Editorial Acknowledgements and Introduction to the Special Issue on EDM Journal Track

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INTRODUCTION
The 11th EDM Conference was held in Buffalo from July 15 to July 18, and for the fourth time it held a Journal track which this year was edited by Min Chi and Irena Koprinska. The Journal track allows papers submitted to JEDM to be presented at the conference. A summary is available in the proceedings, and the full text is published in the Journal.

The Journal track received 15 submissions and 3 of them made it to the final stage of the special issue for journal publication. We are pleased to publish these papers in this issue.

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