Message from the Program Chairs

Welcome to EVENT 2001, the first IEEE International Workshop on Detection and Recognition of Events in Video, to be held on July 8, 2001 at Sheraton Wall Center, Vancouver, British Columbia. This workshop is being held as part of the International Conference on Computer Vision (ICCV) 2001.

A total of 12 papers were accepted for oral presentation. A double-blind and journal-style comprehensive review process was used for paper selection. Each paper was reviewed by three program committee members, drawn from reputed members of the computer vision and multimedia community.

The accepted papers reflect state-of-the-art research in the processing of video data for the detection and recognition of events. In this set, we hope you will find interesting theoretical contributions as well as attempts to turn them into practical systems.

We wish to thank the authors of all the submitted papers for their interest in the workshop. We also wish to thank the members of the program committee and the auxiliary reviewers who assisted them, for reviewing the papers and providing valuable comments and recommendations to authors.

We hope that EVENT 2001 will be an exciting and enriching experience. We look forward to seeing you in Vancouver.

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