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Dear TC10 members and friends,

Welcome to issue #75 of TC10 News.

In this newsletter you can find some information of interest to the Graphics Recognition community at large.

Best regards,

Josep Lladós
(chairman of TC-10)

ICDAR'2005 AND GREC'2005

The two major activities of TC10 will be held very soon in Seoul and Hong-Kong respectively. Please visit the corresponding web sites for the latest news related to that:

8th International Conference on Document Analysis and Recognition (ICDAR'2005)
Seoul (Korea). August 29 - September 1, 2005.
More information at <http://www.icdar2005.org>.

Sixth International Workshop on Graphics Recognition (GREC'2005)
Hong Kong, China. August 25-26, 2005.
More information at <http://www.cs.cityu.edu.hk/grec2005>

CALL FOR PROPOSALS TO HOST GREC 2007

ICDAR'2007, as you undoubtedly know, will be organized in Curitiba (Brazil). GREC Workshop is traditionally held just before or after ICDAR and hosted by some institution located in the same country than ICDAR or in a close geographic area. It facilitates the attendance of people wishing to attend to both events. Therefore, proposals for hosting GREC'2007 in such countries are strongly encouraged. Desirable hosts should be nearer than 2hrs flight distance to Curitiba. Please contact the TC10 chair for details.

IAPR-ICDAR 2005 AWARDS: Announcement of Awards Recipients

The IAPR Technical Committees on Graphics Recognition (TC10) and Reading Systems (TC11) are pleased to announce the recipients of the IAPR/ICDAR 2005 Awards:

- IAPR/ICDAR Outstanding Achievement Award is presented to Prof. Ching Suen for more than thirty years of outstanding leadership, research and service in the pattern recognition, handwriting recognition and document analysis areas. Prof. Suen will deliver a Keynote Speech after the Opening Ceremony of ICDAR2005 in Seoul. It is scheduled for August 30, 2005 at 9:30 (Olympia Hall).

- IAPR/ICDAR Young Investigator Award is presented to Dr. Apostolos Antonacopoulos for outstanding service to the ICDAR community and his innovative research in historical document processing applications.

- IAPR/ICDAR Young Investigator Award is presented to Dr. Cheng-Lin Liu for his outstanding research in Handwritten Kanji Character Recognition and its impact on industrial applications.

Congratulations to the awardees!

The awards ceremony will be held during ICDAR'05 in Seoul (Korea).

JOINT TC10/TC11 MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

At ICDAR2005 in Seoul, there will be the traditional joint TC10/TC11 meeting.

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| Joint TC10-TC11 Meeting |
| at ICDAR 2005 in Seoul, Korea |
| Ume Flower Hall (4F) |
| August 31, 2005 (Wed.) 12:30 - 13:30 |
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The agenda is as follows:

- Report on TC10 and TC11 activities for the last 2 years
- Election of ICDAR2009 hosting bid. One bid for Barcelona (Spain) has been submitted
- Discussion about future plans and actions
- Miscellaneous

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- DAS'2006: Seventh IAPR Workshop on Document Analysis Systems
Nelson, New Zealand
February, 13-15, 2006
Regular Papers Submission: September 15, 2005
Extended Abstracts Submission: October 15, 2005
More information: <http://www.iam.unibe.ch/das06>

- ICDAR'2007: 9th International Conference on Document Analysis and Recognition
Curitiba, Parana, Brazil
September 23-26, 2007
Papers submission: January 15, 2007
More information: <http://www.icdar2007.org/>

- Multimedia Content Analysis, Management, and Retrieval 2006 (EI122)
San Jose, California USA
Part of the IS&T/SPIE International Symposium on Electronic Imaging
15-19 January 2006
Manuscript Due Date: 24 October 2005
200-word Final Summary Due Date: 14 November 2005

- Document Recognition and Retrieval XIII (EI116)
San Jose, California USA
Part of the IS&T/SPIE International Symposium on Electronic Imaging
15-19 January 2006
Manuscript Due Date: 24 October 2005
200-word Final Summary Due Date: 14 November 2005
More information: <http://electronicimaging.org/call/06/conferences/?fuseaction=EI116>

- TIR'2005: 2nd International Workshop on Text-Based Information Retrieval
A Workshop in conjunction with the 28th edition of the annual
German Conference on Artificial Intelligence
University of Koblenz (Germany)
September 11-14, 2005.
More information: <http://www.aisearch.de/tir-05>

- ICPR'2006: 18th International Conference on Pattern Recognition
Hong Kong
August 20-24, 2006

Papers submission: December 15, 2005

More information: <http://www.comp.hkbu.edu.hk/~icpr06/>

- IWFHR'2006: 10th International Workshop on Frontiers in Handwriting Recognition

La Baule, France

October 23-26, 2006

Papers submission: ?, 2005

- INEX'2005: Initiative for the Evaluation of XML Retrieval

April 2005 - December 2005

(November 28-30, 2005: Workshop in Schloss Dagstuhl. <http://www.dagstuhl.de/>)

Deadline for the submission of "Application for Participation": April 8, 2005

More information: <http://inex.is.informatik.uni-duisburg.de/2005/>