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CDC 2007

46th IEEE Conference on Decision and Control

December 12-14 2007

Hilton New Orleans Riverside New Orleans, Louisiana,
USA

Call for Papers

The 46th IEEE Conference on Decision and Control will be held Wednesday through Friday, December 12-14, 2007 at the Hilton New Orleans Riverside Hotel, Louisiana, USA. The CDC brings together an international community of researchers and practitioners to discuss new research results, perspectives on future developments, and innovative applications relevant to decision making, automatic control, and related areas.

New Orleans is one of the premier tourist destinations in the United States, with world-renowned restaurants and music, a rich cultural heritage and lively evening entertainment. The conference hotel overlooks the Mississippi River, and is within walking distance of the historic core of the city – including the French Quarter and the Warehouse and Arts District.

The 46th CDC will feature the presentation of contributed and invited papers, as well as tutorial sessions and workshops. In addition to the standard oral presentations, the conference will also feature interactive presentations in order to encourage an interactive exchange with the audience. Topics for the interactive sessions will be selected specifically to benefit from the time for interaction and discussion that are not available in a typical lecture session, and the authors will be encouraged to make creative use of poster boards as well as hands-on computer simulations and demonstrations.

Call for Contributed Papers: Papers are invited in the form of regular manuscripts (allotted 6 Proceedings pages). Note that short manuscripts are not considered. Papers must conform to the submission policy, described below, requiring that all manuscripts be in 2-column format and meet strict page limits.

Call for Invited Sessions: Invited sessions consist of six papers presenting a unifying theme from a diversity of viewpoints. Proposals must clearly describe the motivation and relevance of the session. Proposals must be accompanied by full versions of each paper, which will be individually reviewed together with the proposal itself. Individual papers may be removed from a proposed session and replaced by appropriate contributed papers. In case an entire proposed session is rejected, selected papers may be accepted as contributed ones.

Call for Tutorial Sessions: Tutorial sessions addressing state-of-the-art control theory and advanced industrial applications are solicited. Panel discussions are strongly encouraged.

Call for Interactive Papers: Papers are invited in the form of interactive papers to be presented in a way that involves interaction with the viewers, including simulations, experimental setup, visual demonstrations, and virtual reality tools.

Call for Workshops and Tutorials: Workshops and tutorials to be held prior to the conference are solicited on all related topics. Proposals for workshops addressing novel control methodologies and nonstandard control applications are strongly encouraged.

Exhibits related to control education, control theory, and industrial applications are invited.

SUBMISSION POLICY

- All papers submitted to the 46th CDC, either for review or publication (after acceptance), must be formatted in the standard 2-column Proceedings format.
- For the purposes of REVIEW, regular and invited papers are limited to 8 pages. Papers exceeding these limits will NOT be reviewed.
- For PUBLICATION in the Proceedings, accepted regular and invited papers are limited to 6 pages.
- Papers exceeding these limits will be published only after payment of a page overlength fee.
- At least one of the authors of the paper must register for the conference at full member/ non-member rate to upload the final manuscript.

Important Dates:

Paper submissions site www.paperplaza.net opens:
Deadline for submission of Invited Session proposals:
Deadline for submission of all papers:
Notification of acceptance:
Final submission and on-line registration opens:
Deadline for Final submission of all papers:

January 9, 2007
February 18, 2007
February 23, 2007
July 25, 2007
August 3, 2007
September 9, 2007

All papers and session proposals must be submitted through the conference submission website www.paperplaza.net and **must conform** to the policy found at the conference web site www.bu.edu/cdc2007/. Papers must be submitted in English.

The 46th CDC is hosted by the IEEE Control Systems Society and is held in cooperation with the Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM), the Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences (INFORMS), the Japanese Society for Instrument and Control Engineers (SICE), and the European Union Control Association (EUCA).