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## CALL FOR DOCTORAL CONSORTIUM

8TH INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON BIOMETRICS AND FORENSICS

APRIL 29-30, 2020 | PORTO, PORTUGAL

**IWBF** is an international forum devoted to facilitating synergies in research and development among the areas of **multimedia forensics**, **forensic biometrics**, and **forensic science**. This workshop provides the meeting place for those concerned with the use of advanced biometric technologies in forensic applications, attracting participants from industry, research, academia, and end-users.

The idea behind the **IWBF Doctoral Consortium** is to provide a way for **current/prospective Ph.D. students** present their ideas and ongoing research, meet other researchers and obtain feedback from well-known advisers about possible directions for their future research.

This consortium is a great possibility for students to **discuss the strengths/weaknesses of different research proposals**, as well to show/present some preliminary results. Also, it should promote the brainstorming about exciting opportunities in the forensics/biometrics domains of knowledge.

**The accepted submissions will be presented at the Doctoral Consortium and published in the workshop proceedings.**

One mentor will be nominated for each candidate/student, and there will be opportunity for both bilateral meetings (mentor and student) and multilateral meetings (mentors and students) during the consortium, in order to obtain constructive feedbacks for each prospective work plan.

### Application and Submission

The students should write a short abstract (summary), with a maximum of 2 pages and a short presentation (.ppt or similar), clearly identifying:

- Problem statement
- Main hypothesis
- Main difficulties
- Ongoing research
- Further directions

### Important Dates

Submission Deadline: **February 15, 2020**

Decision Notification: **March 05, 2020**

Doctoral Consortium: **April 29, 2020**

### Cost

IWBF Workshop Authors: 20€

Other candidates: 180€

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