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Next Generation Networking Symposium

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The 2013 IEEE International Conference on Communications (ICC) will be held in the vibrant city of Budapest, Hungary from 9 – 13 June 2013. This flagship conference of IEEE Communications Society aims at addressing an essential theme on “Bridging the Broadband Divide.” The conference will feature a comprehensive technical program including several Symposia and a number of Tutorials and Workshops. IEEE ICC 2013 will also include an attractive expo program including keynote speakers, various Business, Technology and Industry forum, and vendor exhibits. We invite you to submit your original technical papers, industry forum, workshop, and tutorial proposals to this event. Accepted and presented papers will be published in the IEEE ICC 2013 Conference Proceedings and in IEEE Xplore®. Full details of submission procedures are available at <http://www.ieee-icc.org/2013>.

Scope and Topics of Interest

The Next Generation Networking Symposium will focus on some of the important trends and evolutions in next generation Internet architectures and services. Modern Internet networking infrastructures embody a wide range of technologies-wireless and wired-and support a diverse spectrum of user services. However, as overall demands continue to grow, there is a continual need to develop improved "next-generation" architecture designs and services. In particular, some of the key challenges relate to multi-technology integration, future Internet designs, Internet security and privacy, routing scalability, Content Delivery Networks, impact of the rise of Cloud computing on networks, data center networking, and energy consumption (green networks). Furthermore, the increasing prevalence of wireless and mobile user devices is creating new challenges relative to mobility management. New paradigms such as software defined networking and network virtualization will influence next-generation network designs.

To ensure complete coverage of the advances in next generation Internet architectures and services, the Next Generation Networking Symposium presents original contributions in, but not limited to, the following topical areas:

- Internet architecture and design
- Switch and router architectures, performance, control, buffer management, packet scheduling
- High speed packet forwarding, packet classification
- Traffic identification and application-oriented networks

- Greening Networks and green computing
- Data centers and cloud computing
- Packet processor and traffic manager chip design
- Network and service survivability, network resilience
- Next-generation access networks
- Internet signalling and service enabling protocols, including SIP, NSIS, HTTP, RTSP/RTP, etc
- Network virtualization, virtual private networks (VPN), software defined networking and services
- Network Federation
- Mobile/wireless Internet and services, mobility management/addressing
- Converged networks and applications, NGN telecom networks
- Multi-layer and multi-domain networks
- Wireless-wireline internetworking, optical-wireless integration
- Internet applications including interactive media, voice, video, gaming, immersion
- Overlay and peer-to-peer networking and applications
- Service pricing model, Internet economics, accounting/billing, growth modelling
- Content-based networking, caching, distribution, load balancing, resiliency/redundancy
- Wireless content distribution, self-organization
- Traffic engineering, flow control, resource management, congestion control
- Routing: unicast, multicast, anycast, etc (wireless, wireline)
- Multihoming, network planning and optimization
- VoIP protocols and services, packet video
- Network management methodologies and control plane design
- Mapping of QoE to QoS
- Mechanisms for self-organisation and autonomous networking
- Traffic measurement, management, analysis, modelling, and visualization
- Emerging and future Internet technologies
- Software Define Networking paradigms, architectures, devices, etc

Submission Guidelines

Prospective authors are invited to submit original technical papers by the deadline 16 September 2012 for publication in the IEEE ICC 2013 Conference Proceedings and for oral or poster presentation(s).

All submissions should be written in English with a maximum paper length of Five (5) printed pages (10- point font) including figures without incurring additional page charges (maximum 1 additional page with over length page charge if accepted).

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<http://www.ieee.org/portal/pages/pubs/transactions/stylesheets.html>

Alternatively you can follow the sample instructions in template.pdf at
<http://www.comsoc.org/confs/globecom/2008/downloads/template.pdf>

Only PDF files will be accepted for the review process and all submissions must be done through EDAS at
<http://edas.info/>

Joel Rodrigues is the editor-in-chief of the International Journal on E-Health and Medical Communications, the editor-in-chief of the Recent Patents on Telecommunications, and editorial board member of several journals, including IEEE Communications Magazine. He has been general chair and TPC Chair of many international conferences, including IEEE ICC 2012, IEEE ICC 2011, IEEE GLOBECOM 2010. He is the General Chair of the IEEE Healthcom 2013 (Lisbon, Portugal), a member of many international TPCs and participated in several international conferences organization. He has authored or coauthored over 200 papers in refereed international journals and conferences, a book, and 2 patents. He had been awarded the Outstanding Leadership Award of IEEE GL Short biography of co-chairs

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