

Welcome to the 16th Annual International Conference on Industrial Engineering and Operations Management Ankara, Türkiye, June 23-25, 2026

To All Conference Attendees:

Industrial Engineering Department of Gazi University and IEOM Society International are pleased to welcome you to the 16th Annual International Conference on Industrial Engineering and Operations Management, Ankara, Türkiye, June 23–25, 2026. It is hosted by Gazi University. This year's conference highlights key and emerging areas such as artificial intelligence, digital manufacturing, supply chain management, Industry 4.0, the Internet of Things (IoT), lean systems, six sigma, simulation, data analytics, automation, and interdisciplinary research. The event serves as a global platform for academics, researchers, and industry practitioners to exchange ideas, present innovations, and discuss advancements in Industrial Engineering and Operations Management.

The conference aims to foster collaboration, networking, and joint initiatives while advancing both the theory and practice of IEOM. We are delighted to share that the conference received over 400 submissions from 41 countries, with 300 papers and abstracts accepted for presentation.

This year's program features a distinguished lineup of keynote speakers representing academia, industry, and global leadership. Their expertise and insights will provide valuable perspectives on contemporary challenges and future directions in industrial engineering, manufacturing, data analytics, and supply chain digitalization.

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IEOM Society International continues to expand its global footprint, now operating in 151 countries and supporting 302 student chapters across 60 countries. We remain committed to promoting student engagement, research excellence, and international collaboration.

We extend our sincere appreciation to Prof. Dr. Bilal Toklu and Prof. Dr. Ali Allahverdi, Department of Industrial Engineering, Gazi University, Türkiye for their outstanding leadership and dedication. We also thank our program leadership, keynote speakers, sponsors, partners, authors, reviewers, track chairs, advisors, committee members, and volunteers for their invaluable contributions in making this conference possible.

We are confident that this conference will be an intellectually enriching and collaborative experience for all participants.

We wish you a successful conference and an enjoyable, memorable stay in Ankara.



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