







Preliminary Invitation and Call for Papers

5th Workshop on Positioning, Navigation and Communication 2008 (WPNC'08)

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Important dates

- Submission of Extended Abstracts
 /Full Papers until: Nov. 16, 2007
 (extended!!!!)
- Notification of acceptance or denial until: Dec. 18, 2007
- Submission of Camera Ready Manuscripts until: Feb. 8, 2008

Scope

Mobile position-aware systems, combined with modern wireless technologies, are getting more and more important. When developing systems of this kind, problems in various fields of information and communication technology need to be solved. The workshop shall give an overview of state-of-the-art approaches and systems. As many technologies are available to deal with the variety of applications, we would like to continue to cover ultra-wideband technology as it is becoming of great importance in the area of positioning, navigation and communication.

Topics

You are invited to submit papers presenting scientific work or practical implementations addressing, but not limited to the following topics:

Positioning

- Outdoor-Radio Systems (terrestrial & satellite-based)
- Indoor-Positioning
- Hybrid Approaches

Navigation

- Pedestrian Navigation
- Vehicle and Robot Navigation

• Communication and Services

- Integrated Positioning and Communication
- Location Based Services
- Application Scenarios

• Ultra-Wideband

- Positioning and Localization
- Architectures, Systems, Protocols
- Hybrid Positioning and Communication
- Regulatory Issues, EMC/EMI

Submission Guidelines

Full-paper or poster submissions in the form of extended abstracts (max. 2 pages) or full papers (max. 10 pages) are requested electronically in PDF-format in English language until Nov. 2, 2007. Paper submission is handled only through the TrackChair system at http://wpnc08.trackchair.com. With acceptance, complete contributions of up to 10 pages are expected until Feb. 8, 2008.

Technical Exhibitions

Technical exhibitions addressing the workshop's scope are also welcome. For further details, please contact <u>info@wpnc.net</u>.

Publishing

The workshop proceedings in book-form will be published in the series "Hannoversche Beiträge zur Nachrichtentechnik" by SHAKER publishing and electronically in the IEEE Xplore database.