



## MATEC WEB OF CONFERENCES

### A new publisher – what led ICAD to EDP Sciences?

When ICAD's publisher introduced changes to its system, the organisers of ICAD 2018 felt the changes were too limiting and decided to look at new publisher options.

After hearing positive feedback from a colleague who had used *MATEC Web of Conferences*, the organising committee decided to make the switch to EDP Sciences' Web of Conferences service.

Due to the technical requirements of publishing for ICAD, one of the most important considerations was the support of both LaTeX and Microsoft Word submissions.

Other considerations included price, speed of publication and indexation.

### Flexible publishing options

*MATEC Web of Conferences* supports different publishing options (including LaTeX and Microsoft Word) and offers flexible licensing arrangements.

ICAD and EDP Sciences' partnership resulted in the publication of 'Reports on Axiomatic Design 2018'; a hardcover version of the conference proceedings published with HU University of Applied Sciences Utrecht.

### ICAD

(International Conference on Axiomatic Design)

In October 2018, the 12th International Conference on Axiomatic Design was hosted by Reykjavik University at the School of Science and Engineering. The ICAD conference is a recognised meeting in the Axiomatic Design Community. We spoke with Joe Foley, Assistant Professor at Reykjavik University, who was involved in organising the conference.

## The publishing process

According to Joe Foley, “the *MATEC Web of Conferences* systems worked well and the service is fairly-priced”. Although it was thought that the system would benefit by further customisation options, “the publication of these conference proceedings was professionally executed”.

The organisers appreciated the fact that the system is not at all prescriptive and the right level of support is generally available. They would use *MATEC Web of Conferences* again.

## Building a long-term relationship

The organisers will be recommending *MATEC Web of Conferences* to the next ICAD organising committee. With its current indexations and flexible pricing and support options, *MATEC Web of Conferences* is the best fit for this conference.

## Collaborate with us:

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### Joe Foley, Assistant Professor, School of Science and Engineering, Reykjavik University

“My colleague, Kate Thompson, was the one who did the initial survey of which conference proceedings publishing made the most sense. She was the one who recommended MATEC based on a successful experience for the previous ICAD conference.”

## Read the proceedings

The published proceedings are free to read in *MATEC Web of Conferences*. Click the links below to access the volume directly.

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