Sussex-Huawei Locomotion Challenge

Rules

- **Eligibility**
    - You do not work in or collaborate with the SHL project (http://www.shl-dataset.org/);
    - You are not involved in any part in the administration and execution of this contest;
    - If you submit an entry, but are not qualified to enter the contest, this entry is voluntary. The organizers reserve the right to evaluate it for scientific purposes. If you are not qualified to submit a contest entry and still choose to submit one, under no circumstances will such entries qualify for sponsored prizes.

- **Entry**
    - **Registration:** Each team should send a registration email, stating the:
        - name of the team
        - the names of the participants in the team
        - the organization/company
        - contact person with his/her email address
    - **Challenge:** Participants submit prediction results on the test data.
    - **Workshop paper**: To be part of the final ranking, participants will be required to submit a detailed paper to the HASCA workshop (http://hasca2018.hasc.jp/). The paper should contain technical description of the processing pipeline, the algorithms and the results achieved during the development/training phase. The paper submission date will be set during the competition. The submissions must follow the HASCA format (http://hasca2018.hasc.jp/cfp/index.html).
    - **Use of the provided data**: All data provided by this challenge are freely available to the participants through the challenge's website, under license terms provided with the test data;
    - **Submission**: The participants' predictions should be submitted online by sending an email to shldataset.challenge@gmail.com, in which there should be a link to the predictions file, using services such as Dropbox, Google Drive, etc. In case the participants cannot provide link using some file sharing service, they should contact the organizers via email shldataset.challenge@gmail.com, which will provide an alternate way to send the data.

- **Submission of entries**
    - Follow the instructions on the competition's website to submit entries;
    - **Two submissions** are allowed per team, provided that the team writes 2 papers for HASCA and the papers should be substantially different (>70%).
    - We are not responsible for entries that we do not receive for any reason, or for entries that we receive but are not functioning properly (e.g., incorrect data format);
    - **Team Limits** - There is no maximum team size;

- o You may use any other data sources, so long as these are publicly available and disclosed.

- **Notifications**
  - o If there is any change to data, schedule, instructions of participation, or these rules, the registered participants will be notified through the email address they provided when registering.
  - o The final results and ranking of the teams will be announced at the HASCA 2018 Workshop at the Ubicomp 2018 conference in Singapore (8th -12th of October 2018).
  - o If you are a potential winner, we will notify you by sending a message to the e-mail address listed on your final entry within seven days following the determination of winners. If the notification that we send is returned as undeliverable, or you are otherwise unreachable for any reason, we may award the prize to an alternate winner.
  - o Winners who have entered the contest as a team will be responsible to share any prizes among their members. The prize will be delivered to the registered team leader. If this person becomes unavailable for any reason, the team will have to indicate to whom should the prize be addressed.
- **Online Notifications**
  - o We will post changes in the rules or changes in the data, as well as the names of confirmed winners (after contest decisions are made by the judges and after the announcement at the HASCA Workshop) online on the competition's website.
- **Conditions**
  - o By participating in this contest, you agree to abide by these rules. In case you do not, please do not participate in our contest. Note: in order to be eligible to win the competition, a paper must be submitted to the associated workshop, and at least one member of the winning team must attend the HASCA Workshop 2018.
- **Unforeseen Events**
  - o If an unforeseen or unexpected event (including, but not limited to: someone cheating; a virus, bug, or catastrophic event corrupting data or the submission platform; someone discovering a flaw in the data or modalities of the challenge) that cannot be reasonably anticipated or controlled (also referred to as force majeure) and which affects the fairness and/or integrity of this contest, we reserve the right to cancel, change or suspend this contest at any time.