

# BalkanCryptSec 2018

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## General Information

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BalkanCryptSec 2018 is soliciting research contributions in a broad area of cryptography and information security. Topics include, but are not limited to, cryptographic primitives and protocols, hardware and architectural aspects of security, and computer and information security.

## Important Dates

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Submission deadline:	<del>May 27, 2018</del> <del>June 10, 2018</del> <b>June 17, 2018</b>
Author notification:	July 15, 2018
Final version due:	July 29, 2018
Registration:	August 20, 2018
Conference:	September 20-21, 2018

## Instructions for Authors

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The submissions must be anonymous with no author names, affiliations or obvious references. The length of the submission must be at most 12 pages, excluding references and appendices, in a single column format, in 11pt fonts and with reasonable margins.

Authors are encouraged to prepare the submission using LaTeX according to the instructions listed on [here](#). These instructions are mandatory for the final papers. Submitted papers must be in PDF format and should be submitted electronically. The web link to the submission server will be published on the conference website.

The submission should begin with a title and a short abstract. The introduction should summarize the contributions of the paper at the level understandable for a non-expert reader. The reviewers are not required to read appendices; the paper should be intelligible without them. Submissions not meeting these guidelines risk rejection without consideration of their merits. Submissions must not substantially duplicate work that any of the authors has published in a journal or a conference/workshop with proceedings, or has submitted/is planning to submit before the author notification deadline to a journal or other conferences/workshops that have proceedings. Accepted submissions may not appear in any other conference or workshop that has proceedings.

Authors of accepted papers must guarantee that their paper will be presented at the conference and must make a full version of their paper available online.

## Conference Proceedings

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The proceedings will be published in Springer's LNCS series after the conference, allowing using the community feedback received during the conference for the final versions of the papers. However, pre-proceedings will be available at the conference.

## Best Paper Award

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The program committee may choose to award a best paper award.

## Program Committee members

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