
NeurIPS 2020 Crowd Science Workshop: Remoteness, Fairness, and Mechanisms as Challenges of Data Supply by Humans for Automation

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Preface

The first workshop on Crowd Science was organized in conjunction with the 34th Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS 2020). This workshop is the first in a series of events that has the goal of helping crowdsourcing “transition” from art to science, and tackles the research challenges that we face to make crowdsourcing a technology that users can easily access and leverage, and produces results that researchers and businesses can rely on.

This workshop features five invited talks, seven paper presentations, and a panel discussion. We received 13 submissions, out of which 7 were accepted as the talks at the workshop after peer review. Only 6 papers were included in the proceedings as the authors of one accepted paper expressed their interest in non-archival talk. We thank all the authors for their contributions and the effort they put into it, and we are very grateful to the excellent work of our reviewers and program committee members.

Last, but not least, we would like to thank NeurIPS workshop chairs for their assistance that made the workshop organization process a pleasure. The 2020 edition of the workshop took place remotely, and we look forward to the forthcoming (in-person) editions of the Crowd Science workshop.

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