write no more than six keywords.

## 4 FIGURES

All figures should be numbered consecutively and captioned, and should be embedded in the Paper.



Figure 1: Caption goes here.

## 6 EQUATIONS

A displayed equation is numbered, using Arabic numbers in parentheses. It should be centered, leaving a 6pt space above and below to separate it from the surrounding text.

The following example is a single line equation:

$$Ax = b \tag{1}$$

The next example is a multi-line equation:

$$\begin{aligned} Ax &= b \\ Ax &= b \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

## 7 TABLES

All tables should be numbered consecutively and captioned.

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Table 1: Example of the construction of a table.

## **8 FORMAT OF REFERENCES**

References should be quoted in the text by numbers [1, 2] and grouped together at the end of the Abstract in numerical order as shown in these instructions.

## **9 CONCLUSIONS**

We look forward to receive your contributions for this conference.

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