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JUNE 23-25 2010
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The 18th Mediterranean Conference on Control and Automation, MED’10, will be held for the first time in Marrakech, Morocco, at the Kenzi Farah Hotel. Marrakech the red city, the enchantress, is above all an imperial city. Located in a plain gained on the desert and leaned with the majestic snow-covered mountains at the High Atlas, this large oasis is today an economic pole and one of the Moroccan tourist destinations, thanks to its history and to its adapted hotel infrastructure. Between tradition and modernity, between the Medina of another age and European Neighbourhoods, this city has what to disconcert the tourist through time. Make sure to visit the famous Djemma el Fna, the heart of Marrakech. This large central square in the old city (Medina) transforms from a shopping heaven into an entertainment paradise in the afternoon -the square really comes alive. The souks of Marrakech are considered to be among the best in Morocco.

For information about Marrakech, see http://www.ilove-marrakesh.com/index_en.html

WORKSHOPS/TUTORIALS:
Workshops and Tutorials will be presented on JUNE 22 2010
PLENARY SPEAKERS:
To be decided.

TECHNICAL CO–SPONSORS:
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TOPICS: Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:
- Adaptive control
- Aerospace control
- Agents and agent-based systems
- Biologically inspired systems, control
- Computational Intelligence
- Computer controlled systems
- Computing and communications
- Decentralized control
- Discrete event systems
- Distributed systems
- Education and training
- Embedded control systems
- Fuzzy systems
- Genetic and evolutionary computation
- Hybrid systems
- Image processing
- Industrial automation, manufacturing
- Intelligent control systems
- Robotics
- Spectral estimation
- Swarms
- Unmanned Systems
- Virtual reality

The Program Chairs are soliciting contributed technical papers for presentation at the Conference and publication in the Conference Proceedings, as well as proposals for invited sessions/papers/talks by topic of interest.

15 JANUARY, 2010: Contributed, papers, invited session proposals, Workshop / Tutorial proposals, Due.
March 10, 2010: Final, Camera Ready Papers, Due.
March 31, 2010: Final, Camera Ready Papers, Due.

PAPER SUBMISSION: Papers must be submitted electronically by January 15, 2010, via the Web upload system only. The guidelines are given at the MED10 Web site: Full papers should be submitted in standard IEEE double-column format for conferences. The first page of the paper, centred on the top below the top margin, should include the paper title, the authors’ names and their affiliations, an abstract, and keywords. Six pages are allowed for each paper. Up to two additional pages will be permitted for a charge of 100 EUR per additional page. Illustrations and references are included in the page count. Submitted papers will undergo a peer review process, coordinated by the Program Chairs and the IPC.

PAPERS accepted in final form must be received by the Publication Chair no later than March 31, 2010.

Invited Sessions: A Summary Statement describing the motivation and relevance of the proposed session, invited paper titles and author names must be e-mailed by the organizer(s) to the Invited Sessions Chair by January 15, 2010. Authors must submit FULL versions of invited papers electronically, through the Conference Website. Each such paper must be marked as ‘Invited Session Paper’.

Workshops – Tutorials: Proposals for workshops -tutorials should contain the title of the session, the list of speakers, and extended summaries (2000 words) of their presentations. Proposals must be sent by e-mail to the corresponding Chair by January 15, 2010.

For more information about the Conference feel free to contact the Secretary:
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Upcoming and Past Conferences

18th IEEE Mediterranean Conference
on Control and Automation (MED '10)
June 23-25 2010, Palais des Congres de Marakech, Marrakech, Morocco
General Chairs: Abdellah Benzaouia, Ahmed El Hajjajli
Program Chair: Dominique Sauter
Program Vice-Chairs: Abdel Aitouche, Joseba Quevedo
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Publications & Publicity Chair: Didier Maquin, Dimitru Popescu

17th IEEE Mediterranean Conference
on Control and Automation (MED '09)
June 24-26 2009, MAKEDONIA PALACE, Thessaloniki, Greece
General Chairs: Vassilios Petridis, Frank L. Lewis
Program Chair: Thomas Parisini
Program Vice-Chairs: George A. Rovithakis & Zoe Doulgeri
Registration & Finance Chair: Loukas Petrou
Publications & Publicity Chair: Anastasios Delopoulos

16th IEEE Mediterranean Conference
on Control and Automation (MED '08)
June 25-27 2008, Congress Center, Ajaccio-Corsica, France
http://www.med08.org/
General Chair: Dominique Sauter
Honorary Chair: Panos Antsaklis
Program Chair: Ron Patton
Program Vice-Chair: Didier Maquin
Registration & Finance Chair: Didier Theilliol

15th IEEE Mediterranean Conference
on Control and Automation (MED '07)
June 27-29 2007, Divani Caravel Hotel, Athens, Greece
MED '07 Proceedings (via IEEExplore)
http://med07.rasip.fer.hr/
General Chair: Panos Antsaklis
General Chair: Kimon Valavanis
Program Chair: Zdenko Kovacic
Registration & Finance Chair: Dina Fragkedaki
Publications Chair: Kostas J. Kyriakopoulos

14th IEEE Mediterranean Conference
on Control and Automation (MED '06)
June 28-30, 2006, Universita Politecnica delle Marche, Ancona, Italy
MED '06 Proceedings (via IEEExplore)
http://www.diiga.univpm.it/MED06/
General Chair: Giuseppe Conte
General Chair: Marcello Napolitano
Publicity Chair: AnnaMaria Perdon
13th IEEE Mediterranean Conference
on Control and Automation (MED '05)
June 27-29, 2005, Hawaii Grand Hotel & Resort, Limassol, Cyprus
MED '05 Proceedings (via IEEExplore)
http://liu.ece.uic.edu/MED05/
General Chair: Marios M. Polycarpou
Program Chair: Michael A. Demetriou
Invited Session Chair: Christoforos Hadjicostis
Publicity Chair: Derong Liu
Finance and Local Arrangements Chair: Christos Panayiotou
Registration Chair: Charalampos D. Charalambous

12th IEEE Mediterranean Conference
on Control and Automation (MED '04)
June 6-9, 2004, Kusadasi, Turkey
MED '04 Proceedings
http://mecha.ee.boun.edu.tr/med04/
General Chair: Okyay Kaynak
Technical Program Co-Chairs: Petros Loannou, Robert King and Li Qiu
Honorary Chair: Tamer Basar
Advisory Committee Chair: Frank Lewis
Special Sessions/Tutorials Chair: Levent Guvenc
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Registration/Finance Chair: Gokhan Aydin
IT Facilities Chair: Stjepan Bogdan
Publicity Co-Chairs: Veysel Gazi and Hakan Temeltas

11th IEEE Mediterranean Conference
on Control and Automation (MED '03)
June 18-20, 2003, Rodos Palace Hotel, Rhodes, Greece
MED '03 Proceedings
http://med03.rasip.fer.hr/
General Chairs: Frank L. Lewis and Kimon P. Valavanis
Program Chair: Stjepan Bogdan
Program Vice-Chair:
Publicity: Maja Matijasevic
Publications: Kostas Kyriakopoulos
Registration: Jellel Ezzine
Finances: Nikos Tsourveloudis
Local Arrangements: Manolis Christodoulou

10th IEEE Mediterranean Conference
on Control and Automation (MED '02)
July 9-13 2002, Lisbon, Portugal
MED '02 Proceedings
General Chair: Joao J.S. Sentieiro
Program Chair: Michael Athans
Program Vice-Chair: Antonio Pascoal
Publicity: Joao Paulo Costeira
Publications: Jose Santos-Victor
Registration: Pedro Lima
Finances: Rita Almeida Ribeiro
Local Arrangements: M. Isabel Ribeiro
9th IEEE Mediterranean Conference on Control and Automation (MED '01)
June 27-29, 2001, Hotel Excelsior, Dubrovnik, Croatia
MED '01 Proceedings
General Co-Chairs: Zoran Vukic and Kimon P. Valavanis
Program Co-Chairs: Zdenko Kovacic and Kostas J. Kyriakopoulos
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8th IEEE Mediterranean Conference on Control and Automation (MED '00)
July 17-19, 2000, University of Patras, Rio, Greece
MED '00 Proceedings
General Chair: Peter P. Groumpos
General Co-Chair: Panos Antsaklis
Program Chair: Nick T. Koussoulas
Workshops, Tutorials and Publicity: A. Alexandridis
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Finance Chair: Stamatis Manesis
Local Arrangements: Anthony Tzes

7th IEEE Mediterranean Conference on Control and Automation (MED '99)
June 28-30, 1999, Dan Panorama Hotel, Haifa, Israel
MED '99 Proceedings
General Chair: Zalman J. Palmor
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6th IEEE Mediterranean Conference on Control and Automation (MED '98)
June 9-11, 1998, Hotel Carlos V, Alghero, Sardinia, Italy
MED '98 Proceedings
General Chair: Antonio Tornambe
Program Chair: Giuseppe Conte
Publications Chair: Anna Maria Perdon

5th IEEE Mediterranean Conference on Control and Systems (MED '97)
July 21-23, 1997, Phaethon Beach Hotel Club, Paphos, Cyprus
MED '97 Proceedings
http://www.ecs.umass.edu/ece/djaferis/5thMED/
General and Program Chair: Theodore E. Djaferis
Finance and Special Events Chair: Petros Ioannou
Publicity Chair: Vassilis Syrmos
Local Arrangements and Technical Sessions Chair: Paraskevas Evripidou
4th IEEE Mediterranean Symposium on Control and Automation (MED '96)
June 10-13, 1996, Louis Maleme Beach Hotel, Chania, Crete, Greece
MED '96 Proceedings
Honorary Chair: Panos J. Antsaklis
General Chair: Frank L. Lewis
General Co-Chairs: Petros P. Groumpos and Paris N. Paraskevopoulos
Program Co-Chairs: Kostas Kyriakopoulos and Petros G. Voulgaris
Local Arrangements: George Stavrakakis
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3rd IEEE Mediterranean Symposium on Control and Automation (MED '95)
July 11-13, 1995, Limassol, Cyprus
MED '95 Proceedings
July 11-13, 1995, Sheraton Hotel, Limassol, Cyprus
General Chair: Petros A. Ioannou
Program Chair: Frank L. Lewis

2nd IEEE Mediterranean Symposium on New Directions in Control and Automation (MED '94)
June 19-21, 1994, Louis Maleme Beach Hotel, Chania, Crete, Greece
MED '94 Proceedings
Honorary Chair: George N. Saridis
General Chair: Kimon P. Valavanis
Program Chair: Frank L. Lewis
Special Sessions & Tutorials Chair: Kostas Kyriakopoulos
Local Arrangements: George Stavrakakis
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1st IEEE Mediterranean Symposium on New Directions in Control Theory and Applications (MED '93)
June 21-23, 1993, Handris Hotel, Maleme, Chania, Crete, Greece
MED '93 Proceedings
General and Program Chair: Manolis A. Christodoulou
Program co-Chair: Petros Ioannou