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1 INTRODUCTION

It is our great pleasure to welcome you to this issue of the Proceedings of the ACM on Human Computer Interaction, the first to focus on the contributions from the research community Interactive Surfaces and Spaces (ISS). Interactive Surfaces and Spaces increasingly pervade our everyday life, appearing in various sizes, shapes, and application contexts, offering a rich variety of ways to interact. This diverse research community explores the design, development and use of new and emerging tabletop, digital surface, interactive spaces and multi-surface technologies.

The call for articles for this issue on ISS attracted 87 submissions, from all over the world. After the first round of reviewing, 26 (29.9%) articles with minor revisions were invited to the Revise and Resubmit phase, and 39 (44.8%) articles with major revisions for the next full PACMHCI ISS review cycle in 2021 (total of 65 articles, 74.7%). The editorial committee worked hard over the two iterations of the review process to arrive at final decisions. In the end, 25 articles (28%) were accepted. All authors of the accepted articles are invited to present at the ISS conference from November 8-11, 2020.

This issue exists because of the dedicated volunteer effort of 31 senior editors who served as Associate Chairs (ACs), and 146 expert reviewers to ensure high quality and insightful reviews for all articles in both rounds. Reviewers and committee members were kept constant for papers that submitted to both rounds.

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