

# Special Issue

## Probability, Stochastic Processes and Optimization

### Message from the Guest Editors

In applied research, Probability Theory is usually regarded as a distant, often neglected relative of Statistics. We try to rectify this misconception by publishing papers underlying new applications and original models for real-world problems, from either natural, computer or social sciences that are based on Probability and Stochastic Processes. The suggested, yet not restrictive, topics include the following:

- Optimization;
- Cellular automata;
- Bayes analysis;
- Markov processes and related topics;
- Hidden Markov processes;
- Applications of stochastic processes in Economics, Finance, Social Sciences, etc.;
- Stochastic modeling;
- Measures of divergence and entropy;
- Clustering;
- Monte Carlo simulations.

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