Welcome to International Workshop on Dependable Software and Applications (DSA 2015)!

With the rapidly growing trend in dependable software and applications are being designed and deployed worldwide. There still exists several challenges when they are applied to these dependable systems due to the critical requirements on safety and reliability. DSA 2015 provides researchers and practitioners with a forum for exchanging ideas, experiences, understanding of the problems, promising solutions to the problems, for dependable software and applications.

The selection of papers has been based on the careful reviews performed by the Program Committee members, who set the firm grounds for a high quality workshop. We have accepted 11 regular papers and 5 short papers from 23 submitted ones.

DSA 2015 would not have been successful without the hard work of the program committee, consisting of renowned researchers and practitioners in software engineering community from all over the world. We thank the authors for sharing their research and experiences with us. We also thank the organizers of COMPSAC 2015 for supporting and encouraging us to host this workshop here in Taichung, Taiwan. Last but not least, thank you for attending the workshop and participating in all the discussions. We hope you enjoy the program we have prepared for you and look forward to your continuous support.

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