Abstract

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Main headings are to be column centered in a bold font without an underline. They may be numbered, if so desired.
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5 Conclusions
Please make an extra effort to adhere to these guidelines as the quality of the publications depends on you. Thank you for your cooperation and contribution. We are looking forward to seeing you at the 44th ISCIIE International Symposium on Stochastic Systems Theory and Its Applications (SSS’12).

References