Panel Overview
Software Education in the Asia-Pacific Region in the 21st Century

This panel is concerned with the future of computer science education in the Asia-Pacific region in the twenty-first century. We will discuss issues relating to, but not limited to, the following:

- the uniqueness of the computer science curriculum at major universities in Asia;
- how the curriculum is designed to meet both local and international needs;
- the evolution of computer science education at major universities in the Asia-Pacific region, and how graduates are trained to meet the needs of industry at that time;
- major research undertaken at Asian universities; and how they are competitive with research undertaken at top American universities and other top universities throughout the world.

We also aim to emphasize on the uniqueness of computer science teaching and research in the Asian-Pacific region, focusing on the software engineering and software applications areas.

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