Message from the Program Chairs

ISPA 2013

Welcome to the 11th IEEE International Symposium on Parallel and Distributed Processing with Applications (ISPA-2013), held in Melbourne, Australia, 16-18 July, 2013. ISPA-2013 fosters state-of-the-art research in the area of parallel and distributed computing and networking, including reliability, fault tolerance, and security issues as well as algorithms and performance evaluation and measurement in parallel and distributed computing environments. ISPA-2013 also provides an opportunity for academic and industry professionals to discuss the latest issues and progress in the area of parallel and distributed computing and networking.

ISPA-2013 received a total of 137 paper submissions from more than 50 countries. Out of these, after a rigorous peer review process, we accepted 56 articles for the ISPA-2013 proceedings, published by the IEEE. All submitted papers have undergone reviews by three or more reviewers from the technical program committee, which consists of leading researchers from around the globe. Without their hard work, achieving such a high-quality proceedings would not have been possible. We take this opportunity to thank them for their great support and cooperation.

The program is completed with the following international workshops:

The 4th International Workshop on Wireless Networks and Multimedia (WNM-2013)

The 5th IEEE International Workshop on Multicore and Multithreaded Architectures and Algorithms (M2A2 2013)

We would like to express our thanks to the organizing committees of these workshops for their hard work. Finally, we would like to thank all of you for your participation in the symposium, and also thank all the authors, reviewers, and organizing committee members. Thank you and enjoy the symposium!

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