

SPWID 2023

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The Ninth International Conference on Smart Portable, Wearable, Implantable and Disability-oriented Devices and Systems (SPWID 2023), held between June 26th and June 30th, 2023, continued a series of events bridging the concepts and the communities dealing with specialized implantable, wearable, near-body, or mobile devices, including artificial organs, body-driven technologies, and assistive services. Mobile communications played by the proliferation of smartphones and practical aspects of designing such systems and developing specific applications raise challenges for successful acceptance and deployment.

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We hope that SPWID 2023 was a successful international forum for the exchange of ideas and results between academia and industry and for the promotion of progress in the field of smart portable, wearable, implantable and disability-oriented devices, and systems.

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