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The 10th International Conference on Software Engineering, Artificial Intelligence, Networking, and Parallel/Distributed Computing (SNPD 2009), the 3rd International Workshop on e-Activity (IWEA 2009) and the 1st Enterprise Architecture Challenges and Responses (IWEACR 2009) are sponsored by the International Association for Computer and Information Science (ACIS), in cooperation with the IEEE Computer Society. The conference and workshops are hosted by Catholic University of Daegu. This conference provides an international forum for researchers, scientists, engineers, industry practitioners, and students throughout the world to share their experiences, new ideas, and research results about all aspects of Software Engineering, Artificial Intelligence, Networking, and Parallel/Distributed Computing.

We received 285 papers from the scientific community in 21 different countries all over the world. Each paper was reviewed by three-four members of the International Program Committee and additional reviewers. A large number of the papers were high quality submissions. After the completion of the peer review process, 104 papers (including 12 papers for IWEA 2009 and 16 papers for IWEACR 2009) were selected for presentation at the conference which gives an acceptance rate of around 36%.

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We hope you enjoy the conference, and enjoy staying at Daegu!

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