Message from the HETNET 2015 Workshop Co-Chairs

Welcome to the 6th International Workshop on Heterogeneous Networking Environments and Technologies (HETNET 2015), which will be held in conjunction with the 18th International Conference on Network-Based Information Systems (NBiS 2015) at Tamkang University, Taipei, Taiwan from September 2 to September 4, 2015.

Due to advances in networking technologies, and especially, in wireless and mobile communication technologies, and devices with different networking interfaces, the networking systems are moving towards the integration of wired and wireless resources leading to Heterogeneous Networking Environments and Technologies (HETNET). Such environments comprise and integrate wireless LANs, multiple MANETs, Cellular Networks, Wireless Sensor Networks, Wireless Mesh Networks, and so on. Besides, other types of networking systems such as Grid and P2P systems are going wireless and mobile adding yet another dimension to the HETNET. The integration of various networking paradigms into one networking system is requiring new understandings, algorithms and insights, frameworks, middleware and architectures for the effective design, integration, and deployment aiming at achieving secure, programmable, robust, transparent and ubiquitous HETNETs.

The aim of this workshop is to present innovative researches, methods and techniques related to the HETNETs and their applications. Many people contributed to the success of HETNET 2015. First, we would like to thank the organizing committee of NBiS 2015 International Conference for giving us the opportunity to organize the workshop. We would like to thank all authors for submitting their research works and for their participation. We are looking forward to meet them again in the forthcoming editions of the workshop.

We hope you will enjoy the workshop and have a great time in Taipei, Taiwan.

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