Editorial

Preface: Tenth International Colloquium on Graphs and Optimization (GO X), 2016

The Tenth International Colloquium on Graphs and Optimization (GO X) took place from July 10 to July 14, 2016, in Rigi Kaltbad, in the canton of Lucerne, Switzerland. The meeting featured more than 50 contributed talks and attracted some 100 participants and accompanying persons from 15 different countries.

During this colloquium, the participants had the pleasure of listening to three plenary speakers who made remarkable contributions in graph theory and combinatorial optimization:

- Jacek Blacewicz (Technical University of Poznan, Poland)
- Pavol Hell (Simon Fraser University, Canada)
- Martine Labbé (Université Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium)

In addition to their scientific talks, many participants contributed to the celebration of the plenary speakers' birthdays during the official banquet by presenting performances of various kinds. Furthermore, they had the opportunity to enjoy the beautiful landscape around Rigi Kaltbad (at least during the first day) and the wellness facilities of the Hotel.

The GO X Meeting was organized by Alain Hertz (Polytechnique Montréal, Canada), Bernard Ries (University of Fribourg, Switzerland), David Schindl (Haute Ecole de Gestion, Geneva, Switzerland), and Sacha Varone (Haute Ecole de Gestion, Geneva, Switzerland). The organizers would like to express their gratitude to EURO (the Association of European Operational Research Societies) and Gurobi Optimization, whose support made the event possible.

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