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Preface

Information channels have become increasingly distributed, opinionated, and vary in their information quality and trustworthiness of the stated facts and arguments. Comprehensive understanding, sense-making, and informed discussions within a society require effective technologies in natural language processing, information retrieval, or provenance analytics.

In turn, the development of such technologies requires the understanding and the combination of methods from different research areas, including machine learning, data mining, computational linguistics, artificial intelligence, user interaction and modeling, Web engineering, and Big Data processing.

In this regard the TIR workshop series provides a platform for presenting and discussing new solutions, novel ideas, and prototypes.

The TIR workshop is held for the fourteenth time. In the past, it was characterized by a stimulating atmosphere, and it attracted high quality contributions from all over the world. We are glad that we could now again compile a program that is both interesting and scientifically demanding. The TIR'17 Program Committee did a great job and provided us with detailed and professional reviews; without the reviewers' work the organization of this workshop would not have been possible -- thank you sincerely.

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