# INVITED SESSION SUMMARY

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| **Details of Session (including aim and scope):** | The current global COVID-19 pandemic has affected our daily activities. Many businesses and healthcare services have gone online. Researchers and educators are of no exception. Many institutions and universities are proactively reviewing their educational processes at the moment, including online platforms to conduct the operations.  
We believe that there is a need to revisit our online delivery practices from all angles such as infrastructure for online delivery, software, hardware, assessment, copyright issues, and other elements. This invited session is dedicated to address this particular need. |
| **Papers are invited on all aspects of the Online Delivery of Courses.** | The topics of interest include, but are not limited to, the following:  
- Infrastructure for the online delivery of courses  
- Hardware and software for the online delivery of courses including paradigms such as software agents, artificial neural networks, knowledge-based techniques, machine learning, deep learning, virtual reality  
- Case studies related to online courses  
- Assessment criteria of online courses  
- Copyright issues of online courses  
- Information and Data Security  
- Faculty Developments Programs for delivery of online courses  
- Trends and Prospects of online courses  
- Other relevant topics |
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