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July 2nd to July 8th, 2017

Cyprus University of Technology Limassol, Cyprus



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SenZations 2017 Summer School will be held in Limassol, Cyprus from July 2nd to July 8th, 2017 at University of Technology.

SenZations, successfully sharing knowledge since 2006, is now the world's oldest summer school on IoT.

SenZations has selected Cyprus as this year's venue. Packed with a dense schedule of high quality lectures, hands-on tutorials and project work sessions delivered by leading experts in the field, you will acquire cutting edge IoT knowledge and skills that you can apply directly to practical problems and projects in your work life.

Besides learning about recent IoT technology trends, SenZations also offers a business track where you can empower your knowledge with real entrepreneurship knowhow.

This year business track will bring **Creative Entrepreneurship** challenge to Cyprus.

[Join us](#), meet peers and leading researchers, expand your network of contacts and work in interdisciplinary teams in an inspiring and fun environment!



The aims of the SenZations Summer School

- Provide access to insights about the latest IoT technologies, market and research trends and emerging applications
- Gain hands-on experience on developing IoT solutions
- Create your own IoT product on top of a live LoRaWAN testbed deployment
- Learn about security, privacy and societal aspects of IoT
- Identify research opportunities, important challenges and research directions
- Interact with experienced researchers and entrepreneurs and establish new contacts
- Empower knowledge in Creative Entrepreneurship
- Have fun and enjoy the beauties of an island while acquiring new skills and expertise

**CREATE + INNOVATE + DEVELOP +
IMPLEMENT = PARTICIPATE**

The SenZations Co-founders



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Program Chair and SenZations initiator

Manages and drives research activities in DunavNET. He worked in Ericsson since 2000 where he held a number of positions, managed several product development and research projects, focusing on M2M, IoT and their application in various domains including smart cities.



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Holds a Senior Scientist position at NCI Agency Den Haag, The Netherlands. He has nearly fifteen years of work experience in industrial (Ericsson Research and SAP Research) and academic (RWTH Aachen University, Media Lab Europe and Rutgers University) research and development environment.



Alex Gluhak, Ph.D.
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Alex Gluhak is Head of Technology at the Digital Catapult, where he leads Things Connected, a UK wide innovation support program for LPWAN. In the past, he worked on IoT research for companies such Intel Labs and Ericsson.



Gordana Nikolic, Ph.D.
Program co-chair

An entrepreneur and an academic professor, the Dean and the founder of Business Academy and Business School PAR. Promotes business and women leadership as well as entrepreneurial learning through PAR activities and curricula.

Venue

Cyprus University of Technology, in the heart of Limassol city, in Cyprus

Limassol is a city on the southern coast of **Cyprus** and capital of the eponymous district. Limassol is the second largest urban area in Cyprus, with an urban population of 160,000–176,700. Limassol has been ranked by TripAdvisor as the 3rd up-and-coming destination in the world, in its *Top 10 Traveler's Choice Destinations on the Rise*.

More information about the City is available at [Limassol municipality website](#).

The SenZations Summer School will take place at the Cyprus University of Technology in the center of Limassol!

[Accommodation](#)



Top-rated Limassol things to see



Ancient Kourion

One of Cyprus' most spectacular archaeological sites, the ancient city-kingdom of Kourion (sometimes spelt Curium) has been settled since the Neolithic age, though the grand monuments on show all date from its Graeco-Roman period. The small theater

(with seating for 3,500 spectators) was built in the 2nd century and then extended by the Romans. It has been completely reconstructed, having been destroyed by an earthquake in the 4th century. The views over the jagged coastal cliffs and out to the Mediterranean Sea are superb from here.



Limassol Old Town

Limassol's lively old town district is the most interesting part of the city to explore. Right in the center, on the main square, is Limassol Castle, built in the 14th century on the site of an earlier Byzantine construction. Some of the earlier fortifications can be seen just inside

the walls. This is where Richard the Lionheart of England married Berengaria, and later, the Ottomans used it as a military base. The entire interior of the castle is now home to Limassol Medieval Museum with a fascinating collection of suits of armor, weaponry, religious icons, and tombstones



Kolossi Castle

Probably the dinkiest castle you're ever going to see; Kolossi Castle was built in AD 1210 by the Knights of St. John. It is a fine example of military architecture and served as the Grand Command center of Jerusalem's Order of St. John until being taken over by the Order of the Knights Templar in the 14th century.



Archaeological Museum

Just behind Limassol Municipal Gardens, is the city's archaeological museum, which houses an interesting collection of antiquities found in the Limassol area that date from the Neolithic Age up to the Roman period. Room One contains Neolithic tools and pottery that were excavated at Kourion and Amathus

as well as the city itself. It's a mind-boggling display of Cyprus' vast history covering a huge time span from 3000 BC to AD 1300



Aphrodite's Rock (Petra tou Romiou)

This is the legendary spot where the goddess Aphrodite is said to have emerged from the waves and is one of the island's most magical spots to be at sunset. The Greek name of the rock "Petra tou Romiou" or "Rock of the Greek" is associated with the legendary Byzantine frontier-guard

Digenis Akritas. It is said he kept Arab pirates at bay by throwing rocks at them from the hillside above.

Info point:



There are **two airports** in Cyprus, one in **Larnaca** and one in **Paphos**. They are both about 45min from Limassol. **Larnaca** is the main airport (hence more frequent flights), but a lot of low-cost airlines fly to **Paphos airport**.

There are **no trains** in Cyprus, so you may either take the bus (about 8-10 euros) or share a taxi with others (about 50-60 euros) from the airport to Limassol.

Most hotels are at a walking distance from the **Cyprus University of Technology**, where the meeting will take place (less than 25-30min). However, bus number 30 connects all the seafront hotels and the university and runs every 20min.



Paphos is a coastal city in the southwest of Cyprus and the capital of **Paphos District**. In antiquity, two locations were called Paphos: **Old Paphos** and **New Paphos**. The currently inhabited city, New Paphos, lies on the Mediterranean coast, about 50 km (31.07 mi) west of Limassol (the biggest port on the island), which has an A6 highway connection. Paphos International Airport is the country's second-largest airport

The town of Paphos is included in the official **UNESCO list of cultural and natural treasures of the world's heritage**.

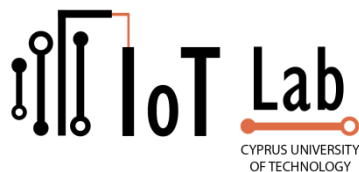
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