Session Name: Call for Demonstration (a collocated event of ICON 2020)

## Session Chair:

Dr. Vishal Goyal, Professor, Department of Computer Science, Punjabi University Patiala. Dr. Asif Ekbal, Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, IIT Patna.

This will be an open hour session, and a collocated event of ICON 2020.

## **Track – I : Demonstrating NLP Tools**

This session is intended to encourage and promote the development of NLP related software. The researchers, software developers and educators working in development of NLP, software entries are invited to participate in this demonstration session, by submitting a 1-2 page summary of their software. Only independently running complete systems are eligible for the session. Small Modules or tools developed for NLP Research or integration with larger systems will not be considered. Entries will be selected for inclusion in the conference program based on peer-review. The criteria for judging submissions include broad applicability and potential impact, novelty, technical depth, demo suitability, and other miscellaneous factors. Authors of selected entries will be invited to present and demonstrate their software in this special session in the conference program. One page abstract of the selected tools will be published in the ICON Conference Proceedings as well.

## Track –II: Sharing/Distributing NLP Resources

The NLP resources such as Parallel Corpora, monolingual corpora, annotated corpora etc. are the backbone of any NLP research. Today, numerous research is going on throughout the world on localization and hence data has become very important. To avoid any inconvenience to researchers in NLP, resources already generated must be shared to advance the research rather than reinventing the wheel. Thus, NLP researchers are encouraged to come forward and share the resources developed by them so that the research should advance and new products can come up. Thus, in this session, entries are invited to participate in sharing and introducing their developed resources by submitting a 1-2 page abstract of their resources to be shared. Entries will be selected for inclusion in the conference program based on peer-review. Authors of selected entries will be invited to present and demonstrate their resources to be shared in this special session in the conference program. 1-2 page abstracts of the selected resources will be published in the ICON Conference Proceedings as well.

## **Important Dates:**

Entries Submission Deadline: 1st November 2020 Acceptance Notification: November 15, 2020 Camera Ready Summary Submission: November 30, 2020

**Conference:** Dec 18-21, 2020

**How to submit entries:** Please send your 1-2 page abstract mentioning in which track you want to participate along with contributor details at <u>vishal.pup@gmail.com</u> adhering to the deadlines.

**Please Note:** There is no registration fee for participating in this session. It has been decided to encourage researchers to come forward to sharing their resources and tools.