THIRD INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON SOFTWARE SPECIFICATION AND DESIGN

AUGUST 26-27, 1985
GLOUCESTER HOTEL, LONDON (UK)

CALL FOR PAPERS

The third in the series of international workshops will be held prior to the 8th international conference on software engineering.

The purpose of the workshop is to identify major trends and problem areas in the specification and design of software, building upon the results of past workshops. It is expected that, as in the previous workshops, both theorists and practitioners will attend and interact.

Attendance will be limited to a maximum of 100 persons. Each participant will be accepted on the basis of a position paper of one to three pages (A4 or 8½ by 11, single spaced). Topics of interest include but are not limited to:

- Knowledge-based Approaches
- Putting Theories to Practice
- Models and Notations
- Application/Use of Specifications
- Validation of Specifications
- Prototyping
- Tools and Techniques.

The workshop will include several invited speakers, parallel sessions and summary sessions. Invited papers and position papers will be published in the Workshop Proceedings. The session chairpersons will compile a workshop summary for subsequent publication.

Each participant will be supplied with an author kit which includes a model problem and corresponding questionnaire. Participants will be expected to analyze some aspects of this model problem and complete and submit the questionnaire prior to the workshop. The results of the questionnaires will be used to focus the attention of the workshop parallel sessions.

IMPORTANT DATES:
Submission of papers: 22nd January 1985
Notification of Acceptance and author kits: 15th Mar 1985
Final version due: 15th May 1985
Questionnaire returned by: 26th July 1985.

Please send four copies of the position paper to
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