Discussion Papers at AlxIA 2024 - Forewords

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1. Forewords

This volume contains the proceedings of the short *Discussion Papers* accepted at the 23nd International Conference of the Italian Association for Artificial Intelligence (AIxIA 2024), the primary scientific event of the Associazione Italiana per l'Intelligenza Artificiale (AIxIA). AIxIA is a non-profit organization, dedicated to promoting the advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AI) within academic, social, and production contexts. The association established the series of international conferences in 1991, initially organizing an event every two years, and then maintaining an annual schedule from 2015 onwards. AIxIA 2024 was held in Bolzano, Italy, during November 25-28, hosted by the Free University of Bozen-Bolzano, Italy.

The *Discussion Papers* Session received 22 submissions. Each paper was peerly reviewed by at least two members of the Program Committee, and finally 14 short papers were accepted for presentation. Out of the 14 papers presented at the conference, 10 appear with the consent of their authors as short papers in this volume.

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