

Call for Papers INFORMS Transactions on Education Special Issue: The Education Science of delivering Analytics education

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Example topics for potential submissions include, but are not limited to:

- Review or survey of specific topics in research in OR/MS/analytics education
- Analysis of trends in OR/MS/analytics education
- Use of OR techniques for optimizing (the organization of) teaching, e.g., mixed integer programming for course timetabling, group composition, automatized evaluation, etc.
- Evaluation of one of the following education topics with respect to OR/MS/analytics education or with respect to other disciplines using an OR/MS/analytics technique
 - o Examining the effectiveness of a specific teaching approach
 - Study of best practices in recent teaching approaches: e.g., interdisciplinary, active learning, blended learning, MOOCs, etc.
 - Use of new technologies in teaching and learning
 - Research on specific (un)controllable factors that impact learning outcomes or teaching effectiveness
 - Study of impact of education on careers

Authors should review the *INFORMS Transactions on Education* instructions on preparing a paper at: https://pubsonline.informs.org/page/ited/submission-guidelines

Please note that this Special Issue is only open to research (and review) articles, so no cases, games, puzzles or resource reviews will be reviewed for this SI.

Papers must be submitted online at: https://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/ite

The timeline is as follows:

- November, 2019: Target deadline for first round of submissions
- February 2020: First round of reviews completed, Decisions (and requests for revision, if appropriate) delivered to authors
- May, 2020: Second round of reviews delivered to authors:
- August 2020: Final versions of accepted papers to be submitted
- December, 2020: Target ITE publication date

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