

# Preface

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The SEA Data workshop series provides a forum for researchers and practitioners to exchange ideas, results, and visions on challenges in data management, information extraction, exploration, and analysis of heterogeneous data and multiple data models at once.

In this edition, the workshop presented 2 keynotes, 5 full research papers, 1 short paper, and 6 poster papers.

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