## **ISPDC 2015 Preface**

Following very successful previous editions since 2002, the 14th International Symposium on Parallel and Distributed Computing (ISPDC 2015) will be hosted in Limassol, a beautiful coastal Mediterranean city on the South coast of Cyprus. The conference will be devoted to a highly selective program composed of papers describing original and unpublished research advancing the state of the art in the field of new Parallel and Distributed Computing paradigms and applications. Parallel and Distributed Computing is today a central topic in science, engineering and society, in the development of new approaches to modeling, design, analysis, evaluation, and programming of future parallel and distributed computing systems and applications.

The proceedings of this edition of ISPDC include 25 papers selected from more than 55 submissions. The submissions were evaluated by a distinguished international Program Committee and selected external reviewers consisting of experts in the area of parallel and distributed computing.

We are grateful to the members of the Program Committee and to the external reviewers for their participation in the evaluation of the submissions. We would like to express our sincere thanks to our sponsors, to Steering Committee members, to all authors for their contributions, to all speakers for presenting at the conference, and to all the participants for making ISPDC 2015 a memorable event. We are also grateful to Easy Conferences staff for helping us organize and host the conference in Limassol. Special thanks are due to IEEE CPS staff for helping us publish the proceedings of the conference.

We hope you will enjoy the conference and Limassol!

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