Message from Organisers

Dear Delegates,

On behalf of myself and the Programme Co-chairs, I would like to welcome you to the fourth annual European Conference on Computer Network Defence (EC2ND-2008) which is hosted this year by the Faculty of Engineering and Computing at Dublin City University.

EC2ND is an international conference which focuses on topical research in the broad area of computer security. The main aim of the conference is to provide a platform for strengthening research collaboration between academic, industrial and government institutions in different countries.

This year, the call for papers has attracted interest from around the world. This volume contains a selection of those papers which have been reviewed by leading researchers in the computer security field. These papers will be presented over the two days of the conference. In addition to the paper presentations, we are also delighted to facilitate plenary talks and discussions from experts in the computer security area.

We would like to thank the members of the Programme Committee for kindly contributing their time and effort to the review process. Their knowledge and detailed reviewing has been vital to the success of the conference. Sincere gratitude also goes to our sponsors who have donated generously to this event.

Finally, we would like to thank you, the authors of papers and visiting delegates. Without your input and contribution, events such as these do not take place. We hope that you enjoy your visit to the conference and wish you an informative and successful EC2ND-2008.

Mr. Liam Meany
(Conference Chair)

Dr. Kostas Anagnostakis
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