

CALL FOR PAPERS
11th PANHELLENIC CONFERENCE IN INFORMATICS (PCI 2007)
MAY 18-20, 2007

University of Patras, Patras, Greece

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Department of Computer Engineering & Informatics

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The Greek Computer Society (EPY) and the Department of Computer Engineering & Informatics of the University of Patras, are organizing the 11th Panhellenic Conference on Informatics (PCI 2007) at Patras, Greece, during 17-20 of May 2007. The PCI is a biannual event established by EPY. The 1st conference took place at Athens (1984), the 2nd at Thessaloniki (1988), the 3rd at Athens (1991), the 4th at Patras (1993), the 5th at Athens (1995), the 6th at Athens (1997), the 7th at Ioannina (1999), the 8th at Nicosia/Cyprus (2001), the 9th at Thessaloniki (2003) and the 10th at Volos.

TOPICS

The conference will run in parallel sessions, with invited talks, research & case study tracks, work-shops tutorials and panels. Authors are invited to submit:

research papers in any general area of Computer Science & Engineering:

- Data Bases, Work Flow and Data mining
- Computer and Sensor Networks
- Operating Systems
- Graphics, Visualization, Multimedia
- Image and Video Processing
- Software Engineering
- Signal Processing and Telecommunications
- Bioinformatics
- Information Systems
- Computer Security
- Algorithms and Complexity
- Computer/Sensor Hardware and Architecture
- Human-Computer Interaction
- AI / Knowledge bases
- Management of Energy Grids
- Computational Science
- Languages and Speech Processing
- Grid and Cluster Computing
- Wearable and Mobile Computing
- Information Retrieval

case study papers on modern IT applications, such as (among others):

- business intelligence
- digital libraries
- e-business & e-government
- grid computing
- mobile and wireless computing
- medical information systems
- CRM & ERP systems
- document management
- education technologies
- internet & intranet systems
- web applications
- cultural and museum information systems

IMPORTANT DATES

December 10, 2006: Full Paper submission
February 10, 2007: Notification of Acceptance/Rejection
March 10, 2007: Final, Camera Ready Papers

INFORMATION TO AUTHORS

Manuscripts must be submitted electronically in Postscript, PDF, or RTF/DOC format at the conference website: <http://pci2007.upatras.gr/submissions/>. Manuscripts should not exceed 5000 words, and must follow the Springer LNCS format. The electronic submission requires the provision of: title, author name(s), abstract, keywords and designated track (Research or Case Studies Track). Also, authors should declare the designated track in the first page of their manuscript. Submitted papers will undergo a peer review process, coordinated by the Program Committee co-Chair. Upon acceptance, camera-ready papers should be formatted according to the style files that will be provided through the conference website.

LANGUAGE OF THE CONFERENCE

The conference is mainly a forum for information exchange between Greek scientists from Greece, Cyprus and the Diaspora with international participation. So, English will be the official language of the conference (including presentations and proceedings). Non Greek-speaking authors are encouraged to submit papers and participate in the conference, as well.

SPONSORS



PROCEEDINGS

PCI 2007 Proceedings will be published by Springer as a volume set in the LNCS series (Approval Pending). The proceedings will also be available on-site.

PANELS and TUTORIALS

Proposals for panels and tutorials should be sent to the address pci2007@upatras.gr before December 10, 2006. Proposals for panels should contain a title, a list of four to five speakers with their affiliation and an extended summary (1000 words) on the topic. Proposals for tutorials should contain a title, an extended summary (1000 words), a short CV and an indication of the targeted audience.

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CALL FOR SPECIAL SESSIONS

The colleagues who are interested to organize "Special Sessions", at the wider field of Informatics and Communications Technologies, are called to send a caption and an abstract of the content of the Special Session that they propose, to the Organizing Committee of the Congress (please use the email addresses: dxri@upatras.gr, nnk@teiath.gr). The submission deadline is the December the 10th, 2006. All the colleagues, who will have been interested to organize "Special Sessions", will be informed about accept or reject of their proposals, the sooner possible (about one week after the submission deadline), in order to be able to respect the rest deadlines of the Conference (author notification, camera ready papers, registration deadlines, etc). The organizers of special sessions, that will be accepted, have to attend for the collection, evaluation and selection of the papers that concern the session they organize. The articles of the special sessions will be included at the Conference Proceedings and we will abide by all the rules of the Congress, in general.