EasyChair: Instructions for Authors

This guide is intended to support authors in the submission process to the <u>CIE 2025</u> conference and consists of four parts:

- Creating an account,
- Submit an extended abstract,
- Submit a full article,
- <u>Review of a submitted article</u>.

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Creating an account

You will need to create an account (username and password) as an author. The process is divided into two phases:

- the initial confirmation of the user's email address, and
- filling in extensive data based on personalized link received at the email address.

First, navigate to the link <u>https://easychair.org/account/signup</u> and after the non-automated systems certification step (Figure 1)

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| Please note that the use of EasyChair is subject to <u>our terms of service</u> . | | | | | | | | |
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Figure 1: Certification of a non-automated system.

fill in your details: first name, last name, email address and email address confirmation (Figure 2)

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| Email: * | ioannis.karydis@ionio.gr | |
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Figure 2: Entering user data.

You will then be informed that your details have been successfully entered (Figure 3) and that you will receive an email at the address you provided in the previous step with further details.

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| Incorrectly typed email address This is still the most likely cause of delays. Slow mail processing Some mail servers process mail for a long time. For example, you mail server may spend a lot of time ch for spam. "Reply-me" mail protection. Some mailers, when receiving an email from an unknown sender, ask the sender to send a mail with spe that it has been sent by a human. Account-related emails in EasyChair are sent by a computer program, address uses such a protection, you will never receive our mail. If you have such a protection and it is co to accept email from the domain easychair.org. Mailbox problems and quotas Some emails sent by EasyChair bounce back because the recipient mailbox is over quota. Anti-spam filters | necking incoming mail scific content to ensure so if your email onfigurable, configure it |
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| You can repeat your application at any time. Another email will be sent to you. | |

Figure 3: Successful registration of user data.

You will then receive an email at the email address you entered with a personalized link to create your account (Figure 4).



Figure 4: Email message with a link to create an account.

The link will take you to a page that will already have the name and surname details you entered in the previous step (Figure 5) and where you will need to fill in further details for your account.

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| Last name: * | Karydis | |
| Organization: * | Dept. of Informatics, Ionian University | |
| Country/region: * | Greece | |
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Figure 5: Filling in detailed information to create an account.

After selecting «Create my account» and if all the details you entered were correct, you are taken to the successful account creation message (Figure 6).

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| Your EasyChair account has been created! |] |
| If you want to submit to a conference or a journal hosted by EasyChair, you should find the conference or journal Web page and follow the link to its EasyChair submission page. For anything else, including publishing a preprint, <u>click here to log in to EasyChair</u> . | |

Figure 6: Confirmation message confirming successful account creation.

Finally, by following the link <u>https://easychair.org/account/signin</u> you can log in with the information you entered.

Full article submission

To submit a full article, follow the instructions as for submitting an extended abstract, and in the final step of attaching the file, attach the file containing your full article.

Navigate to the conference link <u>https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=cie2025012</u>. Select «Make a new submission» (Figure 7)

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Figure 7: Selecting a new article entry. (Indicative image from previous CIE edition)

Then you identify the authors of the article (1 or more people) -Figure 8- as well as the fields title, abstract, and keywords (Figure 9). The keywords field requires at least 3 keywords, each on a new line.

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Figure 8: Article author data fields.

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Figure 9: Title, summary, and keyword entry fields.

You then attach the file of the extended summary via the "Files" field (Figure 10), which activates your computer's file interface.

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Figure 10: Uploading a file via your PC's file interface.

Finally, you select the registration of your article (button "Submit"), Figure 10.

Submission of revised article

Navigate to the conference link <u>https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=cie2025012</u>, select the author role - Figure 11 - and then select the article you want to review, Figure 12.

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Figure 11: Select a role. (Indicative image from previous CIE edition)

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Figure 12: Selecting a deposit for review/revision. (Indicative image from previous CIE edition)

Finally, after selecting the article from the previous step, in the top right set of options you can update or withdraw your deposit (Figure 13).

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Figure 13: Options to update or withdraw a deposit. (Indicative image from previous CIE edition)