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# Preface

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After 26 years and 20 conferences SBIA is now a mature event, constituting a discussion forum for new ideas in all sub-areas of AI.

In this book you will find the full papers selected for publication in the SBIA 2010 proceedings. The papers cover the AI sub-areas in the following way:

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