Message from TrustCom-2012 Steering Chairs

On behalf of the IEEE TrustCom Steering Committee, we welcome you to attend the 11th IEEE International Conference on Trust, Security and Privacy in Computing and Communications (TrustCom-2012), 25 June – 27 June, 2012, Liverpool, UK.

Since TrustCom-2011 (Changsha, China, November 2011), TrustCom has been financially sponsored by IEEE Computer Society. Since TrustCom-2011, this conference merged two conference series: TrustCom (International Symposium on Trusted Computing and Communications) and TSP (International Symposium on Trust, Security and Privacy for Emerging Applications). This conference aims at bringing together researchers and practitioners in the world working on trusted computing and communications, with regard to trust, security, privacy, reliability, dependability, survivability, availability, and fault tolerance aspects of computer systems and networks, and providing a forum to present and discuss emerging ideas and trends in this highly challenging research field.

Many thanks to a lot of people who have made this conference a great success! First, we would like to say special thanks to Prof. Geyong Min from the University of Bradford, UK, who has been serving as the leading General Chair of TrustCom-2012. He is so enthuasiastic for this conference. He has made so many calls to us for this conference. From the very beginning when he decided to host this conference and throughout the months of days that he has been running this conference, we can see that this conference will be no problem toward a great success!

Then, we would like to thank the powerful organizing committee, including the General Co-Chair (Felix Gomez Marmol, NEC Europe, Germany), the Program Co-Chairs (Nektarios Georgalas, British Telecom, UK; Yulei Wu, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China), the Workshop Co-Chairs (Indrajit Ray, Colorado State University, USA; Zheng Yan, Aalto University, Finland/XiDian University, China; Shui Yu, Deakin University, Australia; Lei (Chris) Liu, Shandong University, China), the Publicity Co-Chairs (Jose Maria Alcaraz Calero, Hewlett-Packard Laboratories, UK; Li Xu, Fujian Normal University, China; Robert C. Hsu, Chung Hua University, Taiwan), the Publicity Chair (Yang Xiang, Deakin University, Australia), the Finance Chair (Jia Hu, Liverpool Hope University, UK), the International Journal Coordinator (Ahmed Al-Dubi, Edinburgh Napier University, UK), the Web and System Management Chairs (Hatem Musbah Ibrahim, University of Bradford, UK; Andy Yongwen Pan, St Francis Xavier University, Canada), and the Local Arrangement Chair (Ashraf Al-Ou’n, University of Bradford, UK).

Finally, we would like to take this opportunity to thank all the members of the steering committee and technical program committee, as well as all of the authors who have submitted papers to this conference.

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