

Conference Schedule

Day 1 – June 23, 2026 (Tuesday)

08:00 - 17:00	Registration						Zoom Room 7
09:00 - 10:00	Networking Morning Coffee						
10:00 - 10:30	Opening – Conference Chair Remarks, IEOM Society Remarks and Host Welcome Message						8:00 – 11:00 Competitions
10:30 - 11:00	Opening Keynote: Prof. M. Selim Aktürk, Professor, Department of Industrial Engineering, Bilkent University, Ankara, Türkiye, Past Dean (2023 – 2025), Faculty of Business Administration and Past Chair (2013 – 2021), Industrial Engineering Department						11:00 – 12:00 BM & OM
11:00 - 11:30	Keynote: Çağatay Cangüloğlu, Founder & CEO, Baca Engineering / upu.io, Ankara, Türkiye						12:00 – 14:00 SCM
11:30 - 12:00	Keynote: Dr. Pelin Pekgün, Department Chair for Analytics, Information Systems, Marketing & Operations Management (AIMO) and Thomas H. Davis Professor in Business and Professor of Analytics, School of Business, Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, NC, USA						14:00 – 16:00 Operations Research
12:00 - 12:30	Keynote: Dr. Ahad Ali, Director, Doctor of Engineering in Adv Manufacturing and Director of Industrial Engineering Program, A. Leon Linton Department of Mechanical, Robotics and Industrial Engineering, Lawrence Technological University, Michigan, USA						16:00 – 18:00 AI and DS
12:30 - 13:00	Keynote Panel						
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch						18:00 – 20:00 HF and Ergo
	Afternoon Technical Sessions – Breakout Rooms						
	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4	Room 5	Room 6	18:00 – 20:00 HF and Ergo
14:00 - 15:30	Panel – Meet the Editors	UG Comp	PhD & MS Comp	High School STEM Comp	SCM	Case Studies	
15:30 - 16:00	Networking Tea Break						20:00 – 22:00 Online Keynotes
	4:00 – 6:00 (Day 1) – Poster Session						
16:00 - 17:30	Panel	UG Research Comp	Grad Competition	Manufacturing	HF	Operations Research	
19:00 - 21:00	Welcome Cocktail						

Day 2 – June 24, 2026 (Wednesday)

08:00 - 17:00	Registration						Zoom Room 7 8:00 – 10:00 High School Comp 10:00 – 12:00 Sustainability 12:00 – 14:00 EM & PM 14:00 – 16:00 AI and DS 16:00 – 18:00 SCM 18:00 – 20:00 Lean Six Sigma
09:00 - 10:00	Networking Morning Coffee						
10:00 - 10:30	Keynote: Dr. Sila Çetinkaya, Professor of Operations Research and Engineering Management and Cecil H. Green Professor of Engineering, Lyle School of Engineering, Southern Methodist University, Dallas						
10:30 - 11:00	Keynote: Hüseyin Orhun Demir, Founder & CEO, Integva Teknoloji, İstanbul, Türkiye						
11:00 - 11:30	Keynote: Prof. Dr. Semail ÜLGEN, Chair of Industrial Engineering Department, Antalya Bilim University, Antalya, Türkiye						
11:30 - 12:00	Keynote: Prof. G. Didem BATUR SİR, Professor, Department of Industrial Engineering, Gazi University, Ankara, Türkiye						
12:00 - 13:00	Keynote: Professor Don Reimer, Chief Operating Officer, IEOM Society, USA						
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch						
	Afternoon Technical Sessions – Breakout Rooms						
	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4	Room 5	Room 6	
14:00 - 15:30	Panel – AI Impacts in Engineering Education	Simulation	Manufacturing	EM-PM	Eng Edu + Mfg		
15:30 - 16:00	Networking Tea Break						
16:00 - 17:30	Panel	AI	Sustainability	Quality	SCM		
19:00 - 22:00	Gala Dinner + Awards + Onsite Competition Winners + Recognitions of Best Track Papers + IEOM Gazi University Student Chapter Induction Ceremony						

Day 3 – June 25, 2026 (Thursday)

08:00 - 17:00	Registration						Zoom Room 7
09:00 - 10:00	Networking Morning Coffee						
10:00 - 10:30	Keynote: Dr Sinan Onal, Professor and Chair of Industrial Engineering, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville (SIUE), Edwardsville, Illinois, USA						8:00 – 10:00 Eng. Edu.
10:30 - 11:00	Keynote: Dr. Fitra Lestari, Professor, Industrial Engineering Department, UIN Sultan Syarif Kasim Riau, Indonesia						10:00 – 12:00 Quality
11:00 - 11:30							
12:00 - 13:00	Keynote: Dr. Ali Allahverdi, Professor, Department of Industrial Engineering, Gazi University, Ankara, Türkiye						12:00 – 14:00 Simulation
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch						
	Afternoon Technical Sessions – Breakout Rooms						
	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4	Room 5	Room 6	
14:00 - 15:30	Panel – IEOM Student Chapters	Simulation	Quality	BM & OM	SCM	AI Workshop	16:00 – 18:00 BM & OM
15:30 - 16:00	Networking Tea Break						
16:00 - 17:30	Panel	AI	Sustainability	Automation	Lean Six Sigma	AI Workshop	18:00 – 20:00 Sustainability
18:00 - 20:00	Six Sigma Workshop by Dr. Ahad Ali						