

Preface

IScIDE 2017, the International Conference on Intelligence Science and Big Data Engineering, took place in Dalian, China, during September 22–23, 2017. As one of the annual events organized by the Chinese Golden Triangle ISIS (Information Science and Intelligence Science) Forum, this meeting was scheduled as the seventh in a series of annual meetings promoting the academic exchange of research on various areas of intelligence science and big data engineering in China and abroad. In response to the call for papers, a total of 121 papers were submitted and 61 papers were selected, yielding an acceptance rate of 51.2%. We would like to thank all the reviewers for spending their precious time on reviewing papers and for providing valuable comments that helped significantly in the paper selection process.

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