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Message from the Organizers

It is our great pleasure to welcome you to the Eleventh Workshop on Natural Language Processing for Social Media-SocialNLP 2023, associated with IJCNLP-AACL 2023. SocialNLP is an inter-disciplinary area of natural language processing (NLP) and social computing. We hold SocialNLP twice a year: one in the NLP venue, the other in the associated venue such as those for web technology or artificial intelligence. This year the other version has been successfully held in conjunction with TheWebConf 2023, and we are very happily looking forward to the NLP version in IJCNLP-AACL 2023. We are very glad that the workshop is back to the fully in-person mode this year and we can meet our old and new friends. We keep high quality papers with the accepted threshold 3 (maximum 5), which again leads to a competitive selection process with the acceptance rate 55 percent. These exciting papers include various aspects and topics for researchers working on NLP for social media, such as food, drug and market research, humor and offensive language detection, sentiment and emotion analysis. We sincerely thank the authors for their contribution and believe they will benefit our research community.

This year we are excited to have Dr. David Adelani from University College London as our keynote speaker. He will talk about Social NLP for low-resource languages, which is especially vital now for creating an unbiased virtual social environment. We encourage attendees to attend our keynote speech as well as all our oral sessions to have more discussions with outstanding researchers.

Putting together SocialNLP 2023 was a team effort. We first thank the authors for providing the quality content of the program. We are grateful to the program committee members, who worked very hard in reviewing papers and providing feedback to authors. Finally, we especially thank the NAACL Workshop chairs Dr. Lun-Wei Ku and Prof. Kehai Chen for helping us on all the complicated logistics for this year's online version.

We hope you enjoy the workshop!

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November 1

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