Preface

Welcome to the 32nd IEEE Software Engineering Workshop, held as part of ISOLA, at Porto Sani, Greece, 15-16 October, 2008. As in previous years, this year’s proceedings are produced as a post-proceedings, enabling authors to reflect feedback received at the workshop in the final version of their paper. Since this conference began more than 30 years ago, we’ve seen it grow in focus and content, from initially being focused on issues in Software Engineering of particular relevance to NASA (the workshop was then the NASA Software Engineering Workshop), to a broader focus on issues of general relevance to the Software Engineering community worldwide. We are pleased to have achieved a more international representation, with submissions this year from all five continents and a final program that includes authors from more than ten countries. As part of Third International Symposium on Leveraging Applications of Formal Methods, Verification and Validation, very ably organized by Tiziana Margaria. The event also included a very interesting and informative presentation by Dr. Sten Andler, University of Skövde and general chair of SEW-33 in 2009, on Information Fusion.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our Program Committee for their work in selecting the papers for this year’s event. I am very grateful to Karin Breitman, Roy Sterritt and Shawn Bohner our Program Chairs, and Denis Gracanin, our Publicity Chair, who have worked very hard to make the event a success, and without whom none of this would have been possible.

Lastly, our thanks to the IEEE Computer Society Technical Council on Software Engineering for their sponsorship, to Tom Baldwin of IEEE Computer Society Press, and to Lisa O’Conner for outstanding work on our proceedings.

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