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on the Applications of Evolutionary  
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special joint track on

# Evolutionary Machine Learning

**EXTENDED  
DEADLINE**

This joint track on Evolutionary Machine Learning (EML) will provide a specialized forum of discussion and exchange of information for researchers interested in exploring approaches that combine nature and nurture, with the long-term goal of evolving Artificial Intelligence (AI).

In response to the growing interest in the area, and consequent advances of the state-of-the-art, the special session covers theoretical and practical advances on the combination of Evolutionary Computation (EC) and Machine Learning (ML) techniques.

Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- \* EC as an ML technique: Using EC to solve typical ML tasks such as Classification or Clustering
- \* EC applied ML algorithms: Neuroevolution, Feature Selection, Feature Engineering, Evolutionary Adversarial Models
- \* ML applied to EC: Surrogate-model design by ML for EC, Learning Problem Structure, ML for Diversity, Designing Search Strategies, Predicting Promising Regions, Using ML to Decrease Computational Effort
- \* Real world applications issues: EC for Fairness, Robustness, Trustworthiness and Explainability; Green EML
- \* Emerging topics: EC for AutoML; EC for Transfer Learning; EC for Multitask Learning; Evolving Learning Functions, Neurons and Linkage; EC for Verification and Validation of ML

**Extended Submission deadline:**  
15 November 2023

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More info at:

[www.evostar.org/2024/eml](http://www.evostar.org/2024/eml)