

## **GUIDELINES FOR POST-SEMINAR PUBLICATIONS**

### **GIREP Malta Webinar 2021**

LOC – Local Organizing Committee of the conference

GB – GIREP Board

Editor(s) – a person (or persons) delegated by LOC to conduct the process of GIREP post-conference publications

GBPG – the GIREP Board representative group: M. Michelini, E. McLoughlin, D. Sokolowska

#### **1. Deadlines:**

- Paper submission deadline is 15th of March 2022
- Decision by WG leaders on the reviewers' list for the contributions from their WG by 22nd of March 2022
- Papers distributed to reviewers by Editor(s) by 25th of March 2022
- First round of reviews completed by 30th of April 2022
- Author's response to the reviewers' remarks and submission of the revised papers by 30th of May 2022
- Notification of acceptance by WG leaders by 14th of June 2022
- Review by GB final decisions of acceptance announced by 28th of June 2022

#### **2. Length of papers**

The limit is 10 pages per paper presented as an oral presentation and 8 pages per paper presented as a poster. For a combined symposium paper the limit is 14 pages. If accepted, the paper will be published by Institute Of Physics (IOP) Proceedings published under Journal of Physics Conference Series (JPCS). So, the paper format follows the guidelines of JPCS (provided as a separate template).

#### **3. Reviews**

All papers will be proceeded through a double-blinded reviewing process.

#### **4. Springer Book Publication**

A number of oral presentations (including symposium presentations) will be selected for publication in GIREP book published by Springer. If the paper is selected for the Springer book it is the author's responsibility to change the format of the paper according to the Springer Style, only after reviewers' decision is received.

#### **5. Conditions for Springer Book publication**

All the material submitted must be original or, in case of publishing it already in any other publication, the authors should hold an additional permission from the previous publisher to use the material again. All authors will be asked to sign the consent for publication when their contribution is accepted.

#### **6. Paper Submission**

Papers should be submitted electronically through the submission system, with and without author's names, in Microsoft Word (.docx preferred, .doc allowed). 2 documents must be uploaded in total.