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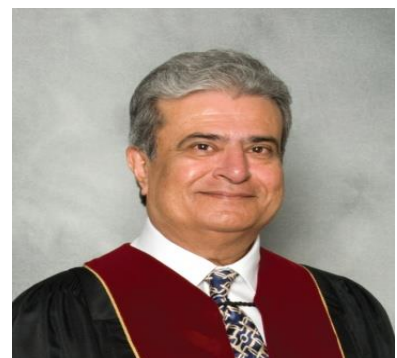
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Time Schedule:

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| Special Sessions & regular papers Due | February 17, 2014 |
| Full papers (6 pages long)_with session title and perspective chairs | |
| Acceptance | March 20, 2014 |
| Final manuscripts upload and early registration | May 10, 2014 |
| Congress | August 3-7, 2014 |