Message from the ITUS-13 Organizing Committee

The 2013 International Workshop on Intelligent Techniques for Ubiquitous Systems (ITUS 2013) is held in conjunction with the 10th IEEE International Conference on Ubiquitous Intelligence and Computing (UIC-2013) on December 18-20, 2013 in Vietri sul Mare, Italy. It complements the consolidated series of events, dealing with advances on theories, designs, and applications on analysis and management of Ubiquitous Systems, with a focus on intelligent techniques for information management in the same context.

Ubiquitous systems have a considerable potential, to increase efficiency and life quality of people becoming part of every aspect of our daily life and are expected to profoundly change our life in the near future in a world of increasing mobility and easy access to all kinds of services. That is the reason why knowledge management and smartness are relevant topic this research area.

We accepted 8 paper by authors from different countries. For each paper we collected three reviews from the program committee of the UIC-2013 conference, and they have been evaluated again by the Chairs of the workshop.

The scientific program of ITUS 2013 covers some topics in the field of ubiquitous and intelligent systems, such as ubiquitous computing models, theorems, systems and applications; smart objects, environments and systems; mobile/ubiquitous/pervasive computing; cloud/utility/web/services computing, big data.

We expect that these subjects will appeal to a broad audience of scientists, researchers and business people interested in ubiquitous systems. This workshop provides a forum for scientists and researchers to share their experiences and expertise with the academic and research communities.

We would like to thank all the authors for submitting their research works to the workshop as well as to the authors of accepted papers for their participation and presentation of the papers in the workshop. We truly believe that thanks to all these efforts, the final conference program consists of top quality contributions. We also kindly thank all the members of the UIC 2013 organizing committee for their help in handling the logistics and for their work and all the members of the UIC program committee as well as the numerous reviewers. This event could also not have been a reality without their support.

We hope to meet you again for the next edition of the ITUS workshop.

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