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# **Call for Papers**

# A Special Issue of Knowledge Based Systems "Computational Intelligence Applications for Data Science"

Data science try to generalize the extraction of knowledge from data by incorporating different elements, techniques and theories from many fields such as signal processing, mathematics, probability models, machine learning, computer programming, statistics, data engineering, pattern recognition and learning, visualization, uncertainty modelling, etc. With goal of extracting meaning from data and create data products.

One of the most relevant techniques that has contributed to the Data Science is Computational Intelligence whose tools and techniques mainly deals with imprecision, uncertainty, learning, and evolution, in posing and solving computational problems. Therefore many proposals have been published showing the validity of Computational Intelligence to achieve the goals of Data Science

#### About the issue

The goal of this special issue is to collect a set of high quality papers showing the current state of the art, original and recent research on Computational Intelligence Applications related to Data Science in order to deal with new challenges on this topic. We have the aim to collect original research and innovative results including (but not limited to) the following topics:

- Cloud computing
- Databases and information integration
- Signal Processing
- Computer vision
- Decision Support and Decision making
- Knowledge discovery in social and information networks

#### **Submission format**

The submitted papers must be written in English and describe original research which is not published nor currently under review by other journals. Author guidelines for preparation of manuscript can be found at:

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## **Submission Guideline**

All papers will be submitted via the *Knowledge Based Systems* Editorial System. The authors must select as "SI: CIA for Data Science" when they reach the "Choose Article Type" step in the submission process.

## **Guest Editors Short CV**

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