Message from the Workshop Chair

Welcome to the Workshops to be held in conjunction with the 21st International Conference on Distributed Computing Systems (ICDCS 2001), Arizona, USA. The ICDCS 2001 workshops aim at providing international forums for scientists, engineers, and computer users to exchange and share their experiences, new ideas, and research results on hot topics on various kinds of areas on distributed computing systems.

Many workshop proposals were submitted. The proposals were reviewed and then the following five interesting workshops were finally selected.


2. International Workshop on Distributed Dynamic Multiservice Architectures (DDMA) chaired by Zied Choukair, ENST Bretagne, France.

3. International Workshop on Smart Appliances and Wearable Computing (IWSAWC) chaired by Hideyuki Tokuda, Keio University, Japan.


5. The 2nd International Workshop on Wireless Networks and Mobile Computing (WNMC) chaired by Yu-Chee Tseng, National Chiao-Tung University, Taiwan, Sandeep Gupta, Colorado State University, USA, Wang-Chien Lee, GTE Laboratories Inc., USA, and Pradip Srimani, Colorado State University, USA.

The technical programs for these workshops are the result of the hard and excellent work of many authors, reviewers, program committee members of each workshop, and workshop chairs. I am very grateful for everyone’s effort in the development of the technical programs. Dr. Katsuya Tanaka, Tokyo Denki Univ., is greatly commended for his excellent job in helping to maintain workshops’ programs and other information. I would like to thank Ms. Danielle Young, IEEE Computer Society, for her outstanding job in publishing the proceedings of the ICDCS 2001 Workshops.

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