Message from the Conference Chairs

It is our great pleasure to extend a welcome to all of you who are participating in SNPD 2005 and SAWN 2005, the Sixth International Conference on Software Engineering, Artificial Intelligence, Networking, and Parallel/Distributed Computing (SNPD 2005), and the First International Workshop on Self-Assembling Wireless Networks (SAWN 2005) which are being held at Towson University, Towson, Maryland, USA. The conference and the workshop are sponsored by the International Association for Computer and Information Science (ACIS), hosted by Towson University and in cooperation with Central Michigan University, Microsoft, and Qovia, Inc.

This conference and the workshop are aimed at discussing with all of you, the wide range of problems encountered in present and future high technologies. The purpose of SNPD and SAWN are to bring together researchers and practitioners from industry, academia, and government to the advanced state of the art in Software Engineering, Artificial Intelligence, Networking, and Parallel/Distributed Computing, and Self-Assembling Wireless Networks and to encourage wider collaboration between academics and industries. In this conference and the workshop, we have keynote speeches by Dr. Con Kenney, Dr. Wilbanks, and Mr. Shim which will be fruitful to all of you who are participating in SNPD 2005 and SAWN 2005.

We would like to thank the program chairs, the publicity chairs and the members of our program committees for their work in this conference. We hope that SNPD 2005 and SAWN 2005 will be successful and enjoyable to all participants at SNPD 2005 and SAWN 2005.

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