Activity & Progress Reporting

Section Autumn Meeting - 20th October 2023

1. Chapter/Affinity Group:	Systematic Innovation SIG
2. Committee Members	Prof. Ali Hessami, Chair, Systems Council Chapter
3. Reporting Officer:	Farhad Fassihi
4. Overview of current plan and activities:	Currently all activities have been stopped subject to clarification by the section chair and Conferences chair about the rules governing arranging of future activities.
5. Key Achievements and member value/services to date:	• Organised 2 events on 5th and 15th of September: • 5th Sept 23: *Turbocharging Digital Systematic Innovation through Generative AI* – Mr Muhammad Saad Ali, Dual Mode, in conjunction with CIRC Research Group, NTU. 42 registered 20 attended. • 15th Sept 23 *AI Innovation Symposium, Technology, Business & Ethics*, Dual Mode, 65 registered 34 attended. • *AI Ethics, Policy & Regulatory Trends: Balancing Legal, Ethical, economic and Innovation Needs in the Interest of society. A Joint event with British Computer Society (BCS), Dr Farhad Fassihi- (On hold Subject to clarification of activity policies by the Section management)*
6. Key Challenges:	• Securing Sponsorship and more importantly withdrawal of support from the section management without prior notice.
7. Deficits/Required Resources:	• None.
8. Actions/Support requested from the Section:	• Clear guideline and support from the management
9. Action Plan:	To be confirmed subject to clarification of policies and procedures

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