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Plenary Speaker



Janan Zaytoon, born in 1962, is a professor at the University of Reims Champagne-Ardenne. He is the President of the International Federation of Automatic Control (IFAC) for the 2014-2017 triennium. Janan Zaytoon was the founding Director of the CReSTIC research centre of the University of Reims. He is the chair of the French national member organization of IFAC and the past director of the French national research network/group “GDR MACS” of CNRS, which involves 2500 researchers and engineers in the fields of automatic control and production systems. His work involves many theoretical, methodological and applied aspects

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Janan Zaytoon was the founding editor-in-chief of the Nonlinear Analysis: Hybrid Systems Journal of IFAC. He is an associate editor of Control Engineering Practice and Discrete Event Dynamic Systems. He served as chair/co-chair of 15 international conferences and 12 national conferences, and was the founder of the IFAC conference series on Analysis and Design of Hybrid Systems. He Chaired the IFAC Technical Committee on Discrete-Event and Hybrid Systems, and received the IFAC Outstanding Service Award and the Paper Prize of the Journal of Engineering Applications of Artificial Intelligence. He has been the Invited plenary speaker for 6 international conferences.