



# 16TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON DOCUMENT ANALYSIS AND RECOGNITION

SEPTEMBER 5-10, 2021 | LAUSANNE, SWITZERLAND

## CONFERENCE PROGRAM

### IMPORTANT DATES

Sept. 5-7	Pre-Conference
Sept. 8-10	Main Conference

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### CONFERENCE

ICDAR is the premier international event for scientists and practitioners involved in document analysis and recognition, a field of growing importance in the current age of digital transition. In 2021, the 16th edition of this flagship conference will be held for the first time in Switzerland.

The organizers are committed to holding a safe and secure ICDAR 2021. The current COVID situation in Switzerland **allows to hold the conference in person**. A hybrid mode is setup with both on-site and online participants.

### TOPICS

Document image processing	Multimedia document analysis
Physical and logical layout analysis	Mobile text recognition
Text and symbol recognition	Pen-based document analysis
Handwriting recognition	Scene text detection and recognition
Document analysis systems	Graphics recognition
Document classification	Recognition of tables and formulas
Indexing and retrieval of documents	Historical document analysis
Document synthesis	Signature verification
Extracting document semantics	Document forensics and provenance analysis
NLP for document understanding	Medical document analysis
Document summarization and translation	Document analysis for social good
Office automation	Document analysis for literature search
Human document interaction	Gold-standard benchmarks and data sets

### VENUES

The main conference is held from September 8-10 at the *Beaulieu Convention Center* ([www.congres-lausanne.ch](http://www.congres-lausanne.ch)). It features oral and poster sessions, as well as keynotes from distinguished speakers, including Prem Natarajan, Vice President at Amazon, and Beáta Megyesi, professor of computational linguistics at Uppsala University, Sweden.

The reception and gala dinner takes place on Wednesday, September 8, at the *Olympic Museum* (<https://olympics.com>).

The pre-conference is held from September 5-7 at the *EPFL* ([www.epfl.ch](http://www.epfl.ch)) and includes workshops, tutorials, and the doctoral consortium.

### REGISTRATION

Register today! All available options for on-site and online participation can be found here: <https://icdar2021.org/registration/>

