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# BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

TWITTER, INC. Petitioner

v.

YOUTOO TECHNOLOGIES, LLC Patent Owner

U.S. Patent No. 8,601,506 Issued: Dec. 3, 2013 Application No.: 13/571,476 Filed: Aug. 10, 2012 Title: Content Creation and Distribution System

**DECLARATION OF SCOTT BENNETT, Ph.D.** 



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I, Scott Bennett, hereby declare under penalty of perjury:

## I. INTRODUCTION

1. I have personal knowledge of the facts and opinions set forth in this declaration, I believe them to be true, and if called upon to do so, I would testify competently to them. I have been warned that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both.

 I am a retired academic librarian working as a Managing Partner of the firm Prior Art Documentation LLC at 711 South Race Street, Urbana, IL, 61801-4132. Attached as Appendix A is a true and correct copy of my Curriculum Vitae describing my background and experience. Further information about my firm is available at <u>www.priorartdocumentation.com</u>.

3. I have been retained by Klarquist Sparkman LLP. to authenticate and establish the dates of public accessibility of certain documents in an *inter partes* review proceedings for U.S. Patent Nos. 8,464,304 and 8,601,506. For this service, I am being paid my usual hourly fee of \$88/hour. My compensation in no way depends on the substance of my testimony or the outcome of this proceeding.

## II. BACKGROUND AND QUALIFICATIONS

- 4. I was previously employed as follows:
- University Librarian, Yale University, New Haven, CT., 1994-2001;

- Director, The Milton S. Eisenhower Library, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD, 1989-1994;
- Assistant University Librarian for Collection Management, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, 1981-1989;
- Instructor, Assistant, and Associate Professor of Library Administration, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Urbana, IL, 1974-1981; and
- Assistant Professor of English, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1967-1974.

5. Over the course of my work as a librarian, professor of English, researcher, and author of nearly fifty scholarly papers and other publications, I have had extensive experience with cataloging records and online library management systems built around Machine-Readable Cataloging (MARC) standards. I also have substantial experience in authenticating printed documents and establishing the date when they were accessible to researchers.

6. In the course of more than fifty years of academic life, I have myself been an active researcher. I have collaborated with many individual researchers and, as a librarian, worked in the services of thousands of researchers at four prominent research universities. Members of my family are university researchers. Over the years, I have read some of the voluminous professional literature on the information seeking behaviors of academic researchers. And as an educator, I have a broad knowledge of the ways in which students in a variety of disciplines learn to master the bibliographic resources used in their disciplines. In all of these ways, I have a general knowledge of how researchers work.

### **III. PRELIMINARIES**

7. *Scope of this declaration*. I am not a lawyer and I am not rendering an opinion on the legal question of whether any particular document is, or is not, a "printed publication" under the law.

8. I am, however, rendering my expert opinion on the authenticity of the documents referenced herein and on when and how each of these documents was disseminated or otherwise made available to the extent that persons interested and ordinarily skilled in the subject matter or art, exercising reasonable diligence, could have located the documents before 25 January 2010.

9. *Materials considered*. In forming the opinions expressed in this declaration, I have reviewed the documents and attachments referenced herein. These materials are records created in the ordinary course of business by publishers, libraries, indexing services, and others. From my years of experience, I am familiar with the process for creating many of these records, and I know these records are created by people with knowledge of the information in the record. Further, these records are created with the expectation that researchers

and other members of the public will use them. All materials cited in this declaration and its attachments are of a type that experts in my field would reasonably rely upon and refer to in forming their opinions.

10. *Persons of ordinary skill in the art*. I am informed that the subject matter of this proceeding relates generally to network architecture and multimedia systems, including creating and distributing multimedia.

11. I have been informed by counsel that a "person of ordinary skill in the art at the time of the invention" is a hypothetical person who is presumed to be familiar with the relevant field and its literature at the time of the inventions. This hypothetical person is also a person of ordinary creativity, capable of understanding the scientific principles applicable to the pertinent field.

12. I am informed that persons of ordinary skill in this subject matter or art would have possessed a Bachelor's degree in Computer Science, Electrical and/or Computer Engineering, or equivalent training, and (ii) approximately two years of experience in network architecture and multimedia systems, including creating and distributing multimedia. Lack of work experience would have been remedied by additional education, and vice versa..

13. It is my opinion that by at least the 1990s, such a person would have had access to a vast array of long-established print resources in electrical/computer engineering and computer science as well as to a rich and fast-

changing set of online resources providing indexing information, abstracts, and full text services for electrical/computer engineering and computer science.

14. *Library catalog records*. Some background on MARC formatted records, OCLC, WorldCat, and OCLC's Connexion is needed to understand the library catalog records discussed in this declaration.

15. Libraries world-wide use the MARC format for catalog records; this machine readable format was developed at the Library of Congress in the 1960s.

16. MARC formatted records provide a variety of subject access points based on the content of the document being cataloged. All may be found in the MARC Fields 6XX. For example, MARC Field 600 identifies personal names used as subjects and the MARC Field 650 identifies topical terms. A researcher might discover material relevant to his or her topic by a search using the terms employed in the MARC Fields 6XX.

17. The MARC Field 040, subfield a, identifies the library or other entity that created the original catalog record for a given document and transcribed it into machine readable form. The MARC Field 008 identifies the date when this first catalog record was entered on the file. This date persists in all subsequent uses of the first catalog record, although newly-created records for the same document, separate from the original record, will show a new date. It is not unusual to find multiple catalog records for the same document.

18. WorldCat is the world's largest public online catalog, maintained by the Online Computer Library Center, Inc., or OCLC, and built with the records created by the thousands of libraries that are members of OCLC. WorldCat provides a user-friendly interface for the public to use MARC records; it requires no knowledge of MARC tags and codes. WorldCat records appear in many different catalogs, including the Statewide Illinois Library Catalog. The date a given catalog record was created (corresponding to the MARC Field 008) appears in some detailed WorldCat records as the Date of Entry.

19. Whereas WorldCat records are very widely available, the availability of MARC formatted records varies from library to library.

20. When an OCLC participating institution acquires a document for which it finds no previously created record in OCLC, or when the institution chooses not to use an existing record, it creates a record for the document using OCLC's Connexion, the bibliographic system used by catalogers to create MARC records. Connexion automatically supplies the date of record creation in the MARC Field 008.

21. Once the MARC record is created by a cataloger at an OCLC participating member institution, it becomes available to other OCLC participating members in Connexion and also in WorldCat, where persons interested and

ordinarily skilled in the subject matter or art, exercising reasonable diligence, can locate it.

22. When a book has been cataloged, it will normally be made available to readers soon thereafter—normally within a few days or (at most) within a few weeks of cataloging.

23. *Internet Archive*. The Internet Archive is a non-profit digital library founded in 1996.

24. The Internet Archive maintains an archive of webpages collected from the Internet using software called a crawler. Crawlers automatically create a snapshot of webpages as they existed at a certain point in time. The WayBack Machine is an application created by the Internet Archive to search its archive of Web page URLs and to represent, graphically, the date of each crawler capture.

25. The Internet Archive, now with about 50 petabytes of data, collects only Web material that is publicly available. Some sites are "not archived because they were password protected, blocked by robots.txt, or otherwise inaccessible to our automated systems. Site owners might have also requested that their sites be excluded from the WayBack Machine" (see the WayBack Machine FAQ, https://archive.org/about/faqs.php#The\_Wayback\_Machine).

26. Many Internet Archive captures made by the WayBack Machine have a banner at the top with the capture date prominently displayed. Other dates when

captures of the same URL have been made are indicated to the right and left of the date provided in the banner. Some captures may lack this banner. In these latter cases, the URL for the capture begins with the identification of the Internet Archive page (e.g., http://web.archive.org/web/) followed by information that dates and time stamps the capture as follows: year in yyyy, month in mm, day in dd, time code in hh:mm:ss (e.g., 20041208081749, or 8 December 2004 at 8:17:49 a.m.). These elements are then followed by the URL of the original capture site.

27. *Indexing*. A researcher may discover material relevant to his or her topic in a variety of ways. One common means of discovery is to search for relevant information in an index of periodical and other publications. Having found relevant material, the researcher will then normally obtain it online, look for it in libraries, or purchase it from the publisher, a bookstore, a document delivery service, or other provider. Sometimes, the date of a document's public accessibility will involve both indexing and library date information. Date information for indexing entries is, however, often unavailable. This is especially true for online indices.

28. Indexing services use a wide variety of controlled vocabularies to provide subject access and other means of discovering the content of documents. The formats in which these access terms are presented vary from service to service.

29. Online indexing services commonly provide bibliographic

information, abstracts, and full-text copies of the indexed publications, along with a list of the documents cited in the indexed publication. These services also often provide lists of publications that cite a given document. A citation of a document is evidence that the document was publicly available and in use by researchers no later than the publication date of the citing document.

30. Prominent indexing services include:

31. <u>SPIE Digital Library</u>. Produced by the International Society for

Optical Engineering (originally the Society of Photographic Instrumentation

Engineers), this data base includes the newsletters, journals, and conference

proceedings of the organization. More than 400,000 articles make up the database

with 18,000 new research papers added each year.

# IV. OPINIONS REGARDING INDIVIDUAL DOCUMENTS

DOCUMENT 1. Janne Lahti et al., "A Mobile Phone-based Contextaware Video Management Application," in Proceedings of SPIE 6074, Multimedia on Mobile Devices II, San Jose, CA., 15-19 January 2006, SPIE-IS&T, Vol. 6074, pp. 60740O-1 – 60740O-11.

# 1. Authentication

32. Document 1 is a conference paper by Janne Lahti and others presented at a conference on multimedia on mobile devices sponsored by the Society for Imaging Science and Technology (IS&T) and the International Society for Optical Engineering (SPIE). The conference was held on 15-19 January 2006 in San Jose, CA. Conference proceedings, including Document 1, were published as the Proceedings of SPIE 6074, Multimedia on Mobile Devices II.

33. Attachment 1a is a true and correct copy of Document 1 (along with the Multimedia on Mobile Devices II title page, title page verso, and contents pages) from the Linda Hall Library. Attachment 1b is a true and correct copy of the Linda Hall Library catalog record, in MARC format, for Multimedia on Mobile Devices II.

34. Attachment 1a is in a condition that creates no suspicion about its authenticity. Specifically Document 1 (starting on p. 60740O-1 of Document 1 copied Attachment 1a) is not missing any intermediate pages, the text on each page appears to flow seamlessly from one page to the next, and there are no visible alterations to the document. Attachment 1a was found within the custody of a library – a place where, if authentic, it would likely be found.

35. Document 1 is also readily available online. Attachment 1c is a true and correct copy of the SPIE Digital Library index record for Document 1. Attachment 1d is a true and accurate copy of Document 1 downloaded from the item record copied in Attachment 1c.

36. Based on finding copies of Document 1 both in a library and online, and on finding library catalog and online index records for Document 1, I conclude that Attachment 1a is an authentic copy of Document 1.

### 2. Public Accessibility

37. Attachment 1e is a true and correct copy of an Internet Archive capture, of 6 January 2006, of parts of the program for the 15-19 January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose, CA, available at

http://web.archive.org/web/20060106073559/http:/electronicimaging.org/program/06/EI06\_final.pdf.

38. Document 1 entered the realm of public discourse on Tuesday 17 January 2006 when it was presented (as indicated on p. 59 of the program copied in Attachment 1e) at January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose. The scope of the conference is suggested by list of conference sessions (starting on p. 10 of the program copied in Attachment 1e) and the list of over 2,500 attendees (starting on p. 268 of the program copied in Attachment 1e).

39. I am informed by counsel that the January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose was a well know conference among the multimedia on mobile device community. Thus, it is my understanding that a person of ordinary skill interested in multimedia on mobile devices would have been independently aware of the January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose as a prominent forum for discussing such technologies.

40. Attachment 1f is a true and correct copy of the Statewide Illinois Library Catalog record for the proceedings of the January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose, showing this publication is held by 24 libraries worldwide.

41. The verso of the title page for the proceedings of January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose (Attachment 1a) carries the information that "as of July 2006, papers in the Proceedings of SPIE are fist published electronically in the SPIE Digital Library (www.spiedl.org) and subsequently in print and CD-ROM."

42. Attachment 1c, the SPIE Digital Library index record for Document 1, indicates that the proceedings of the January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose was published on 10 February 2006.

43. Attachment 1b, the Linda Hall Library catalog record for the proceedings of the January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose, indicates in the MARC Field 040 that this record was first created at the Linda Hall Library (OCLC code = LHL). The MARC Field 008 indicates this catalog record was created on 28 March 2006.

44. Attachment 1g is a true and correct copy of an Internet Archive capture, dated 18 June 2006, of an IS&T and SPIE pre-publication notice of the availability of the proceedings of the January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose on CD-ROM. This announced publication includes SPIE Volumes 6055-6077, including Volume 6074 in which Document 1 was published.

45. I conclude that the proceedings of the January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose, including Document 1, was available online from its publisher on or about 10 February, shortly after the conference concluded. I conclude further that a print version of the January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose, including Document 1, was available in at least one library by mid-April 2006, while the CD-ROM publication of the proceedings of the January 2006 SPIE/IS&T conference in San Jose was publicly offered for sale by its publisher by no later than 18 June 2006.

### 3. Conclusion

46. Based on the evidence presented here—presentation at and publication in the proceedings of a prominent conference, library cataloging, and online indexing—it is my opinion that Document 1 was publicly accessible online on or about 10 February 2006, was publicly accessible in print form in at least one library by mid-April 2006, and was publicly offered for sale by its publisher in CD-ROM form by no later than 18 June 2006.

### V. ATTACHMENTS

47. The attachments attached hereto are true and correct copies of the materials identified above. Helen Sullivan is a Managing Partner in Prior Art Documentation Services LLC (see <a href="http://www.priorartdocumentation.com/hellen-">http://www.priorartdocumentation.com/hellen-</a>

<u>sullivan/</u>). One of her primary responsibilities in our partnership is to secure the bibliographic documentation used in attachments to our declarations.

48. Ms. Sullivan and I work in close collaboration on the bibliographic documentation needed in each declaration. I will sometimes request specific bibliographic documents or, more rarely, secure them myself. In all cases, I have carefully reviewed the bibliographic documentation used in my declaration. My signature on the declaration indicates my full confidence in the authenticity, accuracy, and reliability of the bibliographic documentation used.

49. Each Attachment has been marked with an identifying label on the top of each page. However, no alterations other than these noted labels appear in these attachments, unless otherwise noted. All attachments were created on 28 February – 3 March 2017 and all URLs referenced in this declaration were available 3 March 2017.

### VI. CONCLUSION

50. I reserve the right to supplement my opinions in the future to respond to any arguments that Patent Owner or its expert(s) may raise and to take into account new information as it becomes available to me.

51. I declare that all statements made herein of my knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code.

Executed this 20th day of March, 2017, in Urbana, Illinois.

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Scott Bennett

## **Appendix A**

### SCOTT BENNETT Yale University Librarian Emeritus

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### EMPLOYMENT

Retired, 2001. Retirement activities include:

- Managing Partner in Prior Art Documentation Services, LLC, 2015-. This firm provides documentation services to patent attorneys; more information is available at <a href="http://www.priorartdocumentation.com">http://www.priorartdocumentation.com</a>
- Consultant on library space design, 2004-. This consulting practice is rooted in a research, publication, and public speaking program conducted since I retired from Yale University in 2001. I have served more than 50 colleges and universities in the United States and abroad with projects ranging in likely cost from under \$50,000 to over \$100 million. More information is available at <a href="http://www.libraryspaceplanning.com/">http://www.libraryspaceplanning.com/</a>
- Senior Advisor for the library program of the Council of Independent Colleges, 2001-2009
- Member of the Wartburg College Library Advisory Board, 2004-
- Visiting Professor, Graduate School of Library and Information Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Fall 2003

University Librarian, Yale University, 1994-2001

Director, The Milton S. Eisenhower Library, **The Johns Hopkins University**, Baltimore, Maryland, 1989-1994

Assistant University Librarian for Collection Management, **Northwestern University**, Evanston, Illinois, 1981-1989

Instructor, Assistant and Associate Professor of Library Administration, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1974-1981

Assistant Professor of English, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 1967-1974

Woodrow Wilson Teaching Intern, St. Paul's College, Lawrenceville, Virginia, 1964-1965

### **EDUCATION**

University of Illinois, M.S., 1976 (Library Science) Indiana University, M.A., 1966; Ph.D., 1967 (English) Oberlin College, A.B. magna cum laude, 1960 (English)

HONORS AND AWARDS

Morningside College (Sioux City, IA) Doctor of Humane Letters, 2010

American Council of Learned Societies Fellowship, 1978-1979; Honorary Visiting Research Fellow, Victorian Studies Centre, University of Leicester, 1979; University of Illinois Summer Faculty Fellowship, 1969

**Indiana University** Dissertation Year Fellowship and an **Oberlin College** Haskell Fellowship, 1966-1967; **Woodrow Wilson** National Fellow, 1960-1961

### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

American Association for the Advancement of Science: Project on Intellectual Property and Electronic Publishing in Science, 1999-2001

American Association of University Professors: University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Chapter Secretary and President, 1975-1978; Illinois Conference Vice President and President, 1978-1984; national Council, 1982-1985, Committee F, 1982-1986, Assembly of State Conferences Executive Committee, 1983-1986, and Committee H, 1997-2001; Northwestern University Chapter Secretary/Treasurer, 1985-1986

Association of American Universities: Member of the Research Libraries Task Force on Intellectual Property Rights in an Electronic Environment, 1993-1994, 1995-1996

**Association of Research Libraries**: Member of the Preservation Committee, 1990-1993; member of the Information Policy Committee, 1993-1995; member of the Working Group on Copyright, 1994-2001; member of the Research Library Leadership and Management Committee, 1999-2001; member of the Board of Directors, 1998-2000

Carnegie Mellon University: Member of the University Libraries Advisory Board, 1994

Center for Research Libraries: Program Committee, 1998-2000

**Johns Hopkins University Press**: Ex-officio member of the Editorial Board, 1990-1994; Codirector of Project Muse, 1994

**Library Administration and Management Association**, Public Relations Section, Friends of the Library Committee, 1977-1978

**Oberlin College**: Member of the Library Visiting Committee, 1990, and of the Steering Committee for the library's capital campaign, 1992-1993; President of the Library Friends, 1992-1993, 2004-2005; member, Friends of the Library Council, 2003-

**Research Society for Victorian Periodicals**: Executive Board, 1971-1983; Co-chairperson of the Executive Committee on Serials Bibliography, 1976-1982; President, 1977-1982

A Selected Edition of W.D. Howells (one of several editions sponsored by the MLA Center for Editions of American Authors): Associate Textual Editor, 1965-1970; Center for Editions of American Authors panel of textual experts, 1968-1970

Victorian Studies: Editorial Assistant and Managing Editor, 1962-1964

Wartburg College: member, National Advisory Board for the Vogel Library, 2004-

Some other activities: Member of the **Illinois State Library** Statewide Library and Archival Preservation Advisory Panel; member of the **Illinois State Archives** Advisory Board; member of a committee advising the **Illinois Board of Higher Education** on the cooperative management of research collections; chair of a major collaborative research project conducted by the **Research Libraries Group** with support from Conoco, Inc.; active advisor on behalf of the **Illinois Conference AAUP** to faculty and administrators on academic freedom and tenure matters in northern Illinois.

Delegate to **Maryland Governor's Conference on Libraries and Information Service**; principal in initiating state-wide preservation planning in Maryland; principal in an effort to widen the use of mass deacidification for the preservation of library materials through cooperative action by the **Association of Research Libraries** and the **Committee on Institutional Cooperation**; co-instigator of a campus-wide information service for **Johns Hopkins University**; initiated efforts with the **Enoch Pratt Free Library** to provide information services to Baltimore's Empowerment Zones; speaker or panelist on academic publishing, copyright, scholarly communication, national and regional preservation planning, mass deacidification.

Consultant for the University of British Columbia (1995), Princeton University (1996), Modern Language Association, (1995, 1996), Library of Congress (1997), Center for Jewish History (1998, 2000-), National Research Council (1998); Board of Directors for the Digital Library Federation, 1996-2001; accreditation visiting team at Brandeis University (1997); mentor for Northern Exposure to Leadership (1997); instructor and mentor for ARL's Leadership and Career Development Program (1999-2000)

At the **Northwestern University Library**, led in the creation of a preservation department and in the renovation of the renovation, for preservation purposes, of the Deering Library book stacks.

At the **Milton S. Eisenhower Library**, led the refocusing and vitalization of client-centered services; strategic planning and organizational restructuring for the library; building renovation planning. Successfully completed a \$5 million endowment campaign for the humanities collections and launched a \$27 million capital campaign for the library.

At the **Yale University Library**, participated widely in campus-space planning, university budget planning, information technology development, and the promotion of effective teaching and learning; for the library has exercised leadership in space planning and renovation, retrospective conversion of the card catalog, preservation, organizational development, recruitment of minority librarians, intellectual property and copyright issues, scholarly communication, document delivery services among libraries, and instruction in the use of information resources. Oversaw approximately \$70 million of library space renovation and construction. Was co-principal investigator for a grant to plan a digital archive for Elsevier Science.

Numerous to invitations speak at regional, national, and other professional meetings and at alumni meetings. Lectured and presented a series of seminars on library management at the **Yunnan University Library**, 2002. Participated in the 2005 International Roundtable for Library and Information Science sponsored by the **Kanazawa Institute of Technology** Library Center and the Council on Library and Information Resources.

### PUBLICATIONS

"Putting Learning into Library Planning," *portal: Libraries and the Academy*, 15, 2 (April 2015), 215-231.

"How librarians (and others!) love silos: Three stories from the field " available at the Learning Spaces Collaborary Web site, <u>http://www.pkallsc.org/</u>

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"Designing for Uncertainty: Three Approaches," *Journal of Academic Librarianship*, 33 (2007), 165–179.

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"Authors' Rights," *The Journal of Electronic Publishing* (December 1999), http://www.press.umich.edu/jep/05-02/bennett.html

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"The Copyright Challenge: Strengthening the Public Interest in the Digital Age," *Library Journal*, 15 November 1994, pp. 34-37

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"Preservation and the Economic Investment Model," in *Preservation Research and Development*. *Round Table Proceedings, September 28-29, 1992*, ed. Carrie Beyer (Washington, D.C.: Library of Congress, 1993), pp. 17-18

"Copyright and Innovation in Electronic Publishing: A Commentary," *Journal of Academic Librarianship*, 19 (1993), 87-91; reprinted in condensed form in *Library Issues: Briefings for Faculty and Administrators*, 14 (September 1993)

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"Strategies for Increasing [Preservation] Productivity," *Minutes of the [119th] Meeting [of the Association of Research Libraries]* (Washington, D.C., 1992), pp. 39-40

"Management Issues: The Director's Perspective," and "Cooperative Approaches to Mass Deacidification: Mid-Atlantic Region," in *A Roundtable on Mass Deacidification*, ed. Peter G. Sparks (Washington, D.C.: Association of Research Libraries, 1992), pp. 15-18, 54-55

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# A Mobile Phone-based Context-aware Video Management Application

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### ABSTRACT

We present a video management system comprising a video server and a mobile camera-phone application called MobiCon, which allows users to capture videos, annotate them with metadata, specify digital rights management (DRM) settings, upload the videos over the cellular network, and share them with others. Once stored in the video server, users can then search their personal video collection via a web interface, and watch the video clips using a wide range of terminals. We describe the MobiCon architecture, compare it with related work, provide an overview of the video server, and illustrate a typical user scenario from the point of capture to video sharing and video searching. Our work takes steps forward in advancing the mobile camera-phone from a video playback device to a video production tool. We summarize field trial results conducted in the area of Oulu, Finland, which demonstrate that users can master the application quickly, but are unwilling to perform extensive manual annotations. Based on the user trial results and our own experience, we present future development directions for MobiCon, in particular, and the video management architecture, in general.

Keywords: mobile camera phone application, mobile video management, video metadata and digital rights management

### 1. INTRODUCTION

Mobile phone manufacturers are increasingly adding new models with multimedia support and most modern medium- to high-end cell phones come with an integrated audio/video player, a camera to capture still and moving pictures, and some media editing software. The "coolness factor" fuels the popularity of mobile camera phones (MCP) and increases the volume of user-created media content. MCPs can record videos of up to several minutes, depending on the amount of memory available. Videos cannot be reasonably stored permanently on the mobile device due to the limited memory capacity available. Thus, users are in need of services that allow them to store their videos somewhere else, also because users want to create collections of their clips and share them with friends and relatives. Some will even opt for making part of their digital content available from a web site, or add it to their blog entries. Although none of these is news. nevertheless, there is very little automation in this process, and mobile applications for video management are not as commonplace as one might think despite the fact that MCPs have been on the market for quite some time.

The main problem of mobile content management is two-fold: how to automate permanent video clip storage, and how to do so in a way that is user-friendly, allows for easy clip lookups, and enables the user to share videos with others. Even though there are standardized ways to share videos over the cellular network, including the Multimedia Messaging Service (MMS) [1] and the upcoming IP Multimedia Subsystem (IMS) [2, 3], they must all be supported by the mobile operator, require infrastructure expenditures, and allow mainly for point-to-point video sharing. Moreover, a common characteristic of these services is that they do not include a solution for video management, and do not take full advantage of the context information available at the point of video capture. Our development effort takes a different approach and attempts to (a) enable the MCP to serve as an valuable video production tool in addition to being a video consumption channel, and (b) permit users to share videos with others irrespective of the level of network operator support for multimedia services.

Of course, one can argue that an MCP is not the ideal device for video management because of the limited CPU. memory and input/output capabilities, battery power consumptions considerations, and the diverse video formats and

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other technologies supported by the operating system. On the other hand, a MCP application can assist users to describe a video by associating it with annotations about, for example, where and when a video clip was shot, and who should be able to access it. The MCP application may have at its disposal different kinds of context information including sensors, a GPS device, a calendar service, and other Internet resources. All these are valuable sources for metadata that can be used to characterize the digital object and possibly uniquely identify it. Metadata plays a critical role in managing video content to the extent that Sarvas *et al.* [4] argue that it is not possible to manage media content effectively without them. The value of the metadata is illustrated in the following section, which presents a typical scenario where the user captures a video clip, associates it with metadata, and later searches for this particular video within her collection using an Internet-connected desktop PC. This paper details a solution to the problems related to user-created media content and annotation, and addresses some issues pertaining to sharing and storing videos using MCPs, and the challenges presented to the mobile video management system. The rest of this paper is organized as follows. Sections 3 and 4 discuss the implementation objectives of such video management system, and its architecture, respectively. Section 5 summarizes the results of a real user field trial evaluation, and Section 6 presents our current work in progress along with some future directions, which address certain shortcomings found in the first generation of the system. Finally, Section 7 reviews related work, and Section 8 concludes the paper.

### 2. A TYPICAL USER SCENARIO

We exemplify the use of the mobile video management system with a scenario involving a tourist in a sightseeing tour. The aim in this section is to provide an overall understanding of how the system works, essentially a high-level usercentered view of the requirements, before presenting, in the following section, the main objectives.

Figure 1 portrays Alice while on vacation in Oulu, Finland. Alice spends some time walking around the city center area, visiting several attractions, when she notices the Oulu cathedral clock tower from a distance. After approaching the church, she uses her MCP to record a short video of the cathedral, its clock tower, and the surrounding area. Alice uses MobiCon, an MCP application, which allows her not only to capture the video, but also to upload it to a server and notify her friends about recent findings during her tour of Oulu.



Figure 1: Alice records a video of the Oulu cathedral (left), annotates it with the term "Object > Buildings" (center), and later is able to search for it using the web interface of the Candela video management server (right).

After recording the video, Alice annotates it by selecting the prefedefined concepts "Holiday" and "Buildings" from the application metadata menu, and enters two keywords ("Church" and "Oulu") to describe the video clip more accurately. Alice saves the clip locally on the mobile phone memory card. Shortly afterwards, Alice decides to share the video with Bob, a friend of hers who is very interested in church architecture. With MobiCon, this is a simple process: Alice selects the video clip using a menu, chooses Bob from her contact list, and grants him the rights to watch the clip. She can subsequently upload the clip to the video server and MobiCon will automatically send a text message using the Short Message Service (SMS) to Bob with information on how to access the video. After receiving the text message, Bob can watch the video by opening its URL straight from his mobile phone.

After returning from her holidays, Alice can login to the video server using a web interface and access her large clip collection. Mobile videos tend to be short in length and relatively "focused" on a single theme. Unfortunately, Alice quickly finds herself having to deal with hundreds of videos with not-so-descriptive file names. Trying to locate the

"church video" in the entire collection can quickly become tiresome and this is where video metadata annotation proves helpful. Although Alice is not likely to remember the exact time or date that the video was captured or uploaded to the video server, she does remember where she was and what the main theme of the video was. Searching for "Oulu" limits the set of possible videos and searching for "church" narrows the size of the search result set to a handful of clips. Once located, Alice can watch the movie clip delivered by the video management server in the most appropriate format for her platform.

### 3. IMPLEMENTATION OBJECTIVES

A mobile video management application has five main functions: video recording, metadata annotation, video storage, video sharing, and locating video clips in a collection. Any MCP application, such as MobiCon, should be robust and rich in functionality, yet easy to use and engaging, despite the restrictions imposed by the small display size and minimal keyboard. Moreover, application developers must pay attention to the way resources are used: network traffic should be minimized, battery power should be conserved when possible, and CPU and memory ought to be utilized with frugality. These restrictions come on top of the classic mobile phone application development nightmares (device incompatibilities, network application debugging, immature SDKs, and different operating system versions with undocumented bugs) making the development of an application like MobiCon challenging.

Video recording, the first function, is relatively straightforward to implement with vendor provided SDKs. However, the application should be robust during this phase and capable of handling critical events (including incoming phone calls and text messages). As illustrated in the previous section, video metadata annotation is necessary for searching stored clips in an efficient manner and is a central part of the design of MobiCon. We can identify three main issues that need to be addressed: (a) when shall the application collect the metadata, (b) which types of metadata should be stored so that locating the video will be easier later, and (c) how can the application acquire all this information in an elegant and robust manner. Practice indicates that, at least for home videos, the best time to annotate video clips is right after capturing them. However, at this point it is difficult to predict which information will be most valuable in locating the video later on. For example, for a resident of Oulu using MobiCon frequently while in town, the term "Oulu" will not be a good choice in order to discriminate between a large set of videos. For Alice, though, the same term will allow her to easily select all videos from her last visit to Northern Finland. Thus, one can argue that the best choice is to collect as much information as possible, and preferably do so in an automated way. On the other hand, this may lead to generating mostly low-level data or content features, such as exact dates and color histograms, which are neither easily recollected by most humans nor convey a direct meaning to them. Therefore, the application must allow the user to provide additional high-level information, and assist him in this by making the process as easy as possible.

The limited phone resources make video storage and video sharing particularly interesting problems to address. Permanent storage cannot be provided by the phone in a scalable manner: compared to other kinds of mass storage devices, such as hard drives, memory cards for mobile phones are still expensive and very limited in capacity. Users typically end up transferring their videos to their PC and then share them with others. This, of course, is not a truly mobile video management solution. An MCP application should use the network to store the videos and allow others to view them in an asynchronous manner. For video sharing, there are no universally supported media formats, and the device capabilities and the capacity of the access networks vary greatly. Because of this, the original video ought to be provided in several alternative formats using different encoding parameters. However, video transcoding is a computationally demanding process which cannot be performed in real time. Thus, alternative versions should be generated before the video can be retrieved, typically soon after a clip is uploaded. Furthermore, an important aspect in video sharing is the ability to control how the receivers use the shared video clips and limit redistribution, if necessary. One way of handling the video storage and sharing is to place the videos on a server. This way the MCP application needs to upload the video only once while remaining able to share it with an arbitrary number of recipients. The server can also take care of all security and computational intensive aspects of video storage, and enable the user to search for video clips later. In short, by making an MCP application directly pluggable to a searchable repository that takes advantage of the captured metadata leads to avoiding time-consuming and inefficient lookups of video clips based on filenames and file dates alone.

To sum up these requirements, MobiCon should be able to capture video clips using the internal mobile phone camera, assist the user to annotate each clip with metadata, store the clip to a remote video management server, permit him to share video clips with others and, last but not least, enable him to search large collections of video clips using a mobile phone, PC, or any other device with web access. Users should maintain full control of the entire video management chain, from source to destination, by tapping on a standards-compliant digital rights management (DRM) framework.

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### 4. SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

The VTT Candela system, named after the European ITEA project CANDELA (Content Analysis, Networked Delivery and Architectures) was developed as a solution for general video management. It includes tools for video creation, analysis, annotation, storage, search and delivery phases. The Candela system was originally developed for the personal home video domain but, due to its modular and tiered architecture, it can be used as a basis for different video management applications by reusing some of the generic components and adding domain-specific ones. An important part of the entire architecture is the MCP application MobiCon, which can be used both on a standalone basis and as part of the entire system, as shown in Figure 2. Before delving in the details of the MobiCon architecture, we briefly introduce the Candela system; more details about the Candela architecture are given in [5, 6].



Figure 2: Candela and MobiCon system architecture.

### 4.1. Candela

Users can add video content to the Candela system produced by several different types of sources. The traditional method for home video content is to digitize analog content from a camcorder, or to use a digital one and upload the content to the system. Besides the home video domain, the Candela system can be a part of an enterprise-centered application such as, for example, an automatic security system handling the video content generated by a set of surveillance cameras. In the domain of personal mobile multimedia, the content is created in a mobile phone with video capture capabilities. In all application domains, the content is annotated automatically or semi-automatically, utilizing content analysis methods and input from sensors such as GPS positioning devices or context information which is available for example in a user's calendar. This information is captured in MPEG-7 metadata descriptions [7], which are stored along with the actual video data to support searching and managing video storage.

Candela uses the commercial Solid FlowEngine relational database system which provides scalability from a single in-memory database on a miniature embedded device to complex distributed and duplicated fault tolerant settings, which allows us to deploy more advanced configurations in the future. When storing, MPEG-7 descriptions are mapped to a relational schema so that SQL can be used for querying. In order to provide better results, the Candela query engine broadens user queries by suggesting additional search terms, which are, based on a domain ontology, closely related to the ones specified by the user or more descriptive. On the other hand, user profiles are used to restrict the amount of found matches to those that are the most relevant to the user.

Candela supports a very broad set of end user terminals ranging from cellular phones to high-end desktop computers. In order to provide a user friendly experience, the web-based interface dialogs are generated dynamically by using open source Apache Cocoon framework for XML transformations. This allows us to customize the amount of information presented to the user and the dialog between the user and the system to the capabilities of the used access device. Once the user has found an interesting video, a streaming video player is launched. This is either one of the off-the-self video players or Candela video browser which shows visualized metadata in addition to the video itself. The visualization allows the user to navigate through the video and find the relevant parts of it easily [5].

Providing optimal video quality for the end-user given the diversity of the source material, differences in user terminal capabilities and characteristics of networks, especially in the mobile domain, is a challenging task. MPEG-4

standard offers some scalable video coding solutions, where the changing network capabilities for video delivery can be taken into account in real-time by inserting enhancement layers to the video stream in case of more available bandwidth. However, it was concluded in the project that the state-of-the art in scalable video coding does not offer reasonable quality as compared to the non-scalable stream at the same bitrate [8].

If the media source is a mobile phone with a low resolution camera, the need for transcoding is not as obvious as for more bandwidth consuming content, but overall we want media to be accessible across platforms and at the moment there are no uniformly supported video formats. Thus the solution was, at the expense of storage, to transcode the material to a representative set of formats and bitrates and develop a content negotiation plug-in for Helix streaming server in order to choose from those.

### 4.2. MobiCon

The MobiCon client-server architecture is shown in Figure 3. MobiCon consists of two different software components: the UploadClient, which is a mobile Java (J2ME) application running on a mobile phone and UploadGateway, which is implemented as a Java servlet in the Candela server. Architecture is based on the need to provide wireless access over a mobile phone network to enable storing video clips on the server where it is also possible to run more computation-intensive operations such as video transcoding.



Figure 3: High-level description of MobiCon.

MobiCon naturally needs to be easily installed without any extra tools or additional instructions. The server allows distribution of MobiCon application easily to mobile phone users by using Over-The-Air (OTA) specification from the Open Mobile Alliance, which enables mobile applications to be downloaded and installed over the cellular network. After installation, the user is authenticated by the server using a username and password to log on the Candela system. The username and password are transferred to the UploadGateway and as a reply to successful authentication user profile information is transferred back to the UploadClient where UserManager stores user information (name, address, etc.), which are also used as metadata of captured video clips. The UploadClient no longer asks for username and password after the first time: for user convenience, it is assumed that the user stays the same after the first. Mobile phones are personal devices which are rarely lent to other people or left unguarded, the decision was made that the risk is not too large compared to the benefits achieved.

The UIManager is a controller component which is loaded first when the application is started. The UIManager coordinates the video capture using the mobile phone's camera, the saving of the video data to the Java Record Store system, and the sending of video sharing SMS messages to the other users. UIManager also provides user interfaces that are presented in the next Section. The ConnectionManager handles the connection between the UploadClient and UploadGateway providing data transfer using HTTP-protocol over the packet networks such as GPRS/EDGE/WCDMA. ConnectionManager delivers the captured video data, its metadata, user name, and DRM options to the Upload Gateway. If the user had chosen DRM protection for content sharing, the UploadGateway reply contains the identification keys to

be shared with another user. The ConnectionManager creates a URL containing the received identification keys and returns them to the UIManager, which sends them to the other users via the SMSNotifier.

The UploadGateway serves multiple MobiCon users and provides access to the Candela system. Figure 3 presents an architectural overview of the UploadGateway. The LoginManager servlet handles all the tasks needed for user authentication on the server side. The VideoManager servlet takes care of all the functionalities receiving video data from the UploadClient to the UploadGateway. The received video and metadata descriptions are stored temporarily, the video clip is transcoded, a key frame picture is extracted from the video, and metadata is finally formatted to the MPEG-7 XML format. All data including video clips, keyframes, and MPEG-7 are added to the database via Candela Interface.

The DRMDelivery servlet handles DRM video packaging and sharing. It is based on the Nokia Content Publishing Toolkit (NCPT) that allows creation of a DRM-protected video file package called Download Descriptor (DD), which holds the author, video name, size, and description. The DRMDelivery servlet creates a random number for DRM package name, which is delivered to other users in a URL address pointing to DRMDelivery servlet by SMS Notifier. The receiver of the shared video file needs only to open the URL link and to connect to DRMDelivery servlet using web browser in mobile phone and access the video clip if the DRM system in the mobile phone allows the access. The receiver can also see who the sender was and what kind of content is shared.

The MobiCon shared videos can be played directly via RealVideo player on mobile phone. With the DRM delivery channel a user can share video clips with other users who have a mobile phone supporting the OMA DRM standard and have a video player. DRM is an umbrella term for a set of technologies developed to protect against unauthorized copying and distribution of copyrighted material [9]. MobiCon is using DRM v1, although all mobile phones might not handle DRM protected content in standardized style [10].

#### 4.3. MobiCon Interface Flow Diagrams

This section presents the MobiCon functionality from the user perspective with a walkthrough of typical usage scenarios. The user authentication and video capture is shown in Figure 4. The editing/uploading video clip is presented in Figure 5, which is expanded on Figure 6 and Figure 7 showing metadata annotation and DRM parameterization flows. Each figure comprises two parts: on the left side an Interface Flow Diagram [11] is given, while the right side presents the actual MCP screenshots.

User authentication and video capturing (Figure 4) starts with entering username and password for authentication with the server (Screenshots 1-2). If the username and password are valid, MobiCon receives the user's personal profile information and stores it in the phone memory. Then, MobiCon's main screen is displayed (Screenshot 3), where the user can choose to view and edit personal information, to load video clips, or to capture a new clip (Screenshot 4). A new video clip is captured in Capture Screen using Mobile Media API and it is recorded according to 3GPP specification using AMR coding for audio and H.263 at 176x144 pixels size at 15 frames per second for video. After a video is captured or loaded (Screenshot 5), the user is presented the Edit Screen (Scrcenshot 6) that ends the user authentication and video capturing scene.



Figure 4: User authentication and video capturing: UI Flow Diagram (left) and UI screenshots (right).

Figure 5 presents the editing and uploading phase starting from the Edit Screen (Screenshot 1), which displays different editing options for the video clip. The user can choose to view the video clip in the Video View Screen (Screenshot 2), enter metadata annotations in the Metadata Screen (Screenshot 3), upload video clip (Screenshots 4, 5 and 6) either through the Access Screen or the DRM Screen, save, and capture a new video clip.

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Figure 5: Editing and uploading the captured/loaded video clip: UI Flow Diagram (left) and UI screenshots (right).

In the Edit Screen, the user may choose to upload the clip to the Candela server. The Upload Screen (Screenshot 4) prompts the user to choose the Candela or the DRM delivery channel or both. If the user chooses Candela delivery channel the video clip is uploaded to Candela server over mobile phone network and added to the Candela video database, from where the user can later search and access the video clip. A user must also choose whether the video clip is only for personal use or whether other Candela users can also find the clip via search. This is selected in the Access Screen (Screenshot 5). Then the video clip is uploaded via the Upload Gateway to the user video collection on the Candela server (Screenshot 6). In the server the video clip is handed over to the Video Manager Servlet, which transcodes the video clip into different formats and bit rates in order to provide a scalable service quality for different devices and network connections. Currently, the Video Manager Servlet prepares Real Video, H.264, and H.263 encodings for delivering the captured video content to mobile devices and MPEG-4 file format for desktop computers. In the future, scalable video codecs will remove the need of transcoding [12]. The DRM delivery channel (Screenshot 4), to prepare video clip for DRM protected sharing, is presented in details in Figure 7. The functionalities under the Metadata screen (Screenshot 3) are presented in Figure 6, which illustrates the flow diagram for the metadata annotation phase.



Figure 6: Giving metadata annotations: UI Flow Diagram (left) and UI screenshots (right).

The clip annotation starts from the Metadata Selection Screen (Screenshot 1) where the user has options to annotate clip using terms in a predefined domain ontology stored in the user's personal profile (Screenshots 3-5), add text descriptions by typing the nine-button keypad (Screenshot 2), and edit settings to update personal profile information, which is automatically added to the video clip metadata. When annotating via the Ontology Screen, the domain ontology can be accessed along a three-level hierarchical structure: the main level view (3) contains top-level concepts, which are then expanded in the sub-level menus (4, 5). All three levels are recorded to the clip. MobiCon also gathers context data that is available at the time of capture on the mobile phone such as user name, capture time, and duration of the clip. Additionally, MobiCon is able to connect to a GPS receiver supporting the NMEA protocol via Bluetooth. GPS provides

longitude and latitude coordinates and a timestamp for the metadata. All the video clip metadata is uploaded with the video clip. In the final MPEG-7 file the context data includes the creator's name, region and country, date and time of day, GPS information, and length of the video clip as well as terms given by user and from the ontology tree are embedded in free text annotation elements the MPEG-7 provides.

Figure 7 presents the flow diagram for the DRM protected sharing phase. The starting point is the Delivery Method Screen (Screenshot 1) where the user adds the DRM option. The user is prompted by possible recipients from the mobile phone's contacts list (Screenshot 2). After selecting a receiver, the user can select between two DRM protection methods: Forward-Lock and Combined-Delivery (Screenshot 3). The Forward-Lock method prevents the receiver from resending the shared video clip from their mobile phones and it does not require additional configuration. The Combined-Delivery method (Screenshot 4) is used to specify access rights for the shared video clip. With the Combined-Delivery method, the user can set the dates the receiver can watch the video and how many times the video can be played by the receiver (Screenshot 5). After completing the Rights Selection Screen, the UploadClient sends the video, metadata and DRM information to the UploadGateway, which creates a DRM package at the server side and returns one identification key for each receiver. As soon as Upload Client receives the key(s) it generates and sends SMS messages to the receivers, who can download and play the video clip without MobiCon client software.



Figure 7: Sharing video DRM protected video clip: UI Flow Diagram (left) and UI screenshots (right).

#### 5. FIELD TRIAL EVALUATION

Before initiating the field trial, MobiCon was tested extensively by a small group of developers/researchers from the Wireless Services group at VTT. Several issues were identified and fixed in the process, and we felt that both the application and the underlying video management service were ready for a field trial with real users. Due to space limitations, we will only summarize the results here; further details about the field trial are given in [13].

The main goal of the MobiCon field trial was to quantify application usability and assess its overall appeal to everyday users. The field trial lasted four weeks, starting on 14 February 2005. We lent each of the ten trial participants a Nokia 6630 MCP with MobiCon preinstalled. The primary author spent some time with each user introducing the application and explaining the main goals of the trial. At the end of the short tutorial, each participant had to take MobiCon for a "test ride" and continue using it for two weeks. Users were instructed to use the application as much as they would "in the real world". In other words, the aim of the trial was neither to stress- nor to beta-test MobiCon, but to replicate typical user behavior in a realistic environment; accordingly, participants were not forced to record, annotate, and upload as many videos as possible. During the trial period, we gathered data about the performance of the application and other context-related data, including user details, time and date; number of user interface (UI) selections made; session duration; type and number of metadata descriptions provided; and captured video duration, size, and upload bit rate. After the end of the trial period, users had to return the MCP and fill out an evaluation questionnaire.

The field trial results showed that MobiCon did overall meet all implementation objectives as specified in Section 3: users were able to capture video clips, annotate them with metadata, upload some of the clips to the video management server, and share clips with others. Both the application logs and the post-trial questionnaires indicated that MobiCon was relatively easy to use, even for inexperienced users. With regard to metadata annotation, most users agreed that an ontology-based term selection is a convenient way to add metadata to a clip, and it is preferred over free-text entries. Nevertheless, many users reported that the ontology tree structure and its size were far from ideal: some complained that

the ontology tree structure was "too large", and that most terms were of little or no use; others wished the tree included more terms.

Despite the fact that most of the Oulu metropolitan area is covered by a fast 3G/UMTS network, seven out of ten users complained that the network was "slow". Moreover, the field trial revealed other issues including a couple of bugs which led to application crashes, and the concerns raised by some of the less technologically savvy participants about the security-related questions frequently asked by the MCP operating systems. The latter was due to the fact that MobiCon was not a signed application at the time of the field trial; the former were fixed before the time of this writing.

By and large, the participants were very satisfied with MobiCon (as an MCP application) and are looking forward to using such a service when it becomes commercially available. Even so, the field trial participants suggested several improvements, which, along with our own experiences, guide the evolution to the next phase of development.

#### 6. SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS AND NEW DIRECTIONS

Given the outcome of the field trial evaluation, we saw the imperative need to ease the annotation process by automation. One approach towards this problem would be to apply content analysis techniques on the video clips. Extracting highlevel annotations out of video content is already a challenging task in specialized domains with static and regular content such as sports or news [14, 15]. With home video clips shot with today's camera phones, however, the task is even more daunting: home video content is highly irregular and diverse reflecting the varying interests of people; the technical skills of home videographers are rather limited resulting in shaky and blurry content; the still limited resolutions of phone cameras as well as high compression losses contribute to the bad content quality.

These problems led us to the different and much simpler approach of inferring reasonable annotation suggestions out of the rich context data about the clip capture that is available on mobile phones, as recently also suggested by [16]. For example, suggestions about the time of day, month, and season can be easily derived out of the system time on the phone; information about location of a clip capture can be obtained from the current cell ID or – with more modern phones or a GPS receiver accessible via Bluetooth – even the GPS position; given the location, one may access the user's address book to find out whether the clip was captured at a known location; given the time, one can look up possibly documented events in a calendar; etc.

Following this idea, we created an annotation web service for the creation of context-based annotation suggestions [6] and integrated it into the Candela system as outlined by Figure 8. With the creation of this web service, we pursued several goals:

Firstly, an annotation web service was painless to integrate with the already existing MobiCon application. After video capture, MobiCon merely needs to create an HTTP request with the context data and add the returned suggestions to the list of annotation keywords.

The second goal is extensibility. As it is easy to come up with further ideas of how to generate reasonable suggestions out of context, we want to be able to flexibly integrate new annotation methods as they become available. Therefore, we implemented the annotation web service on top of a plug-n-play bus architecture, which facilitates rapid integration of new methods for the generation of annotation suggestions. In addition, a centralized web service eliminates the logistic problem of deploying new annotation methods on the mobile clients.

Thirdly, the generation of annotation suggestions on a server relieved us from concerns with regard to the computational complexity of the generation of annotation suggestions. The highly parallelized architecture of the annotation bus further contributes to that aspect: all annotation suggestions are generated in parallel threads minimizing response times for each request and maximizing server utilization.

Figure 8 illustrates overview to the bus architecture of the annotation web service with the different modules currently implemented for the generation of annotation suggestions based on initial annotation.

In addition to adding the context-aware annotation web service, we also improved manual annotation of video clips. Because of the user complaints in the field trial with regard to the suitability of the predefined domain ontology for annotation to their personal situation and interests, we re-designed the system such that every user – excluding some general concepts forming the upper level of the hierarchy – can modify the ontology concepts and structure. Users can thus optimize their ontologies to their individual annotation needs, such that they can reach the concepts important to them in few navigation steps and without having to scroll through many irrelevant concepts on a small phone display on the way.

The individual ontologies of users are managed by an ontology manager on the Candela server. When a user logins to MobiCon, the application receives the personal ontology of the user from the ontology manager in RDF format and caches it for successive use along with the user's other profile data in the phone memory.

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We also have made other minor improvements to annotations. Now, MobiCon memorizes that last five keyword entries of the user and offers them for fast selection.

We believe that all these improvements will enhance the Mobicon user experience, making it easier, for the user, to annotate the videos with metadata. But we also see it is necessary to verify these improvements with a new field trial in a near future.

We have also further improvement ideas to the annotation process, which we are planning to integrate to MobiCon; for example, an even better metadata collection method suiting the nature of phone device could be audio annotation, so the user could add metadata descriptions to the videos just by speaking. Also typing metadata annotations, with ninebutton keypad, could be made easier by using dictionary assisted predictions for typed words.

With regard to the sharing of clips, MobiCon's current functionality is still limited, allowing the sharing of clips only right after capture. We are currently investigating the integration of a user interface into MobiCon that allows users to share any clip existing in their collections. In addition, the possibility of using other network connections, besides mobile networks, will be studied. Moreover, the remarks about slow cellular upload links, especially over GPRS, and the potential of high transfer fees in a public 3G network, prompted us to consider adding a peer-to-peer delivery channel as well. For example, users could connect to fixed networks by using network technologies like Bluetooth and WLAN, which can already be found on new mobile devices or they could use Bluetooth to share videos with user nearby. This is expected to satisfy a number of users who would prefer to capture several videos, annotate them on the spot, but upload them later.



Annotation modules

Figure 8: The Candela Annotation Web Service

#### 7. RELATED WORK

Most of the existing mobile phone-based content management systems provide only capturing, annotating, and sharing of still photos, for example [4, 17]. Similar commercial applications as MobiCon exists such as Kodak Mobile (kodakmobile.com), Nokia's Movie Director (nokia.com), Nokia Album (nokia.com), and Nokia Lifeblog (nokia.com/lifeblog) and PhotoBlog (http://www.futurice.fi/PhotoBlog.html), but there is currently no similar mobile application that combines all video management features, i.e., video capturing, annotation using different context sources, sharing and storing videos for searching, into one [6, 13]. In general, existing commercial content sharing applications use different sharing methods such as MMS, email, blogs and even PC based tools for home personal video management [18].

Mobile video authoring applications exist for mobile phones without video sharing and DRM support, but they provide more advanced video editing tools in mobile device. For example, mProducer [19] provides video recording and editing in a mobile device, but it focuses on maximizing content capture space in a device and assisting the user in video editing, for example, by supporting shot detection and removing blurred frames. Video blogging using mobile devices is also becoming popular. FrameDrops [20] allows commenting captured video clips and provides video sharing via interactive web pages that align video clips over a map based on capture position. FrameDrops is targeted for work groups and online communities and they use Flash video format. MobiCon and Candela system targets personal video management by supporting video search in both mobile and desktop environments allowing sharing in different video formats.

Resent video annotation research is more focused on automatically summarizing video data from existing MPEG-7 video descriptions [21, 22] and enhancing the results using a query-based video personalization and summarization to show a shortened video summary of a large video content [23]. Also, some applications exist that automatically gather

video metadata from a specific type of video content, for example news broadcasts. IBM [23] has also developed system for creating personalized video content from video databases for PDA and PC users. We used similar technologies for example, MPEG-7 metadata files, but the main differences to MobiCon and video server are that we support DRM to control video redistribution, we only use high-level features (objects, person names, situation, address and town names) to annotate the video clips in MPEG-7 file and we need to transcode video clips for streaming both PC and mobile devices. We also did not implement shot boundary detection in MobiCon because mobile videos are short and they typically consist of a single shot. More about mobile video streaming can be found in [21].

A mobile network-based video sharing service is already commercially launching by mobile operators such as Telecom Italia Mobile and TLC in Hong Kong. In telecommunication networks, a video sharing service is based on IMS and it allows sharing real-time or pre-recorded video clips during normal voice calls using a separate data call. Both parties hear each other and watch the same video until they end the video sharing call [3]. MobiCon type of tools will benefit of IMS system, since IMS allows point-to-point access between mobile phones and it can replace SMS-based content delivery. MobiCon only uses a GPRS packet connection to transmit video data to video server and users are not point-to-point connected and sharing is not real-time. We expect that similar applications as MobiCon will be available also as IMS services managed by mobile operators.

Finally, other technologies such as sensors in mobile phone [19] and RFID tags and readers [24] will be available to provide alternative ways to users to access shared content.

#### 8. CONCLUDING REMARKS

This paper introduced a video management solution, which has at its core MobiCon, a mobile camera phone application. We illustrated a typical scenario involving a tourist creating short videos while on a sightseeing tour, laid out our original implementation objectives, described the overall system architecture, and detailed the main features of the application using Interface Flow Diagrams and application screenshots. After summarizing the results of the first MobiCon field trial, we presented a set of improvements to the original implementation of the application, and gave a short account of our latest development efforts. Finally, this paper compared MobiCon with other related research and development efforts and pointed out significant differences, stating possible future directions.

Although MobiCon has reached a certain level of maturity, there are many issues that still remain to be tackled. Certain security concerns regarding video clip access for invited receivers, along with improvements on the digital rights management component, top the list. Once these have been addressed, the next step should be to open up the video management server to a larger group of users and allow them to use it in combination with MobiCon. This will permit us to evaluate the complete service under a much larger and diverse set of configurations, which ideally should include users in other countries and, hopefully, in other continents as well. Porting MobiCon to more platforms is also in our current plans, as is pursuing business development opportunities for we seek closer cooperation with mobile network operators and startup video management service providers in order to create a commercially-available turnkey solution. To that end, we are exploring alternative user scenarios, which are not restricted to the home video market segment. Finally, depending on user interest, we are considering adding support for short-range, peer-to-peer communication using Bluetooth and WiFi.

On the research front, we are exploring how content analysis methods can be integrated with the annotation web service. Although the system architecture has been designed to be extensible from the ground up, it is still not meaningful to implement annotation suggestion modules based on content analysis methods, because the video would have first to be uploaded and analyzed by the server in order for the annotation web service to provide suggestions. The resulting delay in the annotation process may be prohibitive. Perhaps the solution can come from a distributed version of the annotation bus, which allows us to keep annotation suggestion modules on the MCP. This will also address some privacy concerns arising from the need to have certain personal context data, such as address book contacts and calendar entries, transferred over the cellular network to the web service.

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## ABSTRACT

We present a video management system comprising a video server and a mobile camera-phone application called MobiCon, which allows users to capture videos, annotate them with metadata, specify digital rights management (DRM) settings, upload the videos over the cellular network, and share them with others. Once stored in the video server, users can then search their personal video collection via a web interface, and watch the video clips using a wide range of terminals. We describe the MobiCon architecture, compare it with related work, provide an overview of the video server, and illustrate a typical user scenario from the point of capture to video sharing and video searching. Our work takes steps forward in advancing the mobile camera-phone from a video playback device to a video production tool. We summarize field trial results conducted in the area of Oulu, Finland, which demonstrate that users can master the application quickly, but are unwilling to perform extensive manual annotations. Based on the user trial results and our own experience, we present future development directions for MobiCon, in particular, and the video management architecture, in general.

Keywords: mobile camera phone application, mobile video management, video metadata and digital rights management

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Mobile phone manufacturers are increasingly adding new models with multimedia support and most modern medium- to high-end cell phones come with an integrated audio/video player, a camera to capture still and moving pictures, and some media editing software. The "coolness factor" fuels the popularity of mobile camera phones (MCP) and increases the volume of user-created media content. MCPs can record videos of up to several minutes, depending on the amount of memory available. Videos cannot be reasonably stored permanently on the mobile device due to the limited memory capacity available. Thus, users are in need of services that allow them to store their videos somewhere else, also because users want to create collections of their clips and share them with friends and relatives. Some will even opt for making part of their digital content available from a web site, or add it to their blog entries. Although none of these is news, nevertheless, there is very little automation in this process, and mobile applications for video management are not as commonplace as one might think despite the fact that MCPs have been on the market for quite some time.

The main problem of mobile content management is two-fold: how to automate permanent video clip storage, and how to do so in a way that is user-friendly, allows for easy clip lookups, and enables the user to share videos with others. Even though there are standardized ways to share videos over the cellular network, including the Multimedia Messaging Service (MMS) [1] and the upcoming IP Multimedia Subsystem (IMS) [2, 3], they must all be supported by the mobile operator, require infrastructure expenditures, and allow mainly for point-to-point video sharing. Moreover, a common characteristic of these services is that they do not include a solution for video management, and do not take full advantage of the context information available at the point of video capture. Our development effort takes a different approach and attempts to (a) enable the MCP to serve as an valuable video production tool in addition to being a video consumption channel, and (b) permit users to share videos with others irrespective of the level of network operator support for multimedia services.

Of course, one can argue that an MCP is not the ideal device for video management because of the limited CPU, memory and input/output capabilities, battery power consumptions considerations, and the diverse video formats and

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other technologies supported by the operating system. On the other hand, a MCP application can assist users to describe a video by associating it with annotations about, for example, where and when a video clip was shot, and who should be able to access it. The MCP application may have at its disposal different kinds of context information including sensors, a GPS device, a calendar service, and other Internet resources. All these are valuable sources for metadata that can be used to characterize the digital object and possibly uniquely identify it. Metadata plays a critical role in managing video content to the extent that Sarvas *et al.* [4] argue that it is not possible to manage media content effectively without them. The value of the metadata is illustrated in the following section, which presents a typical scenario where the user captures a video clip, associates it with metadata, and later searches for this particular video within her collection using an Internet-connected desktop PC. This paper details a solution to the problems related to user-created media content and annotation, and addresses some issues pertaining to sharing and storing videos using MCPs, and the challenges presented to the mobile video management system. The rest of this paper is organized as follows. Sections 3 and 4 discuss the implementation objectives of such video management system, and its architecture, respectively. Section 5 summarizes the results of a real user field trial evaluation, and Section 6 presents our current work in progress along with some future directions, which address certain shortcomings found in the first generation of the system. Finally, Section 7 reviews related work, and Section 8 concludes the paper.

## 2. A TYPICAL USER SCENARIO

We exemplify the use of the mobile video management system with a scenario involving a tourist in a sightseeing tour. The aim in this section is to provide an overall understanding of how the system works, essentially a high-level usercentered view of the requirements, before presenting, in the following section, the main objectives.

Figure 1 portrays Alice while on vacation in Oulu, Finland. Alice spends some time walking around the city center area, visiting several attractions, when she notices the Oulu cathedral clock tower from a distance. After approaching the church, she uses her MCP to record a short video of the cathedral, its clock tower, and the surrounding area. Alice uses MobiCon, an MCP application, which allows her not only to capture the video, but also to upload it to a server and notify her friends about recent findings during her tour of Oulu.



Figure 1: Alice records a video of the Oulu cathedral (left), annotates it with the term "Object > Buildings" (center), and later is able to search for it using the web interface of the Candela video management server (right).

After recording the video, Alice annotates it by selecting the prefedefined concepts "Holiday" and "Buildings" from the application metadata menu, and enters two keywords ("Church" and "Oulu") to describe the video clip more accurately. Alice saves the clip locally on the mobile phone memory card. Shortly afterwards, Alice decides to share the video with Bob, a friend of hers who is very interested in church architecture. With MobiCon, this is a simple process: Alice selects the video clip using a menu, chooses Bob from her contact list, and grants him the rights to watch the clip. She can subsequently upload the clip to the video server and MobiCon will automatically send a text message using the Short Message Service (SMS) to Bob with information on how to access the video. After receiving the text message, Bob can watch the video by opening its URL straight from his mobile phone.

After returning from her holidays, Alice can login to the video server using a web interface and access her large clip collection. Mobile videos tend to be short in length and relatively "focused" on a single theme. Unfortunately, Alice quickly finds herself having to deal with hundreds of videos with not-so-descriptive file names. Trying to locate the

"church video" in the entire collection can quickly become tiresome and this is where video metadata annotation proves helpful. Although Alice is not likely to remember the exact time or date that the video was captured or uploaded to the video server, she does remember where she was and what the main theme of the video was. Searching for "Oulu" limits the set of possible videos and searching for "church" narrows the size of the search result set to a handful of clips. Once located, Alice can watch the movie clip delivered by the video management server in the most appropriate format for her platform.

## 3. IMPLEMENTATION OBJECTIVES

A mobile video management application has five main functions: video recording, metadata annotation, video storage, video sharing, and locating video clips in a collection. Any MCP application, such as MobiCon, should be robust and rich in functionality, yet easy to use and engaging, despite the restrictions imposed by the small display size and minimal keyboard. Moreover, application developers must pay attention to the way resources are used: network traffic should be minimized, battery power should be conserved when possible, and CPU and memory ought to be utilized with frugality. These restrictions come on top of the classic mobile phone application development nightmares (device incompatibilities, network application debugging, immature SDKs, and different operating system versions with undocumented bugs) making the development of an application like MobiCon challenging.

Video *recording*, the first function, is relatively straightforward to implement with vendor provided SDKs. However, the application should be robust during this phase and capable of handling critical events (including incoming phone calls and text messages). As illustrated in the previous section, video *metadata annotation* is necessary for searching stored clips in an efficient manner and is a central part of the design of MobiCon. We can identify three main issues that need to be addressed: (a) when shall the application collect the metadata, (b) which types of metadata should be stored so that locating the video will be easier later, and (c) how can the application acquire all this information in an elegant and robust manner. Practice indicates that, at least for home videos, the best time to annotate video clips is right after capturing them. However, at this point it is difficult to predict which information will be most valuable in locating the video later on. For example, for a resident of Oulu using MobiCon frequently while in town, the term "Oulu" will not be a good choice in order to discriminate between a large set of videos. For Alice, though, the same term will allow her to easily select all videos from her last visit to Northern Finland. Thus, one can argue that the best choice is to collect as much information as possible, and preferably do so in an automated way. On the other hand, this may lead to generating mostly low-level data or content features, such as exact dates and color histograms, which are neither easily recollected by most humans nor convey a direct meaning to them. Therefore, the application must allow the user to provide additional high-level information, and assist him in this by making the process as easy as possible.

The limited phone resources make video storage and video sharing particularly interesting problems to address. Permanent storage cannot be provided by the phone in a scalable manner: compared to other kinds of mass storage devices, such as hard drives, memory cards for mobile phones are still expensive and very limited in capacity. Users typically end up transferring their videos to their PC and then share them with others. This, of course, is not a truly mobile video management solution. An MCP application should use the network to store the videos and allow others to view them in an asynchronous manner. For video sharing, there are no universally supported media formats, and the device capabilities and the capacity of the access networks vary greatly. Because of this, the original video ought to be provided in several alternative formats using different encoding parameters. However, video transcoding is a computationally demanding process which cannot be performed in real time. Thus, alternative versions should be generated before the video can be retrieved, typically soon after a clip is uploaded. Furthermore, an important aspect in video sharing is the ability to control how the receivers use the shared video clips and limit redistribution, if necessary. One way of handling the video storage and sharing is to place the videos on a server. This way the MCP application needs to upload the video only once while remaining able to share it with an arbitrary number of recipients. The server can also take care of all security and computational intensive aspects of video storage, and enable the user to search for video clips later. In short, by making an MCP application directly pluggable to a searchable repository that takes advantage of the captured metadata leads to avoiding time-consuming and inefficient lookups of video clips based on filenames and file dates alone.

To sum up these requirements, MobiCon should be able to capture video clips using the internal mobile phone camera, assist the user to annotate each clip with metadata, store the clip to a remote video management server, permit him to share video clips with others and, last but not least, enable him to search large collections of video clips using a mobile phone, PC, or any other device with web access. Users should maintain full control of the entire video management chain, from source to destination, by tapping on a standards-compliant digital rights management (DRM) framework.

## 4. SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

The VTT Candela system, named after the European ITEA project CANDELA (Content Analysis, Networked Delivery and Architectures) was developed as a solution for general video management. It includes tools for video creation, analysis, annotation, storage, search and delivery phases. The Candela system was originally developed for the personal home video domain but, due to its modular and tiered architecture, it can be used as a basis for different video management applications by reusing some of the generic components and adding domain-specific ones. An important part of the entire architecture is the MCP application MobiCon, which can be used both on a standalone basis and as part of the entire system, as shown in Figure 2. Before delving in the details of the MobiCon architecture, we briefly introduce the Candela system; more details about the Candela architecture are given in [5, 6].



Figure 2: Candela and MobiCon system architecture.

#### 4.1. Candela

Users can add video content to the Candela system produced by several different types of sources. The traditional method for home video content is to digitize analog content from a camcorder, or to use a digital one and upload the content to the system. Besides the home video domain, the Candela system can be a part of an enterprise-centered application such as, for example, an automatic security system handling the video content generated by a set of surveillance cameras. In the domain of personal mobile multimedia, the content is created in a mobile phone with video capture capabilities. In all application domains, the content is annotated automatically or semi-automatically, utilizing content analysis methods and input from sensors such as GPS positioning devices or context information which is available for example in a user's calendar. This information is captured in MPEG-7 metadata descriptions [7], which are stored along with the actual video data to support searching and managing video storage.

Candela uses the commercial Solid FlowEngine relational database system which provides scalability from a single in-memory database on a miniature embedded device to complex distributed and duplicated fault tolerant settings, which allows us to deploy more advanced configurations in the future. When storing, MPEG-7 descriptions are mapped to a relational schema so that SQL can be used for querying. In order to provide better results, the Candela query engine broadens user queries by suggesting additional search terms, which are, based on a domain ontology, closely related to the ones specified by the user or more descriptive. On the other hand, user profiles are used to restrict the amount of found matches to those that are the most relevant to the user.

Candela supports a very broad set of end user terminals ranging from cellular phones to high-end desktop computers. In order to provide a user friendly experience, the web-based interface dialogs are generated dynamically by using open source Apache Cocoon framework for XML transformations. This allows us to customize the amount of information presented to the user and the dialog between the user and the system to the capabilities of the used access device. Once the user has found an interesting video, a streaming video player is launched. This is either one of the off-the-self video players or Candela video browser which shows visualized metadata in addition to the video itself. The visualization allows the user to navigate through the video and find the relevant parts of it easily [5].

Providing optimal video quality for the end-user given the diversity of the source material, differences in user terminal capabilities and characteristics of networks, especially in the mobile domain, is a challenging task. MPEG-4

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standard offers some scalable video coding solutions, where the changing network capabilities for video delivery can be taken into account in real-time by inserting enhancement layers to the video stream in case of more available bandwidth. However, it was concluded in the project that the state-of-the art in scalable video coding does not offer reasonable quality as compared to the non-scalable stream at the same bitrate [8].

If the media source is a mobile phone with a low resolution camera, the need for transcoding is not as obvious as for more bandwidth consuming content, but overall we want media to be accessible across platforms and at the moment there are no uniformly supported video formats. Thus the solution was, at the expense of storage, to transcode the material to a representative set of formats and bitrates and develop a content negotiation plug-in for Helix streaming server in order to choose from those.

## 4.2. MobiCon

The MobiCon client-server architecture is shown in Figure 3. MobiCon consists of two different software components: the UploadClient, which is a mobile Java (J2ME) application running on a mobile phone and UploadGateway, which is implemented as a Java servlet in the Candela server. Architecture is based on the need to provide wireless access over a mobile phone network to enable storing video clips on the server where it is also possible to run more computation-intensive operations such as video transcoding.



Figure 3: High-level description of MobiCon.

MobiCon naturally needs to be easily installed without any extra tools or additional instructions. The server allows distribution of MobiCon application easily to mobile phone users by using Over-The-Air (OTA) specification from the Open Mobile Alliance, which enables mobile applications to be downloaded and installed over the cellular network. After installation, the user is authenticated by the server using a username and password to log on the Candela system. The username and password are transferred to the UploadGateway and as a reply to successful authentication user profile information is transferred back to the UploadClient where UserManager stores user information (name, address, etc.), which are also used as metadata of captured video clips. The UploadClient no longer asks for username and password after the first time: for user convenience, it is assumed that the user stays the same after the first. Mobile phones are personal devices which are rarely lent to other people or left unguarded, the decision was made that the risk is not too large compared to the benefits achieved.

The UIManager is a controller component which is loaded first when the application is started. The UIManager coordinates the video capture using the mobile phone's camera, the saving of the video data to the Java Record Store system, and the sending of video sharing SMS messages to the other users. UIManager also provides user interfaces that are presented in the next Section. The ConnectionManager handles the connection between the UploadClient and UploadGateway providing data transfer using HTTP-protocol over the packet networks such as GPRS/EDGE/WCDMA. ConnectionManager delivers the captured video data, its metadata, user name, and DRM options to the Upload Gateway. If the user had chosen DRM protection for content sharing, the UploadGateway reply contains the identification keys to

be shared with another user. The ConnectionManager creates a URL containing the received identification keys and returns them to the UIManager, which sends them to the other users via the SMSNotifier.

The UploadGateway serves multiple MobiCon users and provides access to the Candela system. Figure 3 presents an architectural overview of the UploadGateway. The LoginManager servlet handles all the tasks needed for user authentication on the server side. The VideoManager servlet takes care of all the functionalities receiving video data from the UploadGateway. The received video and metadata descriptions are stored temporarily, the video clip is transcoded, a key frame picture is extracted from the video, and metadata is finally formatted to the MPEG-7 XML format. All data including video clips, keyframes, and MPEG-7 are added to the database via Candela Interface.

The DRMDelivery servlet handles DRM video packaging and sharing. It is based on the Nokia Content Publishing Toolkit (NCPT) that allows creation of a DRM-protected video file package called Download Descriptor (DD), which holds the author, video name, size, and description. The DRMDelivery servlet creates a random number for DRM package name, which is delivered to other users in a URL address pointing to DRMDelivery servlet by SMS Notifier. The receiver of the shared video file needs only to open the URL link and to connect to DRMDelivery servlet using web browser in mobile phone and access the video clip if the DRM system in the mobile phone allows the access. The receiver can also see who the sender was and what kind of content is shared.

The MobiCon shared videos can be played directly via RealVideo player on mobile phone. With the DRM delivery channel a user can share video clips with other users who have a mobile phone supporting the OMA DRM standard and have a video player. DRM is an umbrella term for a set of technologies developed to protect against unauthorized copying and distribution of copyrighted material [9]. MobiCon is using DRM v1, although all mobile phones might not handle DRM protected content in standardized style [10].

#### 4.3. MobiCon Interface Flow Diagrams

This section presents the MobiCon functionality from the user perspective with a walkthrough of typical usage scenarios. The user authentication and video capture is shown in Figure 4. The editing/uploading video clip is presented in Figure 5, which is expanded on Figure 6 and Figure 7 showing metadata annotation and DRM parameterization flows. Each figure comprises two parts: on the left side an Interface Flow Diagram [11] is given, while the right side presents the actual MCP screenshots.

User authentication and video capturing (Figure 4) starts with entering username and password for authentication with the server (Screenshots 1-2). If the username and password are valid, MobiCon receives the user's personal profile information and stores it in the phone memory. Then, MobiCon's main screen is displayed (Screenshot 3), where the user can choose to view and edit personal information, to load video clips, or to capture a new clip (Screenshot 4). A new video clip is captured in Capture Screen using Mobile Media API and it is recorded according to 3GPP specification using AMR coding for audio and H.263 at 176x144 pixels size at 15 frames per second for video. After a video is captured or loaded (Screenshot 5), the user is presented the Edit Screen (Screenshot 6) that ends the user authentication and video capturing scene.



Figure 4: User authentication and video capturing: UI Flow Diagram (left) and UI screenshots (right).

Figure 5 presents the editing and uploading phase starting from the Edit Screen (Screenshot 1), which displays different editing options for the video clip. The user can choose to view the video clip in the Video View Screen (Screenshot 2), enter metadata annotations in the Metadata Screen (Screenshot 3), upload video clip (Screenshots 4, 5 and 6) either through the Access Screen or the DRM Screen, save, and capture a new video clip.

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Figure 5: Editing and uploading the captured/loaded video clip: UI Flow Diagram (left) and UI screenshots (right).

In the Edit Screen, the user may choose to upload the clip to the Candela server. The Upload Screen (Screenshot 4) prompts the user to choose the Candela or the DRM delivery channel or both. If the user chooses Candela delivery channel the video clip is uploaded to Candela server over mobile phone network and added to the Candela video database, from where the user can later search and access the video clip. A user must also choose whether the video clip is only for personal use or whether other Candela users can also find the clip via search. This is selected in the Access Screen (Screenshot 5). Then the video clip is uploaded via the Upload Gateway to the user video collection on the Candela server (Screenshot 6). In the server the video clip is handed over to the Video Manager Servlet, which transcodes the video clip into different formats and bit rates in order to provide a scalable service quality for different devices and network connections. Currently, the Video Manager Servlet prepares Real Video, H.264, and H.263 encodings for delivering the captured video content to mobile devices and MPEG-4 file format for desktop computers. In the future, scalable video codecs will remove the need of transcoding [12]. The DRM delivery channel (Screenshot 4), to prepare video clip for DRM protected sharing, is presented in details in Figure 7. The functionalities under the Metadata screen (Screenshot 3) are presented in Figure 6, which illustrates the flow diagram for the metadata annotation phase.



Figure 6: Giving metadata annotations: UI Flow Diagram (left) and UI screenshots (right).

The clip annotation starts from the Metadata Selection Screen (Screenshot 1) where the user has options to annotate clip using terms in a predefined domain ontology stored in the user's personal profile (Screenshots 3-5), add text descriptions by typing the nine-button keypad (Screenshot 2), and edit settings to update personal profile information, which is automatically added to the video clip metadata. When annotating via the Ontology Screen, the domain ontology can be accessed along a three-level hierarchical structure: the main level view (3) contains top-level concepts, which are then expanded in the sub-level menus (4, 5). All three levels are recorded to the clip. MobiCon also gathers context data that is available at the time of capture on the mobile phone such as user name, capture time, and duration of the clip. Additionally, MobiCon is able to connect to a GPS receiver supporting the NMEA protocol via Bluetooth. GPS provides

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longitude and latitude coordinates and a timestamp for the metadata. All the video clip metadata is uploaded with the video clip. In the final MPEG-7 file the context data includes the creator's name, region and country, date and time of day, GPS information, and length of the video clip as well as terms given by user and from the ontology tree are embedded in free text annotation elements the MPEG-7 provides.

Figure 7 presents the flow diagram for the DRM protected sharing phase. The starting point is the Delivery Method Screen (Screenshot 1) where the user adds the DRM option. The user is prompted by possible recipients from the mobile phone's contacts list (Screenshot 2). After selecting a receiver, the user can select between two DRM protection methods: Forward-Lock and Combined-Delivery (Screenshot 3). The Forward-Lock method prevents the receiver from resending the shared video clip from their mobile phones and it does not require additional configuration. The Combined-Delivery method (Screenshot 4) is used to specify access rights for the shared video clip. With the Combined-Delivery method, the user can set the dates the receiver can watch the video and how many times the video can be played by the receiver (Screenshot 5). After completing the Rights Selection Screen, the UploadClient sends the video, metadata and DRM information to the UploadGateway, which creates a DRM package at the server side and returns one identification key for each receiver. As soon as Upload Client receives the key(s) it generates and sends SMS messages to the receivers, who can download and play the video clip without MobiCon client software.



Figure 7: Sharing video DRM protected video clip: UI Flow Diagram (left) and UI screenshots (right).

### 5. FIELD TRIAL EVALUATION

Before initiating the field trial, MobiCon was tested extensively by a small group of developers/researchers from the Wireless Services group at VTT. Several issues were identified and fixed in the process, and we felt that both the application and the underlying video management service were ready for a field trial with real users. Due to space limitations, we will only summarize the results here; further details about the field trial are given in [13].

The main goal of the MobiCon field trial was to quantify application usability and assess its overall appeal to everyday users. The field trial lasted four weeks, starting on 14 February 2005. We lent each of the ten trial participants a Nokia 6630 MCP with MobiCon preinstalled. The primary author spent some time with each user introducing the application and explaining the main goals of the trial. At the end of the short tutorial, each participant had to take MobiCon for a "test ride" and continue using it for two weeks. Users were instructed to use the application as much as they would "in the real world". In other words, the aim of the trial was neither to stress- nor to beta-test MobiCon, but to replicate typical user behavior in a realistic environment; accordingly, participants were not forced to record, annotate, and upload as many videos as possible. During the trial period, we gathered data about the performance of the application and other context-related data, including user details, time and date; number of user interface (UI) selections made; session duration; type and number of metadata descriptions provided; and captured video duration, size, and upload bit rate. After the end of the trial period, users had to return the MCP and fill out an evaluation questionnaire.

The field trial results showed that MobiCon did overall meet all implementation objectives as specified in Section 3: users were able to capture video clips, annotate them with metadata, upload some of the clips to the video management server, and share clips with others. Both the application logs and the post-trial questionnaires indicated that MobiCon was relatively easy to use, even for inexperienced users. With regard to metadata annotation, most users agreed that an ontology-based term selection is a convenient way to add metadata to a clip, and it is preferred over free-text entries. Nevertheless, many users reported that the ontology tree structure and its size were far from ideal: some complained that

the ontology tree structure was "too large", and that most terms were of little or no use; others wished the tree included more terms.

Despite the fact that most of the Oulu metropolitan area is covered by a fast 3G/UMTS network, seven out of ten users complained that the network was "slow". Moreover, the field trial revealed other issues including a couple of bugs which led to application crashes, and the concerns raised by some of the less technologically savvy participants about the security-related questions frequently asked by the MCP operating systems. The latter was due to the fact that MobiCon was not a signed application at the time of the field trial; the former were fixed before the time of this writing.

By and large, the participants were very satisfied with MobiCon (as an MCP application) and are looking forward to using such a service when it becomes commercially available. Even so, the field trial participants suggested several improvements, which, along with our own experiences, guide the evolution to the next phase of development.

## 6. SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS AND NEW DIRECTIONS

Given the outcome of the field trial evaluation, we saw the imperative need to ease the annotation process by automation. One approach towards this problem would be to apply content analysis techniques on the video clips. Extracting highlevel annotations out of video content is already a challenging task in specialized domains with static and regular content such as sports or news [14, 15]. With home video clips shot with today's camera phones, however, the task is even more daunting: home video content is highly irregular and diverse reflecting the varying interests of people; the technical skills of home videographers are rather limited resulting in shaky and blurry content; the still limited resolutions of phone cameras as well as high compression losses contribute to the bad content quality.

These problems led us to the different and much simpler approach of inferring reasonable annotation suggestions out of the rich context data about the clip capture that is available on mobile phones, as recently also suggested by [16]. For example, suggestions about the time of day, month, and season can be easily derived out of the system time on the phone; information about location of a clip capture can be obtained from the current cell ID or – with more modern phones or a GPS receiver accessible via Bluetooth – even the GPS position; given the location, one may access the user's address book to find out whether the clip was captured at a known location; given the time, one can look up possibly documented events in a calendar; etc.

Following this idea, we created an annotation web service for the creation of context-based annotation suggestions [6] and integrated it into the Candela system as outlined by Figure 8. With the creation of this web service, we pursued several goals:

Firstly, an annotation web service was painless to integrate with the already existing MobiCon application. After video capture, MobiCon merely needs to create an HTTP request with the context data and add the returned suggestions to the list of annotation keywords.

The second goal is extensibility. As it is easy to come up with further ideas of how to generate reasonable suggestions out of context, we want to be able to flexibly integrate new annotation methods as they become available. Therefore, we implemented the annotation web service on top of a plug-n-play bus architecture, which facilitates rapid integration of new methods for the generation of annotation suggestions. In addition, a centralized web service eliminates the logistic problem of deploying new annotation methods on the mobile clients.

Thirdly, the generation of annotation suggestions on a server relieved us from concerns with regard to the computational complexity of the generation of annotation suggestions. The highly parallelized architecture of the annotation bus further contributes to that aspect: all annotation suggestions are generated in parallel threads minimizing response times for each request and maximizing server utilization.

Figure 8 illustrates overview to the bus architecture of the annotation web service with the different modules currently implemented for the generation of annotation suggestions based on initial annotation.

In addition to adding the context-aware annotation web service, we also improved manual annotation of video clips. Because of the user complaints in the field trial with regard to the suitability of the predefined domain ontology for annotation to their personal situation and interests, we re-designed the system such that every user – excluding some general concepts forming the upper level of the hierarchy – can modify the ontology concepts and structure. Users can thus optimize their ontologies to their individual annotation needs, such that they can reach the concepts important to them in few navigation steps and without having to scroll through many irrelevant concepts on a small phone display on the way.

The individual ontologies of users are managed by an ontology manager on the Candela server. When a user logins to MobiCon, the application receives the personal ontology of the user from the ontology manager in RDF format and caches it for successive use along with the user's other profile data in the phone memory.

We also have made other minor improvements to annotations. Now, MobiCon memorizes that last five keyword entries of the user and offers them for fast selection.

We believe that all these improvements will enhance the Mobicon user experience, making it easier, for the user, to annotate the videos with metadata. But we also see it is necessary to verify these improvements with a new field trial in a near future.

We have also further improvement ideas to the annotation process, which we are planning to integrate to MobiCon; for example, an even better metadata collection method suiting the nature of phone device could be audio annotation, so the user could add metadata descriptions to the videos just by speaking. Also typing metadata annotations, with nine-button keypad, could be made easier by using dictionary assisted predictions for typed words.

With regard to the sharing of clips, MobiCon's current functionality is still limited, allowing the sharing of clips only right after capture. We are currently investigating the integration of a user interface into MobiCon that allows users to share any clip existing in their collections. In addition, the possibility of using other network connections, besides mobile networks, will be studied. Moreover, the remarks about slow cellular upload links, especially over GPRS, and the potential of high transfer fees in a public 3G network, prompted us to consider adding a peer-to-peer delivery channel as well. For example, users could connect to fixed networks by using network technologies like Bluetooth and WLAN, which can already be found on new mobile devices or they could use Bluetooth to share videos with user nearby. This is expected to satisfy a number of users who would prefer to capture several videos, annotate them on the spot, but upload them later.



Figure 8: The Candela Annotation Web Service

## 7. RELATED WORK

Most of the existing mobile phone-based content management systems provide only capturing, annotating, and sharing of still photos, for example [4, 17]. Similar commercial applications as MobiCon exists such as Kodak Mobile (kodakmobile.com), Nokia's Movie Director (nokia.com), Nokia Album (nokia.com), and Nokia Lifeblog (nokia.com/lifeblog) and PhotoBlog (http://www.futurice.fi/PhotoBlog.html), but there is currently no similar mobile application that combines all video management features, i.e., video capturing, annotation using different context sources, sharing and storing videos for searching, into one [6, 13]. In general, existing commercial content sharing applications use different sharing methods such as MMS, email, blogs and even PC based tools for home personal video management [18].

Mobile video authoring applications exist for mobile phones without video sharing and DRM support, but they provide more advanced video editing tools in mobile device. For example, mProducer [19] provides video recording and editing in a mobile device, but it focuses on maximizing content capture space in a device and assisting the user in video editing, for example, by supporting shot detection and removing blurred frames. Video blogging using mobile devices is also becoming popular. FrameDrops [20] allows commenting captured video clips and provides video sharing via interactive web pages that align video clips over a map based on capture position. FrameDrops is targeted for work groups and online communities and they use Flash video format. MobiCon and Candela system targets personal video management by supporting video search in both mobile and desktop environments allowing sharing in different video formats.

Resent video annotation research is more focused on automatically summarizing video data from existing MPEG-7 video descriptions [21, 22] and enhancing the results using a query-based video personalization and summarization to show a shortened video summary of a large video content [23]. Also, some applications exist that automatically gather

video metadata from a specific type of video content, for example news broadcasts. IBM [23] has also developed system for creating personalized video content from video databases for PDA and PC users. We used similar technologies for example, MPEG-7 metadata files, but the main differences to MobiCon and video server are that we support DRM to control video redistribution, we only use high-level features (objects, person names, situation, address and town names) to annotate the video clips in MPEG-7 file and we need to transcode video clips for streaming both PC and mobile devices. We also did not implement shot boundary detection in MobiCon because mobile videos are short and they typically consist of a single shot. More about mobile video streaming can be found in [21].

A mobile network-based video sharing service is already commercially launching by mobile operators such as Telecom Italia Mobile and TLC in Hong Kong. In telecommunication networks, a video sharing service is based on IMS and it allows sharing real-time or pre-recorded video clips during normal voice calls using a separate data call. Both parties hear each other and watch the same video until they end the video sharing call [3]. MobiCon type of tools will benefit of IMS system, since IMS allows point-to-point access between mobile phones and it can replace SMS-based content delivery. MobiCon only uses a GPRS packet connection to transmit video data to video server and users are not point-to-point connected and sharing is not real-time. We expect that similar applications as MobiCon will be available also as IMS services managed by mobile operators.

Finally, other technologies such as sensors in mobile phone [19] and RFID tags and readers [24] will be available to provide alternative ways to users to access shared content.

#### 8. CONCLUDING REMARKS

This paper introduced a video management solution, which has at its core MobiCon, a mobile camera phone application. We illustrated a typical scenario involving a tourist creating short videos while on a sightseeing tour, laid out our original implementation objectives, described the overall system architecture, and detailed the main features of the application using Interface Flow Diagrams and application screenshots. After summarizing the results of the first MobiCon field trial, we presented a set of improvements to the original implementation of the application, and gave a short account of our latest development efforts. Finally, this paper compared MobiCon with other related research and development efforts and pointed out significant differences, stating possible future directions.

Although MobiCon has reached a certain level of maturity, there are many issues that still remain to be tackled. Certain security concerns regarding video clip access for invited receivers, along with improvements on the digital rights management component, top the list. Once these have been addressed, the next step should be to open up the video management server to a larger group of users and allow them to use it in combination with MobiCon. This will permit us to evaluate the complete service under a much larger and diverse set of configurations, which ideally should include users in other countries and, hopefully, in other continents as well. Porting MobiCon to more platforms is also in our current plans, as is pursuing business development opportunities for we seek closer cooperation with mobile network operators and startup video management service providers in order to create a commercially-available turnkey solution. To that end, we are exploring alternative user scenarios, which are not restricted to the home video market segment. Finally, depending on user interest, we are considering adding support for short-range, peer-to-peer communication using Bluetooth and WiFi.

On the research front, we are exploring how content analysis methods can be integrated with the annotation web service. Although the system architecture has been designed to be extensible from the ground up, it is still not meaningful to implement annotation suggestion modules based on content analysis methods, because the video would have first to be uploaded and analyzed by the server in order for the annotation web service to provide suggestions. The resulting delay in the annotation process may be prohibitive. Perhaps the solution can come from a distributed version of the annotation bus, which allows us to keep annotation suggestion modules on the MCP. This will also address some privacy concerns arising from the need to have certain personal context data, such as address book contacts and calendar entries, transferred over the cellular network to the web service.

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## **Plenaries**

## Image Processing: Interconnections



Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Recipient of the 2006 Electronic Imaging Scientist of the Year Award

We live in a complex world. To solve complex problems, we need to combine knowledge and technologies from diverse fields. Image processing often plays a key role in these interdisciplinary problems. In a narrow sense, image processing

comprises three areas: coding, enhancement/restoration/reconstruction, and analysis (mensuration/detection/recognition). These three areas are, of course, intimately related to each other. Many 2D images are perspective views of 3D objects and scenes. When we try to relate a 2D image to its originating 3D objects/scene, we enter the realm of computer vision. Computer vision techniques are increasingly being used in computer graphics and animation. One may take the position that in a broad sense, image processing subsumes computer vision and computer graphics. Finally, to solve many important problems, it may be advantageous, or necessary to use multimodal (especially, audio and visual) information. In this talk, we shall give two examples of interconnections. First: very low bitrate video coding using a 3D modelbased approach, which combines computer vision and computer graphics. Second: audio-visual speech recognition, which combines the audio and the visual modalities.

Biography: Thomas S. Huang received his BS from National Taiwan University, and SM and SC.D. from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, all in Electrical Engineering. He was on the Faculties of MIT and Purdue University before joining the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in 1980, where he is currently William L. Everitt Distinguished Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Professor of the Center for Advanced Study, Research Professor at Coordinated Science Laboratories, and Cochair of the Human Computer Intelligent Interaction major research theme at the Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology. Huang's research interests lie in the broad area of Information Technology, but especially Multidimensional and Multimodal Signal Processing, with applications to human computer interaction, and multimedia data indexing, retrieval, and mining. He has published 21 books and more than 600 journal and conference papers in 2D digital filtering, digital holography, image and video compression, multimodal human computer interfaces, and multimedia data retrieval. He is a member of the National Academy of Engineering, a Fellow of SPIE, OSA, IAPR, and IEEE; and has received numerous awards, including: IEEE Jack S. Kilby Signal Processing Medal (co-recipient with Arun Netravali), and the King-Sun Fu Prize of the Int'l. Association of Pattern Recognition.

# Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain Mapping and Molecular Imaging

Wednesday 18 January ...... 8:30 to 9:15 am



Richard M. Leahy, Univ. of Southern California

The combined revolutionary advances in recent years in molecular biology, imaging science and computing power make this a golden age for biomedical imaging. Central to modern biomedical imaging is the requirement for new computational imaging methods for noninvasive studies of human and animal anatomy and function. Computational tools are needed both for optimizing resolution and noise properties in

reconstructed images and for the interpretation and statistical analysis of these images across modalites, subjects, and populations. I will describe some recent work on image formation and analysis in functional brain mapping and molecular imaging, and attempt to highlight common themes and open research questions relevant to computational imaging.

*Biography:* Richard M. Leahy received the B.Sc. and Ph.D. degrees in Electrical Engineering from the University of Newcastle upon Tyne, England. In 1985 he joined the University of Southern California where he is a Professor of Electrical Engineering, Radiology and Biomedical Engineering and was Director of the Signal and Image Processing Institute from 1997 until 2003. He was General Chair of the 2004 IEEE International Symposium on Biomedical Imaging and is a Fellow of the IEEE. His research interests lie in the application of signal and image processing theory to anatomical and functional imaging with applications in neuroimaging, oncology, and gene expression. General Information

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Conference 6055A • Conv. Ctr. Room A8

Monday-Wednesday 16-18 January 2006 • Part of Proceedings of SPIE Vol. 6055 Stereoscopic Displays and Virtual Reality Systems XIII

## **Stereoscopic Displays and Applications XVII**

Conference Chairs: Andrew J. Woods, Ctr. for Marine Science and Technology/Curtin Univ. of Technology (Australia); Neil A. Dodgson, Univ. of Cambridge (United Kingdom); John O. Merritt, The Merritt Group

Program Committee: Gregg E. Favalora, Actuality Systems, Inc.; Nicolas S. Holliman, Univ. of Durham (United Kingdom); Janusz Konrad, Boston Univ.; Shojiro Nagata, InterVision (Japan); Steven L. Smith, Consultant; Vivian K. Walworth, Jasper Associates; Michael A. Weissman, Micro Vision Systems Inc.

Monday 16 January

### **SESSION 1**

Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Mon. 8:30 to 10:10 am

Entertainment, Visualization, and Training: Applications of Stereoscopy

Chair: Andrew J. Woods, Curtin Univ. of Technology (Australia)

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8:30 am: The use of stereoscopic visualization in chemistry and structural biology, M. Hušák, Institute of Chemical Technology Prague (Czech Republic)
8:50 am: Using stereoscopic real-time graphics to shorten training time for complex mechanical tasks, F. Tecchia, M. Carrozzino, F. Rossi, M. Bergamasco, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna (Italy); M. Vescovi, SIG Simonazzi (Italy)
9:10 am: <b>Stereoscopic display of 3D models for design visualization</b> , K. J. Gilson, Parsons Brinckerhoff
9:30 am: Stereoscopic image production: live, CGI, and integration, E. Criado, Enxebre Entertainment (Spain)
9:50 am: <b>Cosmic cookery: making a stereoscopic 3D animated movie,</b> N. S. Holliman, C. Baugh, C. Frenk, A. Jenkins, B. Froner, D. Hassaine, J. Helly, N. Metcalfe, T. Okamoto, Univ. of Durham (United Kingdom)
Coffee Break 10:10 to 10:40 am

### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Mon. 10:40 am to 12:00 pm

Medical Applications of Stereoscopy

Chair: Michael A. Weissman, Micro Vision Systems, Inc.

10:40 am: Evaluation of stereoscopic medical video content on an autostereoscopic display for undergraduate medical education, J. F. R. Ilgner, Univ. Hospital Aachen (Germany); T. Kawai, T. Shibata, T. Yamazoe, Waseda Univ. (Japan); M. Westhofen, Univ. Hospital Aachen (Germany)
11:00 am: Stereoscopic visualization and editing of automatic abdominal aortic aneurysms (AAA) measurements for stent graft planning, L. Zhou, Y. P. Wang, C. Goh, R. Kockro, L. Serra, Volume Interactions Pte. Ltd. (Singapore)
11:20 am: A hybrid virtual environment for training of radiotherapy treatment of cancer., R. Phillips, The Univ. of Hull (United Kingdom)
11:40 am: <b>Blur spot limitations in distal endoscope sensors</b> , A. Yaron, Visionsense Inc.; M. Shechterman, N. Horesh, U. Ronen, Visionsense Ltd. (Israel)
Lunch Break

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Mon. 1:30 to 3:10 pm

Perception and Performance: Stereoscopic Human Factors

Chair: John O. Merritt, The Merritt Group

#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Mon. 3:40 to 5:00 pm

Stereoscopic Projection and Stereoscopic Cinema Chair: Vivian K. Walworth, Jasper Associates

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SD&A Dinner ..... 7:30 pm to Late

A no-host informal dinner open to all SD&A attendees will be held at a local San Jose restaurant. Details will be available at the conference.

## **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

Marriott Ballroom 1-6

#### **Image Processing: Interconnections**

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Tues. 9:30 to 10:30 am

#### **Stereoscopic Image Processing**

Chair: Janusz Konrad, Boston Univ.

Braspenning, M. Op de Beeck, Philips Research Labs.		
(Netherlands)	[6055A-20]	
10:10 am: A fast image multiplexing method robust to viewe	er's	
position and lens misalignment in lenticular 3D displays, Y. Lee, J. B.		
Ra, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (Sout	h	
Korea)	[6055A-21]	
Coffee Break 10:30	to 11:00 am	

#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Tues. 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

#### Making Pictures: Stereoscopic Rendering

11:40 am: Distributed rendering for multiview pa	arallax displays, T.
Annen, Max-Planck-Institut für Informatik (German	y); W. Matusik, H.
Pfister, Mitsubishi Electric Research Labs.; H. Seic	lel, Max-Planck-Institut
für Informatik (Germany); M. Zwicker, Massachuse	tts Institute of
Technology	[6055A-24
Lunch/Exhibition Break	12:00 to 1:30 pm

#### **SESSION 7**

Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Tues. 1:30 to 3:10 pm

Autostereoscopic Displays I

Chair: Gregg E. Favalora, Actuality Systems, Inc.

 1:30 pm: On the number of viewing zones required for head-tracked autostereoscopic display, N. A. Dodgson, Univ. of Cambridge (United Kingdom)

 1:50 pm: Multiview LCD wall system, I. Relke, Opticality GmbH (Germany)

 (G055A-25]

 2:10 pm: Flatbed-type autostereoscopic display system and its image format for encoding, T. Saishu, S. Numazaki, K. Taira, R. Fukushima, A. Morishita, Y. Hirayama, Toshiba Corp. (Japan)

 (G055A-27]

 2:30 pm: Autostereoscopic 3D display, A. Schwerdtner, SeeReal Technologies GmbH (Germany)

 [6055A-28]

 2:50 pm: The HoloVizio system, T. Balogh, Holografika Kft. (Hungary)

 (G055A-29]

 Coffee Break
 3:10 to 3:40 pm

## **SESSION 8**

Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Tues. 3:40 to 5:20 pm

#### Autostereoscopic Displays II

Chair: Shojiro Nagata, InterVision (Japan)

 

 3:40 pm: Development of autostereoscopic display system for remote manipulation, T. Honda, Y. Kuboshima, K. Iwane, T. Shiina, Chiba Univ. (Japan)

 4:00 pm: Ray-space acquisition and reconstruction within cylindrical objective space, T. Yendo, T. Fujii, M. Tanimoto, Nagoya Univ. (Japan)

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 4:20 pm: 72-directional display having VGA resolution for highappearance image generation, Y. Takaki, T. Dairiki, Tokyo Univ. of Agriculture and Technology (Japan)

 4:40 pm: Combining volumetric edge display and multiview display for expression of natural 3D images, R. Yasui, I. Matsuda, H. Kakeya, Univ. of Tsukuba (Japan)

 5:00 pm: Adaptive parallax control for multiview stereo panoramas, C. Wang, A. A. Sawchuk, Univ. of Southern California

#### Posters and Demonstrations-Tuesday

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#### Demonstrations ..... 5:30 to 8:30 pm

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- ✓ A uniform metric for anaglyph calculation, Z. Zhang, D. F. McAllister, North Carolina State Univ. [6055A-51]

- ✓ New method of zoom-convergence interlocked control in the moving parallel-axes style stereoscopic camera, J. Lee, S. Nam, J. Lee, C. Park, S. Chung, Korean Broadcasting System (South Korea)

## Wednesday 18 January

Plenary Speaker ..... Wed. 8:30 to 9:15 am

Marriott Ballroom 1-6

Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain Mapping and Molecular Imaging

Richard Leahy, Univ. of Southern California

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#### SESSION 9

Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Wed. 9:30 to 10:30 am

#### Integral 3D Imaging

Chair: Shojiro Nagata, InterVision (Japan)

 10:10 am: Comparative study on 3D-2D convertible integral imaging systems, B. Lee, H. Choi, J. Kim, Y. Kim, Seoul National Univ. (South Korea)

 [6055A-37]

 Coffee Break
 10:30 to 11:00 am

## Discussion Forum: Stereoscopic Digital Cinema: The Way of the Future or a 9-Day Wonder?

Moderator: Charles Swartz, Entertainment Technology Ctr./Univ. of Southern California

Panel Members: Lenny Lipton, CTO, REAL D; Ray Zone, The 3-D Zone; John Rupkalvis, StereoScope International; Walter Husak, Dolby Labs Inc.; Neil Feldman, In-Three, Inc.

Lunch/Exhibition Break ..... 12:00 to 1:50 pm

### **SESSION 10**

Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Wed. 1:50 to 2:10 pm

#### Stereoscopic Software

Chair: Nicolas S. Holliman, Univ. of Durham (United Kingdom)

1:50 pm: Application of 3DHiVision: a system with a new 3D HD renderer, P. Sun, Sun Advanced Engineering, Inc. (Japan); S. Nagata,
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#### **SESSION 11**

Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Wed. 2:20 to 3:20 pm

#### **Keynote Presentation**

Chair: Andrew J. Woods, Curtin Univ. of Technology (Australia) Kevnote

3D animation in three dimensions: the rocky road to the obvious, Hugh Murray, IMAX Corp. (Canada) ..... [6055A-40] That animation created using CG modeling and animation tools is inherently three-dimensional is well known. In the middle to late nineties IMAX Corporation began actively exploring CG animated features as a possible source of economically viable content for its rapidly growing network of stereoscopic IMAX(r) 3D theatres. The journey from there to the spectacular success of the IMAX(r) 3D version of The Polar Express is an interesting mix of technical, creative and production challenges. For example 3D animations often have 2D elements and include many sequences that have framing, composition and lens choices that a stereographer would have avoided had 3D been part of the recipe at the outset. And of course the decision to ask for a second set of deliverables from an already stressed production takes nerve. The talk will cover several of these issues and explain why the unique viewing experience enabled by the wide-angle geometry of IMAX(r) 3D theatres makes it worth all the pain

*Biography:* **Hugh Murray** is Vice President, Technical Production at IMAX Corporation and for the past 10 years he has worked on most of IMAX Corporation's film productions as a technical expert, particularly in 3D and special effects. Hugh was the instigator and producer, with Steve Hoban, of the computer animated film Cyberworld 3D. Hugh led the team that identified the key technologies for the IMAX DMR(r) process and was IMAX(r) Producer on Apollo 13 (with Lorne Orleans), Star Wars Episode II: Attack of the Clones (with Lorne Orleans), Matrix Reloaded, Matrix Revolutions, and the IMAX(r) 3D version of The Polar Express. He was most recently an Executive Producer on Magnificent Desolation: Walking On The Moon 3D and is currently working on the 3D versions of two animated features for release in 2006.

Coffee Break ...... 3:20 to 3:50 pm

#### **SESSION 12**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A8 ..... Wed. 3:50 to 5:30 pm

Stereoscopic Developments

#### Chair: Steven L. Smith, Consultant

5:10 pm: A novel walk-through 3D display, S. DiVerdi, A. Olwal, I. K. Rakkolainen, T. Höllerer, Univ. of California/Santa Barbara .... [6055A-45]

# Conference 6055B • Conv. Ctr. Room B3

Thursday 19 January 2006 • Part of Proceedings of SPIE Vol. 6055 Stereoscopic Displays and Virtual Reality Systems XIII

# The Engineering Reality of Virtual Reality 2006

Conference Chairs: Mark T. Bolas, Univ. of Southern California; Ian E. McDowall, Fakespace Labs., Inc.

Program Committee: Nick England, 3rdTech, Inc.; Guillaume Moreau, CNRS Aeronmie (France); Shojiro Nagata, InterVision (Japan); Daniel J. Sandin, Univ. of Illinois/Chicago; Andreas Simon, Fraunhofer Institute for Media Communication (Germany); Henry A. Sowizral, Sun Microsystems, Inc.

#### **Thursday 19 January**

#### **SESSION 13**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Thurs. 8:30 to 9:50 am

#### **Procedures**

#### Chair: Ian E. McDowall, Fakespace Labs., Inc.

#### SESSION 14

Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Thurs. 10:20 to 11:40 am

#### Applications

Chair: Ian E. McDowall, Fakespace Labs., Inc.

 

 10:20 am: Examination of corner vane estrangement evaluation method for a circular tunnel, H. Yokoyama, O. Fujishima, Hitachi, Ltd. (Japan)
 [6055B-67]

 10:40 am: Virtual technical support for field engineers in the water and ventilation hygiene industry, I. A. Nicholas, Cardiff Univ. (United Kingdom); D. Kim, Aqua Marc Ltd. (United Kingdom)
 [6055B-68]

 11:00 am: Virtual reality in construction industry: a requirement

#### **SESSION 15**

Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Thurs. 1:10 to 2:30 pm The Medium

### Chair: Mark T. Bolas, Fakespace Labs., Inc.

#### **SESSION 16**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Thurs. 2:30 to 4:40 pm

Viewpoints

Chair: Mark T. Bolas, Fakespace Labs., Inc.

2:30 pm; Teleoperation interface for mobile robot with perspectivetransformed virtual 3D screen on PC display, T. Kimura, H. Kakeya, 2:50 pm: An orientation sensing interface for portable situation awareness displays, J. Bleecker, Univ. of Southern California [6055B-76] Coffee Break ..... 3:10 to 3:40 pm 3:40 pm: An interactive camera placement and visibility simulator for image-based VR applications, A. State, G. Welch, A. Ilie, The Univ. of 4:00 pm: Overview of virtual camera mechanisms for collaborative virtual environments: an application to the VRIMOR project, E. E. Alvarez, A. A. De Antonio, Univ. Politécnica de Madrid (Spain) [6055B-78] 4:20 pm: Synthecology: 'sound' use of audio in teleimmersion, G. A. Baum, SUNY/Univ. at Buffalo; M. Gotsis, Univ. of Southern California; B. Chang, R. Drinkwater, D. St. Clair, Art Institute of Chicago .... [6055B-79]

Panel Discussion ...... 4:40 to 5:40 pm

Conference 6056 • Conv. Ctr. Room C1

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# **Three-Dimensional Image Capture and Applications VI**

Conference Chairs: Brian D. Corner, U.S. Army Natick Soldier Ctr.; Peng Li, GEO-Centers, Inc.; Matthew Tocheri, Arizona State Univ.

#### Monday 16 January

SESSION 1

Conv. Ctr. Room C1 ..... Mon. 8:40 to 10:00 am

3D Scanning Hardware

Chair: Brian D. Corner, U.S. Army Natick Soldier Ctr.

8:40 am: A novel design of grating projecting system for 3D reconstruction of wafer bumps, Y. Shu, Xi'an Jiaotong Univ. (China); R. C. Chung, J. Cheng, The Chinese Univ. of Hong Kong (Hong Kong China); E. Y. Lam, The Univ. of Hong Kong (Hong Kong China); K. S. M. Fung, F. Wang, ASM Assembly Automation Ltd. (Hong Kong China) ......[6056-01]

9:20 am: **High-speed and high-sensitive demodulation pixel for 3D imaging**, B. Büttgen, T. Oggier, Ctr. Suisse d'Electronique et de Microtechnique SA (Switzerland); P. Seitz, Swissnex; F. Lustenberger, Ctr. Suisse d'Electronique et de Microtechnique SA (Switzerland) ... [6056-03]

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room C1 ..... Mon. 10:30 am to 12:00 pm

3D Object Capture from Static Scans and Video I

Chair: Brian D. Corner, U.S. Army Natick Soldier Ctr.
10:30 am: Overview of 3D surface digitization technologies in Europe ( <i>Invited Paper</i> ), N. D'Apuzzo, Homometrica Consulting (Switzerland)
11:00 am: Automatic 3D real world surface texture mapping using perspective projection methods, C. Shih, MingDao Univ. (Taiwan)
11:20 am: <b>Virtual confocal macroscopy,</b> P. M. Hanna, U.S. Air Force; B. D. Rigling, Wright State Univ
11:40 am: A robust algorithm for estimation of depth map for 3D shape recovery, A. Malik, T. Choi, Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology (South Korea)
Lunch Break

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room C1 ..... Mon. 1:30 to 5:00 pm 3D Object Capture from Static Scans and Video II

Chair: Peng Li, GEO-Centers, Inc.

1:30 pm: Formation of stereoscopic image pairs from a sequence of frames, M. A. Wessels, Dimensional Imaging, LLC
1:50 pm: <b>3D model generation using unconstrained motion of a hand- held video camera,</b> C. Baker, C. H. Debrunner, M. Whitehorn, PercepTek, Inc
2:10 pm: <b>3D from arbitrary 2D video</b> , I. A. Ideses, L. P. Yaroslavsky, Tel- Aviv Univ. (Israel)
2:30 pm: Nonintrusive viewpoint tracking for 3D for perception in smart video conference, X. Desurmont, I. Ponte, J. Meessen, J. Delaigle, Multitel A.S.B.L. (Belgium)
2:50 pm: Internal shape-deformation invariant 3D surface matching using 2D principal component analysis, M. Celenk, I. Al-Jarrah, Ohio Univ
Coffee Break 3:10 to 3:40 pm
3:40 pm: Digital Hammurabi: design and development of a 3D scanner for cuneiform tablets, D. V. Hahn, D. Duncan, K. Baldwin, J. Cohen, B. Purnomo, Johns Hopkins Univ
4:00 pm: Three-dimensional surface reconstruction for evaluation of the abrasion effects on textile fabrics, A. O. Mendes, P. T. Fiadeiro, R. A. Miguel, Univ. da Beira Interior (Portugal)
4:20 pm: <b>3D environment capture from monocular video and inertial</b> data, R. Clark, M. Lin, C. J. Taylor, Acuity Technology
4:40 pm: The effects of different shape-based metrics on identification of military targets from 3D ladar data, G. J. Meyer, J. Weber, Air Force Research Lab

#### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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Image Processing: Interconnections

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign See p. 7 for details.

#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room C1 ..... Tues. 9:30 am to 12:10 pm

3D Scans of the Human I

Chair: Matthew Tocheri, Arizona State Univ.
9:30 am: Digital 3D reconstruction of George Washington (Invited Paper), A. Razdan, Arizona State Univ.
10:00 am: The study of craniofacial growth patterns using 3D laser scanning and geometric morphometrics, M. Friess, Anthrotech
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Coffee Break

# Conference 6056 • Conv. Ctr. Room C1

 10:50 am: A three-dimensional analysis of the geometry and curvature of the proximal tibial articular surface of hominoids, E. K. Landis, P. A. Karnick, Arizona State Univ.
 [6056-21]

 11:10 am: New approach in curve matching technique and its implications on human evolution research, H. Vahdati, P. A. Karnick, Arizona State Univ.
 [6056-22]

 11:30 am: Point cloud-based 3D head model classification using optimized EGI, X. Tong, H. Wong, B. Ma, City Univ. of Hong Kong (Hong Kong China)
 [6056-23]

 11:50 am: 3D face structure extraction using shape matching morphing model, F. Xue, X. Ding, Tsinghua Univ. (China)
 [6056-24]

 Lunch/Exhibition Break
 12:10 to 1:40 pm

#### **SESSION 5**

### Conv. Ctr. Room C1 ..... Tues. 1:40 to 2:40 pm

3D Scans of the Human II

Chair: Brian D. Corner, U.S. Army Natick Soldier Ctr.

Chaudhari, T. P. Andriacchi, Stanford Univ.; A. Sundaresan, R. Chellappa, Univ. of Maryland/College Park

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- Development of measurement system of three-dimensional shape and surface reflectance, T. Miyasaka, K. Araki, Chukyo Univ. (Japan)
- Volume intersection with imprecise camera parameters, S. Sakamoto, K. Shoji, H. Iwase, F. Toyama, J. Miyamichi, Utsunomiya Univ. (Japan)
- ✓ Development of ultrathin three-dimensional image capturing system, K. Yamada, H. Mitsui, T. Asano, Hiroshima Institute of Technology (Japan); H. Takahashi, Osaka City Univ. (Japan); J. Tanida, Osaka Univ. (Japan)

- Estimation of object motion with known structure in moving camera, H. J. Kwon, N. Hur, S. Lee, Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute (South Korea) ......[6056-35]
- ✓ 3D urban scene reconstruction from high-resolution IKONOS stereo images, M. Fedi, T. Riadh, B. Ziad, SUPCOM (Tunisia) . . . . . [6056-37]

# Conference 6057 • Conv. Ctr. Room A3

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# Human Vision and Electronic Imaging XI

Conference Chairs: Bernice E. Rogowitz, IBM Thomas J. Watson Research Ctr.; Thrasyvoulos N. Pappas, Northwestern Univ.; Scott J. Daly, Sharp Labs. of America, Inc.

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Note: Please see room sign for papers added after program was printed.

#### Monday 16 January

#### SESSION 1

Conv. Ctr. Room A3 ..... Mon. 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Keynote Session 10:00 am: Computational Neuroimaging: maps and Tracks in the Human Brain, B. Wandell, Stanford University

11:00 am: Learning where to look, Mary Hayhoe, University of Rochester

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room A3 ..... Mon. 1:30 to 3:30 pm

#### Mechanisms of Luminance, Color, and Temporal Sensitivity

1:30 pm: Local luminance effect on spatial summation in the foveal vision and its implication on image artifact classification, C. Chen, S. Y. Lin, H. G. Han, National Taiwan Univ. (Taiwan)
1:50 pm: <b>Evaluating contrast sensitivity</b> , S. Kitagura, L. W. MacDonald, London College of Communication (United Kingdom)
2:10 pm: Spatio-velocity CSF as a function of retinal velocity using unstabilized stimuli, J. L. Laird, M. R. Rosen, J. B. Pelz, E. D. Montag, Rochester Institute of Technology; S. J. Daly, Sharp Labs. of America, Inc
2:30 pm: A basis for cones, B. V. Funt, W. Xiong, Simon Fraser Univ. (Canada)
2:50 pm: High-dynamic range scene compression in humans, J. J. McCann, McCann Imaging
3:10 pm: Computational model of lightness perception in HDR imaging, G. Krawczyk, K. Myszkowski, H. Seidel, Max-Planck-Institut für Informatik (Germany)
Coffee Break 3:30 to 4:00 pm

#### **SESSION 3**

Monday evening, 16 January, 7:30 to 10:30 pm. The banquet will take place in a local restaurant or wine cellar. For tickets and more information, please visit the Electronic Imaging Registration Desk.

Banquet Speaker: Jack Tumblin, Northwestern Univ.

Rethinking Photography: Digital Devices to Capture Appearance

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#### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

Marriott Ballroom 1-6

#### Image Processing: Interconnections

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room A3 ..... Tues. 9:30 am to 12:00 pm

#### Perceptual Image Quality and Applications

9:30 am: Effects of spatial correlations and global precedence on the visual fidelity of distorted images, D. M. Chandler, K. H. S. Lim, S. S. Hemami, Cornell Univ
9:50 am: Pseudo no reference image quality metric using perceptual data hiding, A. Ninassi, P. Le Callet, F. Autrusseau, Univ. de Nantes (France)
10:10 am: Attention-based color correction, F. W. M. Stentiford, Univ. College London (United Kingdom)
Coffee Break 10:30 to 11:00 am
11:00 am: Contrast enhancement of medical images using multiscale decomposition, M. A. Trifas, J. M. Tyler, O. S. Pianykh, Louisiana State Univ
11:20 am: Human visual alpha stable models for digital halftoning, A. J. González, J. Bacca Rodríguez, G. R. Arce, Univ. of Delaware; D. L. Lau, Univ. of Kentucky
11:40 am: Study of asthenopia caused by the viewing of stereoscopic images, H. Hagura, Tokyo Institute of Technology (Japan)[6057-12]
Lunch Break 12:00 to 1:30 pm

#### **SESSION 5**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A3 ..... Tues. 1:30 to 2:50 pm

Visually Tuned Algorithms for the Design and Analysis of Flat-Panel Displays

displays, F. Lebowsky, Y. Huang, H. Wang, STMicroelectronics (France)
1:50 pm: LCD motion-blur analysis, perception, and reduction using synchronized backlight flashing, X. Feng, Sharp Labs. of America, Inc
2:10 pm: Human vision-based algorithm to hide defective pixels in LCDs, T. R. Kimpe, S. Coulier, Barco N.V. (Belgium)
2:30 pm: Using optimal rendering to visually mask defective subpixels, D. S. Messing, L. J. Kerofsky, Sharp Labs. of America, Inc
Coffee Break 2:50 to 3:20 pm

#### SESSION 6

Conv. Ctr. Room A3 ..... Tues. 3:20 to 5:40 pm

Perceptual Issues in Video Quality 3:20 pm: Perceptual study of the impact of varying frame rate on motion imagery interpretability quality, C. P. Fenimore, National Institute of Standards and Technology; J. M. Irvine, Science Applications International Corp.; D. Cannon, National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency; J. W. Roberts, I. Aviles, National Institute of Standards and Technology; S. A. Israel, Science Applications International Corp.; M. Brennan, The Boeing Co.; L. Simon, J. R. Miller, D. S. Haverkamp, Science Applications International Corp.; P. F. Tighe, M. Gross, Booz Allen Hamilton 3:40 pm: Color preference and perceived color naturalness of digital videos, C. C. Koh, J. M. Foley, S. K. Mitra, Univ. of California/Santa 4:00 pm: Stabilizing viewing distances in subjective assessments of mobile video, M. D. Brotherton, British Telecommunications plc (United Kingdom); K. Brunnström, Acreo AB (Sweden); D. Hands, British 4:20 pm: Predicting subjective video quality from separated spatial

and temporal assessment, R. R. Pastrana-Vidal, J. Gicquel, J. Blin, France Telecom R&D (France); H. Cherifi, Univ. de Bourgogne (France) [6057-20]

#### Posters and Demonstrations-Tuesday

Demonstrations ...... 5:30 to 8:30 pm

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Psychophysical measurement for perceptual image brightness enhancement based on image classification, I. Kim, W. Choe, S. Lee, SAMSUNG Advanced Institute of Technology (South Korea) . [6057-34]

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Wednesday 18 January

Plenary Speaker ...... Wed. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain Mapping and Molecular Imaging

Richard Leahy, Univ. of Southern California

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#### **SESSION 7**

Conv. Ctr. Room A3 ..... Wed. 9:30 am to 12:00 pm

#### Perceptual Approaches to Image Analysis

9:30 am: A closer look at texture metrics, H. H. Shenas, V. Interrante, 9:50 am: M-HinTS: mimicking humans in texture sorting, E. L. van den Broek, Vrije Univ. Amsterdam (Netherlands); T. Kok, T. E. Schouten, Radboud Univ. Nijmegen (Netherlands); E. M. van Rikxoort, Univ. Medisch 10:10 am: Inference and segmentation in cortical processing, Y. Liu, G. A. Cecchi, A. R. Rao, J. Kozloski, C. Peck, IBM Thomas J. Watson Coffee Break ..... 10:30 to 11:00 am 11:00 am: Subjective segmentation evaluation methods: a survey, E. Drelie Gelasca, T. Ebrahimi, École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne 11:20 am: Perceptually based techniques for semantic image classification and retrieval, D. Depalov, T. N. Pappas, Northwestern 11:40 am: Is Wölfflin's system for characterizing art possible to validate by methods used in cognitive-based image-retrieval (CBIR)?, G. A. M. Derefeldt, S. Nyberg, J. Alfredson, H. U. Allberg, Swedish Defence Lunch/Exhibition Break ..... 12:00 to 1:40 pm

#### **SESSION 8**

Conv. Ctr. Room A3 ..... Wed. 1:40 to 2:40 pm

#### Detection, Recognition, and Navigation in Complex Environments

#### **Natural Image Statistics**

Conv. Ctr. Room A3 ..... Wed. 2:40 to 4:30 pm

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# Color Imaging XI: Processing, Hardcopy, and Applications

Conference Chairs: Reiner Eschbach, Xerox Corp.; Gabriel G. Marcu, Apple Computer, Inc.

Program Committee: A. Ufuk Agar, Garanti Technology (Turkey); Jan P. Allebach, Purdue Univ.; Jan Bares, NexPress Solutions, LLC; Phil J. Green, London College of Communication (United Kingdom); Roger David Hersch, École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (Switzerland); Patrick G. Herzog, GretagMachbeth (Germany); Choon-Woo Kim, Inha Univ. (South Korea); Michael A. Kriss, Consultant; Shaun T. Love, Lexmark International, Inc.; Alessandro Rizzi, Univ. Degli Studi di Milano (Italy); Shoji Tominaga, Osaka Electro-Communication Univ. (Japan); Chris Tuijn, Agfa-Gevaert NV (Belgium)

**Tuesday 17 January** 

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

Marriott Ballroom 1-6

Image Processing: Interconnections

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign See p. 7 for details.

#### **SESSION 1**

Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Tues. 3:30 to 6:00 pm

Color and Color Transforms Chair: Reiner Eschbach, Xerox Corp.

4:40 pm: Spring-primary mapping: a fast color mapping method for primary adjustment and gamut mapping, H. Zeng, Hewlett-Packard

E. Schuberth, ETH Zürich (Switzerland); K. Simon, EMPA (Switzerland); D. Zeiter, ETH Zürich (Switzerland); P. Zolliker, EMPA (Switzerland) . [6058-05]

5:40 pm: Gamut estimation using 2D surface splines, M. Q. Shaw,

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- ✓ Digital watermarking of color image, S. C. Chao, Ta Hwa Institute of Technology (Taiwan); H. M. Huang, Tung Nan Institute of Technology (Taiwan); C. Y. Chen, Institute of Nuclear Energy Research (Taiwan)
- Subjective assessment of printed color image quality as saturation of the primary colors RGB decreases, W. Song, H. Seki, Naltec Inc. (Japan); G. Ohashi, Y. Shimodaira, Shizuoka Univ. (Japan) . . . [6058-45]

#### Wednesday 18 January

Plenary Speaker ..... Wed. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain Mapping and Molecular Imaging

Richard Leahy, Univ. of Southern California See p. 7 for details.

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Wed. 9:30 to 10:20 am

**Color Adjustment** 

Chair: Phil J. Green, London College of Communication (United Kingdom)

 9:30 am: Uncalibrated color (Invited Paper), N. Moroney, Hewlett-Packard Co.
 [6058-08]

 10:00 am: Geometrical methods for lightness adjustment in YCC color spaces, R. Samadani, G. Li, Hewlett-Packard Labs.
 [6058-09]

 Coffee Break
 10:20 to 10:50 am

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#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Wed. 10:50 am to 12:10 pm

**Digital Photography and Applications** 

#### Chair: Michael A. Kriss, Consultant

10:50 am: Measuring gloss by digital photography, P. Kumar, L. W. MacDonald, London College of Communication (United 

11:10 am: Ubiquitous image processing: a novel image-enhancement

facility for consumers, R. Shaw, P. Johnson, White Rose Digital [6058-11]

11:30 am: Color constancy on Japanese animation, Y. G. Ichihara,

Hosen-Gakuen College (Japan) ......[6058-12] 11:50 am: Convincing non-printers to become future customers, R.

Fageth, W. Schmidt-Sacht, CeWe Color AG & Co. OHG 

Lunch/Exhibition Break ..... 12:10 to 1:30 pm

#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Wed. 1:30 to 3:00 pm

#### Displays I

Chair: Choon-Woo Kim, Inha Univ. (South Korea)

1:30 pm: <b>DTV color and image processing: past, present, and future</b> ( <i>Invited Paper</i> ), C. Kim, SAMSUNG Advanced Institute of Technology (South Korea)
2:00 pm: Subpixel rendering method for color error minimization on subpixel structured display, W. Choe, S. Lee, C. Kim, SAMSUNG Advanced Institute of Technology (South Korea)
2:20 pm: Compensation method for color defects in PDP due to different time responses of phosphors, H. Oh, H. Lee, D. Park, S. Kim, C. Kim, SAMSUNG Advanced Institute of Technology (South Korea)
2:40 pm: <b>Six-primary-color LCD monitor using six-color LEDs with an</b> accurate calibration system, H. Sugiura, H. Kaneko, S. Kagawa, J. Someya, H. Tanizoe, Mitsubishi Electric Corp. (Japan)
Coffee Break

#### **SESSION 5**

### Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Wed. 3:30 to 5:30 pm

**Displays II** 

Chair: Gabriel G. Marcu, Apple Computer, Inc.

3:30 pm: A color control method for image output with projection displays, S. Tominaga, K. Kumamoto, Osaka Electro-Communication Univ. (Japan)
3:50 pm: Illuminant-adaptive color reproduction for a mobile display, J. M. Kim, K. Park, M. Lee, Y. Cho, Y. Ha, Kyungpook National Univ. (South Korea)
4:10 pm: Skin color reproduction algorithm for portrait images shown on the mobile display, Y. Kwak, S. Lee, D. Park, C. Kim, SAMSUNG Advanced Institute of Technology (South Korea)
4:30 pm: Estimating displays' color fidelity based on classified image statistics, P. Sun, C. Lee, Shih Hsin Univ. (Taiwan)
4:50 pm: End-user display calibration via support vector regression, B. Bastani, Hewlett-Packard Co.; B. V. Funt, W. Xiong, Simon Fraser Univ. (Canada)
5:10 pm: The calibration accuracy of display white point by visual

calibrator under various illuminations, T. Sugiyama, Y. Kudo, Dai Nippon 

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#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Thurs. 8:40 to 10:00 am

#### Printing

#### Chair: A. Ufuk Agar, Garanti Technology (Turkey)

B:40 am: <b>Black extraction method using gamut boundary descriptors,</b> M. Cho, B. Kang, H. Choh, SAMSUNG Advanced Institute of Technology South Korea)
9:00 am: Colorimetric characterization based on color correlation in CMYKGO printer, I. Jang, C. Son, T. Park, K. Ko, Y. Ha, Kyungpook National Univ. (South Korea)
0:20 am: <b>Hardcopy global color correction,</b> Y. Bang, Y. Kim, H. Choh, Samsung Advanced Institute of Technology (South Korea)[6058-26]
9:40 am: Efficient document rendering with enhanced run length encoding, G. Feng, Ricoh Innovations, Inc.; C. A. Bouman, Purdue Jniv
Coffee Break 10:00 to 10:30 am

#### **SESSION 7**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Thurs. 10:30 to 11:50 am Halftoning I

Chair: Jan P. Allebach, Purdue Univ.

10:30 am: Model-based clustered-dot screening, S. H. Kim, SAMSUNG Electronics Co., Ltd. (South Korea)
10:50 am: AM-FM hybrid color screen design to reduce brightness variation, B. M. Kang, B. T. Ryu, C. Kim, Inha Univ. (South Korea); S. H. Kim, SAMSUNG Electronics Co., Ltd. (South Korea)
11:10 am: Frequency domain design of cluster dot screens, M. Fischer, D. Shaked, Hewlett-Packard Labs. (Israel)
11:30 am: A spatial domain optimization method to generate plan- dependent masks, Y. Wu, Hewlett-Packard Co
Lunch Break

#### **SESSION 8**

### Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Thurs. 1:30 to 3:30 pm

#### Halftoning II Chair: Reiner Eschbach, Xerox Corp.

1:30 pm: Using errors in halftoning to increase reproduction accuracy, S. Herron, Global Graphics Software Inc
1:50 pm: Analysis of misregistration-induced color shifts in the superposition of periodic screens, B. Oztan, G. Sharma, Univ. of Rochester; R. P. Loce, Xerox Corp
2:10 pm: Analysis of color error diffusion with vector error filters, Z. Z. Fan, Xerox Corp
2:30 pm: New halftoning method combining the best of masking and error diffusion algorithms, F. Cittadini, Océ Print Logic Technologies (France) and Univ. Pierre et Marie Curie (France); J. Pervillé, S. Berche, Océ Print Logic Technologies (France); M. Ben Chouikha, G. Alquié, Univ. Pierre et Marie Curie (France)
2:50 pm: Graph order dither, A. Hausner, Univ. of New Hampshire
3:10 pm: <b>Optimal halftoning over hexagonal grids,</b> J. Bacca Rodriguez, A. J. Gonzalez Lozano, G. R. Arce, Univ. of Delaware; D. L. Lau, Univ. of Kentucky

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# Image Quality and System Performance III

Conference Chairs: Luke C. Cui, Lexmark International, Inc.; Yoichi Miyake, Chiba Univ. (Japan)

Program Committee: Peter D. Burns, Eastman Kodak Co.; Mark D. Fairchild, Rochester Institute of Technology; Susan Farnand, Eastman Kodak Co.; Frans Gaykema, OCE Technologies BV (Netherlands); Dirk W. Hertel, Polaroid Corp.; Robin B. Jenkin, Cranfield Univ. (United Kingdom); Nathan Moroney, Hewlett-Packard Co.; Rene Rasmussen, Xerox Corp.; Eric K. Zeise, NexPress Solutions, Inc.

### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

Marriott Ballroom 1-6

#### **Image Processing: Interconnections**

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign See p. 7 for details.

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- Image quality assessment based on textual structure and noise normalization, C. Zhang, Z. Qiu, Beijing Jiaotong Univ. (China)[6059-36]

#### Wednesday 18 January

Plenary Speaker ..... Wed. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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#### **SESSION 1**

Marriott San Carlos Room ..... Wed. 9:30 to 10:10 am

#### Image Quality Understanding

Chair: Luke C. Cui, Lexmark International, Inc.

#### **SESSION 2**

#### Marriott San Carlos Room ... Wed. 10:40 am to 12:00 pm

**Perceptual Attributes and Psychometrics** 

Chair: Nathan Moroney, Hewlett-Packard Co.

10:40 am: The effect of image sharpness on quantitative eye- movement data and on image quality evaluation while viewing natural images, T. Vuori, M. Olkkonen, Nokia Corp. (Finland)	
11:00 am: Assessing the enhancement of image sharpness, S. Bouzit, Univ. of St. Andrews (United Kingdom); L. W. MacDonald, London College of Communication (United Kingdom)	
11:20 am: Reference-free quality metric using a region-based attention model for JPEG2000 compressed images, R. Barland, A. Saadane, Univ. de Nantes (France)	
11:40 am: Comparison of various subjective video quality assessment methods, C. Lee, H. Choi, E. Lee, S. Lee, J. Choe, Yonsei Univ. (South Korea)	
Lunch/Exhibition Break 12:00 to 1:20 pm	

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#### **SESSION 3**

#### Marriott San Carlos Room ..... Wed. 1:20 to 2:20 pm

Perceptual Image Quality Modeling

Chair: Susan Farnand, Eastman Kodak Co.

1:20 pm: Selecting significant colors from a complex image for image quality modeling, K. J. Leeming, P. J. Green, London College of 

1:40 pm: Comparison of three full-reference color image quality

2:00 pm: Influence of ambient illumination on adapted and optimal

white point, I. Vogels, J. Berentsen, Philips Research Labs. 

Session Break ..... 2:20 to 2:30 pm

#### SESSION 4

Marriott San Carlos Room ...... Wed. 2:30 to 3:30 pm

**Objective Attributes Characterization I** 

Chair: Rene S. Rasmussen, Xerox Corp

2:30 pm: Characterization of digital image noise properties based on RAW data, H. H. Hytti, Tampereen Teknillinen Yliopisto (Finland) [6059-10] 3:00 pm: An evaluation of sharpness in different image displays used for medical imaging, M. Ukishima, T. Nakaguchi, Chiba Univ. (Japan); K. Kato, Canon Inc. (Japan); Y. Fukuchi, Chiba Univ. Hospital (Japan); N. Tsumura, Chiba Univ. (Japan); K. Matsumoto, Canon, Inc.; N. Yanagawa, H. Morita, Chiba Univ. Hospital (Japan); Y. Miyake, Chiba Univ. Coffee Break ...... 3:30 to 4:00 pm

#### **SESSION 5**

Marriott San Carlos Room ...... Wed. 4:00 to 5:20 pm

**Objective Attributes Characterization II** 

Chair: Peter D. Burns, Eastman Kodak Co.

4:00 pm: Characterization of printer MTF, W. Jang, Hewlett-Packard Co.; 

4:20 pm: PSF estimation by gradient descent fit to the ESF, E. H. 

4:40 pm: Printer banding estimation using the generalized spectrum, N. A. Rawashdeh, I. Shin, K. D. Donohue, Univ. of Kentucky; S. T. Love, 

5:00 pm: Scanner-based macroscopic color variation estimation, C. 

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#### **SESSION 6**

Marriott San Carlos Room ..... Thurs. 8:20 to 10:00 am

#### Standardization I: Progess

Chair: Eric K. Zeise, NexPress Solutions, Inc.

8:20 am: Viewing conditions, colorimetric measurements, and profile making: the conundrum of standards vs. practical realities, D. Q. 8:40 am: Progress in digital color workflow understanding in the ICC workflow WG, A. L. McCarthy, Lexmark International, Inc. and 9:00 am: Recent progress in the development of ISO 19751, S. Farnand, Eastman Kodak Co.; E. N. Dalal, Xerox Corp.; Y. S. Ng, NexPress  9:40 am: ISO 19751 macro-uniformity, R. S. Rasmussen, Xerox Corp.; K. D. Donohue, Univ. of Kentucky; Y. S. Ng, NexPress Solutions, Inc.; W. C. Kress, Toshiba America DSE; S. Zoltner, Xerox Corp.; F. Gaykema, OCE 

#### SESSION 7

Marriott San Carlos Room ..... Thurs. 10:30 to 11:30 am Standardization II: Breakthroughs

Chair: Robin B. Jenkin, Cranfield Univ. (United Kingdom) 10:30 am: Edge-raggedness evaluation using slanted-edge analysis, P. 11:00 am: Statistical interpretation of ISO TC42 dynamic range: risky business, D. R. Williams, P. D. Burns, Eastman Kodak Co. ..... [6059-22] Lunch Break ...... 11:30 am to 1:10 pm

#### **SESSION 8**

Marriott San Carlos Room ..... Thurs. 1:10 to 2:10 pm

System Image Quality Characterization and Modeling I Chair: Dirk W. Hertel, Consultant

1:10 pm: The influence of statistical variations on image quality, B. O. Hultgren, D. W. Hertel, Consultant; J. Bullitt, Polaroid Corp. .... [6059-25] 1:30 pm: The use of a virtual printer model for the simulation of 1:50 pm: Improved pen alignment for bidirectional printing, E. Bernal, J. Session Break ...... 2:10 to 2:20 pm

#### **SESSION 9**

Marriott San Carlos Room ..... Thurs. 2:20 to 3:30 pm

System Image Quality Characterization and Modeling II Chair: Frans Gaykema, OCE Technologies BV (Netherlands)

2:20 pm: Further image quality assessment in digital film restoration, M. Chambah, Univ. de Reims Champagne-Ardenne (France); C. Saint Jean, Univ. de La Rochelle (France); F. Helt, Independent Consultant 2:50 pm: Development of picture quality monitoring system for IPTV service based on the reduced reference framework, O. Sugimoto, R. 3:10 pm: An image quality evaluation method for DOE-based camera lenses, S. Lee, Y. Jin, H. Jeong, Samsung Electro-Mechanics Co., Ltd. Coffee Break ...... 3:30 to 4:00 pm

#### SESSION 10

Marriott San Carlos Room ...... Thurs. 4:00 to 5:20 pm

Image Defects Characterization and Modeling

Chair: Yoichi Miyake, Chiba Univ. (Japan)

e, NexPress Solutions, Inc.	4:00 pm: Visibility and annoyance of LCD defective subpixels of	
olorimetric measurements, and profile Idards vs. practical realities, D. Q.	different colors and surrounds at different positions, H. Ho, J. M. Fo S. K. Mitra, Univ. of California/Santa Barbara	oley, )-32]
	4:20 pm: Robust detection of defects in imaging arrays, J. Dudas, C	). G.
or workflow understanding in the ICC exmark International, Inc. and	Jung, G. H. Chapman, Simon Fraser Univ. (Canada); Z. Koren, I. Koren, Univ. of Massachusetts/Amherst	-33]
	4:40 pm: Objective video quality assessment method for freeze	
e development of ISO 19751, S. Farnand, Xerox Corp.; Y. S. Ng, NexPress	distortion based on freeze aggregation, K. Watanabe, J. Okamoto, T. Kurita, NTT Service Integration Labs. (Japan)	
[6059-19]	5:00 pm: Film grain synthesis and its applications for re-graining, P. Schallauer, R. Mörzinger, JOANNEUM RESEARCH GmbH (Austria)	
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# Visualization and Data Analysis 2006

Conference Chairs: Robert F. Erbacher, Utah State Univ.; Jonathan C. Roberts, Univ. of Kent (United Kingdom); Matti T. Gröhn, CSC-Scientific Computing Ltd. (Finland); Katy Börner, Indiana Univ.

Cochairs: Ming C. Hao, Hewlett-Packard Labs.; Pak C. Wong, Pacific Northwest National Lab.

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#### Monday 16 January

#### **SESSION 1**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Mon. 8:30 to 9:30 am

Flow Visualization

Chair: Robert F. Erbacher, Utah State Univ.

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Mon. 9:40 to 11:10 am

#### **Volume Visualization**

Chair: Matti T. Gröhn, Ctr. for Scientific Computing (Finland)

9:40 am: <b>Volumetric depth peeling for medical image display,</b> D. M. Borland, J. P. Clarke, J. R. Fielding, R. M. Taylor II, The Univ. of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
Coffee Break
10:30 am: Adaptive border sampling for hardware texture-based volume visualization, E. C. LaMar, Institute for Scientific Research, Inc
10:50 am: Ray-casting time-varying volume data sets with frame-to- frame coherence, D. Tost, S. Grau, Univ. Politècnica de Catalunya (Spain); M. Ferre, Univ. Rovira i Virgili (Spain); A. Puig, Univ. de Barcelona (Spain)
Session Break 11:10 to 11:20 am

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ...... Mon. 11:20 am to 12:00 pm

#### Visualization Theory

Chair: Pak C. Wong, Pacific Northwest National Lab.

11:20 am: Theoretical analysis of uncertainty visualizations, T. D. Zuk,
M. S. T. Carpendale, Univ. of Calgary (Canada)
11:40 am: A visualization framework for design and evaluation, B. J.
Blundell, S. Pettifer, The Univ. of Manchester (United Kingdom); G. Ng,
Cerebra, Inc
Lunch Break

#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Mon. 1:30 to 2:00 pm

Invited Paper I

Chair: Robert F. Erbacher, Utah State Univ.

1:30 pm: Visual analytics and the NVAC (Invited Paper, Presentation

Only), P. C. Wong, Pacific Northwest National Lab.	
Session Break	2:00 to 2:10 pm

#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Mon. 2:10 to 3:10 pm

#### Lighting

Chair: Matti T. Gröhn, Ctr. for Scientific Computing (Finland)
2:10 pm: Maximum entropy lighting for physical objects, T. Malzbender, E. Ordentlich, Hewlett-Packard Labs
2:30 pm: <b>Pre-computed illumination for isosurfaces</b> , K. M. Beason, Florida State Univ.; J. Grant, Pixar Animation Studios; D. C. Banks, B. Futch, M. Y. Hussaini, Florida State Univ
2:50 pm: Retro-rendering with vector-valued light: producing local illumination from the transport equation, D. C. Banks, K. M. Beason, Florida State Univ
Coffee Break 3:10 to 3:40 pm

#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Mon. 3:40 to 4:20 pm

#### Image Processing

Chair: Ming C. Hao, Hewlett-Packard Labs.

Session Break ...... 4:20 to 4:30 pm

#### **SESSION 7**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Mon. 4:30 to 5:10 pm

#### **Terrain/GIS Visualization**

Chair: Edward Suvanaphen, Univ. of Kent (United Kingdom)

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#### **SESSION 8**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Mon. 5:20 to 6:00 pm

Applications

Chair: Katy Börner, Indiana Univ.

#### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

Marriott Ballroom 1-6

#### Image Processing: Interconnections

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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#### **SESSION 9**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Tues. 9:40 to 10:20 am

Interaction Techniques

Chair: Ming C. Hao, Hewlett-Packard Labs.

#### **SESSION 10**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Tues. 10:50 to 11:50 am

# InfoVis

Chair: Ketan K. Mane, Indiana Univ.

10:50 am: Reducing InfoVis cluttering through non uniform sampling, displacement, and user perception, E. Bertini, G. Santucci, L. Dell'Aquila, Univ. degli Studi di Roma/La Sapienza (Italy) ......[6060-21]

11:10 am: Diverse information integration and visualization, S. L. Havre, A. R. Shah, C. Posse, B. M. Webb-Robertson, Pacific Northwest

 National Lab.
 [6060-22]

 11:30 am: WordSpace: visual summary of text corpora, U. Brandes, M.

 Hoefer, J. Lerner, Univ. of Konstanz (Germany)

Lunch/Exhibition Break ...... 11:50 am to 1:40 pm

#### **SESSION 11**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Tues. 1:40 to 2:10 pm

#### Invited Paper II

Chair: Ketan K. Mane, Indiana Univ.

#### **SESSION 12**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Tues. 2:20 to 3:20 pm

#### **Visualization Techniques I**

Chair: Matti T. Gröhn, Ctr. for Scientific Computing (Finland)

#### **SESSION 13**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Tues. 3:50 to 4:30 pm

#### Visualization Techniques II

Chair: Edward Suvanaphen, Univ. of Kent (United Kingdom) 3:50 pm: Content-based text mapping using multidimensional projections for exploration of document collections, R. Minghim, F. V. Paulovich, A. de Andrade Lopes, Univ. de São Paulo (Brazil) .... [6060-28]

#### **SESSION 14**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Tues. 4:40 to 5:20 pm Bioinformatics

Chair: Robert F. Erbacher, Utah State Univ.

4:40 pm: Visualizing brain rhythms and synchrony, K. A. Robbins, D. Veljkovic, E. Pilipaviciute, The Univ. of Texas at San Antonio . . . . [6060-30] 5:00 pm: Automatic feature-based surface mapping for brain cortices, L. Linsen, Ernst Moritz Arndt Univ. Greifswald (Germany) . . . . . [6060-31]

#### ✓ Posters and Demonstrations-Tuesday

Demonstrations ...... 5:30 to 8:30 pm

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- ✓ Output-sensitive volume tracking, L. Jiang, Rutgers Univ. . . [6060-40]

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# **Internet Imaging VII**

Conference Chairs: Simone Santini, Univ. of California/San Diego; Raimondo Schettini, DISCo/Univ. degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca (Italy); Theo Gevers, Univ. van Amsterdam (Netherlands)

Program Committee: Jeffrey E. Boyd, Univ. of Calgary (Canada); Alberto Del Bimbo, Univ. degli Studi di Firenze (Italy); Jennifer Gille, Raytheon Co.; Hagit Z. Hel-Or, Univ. of Haifa (Israel); Roger David Hersch, École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (Switzerland); Yasuyo G. Ichihara, Hosen-Gakuen College (Japan); Reiner Lenz, Linköpings Univ. (Sweden); Clement H. C. Leung, Victoria Univ. of Technology (Australia); Yong Rui, Microsoft Research; Simon Shim, San José State Univ.; Alain Trémeau, Univ. Jean Monnet (France); Luc J. Van Gool, Katholieke Univ. Leuven (Belgium)

**Tuesday 17 January** 

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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Posters ...... 5:30 to 7:00 pm

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- ✓ Subjective trajectory characterization: acquisition, matching, and retrieval, M. Y. Zhang, L. Olsen, J. E. Boyd, Univ. of Calgary . [6061-30]

#### Wednesday 18 January

Plenary Speaker ..... Wed. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain Mapping and Molecular Imaging Richard Leahy, Univ. of Southern California

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#### **SESSION 1**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Wed. 9:30 to 10:20 am

#### Special Session: Benchmarking I

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Wed. 10:50 to 11:50 am Special Session: Benchmarking II

10:50 am: Human factors in automatic image retrieval system design

and evaluation, A. Jaimes, Fuji Xerox Co., Ltd. (Japan)
11:10 am: Lessons from TRECVID: lexicon design for semantic
indexing in media databases, M. R. Naphade, IBM Thomas J. Watson
Research Ctr
11:30 am: Benchmarking without ground truth, S. Santini, Univ. of
California/San Diego[6061-21]
Lunch/Exhibition Break 11:30 am to 1:00 pm

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Wed. 1:00 to 2:00 pm

#### Special Session: Benchmarking III

 

 1:00 pm: Using heterogeneous annotation and visual information for the benchmarking of image retrieval system, H. Müller, Univ. Hospital of Geneva (Switzerland)

 1:20 pm: On benchmarking content-based image retrieval applications, B. Zhang, Y. Zuo, Tsinghua Univ. (China)
 [6061-07]

 1:40 pm: TRECVID: the utility of a content-based video retrieval evaluation, A. G. Hauptmann, Carnegie Mellon Univ.
 [6061-08]

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#### **SESSION 4**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Wed. 2:00 to 3:10 pm

#### Interfaces and Visualization

2:00 pm: A color selection tool ensuring legibility of textual

information on web pages (Invited Paper), S. Zuffi, Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche (Italy); G. B. Beretta, Hewlett-Packard Co.; C. Brambilla,

# Coffee Break ...... 3:10 to 3:40 pm SESSION 5

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Wed. 3:40 to 4:20 pm

#### Ontology and Annotation

#### Thursday 19 January

#### **SESSION 6**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Thurs. 9:00 to 10:00 am

Anthropometrics

9:00 am: Combining color models for skin detection, F. Aldershoff, T. Gevers, H. M. Stokman, Univ. van Amsterdam (Netherlands) ... [6061-16]

9:40 am: Skin segmentation using multiple thresholding, F. Gasparini, R. Schettini, Univ. degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca (Italy) .......[6061-18]

#### **SESSION 7**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Thurs. 10:30 am to 12:10 pm

#### **Content Management and Retrieval**

10:30 am: Integration of multimedia contents and e-learning resources in a digital library, M. Pascual, N. Ferran, J. Minguillón Alfonso, Univ. 10:50 am: Selecting the kernel type for a web-based adaptive image retrieval systems (AIRS), A. Doloc-Mihu, V. V. Raghavan, Univ. of 11:10 am: FaceLab: a tool for performance evaluation of face recognition strategies, L. Caflisch, Comerson s.r.l. (Italy); A. Colombo, C. Cusano, R. Schettini, F. Tisato, Univ. degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca 11:30 am: Medical validation and CBIR of spine x-ray images over the Internet, S. K. Antani, J. Cheng, J. L. Long, L. R. Long, G. R. Thoma, 11:50 am: The integration of cartographic information into a content management system, M. M. Furnari, C. I. D. Noviello, Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche (Italy) ......[6061-23] Lunch Break ...... 12:10 to 1:30 pm

#### **SESSION 8**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Thurs. 1:30 to 2:10 pm

 

 1:30 pm: Enhanced video display and navigation for networked streaming video and networked video playlists, S. G. Deshpande, Sharp Labs. of America, Inc.
 [6061-24]

 1:50 pm: 3D display technique for moving pictures from web cameras using screen pixel accessing, T. Hasegawa, T. Namiki, H. Unno, K. Uehira, H. Kasuga, K. Yanaka, Kanagawa Institute of Technology (Japan)
 [6061-25]

#### **SESSION 9**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Thurs. 2:10 to 2:50 pm

#### Vector Displays

 2:10 pm: Dynamic conversion between XML-based languages for vector graphics, A. Di lorio, F. Vitali, G. Zonta, Univ. degli Studi di Bologna (Italy)

 2:30 pm: Bezier curves approximation of triangularized surfaces using SVG, G. Messina, STMicroelectronics (Italy); E. Ingra, S. Battlato, G. Di Blasi, Univ. di Catania (Italy)

Conference 6062 • Conv. Ctr. Room A2

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# Spectral Imaging: Eighth International Symposium on Multispectral Color Science

Conference Chairs: Mitchell R. Rosen, Rochester Institute of Technology; Francisco H. Imai, Pixim, Inc.; Shoji Tominaga, Osaka Electro-Communication Univ. (Japan)

Program Committee: Roy S. Berns, Rochester Institute of Technology; Jeffrey M. DiCarlo, Hewlett-Packard Labs.; Jon Y. Hardeberg, Gjøvik Univ. College (Norway); Markku Hauta-Kasari, Univ. of Joensuu (Finland); Bernhard Hill, Univ. Aachen (Germany); Reiner Lenz, Linköping Univ. (Sweden); Yoshitsugu Manabe, Nara Institute of Science and Technology (Japan); Yoichi Miyake, Chiba Univ. (Japan); Javier Romero, Univ. de Granada (Spain); Norimichi Tsumura, Chiba Univ. (Japan); Stephen Westland, Univ. of Derby (United Kingdom)

#### Monday 16 January

#### SESSION 1

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Mon. 9:00 to 10:20 am

### Spectral Analysis for Scene Content Identification I

Coffee Break ...... 10:20 to 10:50 am

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Mon. 10:50 am to 12:20 pm

Spectral Analysis for Scene Content Identification II

Chair: Javier Hernandez-Andres, Univ. de Granada (Spain)

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Mon. 1:50 to 2:30 pm

#### Spectral Estimation Methods

Chair: Masahiro Yamaguchi, Tokyo Institute of Technology (Japan)

 1:50 pm: Estimating reflectance parameters from saturated spectral images, S. Li, Y. Manabe, K. Chihara, Nara Institute of Science and Technology (Japan)

 2:10 pm: Influence of the recovery method in the optimum sensors for spectral imaging of skylight, M. A. Lopez-Alvarez, J. Hernandez-Andres, J. L. Nieves, J. Romero, Univ. de Granada (Spain)

#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Mon. 2:30 to 4:50 pm

#### **Spectral Acquisition Systems**

Chairs: Javier Romero, Univ. de Granada (Spain); Markku Hauta-Kasari, Joensuu Yliopisto (Finland)

imaging systems, M. de Lasarte, M. Vilaseca, J. Pujol, M. Arjona, Univ. Politècnica de Catalunya (Spain)

# Conference 6062 • Conv. Ctr. Room A2

#### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

Marriott Ballroom 1-6

#### Image Processing: Interconnections

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Tues. 9:30 am to 12:00 pm

#### Spectral Reproduction

Lunch/Exhibition Break ...... 12:00 to 1:30 pm

#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Tues. 1:30 to 2:20 pm

#### **Art Spectral Imaging**

Chair: Norimichi Tsumura, Chiba Univ. (Japan)

1:30 pm: A technique for detecting metameric color areas for investigation of historical materials *(Invited Paper)*, K. Miyata, National Museum of Japanese History (Japan); H. T. Laamanen, T. Jaaskelainen, M. Hauta-Kasari, J. P. Parkkinen, Joensuu Yliopisto (Finland) ......[6062-21]

2:00 pm: A scanning device for multispectral imaging of paintings, C. Bonifazzi, Univ. degli Studi di Ferrara (Italy); P. Carcagni, A. D. Patria, Istituto Nazionale di Ottica Applicata (Italy); S. Ferriani, ENEA (Italy); R. Fontana, M. Greco, M. G. Mastroianni, M. Materazzi, E. M. Pampaloni, A. Romano, Istituto Nazionale di Ottica Applicata (Italy)

#### **SESSION 7**

Conv. Ctr. Room A2 ..... Tues. 2:20 to 3:00 pm

#### Spectral Video Systems

#### Posters and Demonstrations-Tuesday

Demonstrations ...... 5:30 to 8:30 pm

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Posters ..... 5:30 to 7:00 pm

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# Conference 6063 • Conv. Ctr. Room B3

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# **Real-Time Image Processing III**

Conference Chairs: Nasser Kehtarnavaz, The Univ. of Texas at Dallas; Phillip A. Laplante, The Pennsylvania State Univ.

Program Committee: Mohamed Akil, École Supérieure d'Ingénieurs en Électronique et Électrotechnique (France); Matthias F. Carlsohn, Computer Vision and Image Communication (Germany); Carlos R. Castro-Pareja, Univ. of Maryland/Baltimore; Luciano F. da Fontoura Costa, Univ. de São Paulo (Brazil); Philip P. Dang, STMicroelectronics; Xavier Desurmont, Multitel (Belgium); Edward R. Dougherty, Texas A&M Univ.; Sang-Yong Lee, Texas Instruments Inc.; Chang-Joon Park, Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute (South Korea); Gregory Pisanich, NASA Ames Research Ctr.; Volodymyr I. Ponomaryov, Instituto Politécnico Nacional (Mexico); Fatih M. Porikli, Mitsubishi Electric Research Labs.; Raghvinder S. Sangwan, The Pennsylvania State Univ.; Feng Xiao, Agilent Technologies

#### Monday 16 January

#### **SESSION 1**

Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Mon. 8:50 to 10:00 am

**Medical Applications** 

Chair: Nasser Kehtarnavaz, The Univ. of Texas at Dallas

 9:00 am: Toward real-time stereoscopic depth reconstruction in

 laparoscopic surgery, B. J. McCullagh, F. P. Shevlin, The Univ. of Dublin,

 Trinity College (Ireland)
 [6063-02]

 9:20 am: Real-time wavelet denoising with edge enhancement for

 medical x-ray imaging, G. Luo, D. Osypiw, Buckinghamshire Chilterns

 Univ. College (United Kingdom)
 [6063-03]

 Coffee Break
 10:00 to 10:30 am

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Mon. 10:30 am to 12:00 pm

#### **Video Processing**

Chair: Carlos R. Castro-Pareja, Intel Corp.

10:30 am: Real-time high-level video understanding using data

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Mon. 1:30 to 3:00 pm

Algorithms

Chair: Xavier Desurmont, Multitel A.S.B.L. (Belgium)
1:30 pm: Real-time auto white balancing using DWT-based multiscale clustering ( <i>Invited Paper</i> ), N. Kehtarnavaz, N. Kim, M. N. Gamadia, The Univ. of Texas at Dallas
2:00 pm: Real-time antialiasing using adaptive directional filtering, P. Rokita, Politechnika Warszawska (Poland)
2:20 pm: A fast eye detector using corners, color, and edges, L. Chen, C. Grecos, Loughborough Univ. (United Kingdom)
2:40 pm: Real-time construction of covariance matrices for arbitrary size image windows, F. M. Porikli, O. Tuzel, Mitsubishi Electric Research Labs
Coffee Break 3:00 to 3:30 pm

#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Mon. 3:30 to 5:40 pm

#### Hardware

Chair: Mohamed Akil, École Supérieure d'Ingénieurs en Électronique et Électrotechnique (France)

Grandpierre, École Supérieure d'Ingénieurs en Électronique et Électrotechnique (France)

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#### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

Marriott Ballroom 1-6

#### Image Processing: Interconnections

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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- An efficient illuminance-reflectance nonlinear video stream enhancement model, L. Tao, V. K. Asari, Old Dominion Univ. [6063-19]
- A novel two-pass hexagonal search algorithm for motion estimation, Y. Wu, The Univ. of Reading (United Kingdom) . . [6063-21]

# Conference 6064A • Conv. Ctr. Room C2

Monday-Tuesday 16-17 January 2006 • Part of Proceedings of SPIE Vol. 6064 Image Processing: Algorithms and Systems, Neural Networks and Machine Learning

# Image Processing: Algorithms and Systems V

Conference Chairs: Edward R. Dougherty, Texas A&M Univ.; Jaakko T. Astola, Tampere Univ. of Technology (Finland); Karen O. Egiazarian, Tampere Univ. of Technology (Finland)

Program Committee: Til Aach, RWTH Aachen (Germany); Sos S. Agaian, The Univ. of Texas at San Antonio; Junior Barrera, Univ. de São Paulo (Brazil); Reiner Creutzburg, Fachhochschule Brandenburg (Germany); Paul D. Gader, Univ. of Florida; Atanas P. Gotchev, Tampere Univ. of Technology (Finland); John C. Handley, Xerox Corp.; Vladimir V. Lukin, National Aerospace Univ. (Ukraine); Stephen Marshall, Univ. of Strathclyde (United Kingdom); Françoise J. Prêteux, Institut National des Télécommunications (France); Giovanni Ramponi, Univ. Degli Studi di Trieste (Italy); Jagath K. Samarabandu, The Univ. of Western Ontario (Canada); Akira Taguchi, Musashi Institute of Technology (Japan)

#### Monday 16 January

#### SESSION 1

Conv. Ctr. Room C2 ..... Mon. 9:00 am to 12:10 pm

#### **Image Processing Algorithms**

9:00 am: Affine invariant surface evolutions for 3D image segmentation, Y. Rathi, Georgia Institute of Technology; P. Olver, G. Sapiro, Univ. of Minnesota; A. R. Tannenbaum, Georgia Institute of Technology
9:20 am: Iterative Markovian estimation of mass functions in Dempster Shafer evidence theory: application to multisensor image segmentation, L. Bentabet, M. Jiang, Bishop's Univ. (Canada) [6064A-02]
9:40 am: Progressive halftoning by Perona-Malik error diffusion and stochastic flipping, J. J. Shen, Univ. of Minnesota
10:00 am: Edge-based stochastic active contours for medical imaging, J. J. Traisnel, A. R. Tannenbaum, Georgia Institute of Technology
Coffee Break
10:50 am: <b>Multiple wavelet coherence analysis,</b> S. C. Olhede, G. Metikas, Imperial College London (United Kingdom)
11:10 am: New class of interpolation methods based on discretized lie group transforms, A. Zaratsyan, J. Patera, Univ. de Montréal (Canada); H. Zhu, York Univ. (Canada)
11:30 am: Optimization procedures for the estimation of phase portrait parameters in orientation fields, F. J. Ayres, R. M. Rangayyan, Univ. of Calgary (Canada)
11:50 am: <b>Optimized gradient filters for hexagonal matrices,</b> T. Shima, S. Saito, Tokyo Institute of Technology (Japan); M. Nakajima, Tokyo Institute of Technology (Japan) and National Institute of Informatics (Japan)
Lunch Break

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room C2 ..... Mon. 2:00 to 3:00 pm

#### **Efficient Algorithms**

 2:00 pm: Super-fast Fourier transform, S. S. Agaian, O. Caglayan, The

 Univ. of Texas at San Antonio
 [6064A-09]

 2:20 pm: A high-speed rotation method for binary document images

 based on coordinate operation of run data, Y. Shima, H. Ohya, Meisei

 Univ. (Japan)
 [6064A-11]

 2:40 pm: A hardware implementation of the discrete Pascal transform

 for image processing, T. J. Goodman, M. F. Aburdene, Bucknell

 Univ.
 [6064A-12]

 Coffee Break
 3:00 to 3:30 pm

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room C2 ..... Mon. 3:30 to 4:50 pm

#### Image Processing Systems

 3:30 pm: Using clustering for document reconstruction, A. Ukovich, A.

 Zacchigna, G. Ramponi, G. Schoier, Univ. Degli Studi di Trieste

 (Italy)
 [6064A-13]

 3:50 pm: Automatic detection and tracking of reappearing targets in forward-looking infrared imagery, A. Bal, M. S. Alam, Univ. of South

 Alabama
 [6064A-14]

 4:10 pm: Robust human motion detection via fuzzy set based image understanding, Q. Li, J. You, The Hong Kong Polytechnic Univ. (Hong Kong China)

 (a) [6064A-16]

 4:30 pm: k-max: segmentation based on selection of max-tree deep nodes, A. G. Silva, S. C. Felipussi, G. L. F. Cassol, Univ. do Estado de Santa Catarina (Brazil); R. de Alencar Lotufo, Univ. Estadual de Campinas (Brazil)

#### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room C2 ..... Tues. 9:40 to 11:50 am

#### **Image Processing Methods**

0:40 am: <b>Shape-adaptive DCT for denoising and image reconstruction</b> , A. Foi, K. Dabov, V. Katkovnik, K. O. Egiazarian, Tampere Univ. of Fechnology (Finland)
10:00 am: <b>Anisotropic filtering with nonlinear structure tensors,</b> C. A. Castaño Moraga, J. Ruiz-Alzola, Univ. de Las Palmas de Gran Canaria Spain)
Coffee Break
10:50 am: A modified wavelet transformation based method of linear object extraction, T. Chen, Univ. of South Carolina
11:10 am: <b>2D approaches to 3D watermarking: state of the art and</b> <b>perspectives,</b> M. P. Mitrea, S. A. Duta, F. J. Preteux, Institut National des Félécommunications (France)
11:30 am: Region-based perceptual grouping: a cooperative approach based on Dempster-Shafer theory, N. Zlatoff, B. Tellez, A. M. Baskurt, Jniv. Claude Bernard Lyon 1 (France)
unch/Exhibition Break

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#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room C2 ..... Tues. 1:40 to 3:00 pm

### **Biomedical Image Processing**

2:40 pm: Image segmentation for automated dental identification, E. Haj Said, D. E. M. Nassar, H. H. Ammar, West Virgina Univ. . . . [6064A-26]

Coffee Break ..... 3:00 to 3:30 pm

#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room C2 ..... Tues. 3:30 to 5:30 pm

#### Algorithms and Systems

4:50 pm: An algorithm for the enhancement of images of large dynamic range, F. Hassan, J. E. Carletta, Univ. of Akron .... [6064A-31]

5:10 pm: Nonlinear image enhancement to improve face detection in complex lighting environment, L. Tao, M. Seow, V. K. Asari, Old

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- Segmentation of microspheres in ultrahigh density microspherebased assays, A. Mathur, D. M. Kelso, Northwestern Univ. [6064A-38]
- ✓ Discrete Gould transform and its applications, M. F. Aburdene, H. M. Le, Bucknell Univ. [6064A-39]

- A multiscale approach to contour detection and texture suppression, G. Papari, Rijksuniv. Groningen (Netherlands); P. Campisi, Univ. degli Studi Roma Tre (Italy); N. Petkov, Rijksuniv. Groningen (Netherlands); A. Neri, Univ. degli Studi Roma Tre (Italy) .... [6064A-43]
- ✓ A heuristic approach for the extraction of region and boundary of mammalian cells in bio-electric images, L. Tao, V. K. Asari, Old Dominion Univ.

Phase unwrapping by means of finite differences, L. I. Olivos-Pérez, E. de la Rosa Miranda, L. R. Berriel-Valdos, R. Ramos-López, Instituto Nacional de Astrofísica, Óptica y Electrónica (Mexico) ..... [6064A-48] Conference 6064B • Conv. Ctr. Room C2

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# Applications of Neural Networks and Machine Learning in Image Processing X

Conference Chairs: Nasser M. Nasrabadi, Army Research Lab.; Syed A. Rizvi, CUNY/College of Staten Island

Program Committee: Pierre Baldi, California Institute of Technology; Yoshua Bengio, Univ. de Montréal (Canada); Terry M. Caelli, Curtin Univ. of Technology (Australia); Rama Chellappa, Univ. of Maryland/College Park; Chang Y. Choo, San José State Univ.; Sandor Z. Der, Aerospace Corp.; Edward R. Dougherty, Texas A&M Univ.; Kunihiko Fukushima, Tokyo Univ. of Technology (Japan); Erol Gelenbe, Imperial College London (United Kingdom); David H. Haussler, Univ. of California/Santa Cruz; Nicolaos B. Karayiannis, Univ. of Houston; Bart Kosko, Univ. of Southern California; Sun-Yuan Kung, Princeton Univ.; Richard P. Lippmann, MIT Lincoln Lab.; Erkki Oja, Helsinki Univ. of Technology (Finland); Sankar K. Pal, Indian Statistical Institute (India); Tomaso A. Poggio, MIT Artificial Intelligence Lab.; Christoph von der Malsburg, Univ. of Southern California; Jacek M. Zurada, Univ. of Louisville

#### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

Marriott Ballroom 1-6

Image Processing: Interconnections Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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- Application of ANN and DT on medium resolution ASTER image to model gully network in Southern Italy, A. Ghaffari, P. M. Mather, G. Priestnall, M. L. Clarke, The Univ. of Nottingham (United

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#### **SESSION 7**

Conv. Ctr. Room C2 ..... Wed. 9:30 to 10:30 am

Kernel-based Learning for Detection and Shape Analysis Chair: Heesung Kwon, Army Research Lab. 9:30 am: Nonlinear shape prior from Kernel space for geometric active

contours, S. Dambreville, Y. Rathi, A. R. Tannenbaum, Georgia Institute of Technology	
9:50 am: <b>Kernel subspace matched target detectors,</b> H. Kwon, N. M. Nasrabadi, Army Research Lab	
10:10 am: <b>Statistical shape analysis using kernel PCA,</b> Y. Rathi, S. Dambreville, A. R. Tannenbaum, Georgia Institute of Technology[6064B-51]	
Coffee Break	

#### **SESSION 8**

Conv. Ctr. Room C2 ..... Wed. 11:00 to 11:20 am

#### Fuzzy Clustering

Chair: Heesung Kwon, Army Research Lab.

11:00 am: Segmentation and enhancement of digital copies using a new fuzzy clustering method, M. N. Ahmed, B. E. Cooper, Lexmark International, Inc. [6064B-52]

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#### **SESSION 9**

Conv. Ctr. Room C2 ..... Wed. 11:20 to 11:40 am Independent Component Analysis, Adaboost for

Recognition

Chair: Syed A. Rizvi, College of Staten Island/CUNY

11:20 am: 2D/3D facial feature extraction, B. Sankur, L. Akarun,	H. Cinar,
A. Ali Salah, Bogaziçi Univ. (Turkey)	064B-54]
Lunch/Exhibition Break 11:40 am to	1:20 pm

#### **SESSION 10**

Conv. Ctr. Room C2 ..... Wed. 1:20 to 3:50 pm

#### Neural Networks Applications for Manifold Learning, Recognition, Color Perception, and Compression Chair: Syed A. Rizvi, College of Staten Island/CUNY

1:20 pm: Noniterative neural network learning of an N-dimension curve representing the dynamic history of a time varying pattern, C. J. 1:40 pm: Manifold of color perception: color constancy using a nonlinear line attractor, V. K. Asari, M. Seow, Old Dominion 2:00 pm: A novel neural net application for image compression, H. S. Soliman, M. Omari, New Mexico Institute of Mining and 2:20 pm: Toward content-based object recognition with image primitives, G. Wang, J. M. Kinser, George Mason Univ. ..... [6064B-59] 2:40 pm: Translation invariance in a network of oscillatory units, A. R. Rao, G. A. Cecchi, C. Peck, J. Kozloski, IBM Corp. ..... [6064B-60] Coffee Break ...... 3:00 to 3:30 pm 3:30 pm: Efficient learning and recognition using segmented analytical data of an edge-detected 2D image, C. J. Hu, Southern Illinois 

#### **SESSION 11**

Conv. Ctr. Room C2 ..... Wed. 3:50 to 4:50 pm

### Support Vector Machine and Neural Networks for Face Recognition, Detection, and Classification

Chair: Nasser M. Nasrabadi, Army Research Lab.

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# **Computational Imaging IV**

Conference Chairs: Charles A. Bouman, Purdue Univ.; Eric L. Miller, Northeastern Univ.; Ilya Pollak, Purdue Univ.

Program Committee: Thomas S. Denney, Jr., Auburn Univ.; Peter C. Doerschuk, Purdue Univ.; Maya R. Gupta, Univ. of Washington; Peyman Milanfar, Univ. of California/Santa Cruz; Joseph A. O'Sullivan, Washington Univ. in St. Louis; Zygmunt Pizlo, Purdue Univ.; Stanley J. Reeves, Auburn Univ.; Yongyi Yang, Illinois Institute of Technology; Yibin Zheng, Univ. of Virginia

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**SESSION 1** 

Conv. Ctr. Room A4 ..... Mon. 8:30 to 9:00 am

Keynote Presentation I

Chair: Charles A. Bouman, Purdue Univ.

Keynote

8:30 am: Keynote (Invited Paper), M. V. de Hoop, Purdue Univ. [6065-01]

#### **SESSION 2**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A4 ..... Mon. 9:00 to 11:10 am

Hierarchical and Graph-based Image Analysis

Chair: Peyman Milanfar, Univ. of California/Santa Cruz

9:00 am: Modeling hierarchical structure of images with stochastic grammars, W. Wang, T. Wong, I. Pollak, C. A. Bouman, M. P. Harper, Purdue Univ. [6065-02]

9:20 am: Multiresolution analysis of digital images using the

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room A4 ..... Mon. 11:10 am to 12:10 pm

#### **Reconstruction from Sparse Data**

Chair: Ilya Pollak, Purdue Univ.

11:10 am: **Compressed sensing in noisy imaging environments,** J. Haupt, R. Castro, R. D. Nowak, Univ. of Wisconsin/Madison ... [6065-07] 11:30 am: **Stable signal recovery from incomplete and inaccurate** 

observations, J. K. Romberg, California Institute of Technology [6065-08]

#### SESSION 4

Conv. Ctr. Room A4 ..... Mon. 1:40 to 3:00 pm

Microscopy

Chair: Peter C. Doerschuk, Purdue Univ.

1:40 pm: A fast algorithm for 3D reconstruction from unoriented projections and cryo-electron microscopy of viruses, J. Lee, Y. Zheng, P. C. Doerschuk, Purdue Univ
2:00 pm: <b>Spatially adaptive 3D inverse for optical sectioning,</b> D. V. Paliy, V. Katkovnik, K. O. Egiazarian, Tampere Univ. of Technology (Finland)
2:20 pm: On soft clipping of Zernike moments for deblurring and enhancement of optical point spread functions, N. Becherer, J. Hesser, Univ. Mannheim (Germany)
2:40 pm: Adaptive sampling for atomic force microscopy with system level motion constraints, H. Cheng, G. T. C. Chiu, Purdue Univ. [6065-13]
Coffee Break

#### **SESSION** 5

Conv. Ctr. Room A4 ..... Mon. 3:30 to 5:10 pm

**Inverse Problems** 

Chair: Thomas S. Denney, Jr., Auburn Univ.

 3:30 pm: Bayesian image reconstruction from Fourier-domain samples using prior edge information: convergence and parameter sensitivity,

 T. S. Denney, Jr., S. J. Reeves, Auburn Univ.
 [6065-14]

 3:50 pm: Thin digital imaging systems using focal plane coding, A. D.
 Portnoy, J. P. Guo, N. P. Pitsianis, D. J. Brady, Duke Univ.; M. A. Fiddy,

 Univ. of North Carolina/Charlotte; M. R. Feldman, R. D. Te Kolste, Digital
 [6065-15]

 4:10 pm: 3D reconstructions from spherically averaged Fourier
 [6065-16]

 transform magnitude and solution x-ray scattering experiments, Y.

 Hwang, P. C. Doerschuk, Purdue Univ.
 [6065-16]

 4:30 pm: Computed spectroscopy using segmented apertures, R. T.

 Hoctor, F. W. Wheeler, GE Global Research; E. B. Barrett, Lockheed Martin

 Corp.
 [6065-17]

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#### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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#### Image Processing: Interconnections

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#### **SESSION 6**

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**Keynote Presentation II** 

Chair: Eric L. Miller, Northeastern Univ.

#### **SESSION 7**

Conv. Ctr. Room A4 ..... Tues. 10:00 am to 12:10 pm

Image and Video Analysis

Chair: Mireille Boutin, Purdue Univ.

10:00 am: An adaptive model for restoration of optically distorted video frames, D. Li, Georgia Institute of Technology; M. J. T. Smith, Purdue Univ.; R. M. Mersereau, Georgia Institute of Technology . [6065-20]
Coffee Break 10:20 to 10:50 am
10:50 am: Resource-driven content adaptation, Y. Lu, D. S. Ebert, E. J. Delp III, Purdue Univ. [6065-21]
11:10 am: Algebraic methods for structure from motion, M. Boutin, J. Zhang, D. G. Aliaga, Purdue Univ
11:30 am: A maximum entropy kernel density estimator with applications to function interpolation and texture segmentation, N. Balakrishnan, D. Schonfeld, Univ. of Illinois at Chicago[6065-23]
11:50 am: Multiple watermarking: a vector space projection approach, O. Altun, G. Sharma, M. Bocko, Univ. of Rochester
Lunch/Exhibition Break 12:10 to 1:40 pm

#### **SESSION 8**

Conv. Ctr. Room A4 ..... Tues. 1:40 to 3:00 pm

#### **Biomedical Imaging**

Chair: Miles N. Wernick, Illinois Institute of Technology

 1:40 pm: Spherical harmonics for shape-based inverse problems, as applied to electrical impedance tomography, S. Babaeizadeh, D. H.

 Brooks, Northeastern Univ.
 [6065-25]

 2:00 pm: 3D nonlinear multigrid algorithm for direct reconstruction of chromophore concentrations in diffuse optical tomography, J. C. Ye, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (South Korea)

 2:20 pm: Adaptation of fast marching methods to subcellular modeling, A. Chikando, J. M. Kinser, George Mason Univ.
 [6065-26]

 2:40 pm: Machine learning of human responses to images, M. N.
 Wernick, Y. Yang, J. G. Brankov, L. Wei, Illinois Institute of Technology; I.

 M. El-Naqa, Washington Univ. in St. Louis; N. P. Galatsanos, Univ. of Icannina (Greece)
 [6065-28]

 Coffee Break
 3:00 to 3:30 pm

#### SESSION 9

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Tomography

Chair: Joseph A. O'Sullivan, Washington Univ. in St. Louis

4:10 pm: A Bayesian approach to tomography of multiply scattered beams, Z. H. Levine, National Institute of Standards and 4:30 pm: Progress in multiple-image radiography, M. N. Wernick, J. G. Brankov, Y. Yang, G. Khelashvili, Illinois Institute of Technology; D. Chapman, Univ. of Saskatchewan (Canada); I. Mondal, B. Marquet, Illinois Institute of Technology; Z. Zhong, Brookhaven National Lab. ... [6065-32] 4:50 pm: A recursive filter for noise reduction in tomographic imaging, J. Thibault, GE Medical Systems; C. A. Bouman, Purdue Univ.; J. Hsieh, 5:10 pm: A branch-less distance driven projection and backprojection algorithm, S. Basu, General Electric Co.; B. De Man, GE Global 5:30 pm: Cupping artifacts analysis and correction for a FPD-based cone-beam CT, L. Zhang, H. Gao, Z. Chen, S. Li, Y. Xing, Tsinghua Univ. 

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- A prioritized and adaptive approach to volumetric seeded region growing using texture descriptors, N. J. Backman, Whitworth College; B. W. Whitney, Northern Kentucky Univ.; J. D. Furst, D. S. Raicu, DePaul Univ.
- A fast MAP-based superresolution algorithm for general motion, M. Tanaka, M. Okutomi, Tokyo Insititute of Technology (Japan) . . [6065-49]

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### Wednesday 18 January

Plenary Speaker ...... Wed. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain Mapping and Molecular Imaging

Richard Leahy, Univ. of Southern California

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#### SESSION 10

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A4 ..... Wed. 9:30 to 10:30 am

#### Color

#### Chair: Stanley J. Reeves, Auburn Univ.

9:30 am: Estimation of color filter array data from JPEG images for improved demosaicing, W. Feng, S. J. Reeves, Auburn Univ. . . [6065-36]

9:50 am: Separation of irradiance and reflectance from observed color images by logarithmical nonlinear diffusion process, T. Saito, H.

#### **SESSION 11**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A4 ..... Wed. 11:00 am to 12:20 pm

#### Image Modeling and Analysis

Chair: Zygmunt Pizlo, Purdue Univ.

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# Vision Geometry XIV

Conference Chairs: Longin Jan Latecki, Temple Univ.; David M. Mount, Univ. of Maryland/College Park; Angela Y. Wu, American Univ.

Program Committee: Gady Agam, Illinois Institute of Technology; Gilles Bertrand, Groupe ESIEE (France); Atsushi Imiya, Chiba Univ. (Japan); Jack Koplowitz, Clarkson Univ.; Nathan S. Netanyahu, Bar Ilan Univ. (Israel); Peter Veelaert, Hogeschool Gent (Belgium); Xiaodong Wu, Univ. of Iowa

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#### **SESSION 1**

Conv. Ctr. Room C4 ..... Tues. 9:30 am to 12:00 pm

Shape and Object Recognition I

Chair: Longin Jan Latecki, Temple Univ.

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9:30 am: A deformable model with topology analysis and adaptive clustering for boundary detection, M. Allili, Bishop's Univ. (Canada); B. Yang, Univ. de Sherbrooke (Canada); L. Bentabet, Bishop's Univ. (Canada)	
9:55 am: Refining road map using active shape model from aerial images, G. Koutaki, K. Uchimura, Z. Hu, Kumamoto Univ. (Japan)	
Coffee Break 10:20 to 10:45 am	
10:45 am: Quantification of line-mura defect level based on multiple characterizing features, N. K. Park, K. N. Choi, S. I. Yoo, Seoul National Univ. (South Korea)	
11:10 am: <b>Model-based shape classification using shape-</b> transformation-invariant descriptors, S. C. Lee, Univ. of Oklahoma; Y. Wang, E. T. Lee, Univ. of Oklahoma Health Sciences Ctr[6066-04]	
11:35 am: Refinement of axial shape description, A. N. Skourikhine, Los Alamos National Lab	
Lunch/Exhibition Break	

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room C4 ..... Tues. 1:20 to 2:00 pm

#### Shape and Object Recognition II

Chair: Longin Jan Latecki, Temple Univ.

1:20 pm: Geometry or	f human vision	(Invited Paper,	Presentation Only),
Z. Pizlo, Purdue Univ.			

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room C4 ..... Tues. 2:00 to 3:15 pm

**3D Geometry** 

Chair: Kun Lee, Handong Global Univ. (South Korea)

2:00 pm: Fitting polygonal regions for matching 3D polyhedra, L. Mukherjee, V. Singh, J. Xu, R. Berezney, SUNY/Univ. at Buffalo . [6066-07]
2:25 pm: Hierarchical two view line segment matching using wavelet transform, F. Mai, Y. Hung, W. Sze, The Univ. of Hong Kong (Hong Kong China)
2:50 pm: A vision-based approach to extracting the tilt angle and altitude of a PTZ camera, I. Chen, S. Wang, National Chiao Tung Univ. (Taiwan)
Coffee Break 3:15 to 3:45 pm

#### SESSION 4

Conv. Ctr. Room C4 ..... Tues. 3:45 to 4:35 pm

#### Aspects of Vision Geometry

Chair: David M. Mount, Univ. of Maryland/College Park 3:45 pm: Perspex machine V: compilation of C programs, M. P. Spanner, J. A. D. W. Anderson, The Univ. of Reading (United 

4:10 pm: Automatic and robust classification of independent motions 

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- ✓ A three-dimensional shape measurement method: structure light
- ✔ Multiview image calibration and rectification for and effective 3D display, K. Bae, 3R Inc. (South Korea); H. Kang, E. Kim, Kwangwoon Univ. (South Korea)
- ✓ Perspex machine VI: a graphical user interface to the Perspex machine, C. J. Kershaw, J. A. D. W. Anderson, The Univ. of Reading
- ✓ Perspex machine VII: the universal Perspex machine, J. A. D. W.

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#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room C4 ..... Wed. 9:30 to 11:35 am

#### **Digital Geometry and Topology**

Chair: Peter F. Stiller, Texas A&M Univ.

 9:30 am: Discrete circles: an arithmetical approach with non-constant thickness, C. Fiorio, D. Jamet, J. Toutant, Univ. Montpellier II (France)
 [6066-14]

 9:55 am: Estimating the analog perimeter of a pre-digitized shape, S.
 [6066-14]

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 [6066-15]

 C. Lee, Univ. of Oklahoma; Y. Wang, E. T. Lee, Univ. of Oklahoma Health Sciences Ctr.
 [6066-15]

 Coffee Break
 10:20 to 10:45 am

 10:45 am: Three-dimensional fast exact Euclidean distance (3D-FEED) maps, T. E. Schouten, H. C. Kuppens, Radboud Univ. Nijmegen (Netherlands); E. L. van den Broek, Vrije Univ. Amsterdam (Netherlands)

 [6066-17]
 11:10 am: Estimating the surface area and volume of a general 3D shape, S. C. Lee, Univ. of Oklahoma; Y. Wang, E. T. Lee, Univ. of Oklahoma Health Sciences Ctr.

 [6066-18]
 Lunch/Exhibition Break
 11:35 am to 1:20 pm

#### **SESSION 6**

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#### Image Matching and Registration

#### **SESSION 7**

Conv. Ctr. Room C4 ..... Wed. 3:50 to 5:30 pm

Surface Reconstruction and Visualization

Chair: Samuel C. Lee, Univ. of Oklahoma 3:50 pm: Reconstruction of auadratic curves in 3D using two or more

perspective views: simulation studies, S. Kumar, N. Sukavanam, R. Balasubramanian, Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee (India) [6066-24]

4:40 pm: POSS: efficient nonlinear optimization for parameterization methods, F. G. Vadakkumpadan, Y. Tong, Y. Sun, Purdue Univ. . [6066-26]

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# **Document Recognition and Retrieval XIII**

Conference Chairs: Kazem Taghva, Univ. of Nevada/Las Vegas; Xiaofan Lin, Hewlett-Packard Labs.

Program Committee: Tim L. Andersen, Boise State Univ.; Apostolos Antonacopoulos, Univ. of Salford (United Kingdom); Elisa H. Barney Smith, Boise State Univ.; Brian D. Davison, Lehigh Univ.; Xiaoqing Ding, Tsinghua Univ. (China); David S. Doermann, Univ. of Maryland/ College Park; Jianying Hu, IBM Thomas J. Watson Research Ctr.; Matthew F. Hurst, Intelliseek, Inc.; Hisashi Ikeda, Hitachi, Ltd. (Japan); Tapas Kanungo, IBM Almaden Research Ctr.; Daniel P. Lopresti, Lehigh Univ.; Thomas A. Nartker, Univ. of Nevada/Las Vegas; Sargur N. Srihari, SUNY/Univ. at Buffalo; George R. Thoma, National Library of Medicine; Berrin A. Yanikoglu, Sabanci Univ. (Turkey)

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#### SESSION 1

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Wed. 9:30 to 10:30 am

#### Handwriting Recognition

 

 9:30 am: Combining one- and two-dimensional signal recognition approaches to off-line signature verification, S. N. Srihari, SUNY/Univ. at Buffalo

 9:50 am: Spotting words in handwritten Arabic documents, S. N.

 Srihari, H. Srinivasan, P. Babu, C. Bhole, SUNY/Univ. at Buffalo

 10:10 am: HCCR by contour-based elastic mesh fuzzy feature, L. Sun, YanTai Univ. (China)

 Coffee Break
 10:30 to 11:00 am

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Wed. 11:00 to 11:40 am Invited Paper I

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Wed. 1:40 to 3:00 pm

#### **Optical Character Recognition**

1:40 pm: <b>Partitioning of the degradation space for OCR training,</b> E. H. Barney Smith, T. L. Andersen, Boise State Univ
2:00 pm: <b>Match graph generation for symbolic indirect correlation,</b> D. P. Lopresti, Lehigh Univ.; G. Nagy, A. Joshi, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
2:20 pm: Toward quantifying the amount of style in a dataset, X. Zhang, S. Andra, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
2:40 pm: Robust feature extraction for character recognition based on binary image, L. Wang, L. Zhang, Y. Xing, Z. Wang, Nuctech Co. Ltd. (China); H. Gao, Tsinghua Univ. (China)
Coffee Break 3:00 to 3:30 pm

#### **SESSION 4**

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#### **Image Processing**

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#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Thurs. 8:40 to 10:20 am

#### Emerging Applications

8:40 am: Active document versioning: from layout understanding to adjustment, X. Lin, H. Chao, G. Nelson, E. Durante, Hewlett-Packard Co
9:00 am: Graphic design principles for automated document segmentation and understanding, F. Vega, H. J. Santos-Villalobos, Univ. de Puerto Rico Mayagüez
9:20 am: A new document authentication method by embedding deformation characters, X. Wang, X. Ding, H. Liu, C. Liu, Tsinghua Univ. (China)
9:40 am: <b>CAPTCHA challenge strings: problems and improvements,</b> J. L. Bentley, C. L. Mallows, Avaya Inc
10:00 am: An automatically updateable web publishing solution: taking document sharing and conversion to enterprise level, F. Rahman, BCL Technologies Inc
Coffee Break

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#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Thurs. 10:50 to 11:50 am

#### **Document Retrieval**

10:50 am: Automatic redaction of private information using relational information extraction, K. Taghva, R. Beckley, J. S. Coombs, J. Borsack, R. Pereda, T. A. Nartker, Univ. of Nevada/Las Vegas
11:10 am: Document clustering: applications in a collaborative digital library, F. Rahman, BCL Technologies Inc
11:30 am: Author name recognition in degraded journal images, A. de Bodard de la Jacopiere, L. Likforman, École Nationale Supérieure des Télécommunications (France)
Lunch Break 11:50 am to 1:40 pm

#### **SESSION 7**

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Thurs. 1:40 to 2:20 pm

#### **Invited Paper II**

#### **SESSION 8**

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Thurs. 2:20 to 3:40 pm

#### Learning and Classification

 2:20 pm: Comparative evaluation of different classifiers for robust distorted character recognition, B. As-Sadhan, Z. Al Bawab, A. El Seed, M. Noamany, Carnegie Mellon Univ.

 2:40 pm: Style consistent nearest neighbor classifier, S. Andra, X.

 Zhang, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

 000 pm: Optimally combining a cascade of classifiers, K. H. Chellapilla, M. M. Shilman, P. Simard, Microsoft Corp.

 3:20 pm: Versatile document image content extraction, H. S. Baird, M.

 A. Moll, Lehigh Univ.

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# Sensors, Cameras, and Systems for Scientific/Industrial Applications VIII

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#### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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Image Processing: Interconnections

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign See p. 7 for details.

#### ✓ Posters and Demonstrations-Tuesday

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Plenary Speaker ..... Wed. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain Mapping and Molecular Imaging

Richard Leahy, Univ. of Southern California

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#### **SESSION 1**

Conv. Ctr. Room A6 ..... Wed. 9:30 to 11:40 am

#### **CMOS** Devices

 9:30 am: In vitro and in vivo on-chip biofluorescence imaging using a CMOS image sensor, D. C. Ng, M. Matsuo, T. Tokuda, K. Kagawa, M. Nunoshita, J. Ohta, Nara Institute of Science and Technology (Japan)

 9:50 am: An optical and potential dual-image CMOS sensor for bioscientific applications, T. Tokuda, A. Yamamoto, K. Kagawa, M. Nunoshita, J. Ohta, Nara Institute of Science and Technology (Japan)

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 Coffee Break
 10:10 to 10:40 am

10:40 am: <b>A CMOS active pixel sensor for retinal stimulation,</b> M. L. Prydderch, M. J. French, Rutherford Appleton Lab. (United Kingdom); K. Mathieson, C. Adams, D. Gunning, J. Laudanski, J. D. Morrison, A. R. Moodie, J. Sinclair, Univ. of Glasgow (United Kingdom)[6068-03]
11:00 am: Noise analysis of fault tolerant active pixel sensors with and without defects, M. L. La Haye, C. G. Jung, M. H. Izadi, G. H. Chapman, K. S. Karim, Simon Fraser Univ. (Canada)
11:20 am: A model for dark current characterization and simulation, R. L. Baer, Agilent Technologies
Lunch/Exhibition Break 11:40 am to 1:30 pm

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room A6 ..... Wed. 1:30 to 4:20 pm

**CMOS Devices and Applications** 

1:30 pm: An image sensor with on-die diffractive optics in 0.18-micron bulk CMOS, C. J. Thomas, R. I. Hornsey, York Univ. (Canada) . . [6068-06] 1:50 pm: CMOS long linear array for space application, G. Lepage, Cypress Semiconductor Corp. (Belgium); D. G. Dantes, Alcatel Alenia 2:10 pm: Experimental single-chip color HDTV image acquisition system with 8-Mpixel CMOS image sensor, H. Shimamoto, T. Yamashita, R. Funatsu, K. Mitani, Y. Nojiri, NHK Science & Technical 2:30 pm: High-sensitivity 2.5-μm pixel CMOS image sensor realized using Cu interconnect layers, K. Tatani, Y. Enomoto, A. Yamamoto, T. Goto, H. Abe, T. Hirayama, Sony Corp. (Japan) . . [6068-11] 2:50 pm: CMOS image sensor overlaid with organic photoelectric conversion layers and the proposal of stack type solid-state imaging devices, S. Takada, M. Inuiya, Y. Araki, Fuji Photo Film Co., Ltd. ( 3:40 pm: An ultrawide dynamic-range CMOS image sensor with a linear response, J. H. Park, M. Mase, S. Kawahito, Shizuoka Univ. (Japan); M. Sasaki, Sendai National College of Technology (Japan); Y. Wakamori, Yamaha Corp. (Japan); Y. Ohta, Hamamatsu Corp. 4:00 pm: A pulse-frequency-modulation vision chip using a capacitive feedback reset with in-pixel 1-bit image processors, K. Kagawa, S. Yamamoto, T. Furumiya, T. Tokuda, M. Nunoshita, J. Ohta, Nara Institute of 

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#### **Thursday 19 January**

**SESSION 3** Conv. Ctr. Room A6 ..... Thurs. 9:00 to 11:50 am **Novel Devices and CCDs** 9:00 am: Photon counting imaging: the DigitalAPD, S. Bellis, R. Wilcock, 9:20 am: Quantitative and gualitative performance comparison of a biomimetic vision sensor with commercial CCD camera sensors, R. S. Prabhakara, C. H. G. Wright, S. F. Barrett, W. M. Harman, Univ. of 9:40 am: Quantum efficiency characterization of CCD's part 1: the quantum efficiency machine, D. E. Groom, C. J. Bebek, M. H. Fabricius A. Karcher, J. Steckert, Lawrence Berkeley National Lab. ...... [6068-35] 10:00 am: Quantum efficiency characterization of back-illuminated CCD's part 2: reflectivity measurements, M. H. Fabricius, Lawrence Coffee Break ...... 10:20 to 10:50 am 10:50 am: 28-M CCD imager with RGB compatible binning feature for professional applications, I. Peters, C. Draijer, F. Polderdijk, L. Meessen, B. G. M. Dillen, W. Klaassens, J. T. Bosiers, DALSA Professional Imaging 11:10 am: Large area devices at Semiconductor Technology Associates, Inc., K. L. Boggs, R. A. Bredthauer, Semiconductor 11:30 am: Development of the orthogonal-transfer array, B. E. Burke, MIT Lincoln Lab.; J. L. Tonry, Univ. of Hawai'i/West O'ahu; M. J. Cooper, MIT Lincoln Lab.; P. M. Onaka, Univ. of Hawai'i/West O'ahu; D. J. Young, Lunch Break ...... 11:50 am to 1:30 pm **SESSION 4** Conv. Ctr. Room A6 ..... Thurs. 1:30 to 4:40 pm Applications

1:30 pm: Toward 1-mm depth precision with a solid state full-field range imaging system, A. A. Dorrington, Univ. of Waikato (New Zealand); D. A. Carnegie, Victoria Univ. of Wellington (New Zealand); M. J. Cree, Univ. of Waikato (New Zealand) ......[6068-22] 1:50 pm: An ultrafast phase modulator for 3D imaging, J. Y. Cheng, Northeastern Univ.; Q. Chen, Boston Applied Technologies Inc. . [6068-23] 2:10 pm: Classification of luminaire color using CCDs with application to airport lighting, K. R. McMenemy, J. H. Niblock, Queen's Univ. Belfast 2:30 pm: Lateral chromatic aberration correction system for ultrahighdefinition color video camera, T. Yamashita, H. Shimamoto, R. Funatsu, K. Mitani, Y. Nojiri, NHK Science & Technical Research Labs. 2:50 pm: A new direct detection camera system for electron microscopy, N. Xuong, L. Jin, A. Milazzo, P. C. Leblanc, F. Duttweiler, J. C. Bouwer, S. Peltier, M. H. Ellisman, Univ. of California/San Diego; S. Li, S. Coffee Break ..... 3:10 to 3:40 pm 3:40 pm: A novel image processing system that autonomously monitors lighting patterns with application to airport lighting, J. H. Niblock, K. R. McMenemy, G. Irwin, Queen's Univ. Belfast (United 4:00 pm: Wafer-scale UV embossing of aspheric lenses in phonecamera module, D. Shin, H. Jeong, S. Kim, S. C. Lee, Y. Jin, J. E. Noh, H. R. Oh, K. Lee, SAMSUNG Electro-Mechanics Co., Ltd. (South 4:20 pm: Colony optical image acquisition system, W. Wang, Chongqing 

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# **Digital Photography II**

Conference Chairs: Nitin Sampat, Rochester Institute of Technology; Jeffrey M. DiCarlo, Hewlett-Packard Labs.; Russel A. Martin, Foveon USA

Program Committee: Eiji Atsumi, Nokia Japan Co., Ltd. (Japan); Ted J. Cooper, Sony Electronics Inc.; Michael A. Kriss, Sharp Labs. of America; Jingqiang Li, Qualcomm, Inc.; Ricardo J. Motta, PIXIM, Inc.; Gloria G. Putnam, Eastman Kodak Co.; John R. Reinert Nash, Lifetouch, Inc.; Brian G. Rodricks, Micron Technology, Inc.; Sabine E. Süsstrunk, École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (Switzerland)

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#### **SESSION 1**

Conv. Ctr. Room A6 ..... Mon. 8:30 to 10:20 am

#### Sensor Design

Chair: Russel A. Martin, Foveon, Inc.

9:00 am: **31 Mp and 39 Mp full-frame CCD image sensors with improved charge capacity and angle response**, E. J. Meisenzahl, E. K. Banghart, D. N. Nichols, J. P. Shepherd, E. G. Stevens, K. Y. Wong,

Eastman Kodak Co. [6069-02] 9:20 am: Improving low-light CMOS performance with four-transistor four-shared pixel architecture and charge-domain binning, F. Chu, R.

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room A6 ..... Mon. 10:50 am to 12:10 pm

Demosaicing

Chair: Michael A. Kriss, Consultant

10:50 am: Demosaicing: heterogeneity projection hard-decision adaptive interpolation using spectral-spatial correlation, C. Tsai, K. Song, National Chiao Tung Univ. (Taiwan)
11:10 am: Iterative asymmetric average interpolation for color demosaicing of single-sensor digital camera data, Y. Takahashi, H. Kikuchi, S. Muramatsu, Niigata Univ. (Japan); N. Mizutani, Kodak Japan Ltd. (Japan)
11:30 am: Spatially adaptive superresolution sharpening- demosaicking for a single solid state color image sensor, T. Saito, T. Komatsu, Kanagawa Univ. (Japan)
11:50 am: Generic MSFA mosaicing and demosaicing for multispectral cameras, L. Miao, H. Qi, The Univ. of Tennessee; R. Ramanath, North Carolina State Univ. [6069-09]
Lunch Break 12:10 to 1:40 pm

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room A6 ..... Mon. 1:40 to 3:00 pm

Auto Exposure, Focus, and White Balance

#### Chair: Jeffrey M. DiCarlo, Hewlett-Packard Labs.

#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room A6 ..... Mon. 3:30 to 4:50 pm

#### Image Enhancement

Chair: Brian G. Rodricks, Micron Technology, Inc.

#### SESSION 5

Conv. Ctr. Room A6 ..... Mon. 4:50 to 5:30 pm

#### **Imaging Systems**

#### Chair: John R. Reinert Nash, Lifetouch, Inc.

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#### **Tuesday 17 January**

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Image Processing: Interconnections

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room A6 ..... Tues. 9:30 to 10:20 am

#### **Camera Evaluation I**

Chair: Nitin Sampat, Rochester Institute of Technology

Coffee Break ..... 10:20 to 10:50 am

#### **SESSION 7**

Conv. Ctr. Room A6 ..... Tues. 10:50 am to 12:10 pm Camera Evaluation II

Chair: Jingqiang Li, Rochester Institute of Technology

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# Machine Vision Applications in Industrial Inspection XIV

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#### Monday 16 January

#### **SESSION 1**

### Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Mon. 8:40 to 10:00 am

Industrial Applications I

Chair: Fabrice Meriaudeau, Univ. de Bourgogne (France)

8:40 am: Optical servoing for industrial surface machining, N. Koller, Hotvision Research GmbH (Austria); R. Ofner, P. L. O'Leary, Montan Univ. Leoben (Austria); E. Fauster, Hotvision Research GmbH (Austria) [6070-01]

9:00 am: Statistical learning with imbalanced training set in a machine vision application: improve the false alarm rate and sensitivity 9:20 am: Boundary detection of projected fringes for surface of inhomogeneous reflectance, J. Cheng, R. C. Chung, The Chinese Univ. of Hong Kong (Hong Kong China); E. Y. Lam, The Univ. of Hong Kong (Hong Kong China); K. S. M. Fung, F. Wang, W. H. Leung, ASM Assembly 9:40 am: Height inspection of wafer bumps without explicit 3D reconstruction, M. Dong, R. C. Chung, Y. Zhao, The Chinese Univ. of Hong Kong (Hong Kong China); E. Y. Lam, The Univ. of Hong Kong (Hong Coffee Break ..... 10:00 to 10:30 am

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Mon. 10:30 am to 12:10 pm

Multispectral Imaging

Chair: Kurt S. Niel, Fachhochschule Wels (Austria)

10:30 am: East recognition method for metallic tonographies by the
"Three-Color Selective Stereo Gradient Method" (Three-Color SSGM),
M. Hossfeld, Technische Univ. Hamburg-Harburg (Germany); M. Adameck,
Hella KGaA Hueck & Co. (Germany); M. Eich, Technische Univ. Hamburg-
Harburg (Germany)
10:50 am: Robustness of texture parameters for color texture analysis, A. Marin, A. Roman, Univ. de Bourgogne (France); D. R. Connah, J. Y. Hardeberg, Giøvik Univ, College (Norway); P. Gouton, Univ. de Bourgogne
(France)
11:10 am: Real-time multispectral imaging application for poultry safety inspection, B. Park, K. C. Lawrence, W. R. Windham, M. P. Snead, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture
11:30 am: Flushing analysis by machine vision and fuzzy logic at
molten steel for the automation process, C. Pfob, K. S. Niel,
Fachhochschule Wels (Austria); R. Rössler, voestalpine Mechatronics GmbH (Austria)
11:50 am: Color influence in accuracy of 3D scanner based on
structured light, S. Voisin, The Univ. of Tennessee and Univ. de
Truchetet Univ de Bourgoone (France): M. A. Abidi, The Univ. of
Tennessee

Lunch Break ...... 12:10 to 1:40 pm

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Mon. 1:40 to 2:40 pm

**3D** Applications I

Chair: Jeffery R. Price, Oak Ridge National Lab.

1:40 pm: Novel view synthesis for projective texture mapping on real 3D objects, T. Molinier, D. Fofi, P. Gorria, Univ. de Bourgogne 2:00 pm: 3D translucent object reconstruction from artificial vision, F. 2:20 pm: Real-time 3D wood panel surface measurement using laser triangulation and low-cost hardware, H. Ramoser, L. Cambrini, H. 

#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Mon. 2:40 to 4:50 pm

Industrial Applications II

Chair: Kurt S. Niel, Fachhochschule Wels (Austria)

2:40 pm: Aerial platform attitude measurement by artificial vision, F. Truchetet, O. Aubreton, P. Gorria, O. Laligant, Univ. de Bourgogne (France)
3:00 pm: A new algorithm for real-time multistage image thresholding, S. H. Lin, R. Giesen, D. Nair, National Instruments
Coffee Break 3:20 to 3:50 pm
3:50 pm: Simultaneous photometric correction and defect detection in semiconductor manufacturing, Y. Shen, E. Y. Lam, The Univ. of Hong Kong (Hong Kong China)
4:10 pm: Automatic mura detection system for liquid crystal display panels, L. Fang, H. Chen, I. Yin, S. Wang, C. Wen, C. Kuo, National Chiao Tung Univ. (Taiwan)
4:30 pm: New developments in image-based characterization of coated particle nuclear fuel, J. R. Price, D. Aykac, J. D. Hunn, A. K. Kercher, R. N. Morris, Oak Ridge National Lab

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#### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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#### Image Processing: Interconnections

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#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Tues. 9:30 to 11:40 am

#### Multiresolution and Mathematical Fitting

Chair: Fabrice Meriaudeau, Univ. de Bourgogne (France)

#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room C3 ..... Tues. 11:40 am to 12:20 pm

#### **3D** Applications II

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- ✓ Human vision based detection of nonuniform brightness on LCD panels, J. H. Kim, Pukyong National Univ.; B. A. Barsky, Univ. of California/Berkeley
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## **Multimedia Computing and Networking 2006**

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Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain Mapping and Molecular Imaging

Richard Leahy, Univ. of Southern California See p. 7 for details.

SESSION 1

Conv. Ctr. Room C1 ..... Wed. 9:30 am to 12:30 pm

#### Application-dependent Transfer

11:00 am: An integrated visual approach for music indexing and dynamic playlist composition, M. Crampes, S. Ranwez, Ecole des Mines d'Alès (France); F. Velickovski, C. Mooney, Univ. of New South Wales

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room C1 ..... Wed. 2:00 to 4:30 pm

#### Streaming

 2:00 pm: MMS: a multihome-aware media streaming system, A. Habib,

 Siemens Technology to Business Ctr.; J. Chuang, Univ. of California/

 Berkeley
 [6071-06]

 2:30 pm: Streamline: a scheduling heuristic for streaming applications

 on the grid, B. Agarwalla, N. Ahmed, D. Hilley, U. Ramachandran, Georgia

 Institute of Technology
 [6071-07]

 Coffee Break
 3:00 to 3:30 pm

 3:30 pm: A novel unbalanced multiple description coder for robust video transmission over ad hoc wireless networks, F. Huang, L. Sun, Y. Zhong, Tsinghua Univ. (China)

 4:00 pm: A transform for network calculus and its application to

#### Panel Discussion ...... 4:30 to 5:30 pm

Multimedia Sensors: Technological and Societal Challenges

Chair: Roger Zimmermann, Univ. of Southern California

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#### SESSION 3

Conv. Ctr. Room C1 ..... Thurs. 8:30 to 10:30 am

#### Distribution

3:30 am: A method to deliver multi-object content in a ubiquitous environment, T. Mori, M. Katsumoto, National Institute of Information and Communications Technology (Japan)
0:00 am: Correlation-aware multimedia content distribution in overlay networks, Y. Zhu, B. Li, Univ. of Toronto (Canada)
8:30 am: <b>QBIX-G: a transcoding multimedia proxy,</b> P. Schojer, L. Boeszoermenyi, H. Hellwagner, Univ. Klagenfurt (Austria)[6071-12]
10:00 am: <b>Preventing DoS attacks in peer-to-peer media streaming</b> systems, W. G. Conner II, K. Nahrstedt, I. Gupta, Univ. of Illinois at Jrbana-Champaign
Coffee Break

#### SESSION 4

Conv. Ctr. Room C1 ..... Thurs. 11:00 am to 12:00 pm Keynote Presentation

#### Keynote

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11:00 am: Playstation and multimedia (Invited Paper, F	Presentation
Only), K. Hofrichter, Sony Computer Entertainment Amer	ica [6071-14]
Lunch Break	12:00 to 1:30 pm

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#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room C1 ..... Thurs. 1:30 to 3:00 pm Short Papers: Multimedia Systems 1:30 pm: Investigating a stream synchronization middleware for the NEES MAST system, J. C. Beyer, S. K. Chirravuri, D. H. Du, Univ. of Minnesota . 1:45 pm: A performance model of effective memory management in HYDRA: a large-scale data stream recording system, K. Fu, R. 2:00 pm: Sender-driven bandwidth differentiation for transmitting multimedia flows over TCP, J. K. H. Lau, J. Y. B. Lee, The Chinese Univ. 2:15 pm: FlexSplit: a workload-aware adaptive load balancing strategy for media clusters, Q. Zhang, College of William & Mary; L. Cherkasova, Hewlett-Packard Labs.; E. Smirni, College of William & Mary ... [6071-18] 2:30 pm: Cascades: scalable, flexible, and composable middleware for multimodal sensor networking applications, J. Huang, W. Feng, N. 2:45 pm: Compression by indexing: an improvement over MPEG-4 body animation parameter compression, S. Chattopadhyay, S. M. **SESSION 6** 

#### Conv. Ctr. Room C1 ..... Thurs. 3:30 to 5:30 pm

#### Peer-to-Peer

3:30 pm: DagStream: locality aware and failure resilient peer-to-peer streaming, J. Liang, K. Nahrstedt, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-4:00 pm: Characterizing files in the modern Gnutella network: a measurement study, S. Zhao, D. Stutzbach, R. Rejaie, Univ. of 4:30 pm: Sampling cluster endurance for peer-to-peer based content distribution networks, V. Darlagiannis, Technische Univ. Darmstadt (Germany); A. U. Mauthe, Lancaster Univ. (United Kingdom); R. Steinmetz, 5:00 pm: How efficient is BitTorrent?, G. Wu, T. Chiueh, Stony Brook  Conference 6072 • Conv. Ctr. Room A5

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## Security, Steganography, and Watermarking of Multimedia Contents VIII

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#### **SESSION 1**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A5 ..... Mon. 8:30 to 11:20 am

Steganography and Steganalysis I

Chair: Jessica Fridrich, Binghamton Univ. 8:30 am: New blind steganalysis and its implications, M. Goljan, J. 8:50 am: Statistical modeling and steganalysis of DFT-based image steganography, Y. Wang, P. Moulin, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-9:10 am: Fourth-order structural steganalysis and analysis of cover assumptions, A. D. Ker, Univ. of Oxford (United Kingdom) ..... [6072-03] 9:30 am: Application of conditional entropy measures to steganalysis, J. A. Marsh, T. Knapik, E. Lo, SI International; C. D. Heitzenrater, Air Force 9:50 am: Improving steganalysis by fusion techniques: a case study with image-based steganography, M. Kharrazi, T. H. Sencar, N. D. Coffee Break ..... 10:10 to 10:40 am 10:40 am: A two-factor error model for quantitative steganalysis, R. Böhme, Technische Univ. Dresden (Germany); A. D. Ker, Univ. of Oxford 11:00 am: Compression-based steganalysis of LSB embedded images, C. G. Boncelet, Jr., Univ. of Delaware; L. M. Marvel, A. J. Raglin, Army 

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room A5 ..... Mon. 11:20 am to 12:20 pm

Special Session: Natural Language Watermarking Chairs: Mercan Topkara, Purdue Univ.; Cuneyt M. Taskiran, Motorola, Inc.

 11:20 am: Natural language processing with linguistic information for digital fingerprinting and watermarking, O. Uzuner, Massachusetts

 Institute of Technology
 [6072-08]

 11:40 am: Attacks on linguistic steganography systems using text

 analysis, C. M. Taskiran, Motorola, Inc.; M. Topkara, E. J. Delp III, Purdue

 Univ.
 [6072-09]

 12:00 pm: Natural language watermarking: research challenges and applications, M. Topkara, Purdue Univ.
 [6072-10]

 Labs. Research; M. J. Atallah, Purdue Univ.
 [6072-10]

 Lunch Break
 12:20 to 1:50 pm

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room A5 ..... Mon. 1:50 to 3:30 pm Attacks Chair: Fernando Pérez-González, Univ. de Vigo (Spain) 1:50 pm: Scale estimation in two-band filter attacks on QIM watermarks, J. Wang, Technische Univ. Delft (Netherlands) and Nanjing Univ. (China); I. D. Shterev, R. L. Lagendijk, Technische Univ. Delft 2:10 pm: High-rate quantization data hiding robust to arbitrary linear filtering attacks, F. Pérez-González, C. Mosquera, M. Alvarez-Diaz, Univ. de Vigo (Spain); R. L. Lagendijk, Technische Univ. Delft 2:30 pm: Countermeasure for collusion attacks against digital watermarking, M. Steinebach, S. Zmudzinski, Fraunhofer-Institut für Integrierte Publikations- und Informationssysteme (Germany) .... [6072-13] 2:50 pm: The blind Newton sensitivity attack, P. Comesaña Alfaro, L. L. 3:10 pm: Achieving non-ambiguity of quantization-based watermarking, X. Kang, Sun Yat-Sen Univ. (China) and New Jersey Institute of Technology; Y. Shi, New Jersey Institute of Technology; J.

#### Coffee Break ...... 3:30 to 4:00 pm SESSION 4

Conv. Ctr. Room A5 ..... Mon. 4:00 to 5:40 pm

#### **Special Session: Biometrics**

Chair: Claus Vielhauer, Otto-von-Guericke-Univ. Magdeburg (Germany)

4:00 pm: Reference point detection for improved fingerprint matching, T. Ignatenko, Technische Univ. Eindhoven (Netherlands); T. Kalker, Hewlett-Packard Co. and Technische Univ. Eindhoven (Netherlands); M. van der Veen, Philips Research Labs. (Netherlands); A. M. Bazen, Univ. Twente 4:20 pm: Analyzing handwriting biometrics in metadata context, F. Wolf, T. Scheidat, C. Vielhauer, Otto-von-Guericke-Univ. Magdeburg 4:40 pm: 3D face recognition by projection-based features, B. Sankur, H. Dutagaci, Bogaziçi Univ. (Turkey); Y. Yemez, Koç Univ. (Turkey)[6072-18] 5:00 pm: Face biometrics with renewable templates, M. van der veen, T. Kevenaar, T. H. Akkermans, G. Schrijen, Philips Research Labs. (Netherlands); F. Zuo, Technische Univ. Eindhoven (Netherlands) [6072-19] 5:20 pm: Safety of templates in biometric person authentication using error-correcting code, T. Ohki, S. Akatsuka, N. Komatsu, Waseda Univ. 

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#### **Tuesday 17 January**

Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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#### **Image Processing: Interconnections**

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room A5 ..... Tues. 9:30 to 10:10 am

Audio

Chair: Scott A. Craver, Binghamton Univ.

9:30 am: On the comparison of audio fingerprints for extracting quality
parameters of compressed audio, P. J. Doets, M. Menor Gisbert, R. L.
Lagendijk, Technische Univ. Delft (Netherlands)
9:50 am: Fingerprinting with Wow, S. A. Craver, Binghamton
Univ
Coffee Break

#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room A5 ..... Tues. 10:40 am to 12:00 pm Steganography and Steganalysis II

#### Chair: Benoît B. Maco, Univ. Catholique de Louvain (Belgium)

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10:40 am: Limited distortion in LSB steganography, Y. Kim, Z. Duric, D. Richards, George Mason Univ
11:00 am: <b>Multiclass blind steganalysis for JPEG images, J</b> . Fridrich, T. Pevny, Binghamton Univ
11:20 am: <b>MPsteg: hiding a message in the matching pursuit domain,</b> G. Cancelli, M. Barni, G. Menegaz, Univ. degli Studi di Siena (Italy)
11:40 am: <b>Stego sensitivity measure and multibit plane based</b> steganography using different color models, S. S. Agaian, J. P. Perez, B. M. Rodriguez II, The Univ. of Texas at San Antonio
Lunch/Exhibition Break 12:00 to 1:30 pm

#### SESSION 7

Conv. Ctr. Room A5 ..... Tues. 1:30 to 4:20 pm

#### Embedding I

#### Chair: Ping Wah Wong, IDzap LLC

1:30 pm: <b>Zero knowledge ST-DM watermarking,</b> A. Piva, D. Corazzi, A. De Rosa, Univ. degli Studi di Firenze (Italy); M. Barni, Univ. degli Studi di Siena (Italy)
1:50 pm: Compression and rotation resistant watermark using a circular chirp structure, C. E. Fleming, B. G. Mobasseri, Villanova Univ
2:10 pm: Rotation/scale insensitive spread spectrum image watermarking game, M. Ossonce, G. Le Guelvouit, C. Delpha, P. Duhamel, Lab. des signaux et systèmes (France)
2:30 pm: New results on robustness of secure steganography, M. T. Hogan, F. Balado, N. J. Hurley, G. C. M. Silvestre, National Univ. of Ireland/ Dublin (Ireland)
2:50 pm: <b>Sphere-hardening dither modulation</b> , F. Balado, N. J. Hurley, G. C. M. Silvestre, National Univ. of Ireland/Dublin (Ireland)
Coffee Break

3:40 pm: Secret dither estimation in lattice-guantization data hiding: a set membership approach, L. L. Pérez-Freire, F. Pérez-González, P. 4:00 pm: Performance analysis of nonuniform quantization-based data hiding, J. E. Vila-Forcén, S. V. Voloshynovskiy, O. J. Koval, T. Pun, Univ. de 

#### **SESSION 8**

Conv. Ctr. Room A5 ..... Tues. 4:20 to 5:40 pm

#### **Special Session: Forensics**

Chair: Nasir D. Memon, Polytechnic Univ.

4:20 pm:	Detecting	digital ima	ige forgeries u	using senso	r pattern noise,
I Lukas	J. Fridrich	M Golian	Binghamton I	Iniv	[6072-34]

4:40 pm: Fingerprinting digital elevation maps, H. Gou, M. Wu, Univ. of

5:00 pm: Information embedding and extraction for

electrophotographic printing processes, A. K. Mikkilineni, P. Chiang, G. 

5:20 pm: An online system for classifying computer graphics images from natural photographs, T. Ng, S. Chang, Columbia Univ. ... [6072-37]

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**Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain** Mapping and Molecular Imaging

Richard Leahy, Univ. of Southern California

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#### **SESSION 9**

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#### **Theoretical Methods I**

Chair: Pierre Moulin, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

9:30 am: Text data-hiding for digital and printed documents: theoretical and practical considerations, B. Villan, Sr. S. V
Voloshynovskiy, O. J. Koval, J. E. Vila-Forcén, E. Topak, F. Deguillaume, Y. 3. Rytsar, T. Pun, Univ. de Genève (Switzerland)
9:50 am: E-capacity and security analysis of data-hiding channels with geometrical attacks, E. Topak, S. V. Voloshynovskiy, O. J. Koval, Univ. de Genève (Switzerland); M. E. Haroutunian, National Academy of Sciences of Armenia (Armenia); J. E. Vila-Forcén, T. Pun, Univ. de Genève Switzerland)
10:10 am: Image data hiding based on capacity-approaching dirty- baper coding, Y. Yang, Y. Sun, V. Stankovic, Z. Xiong, Texas A&M Jniv
Coffee Break
11:00 am: Wet paper codes with improved embedding efficiency, J. Fridrich, M. Goljan, D. Soukal, Binghamton Univ

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#### SESSION 10

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A5 ..... Wed. 11:20 am to 12:20 pm

#### Video I

#### Chair: Adnan M. Alattar, Digimarc Corp.

11:40 am: Selective encryption for H.264/AVC video coding, T. Shi, B.

King, P. Salama, Indiana Univ./Purdue Univ. at Indianapolis ..... [6072-43] 12:00 pm: Using entropy for image and video authentication

#### **SESSION 11**

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#### Video II

Chair: Ahmet M. Eskicioglu, The City Univ. of New York

 

 1:50 pm: Temporal synchronization of marked MPEG video frames based on image hash system, E. Hauer, M. Steinebach, Fraunhofer-Institut für Integrierte Publikations- und Informationssysteme (Germany)
 [6072-45]

 2:10 pm: Towards robust compressed-domain video watermarking for H.264, M. Noorkami, R. M. Mersereau, Georgia Institute of Technology
 [6072-46]

 2:30 pm: Selective encryption of low-complexity source coding for mobile terminals, H. Um, E. J. Delp III, Purdue Univ.
 [6072-47]

 2:50 pm: VLC pair tree: a paradigm for MPEG-2 watermarking, M. P. Marcinak, B. G. Mobasseri, Villanova Univ.
 [6072-48]

 Coffee Break
 3:10 to 3:40 pm

#### **SESSION 12**

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#### Theoretical Methods II

Chair: Fernando Pérez-González, Univ. de Vigo (Spain)

4:20 pm: Asymmetrically informed data-hiding optimization of achievable rate for Laplacian host, J. E. Vila-Forcén, O. J. Koval, S. V. Voloshynovskiy, E. Topak, T. Pun, Univ. de Genève (Switzerland) [6072-51]

5:00 pm: A framework for the design of good watermark identification

5:20 pm: On the fundamental tradeoff between watermark detection

performance and robustness against sensitivity analysis attacks, M. M. El Choubassi, P. Moulin, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign[6072-16]

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#### **SESSION 13**

Conv. Ctr. Room A5 ..... Thurs. 8:00 to 10:00 am

#### Special Session: Benchmarking and Demonstration Session

Chairs: Jana Dittmann, Otto-von-Guericke-Univ. Magdeburg (Germany); Benoît B. Macq, Univ. Catholique de Louvain (Belgium) 8:00 am: Profiles for evaluation: the usage of audio WET, A. Lang, J. Dittmann, Otto-von-Guericke-Univ. Magdeburg (Germany) ..... [6072-54] 8:20 am: A benchmark assessment of the WAUC watermarking audio algorithm, D. Megías Jiménez, J. Herrera-Joancomarti, J. Serra i Ruiz, J. 8:40 am: Transparency benchmarking on audio watermarks and steganography, C. Kraetzer, J. Dittmann, A. Lang, Otto-von-Guericke-9:00 am: Shape quality measurement for 3D watermarking schemes, P. Rondao-Alface, B. B. Macq, Univ. Catholique de Louvain 9:20 am: Reliability engineering approach to digital watermark evaluation, H. C. Kim, E. J. Delp III, O. Guitart, E. J. Delp III, Purdue 9:40 am: New functionalities in watermark evaluation testbed (WET), Coffee Break ..... 10:00 to 10:30 am

#### **SESSION 14**

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**Applications I** 

Chair: Gordon W. Braudaway, IBM Corp.

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#### Applications II

Chair: Min Wu, Univ. of Maryland/College Park

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#### **SESSION 16**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A5 ..... Thurs. 2:20 to 5:10 pm

#### **Embedding II**

Chair: Mauro Barni, Univ. degli Studi di Siena (Italy)

2:20 pm: Matrix embedding for large payloads, J. Fridrich, D. Soukal, 2:40 pm: Simple reversible watermarking schemes: further results, D. Coltuc, Univ. Valahia din Targoviste (Romania); J. Chassery, Institut Coffee Break ...... 3:00 to 3:30 pm 3:30 pm: A new watermark detector for spread-spectrum based image watermarking using underdetermined independent component analysis framework, H. M. Malik, A. A. Khokhar, R. Ansari, Univ. of Illinois 3:50 pm: Optimal detector for an additive watermarking scheme based on human auditory system, M. Haddad, A. Gilloire, A. Le Guyader, France Télécom (France); P. Duhamel, Lab. des signaux et systèmes 4:10 pm: A hypothesis testing approach for achieving semi-fragility in multimedia authentication, C. Fei, Univ. of Toronto (Canada); D. Kundur, 4:30 pm: A DWT-based robust semi-blind image watermarking algorithm using two bands, E. Elbasi, A. M. Eskicioglu, The City Univ. of 4:50 pm: Evaluating the visual quality of watermarked images, A.

Shnayderman, A. M. Eskicioglu, The City Univ. of New York ......[6072-74]

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- A tree-based paradigm for content-based video retrieval and management, H. Fang, Univ. of Bradford (United Kingdom); Y. Yin, Chongqing Univ. (China); J. Jiang, Univ. of Bradford (United Kingdom) [6073-31]

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Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain Mapping and Molecular Imaging Richard Leahy, Univ. of Southern California

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#### Video Analysis I

Chair: Alan F. Smeaton, Dublin City Univ. (Ireland)
9:30 am: Blind summarization: content adaptive video summarization using time-series analysis, A. Divakaran, R. Radhakrishnan, K. A. Peker, Mitsubishi Electric Research Labs
9:50 am: <b>Multilevel analysis of sports video sequences, J</b> . Han, D. Farin, P. H. N. de With, Technische Univ. Eindhoven (Netherlands)[6073-02]
10:10 am: <b>Automated editing of medical training video via content</b> analysis, A. C. Kokaram, The Univ. of Dublin, Trinity College (Ireland); K. Andrews, Univ. of the West Indies (Trinidad and Tobago); D. Ring, The Univ. of Dublin, Trinity College (Ireland); C. Lee, Royal College of Surgeons in reland (Ireland)
Coffee Break

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#### **SESSION 2**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Wed. 10:50 am to 12:10 pm

#### **Audio and Video Retrieval**

Chair: Anil C. Kokaram, The Univ. of Dublin, Trinity College (Ireland) 10:50 am: Statistical model and error analysis of a proposed audio

fingerprinting algorithm, E. P. McCarthy, F. Balado, N. J. Hurley, G. C. M. Silvestre, Univ. College Dublin (Ireland)

11:30 am: Video scene retrieval with symbol sequence based on integrated audio and visual features, K. Morisawa, N. Nitta, N.

 11:50 am: Físchlár-DiamondTouch: collaborative video searching on a table, A. F. Smeaton, H. Lee, C. Foley, S. McGivney, C. Gurrin, Dublin City Univ. (Ireland)

 Lunch/Exhibition Break
 12:10 to 1:40 pm

#### SESSION 3

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Wed. 1:40 to 3:00 pm

#### **Image Retrieval**

Chair: Nicu Sebe, Univ. van Amsterdam (Netherlands)

1:40 pm: Mind the gap: another look at the problem of the semantic gap in image retrieval, J. S. Hare, P. H. Lewis, Univ. of Southampton (United Kingdom); P. Enser, C. Sandom, Univ. of Brighton (United Kingdom)
2:00 pm: Evaluation of strategies for multiple sphere queries with local image descriptors, N. Bouteldja, Conservatoire National des Arts et Metiers/CEDRIC (France); V. Gouet-Brunet, M. Scholl, Conservatoire National des Arts et Métiers/CEDRIC (France)
2:20 pm: PARIS: a MPEG-7 spatial and temporal referenced personal photograph library, P. Kuo, M. Ito, T. Aoki, H. Yasuda, The Univ. of Tokyo (Japan)
2:40 pm: 2+2=5: painting by numbers, C. C. Venters, Univ. of Manchester (United Kingdom); R. J. Hartley, Manchester Metropolitan Univ. (United Kingdom); W. T. Hewitt, Univ. of Manchester (United Kingdom) . [6073-11]
Coffee Break

#### **SESSION 4**

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#### Applications I

Chair: Alan Hanjalic, Technische Univ. Delft (Netherlands)

Panel Discussion ...... 4:20 to 5:20 pm Chair: Rainer W. Lienhart, Univ. Augsburg (Germany)

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#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room B1 ..... Thurs. 9:00 to 10:00 am Image Classification

#### Chair: Michael G. Christel, Carnegie Mellon Univ.

 9:00 am: Semantic classification of business images, B. Erol, J. J. Hull,

 Ricoh Innovations, Inc.
 [6073-15]

 9:20 am: Region labeling using a point-based coherence criterion, H.

 Houissa, N. Boujemaa, INRIA Rocquencourt (France)
 [6073-16]

 9:40 am: BlobContours: adapting Blobworld for supervised color- and texture-based image segmentation, T. Vogel, D. N. Quyen, J. Dittmann, Otto-von-Guericke-Univ. Magdeburg (Germany)
 [6073-17]

 Coffee Break
 10:00 to 10:20 am

#### **SESSION 6**

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#### Special Session: Evaluating Video Summarization, Browsing, and Retrieval Techniques

Chair: Ajay Divakaran, Mitsubishi Electric Research Labs.

10:20 am: Subjective assessment of consumer video summarization (Invited Paper), C. Forlines, K. A. Peker, A. Divakaran, Mitsubishi Electric Research Labs
10:50 am: Evaluation of video summarization systems ( <i>Invited Paper</i> ), C. M. Taskiran, Motorola, Inc
11:20 am: Subjective evaluation criterion for selecting affective features and modeling highlights <i>(Invited Paper)</i> , L. Xing, H. Yu, Q. Huang, Graduate School of the Chinese Academy of Sciences (China); Q. Ye, Chinese Academy of Sciences (China); A. Divakaran, Mitsubishi Electric Research Labs
11:50 am: Evaluation and user studies with respect to video summarization and browsing (Invited Paper), M. G. Christel, Carnegie Mellon Univ
unch Break

#### **SESSION 7**

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#### Feature Extraction

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#### Video Analysis II

#### Chair: Rainer W. Lienhart, Univ. Augsburg (Germany)

#### **SESSION 9**

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#### Applications II

Chair: Berna Erol, Ricoh Innovations, Inc.

4:30 pm: Occlusion costing for multimedia object layout in a constrained window, S. Widdowson, Hewlett Packard Labs. . . [6073-28] 4:50 pm: Using CART to segment road images, R. L. Davies, Intel Corp.; R. W. Lienhart, Univ. Augsburg (Germany) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . [6073-30]

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### Multimedia on Mobile Devices II

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#### **SESSION 1**

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**Invited Paper I** 

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Mon. 10:00 to 10:20 am

#### **Multimedia Coding I**

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Mon. 10:50 am to 12:10 pm

#### Multimedia Coding II

Chair: Chang Wen Chen, Florida Institute of Technology

11:10 am: Image embedded coding with edge preservation based on local variance analysis for mobile applications, G. Luo, D. Osypiw, Buckinghamshire Chilterns Univ. College (United Kingdom) .....[6074-04]

11:30 am: Image coding using adaptive resizing in the block-DCT domain, J. J. Koivusaari, J. H. Takala, M. Gabbouj, Tampere Univ. of

Lunch Break ..... 12:10 to 2:00 pm

#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Mon. 2:00 to 2:30 pm

#### Invited Paper II

#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Mon. 2:30 to 3:10 pm

#### Mobile Multimedia Retrieval and Classification

#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Mon. 3:30 to 5:10 pm

#### Processors for Multimedia

Chair: Jarmo H. Takala, Tampere Univ. of Technology (Finland) 3:30 pm: Parallel implementation of MPEG-2 video decoder, A. Sarkar, North Carolina State Univ.; K. Saha, S. Maiti, STMicroelectronics Pvt. Ltd. (India) 3:50 pm: Software-based geometry operations for 3D computer graphics, M. Sima, Univ. of Victoria (Canada); D. Iancu, J. C. Glossner, Sandbridge Technologies, Inc.; M. J. Schulte, S. Mamidi, Univ. of Wisconsin/Madison 4:10 pm: MVSP: multithreaded VLIW stream processor, S. Sardashti, H. 4:30 pm: System-on-chip architecture with media DSP and RISC core for media application, P. Liu, W. Wang, Q. Yao, Zhejiang Univ. 4:50 pm: IIA: a novel method to optimize media instruction set of embedded processor, K. Chen, Q. Yao, W. Wang, P. Liu, Zhejiang Univ. 

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#### **SESSION 7**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Tues. 9:30 to 10:00 am

#### Invited Paper III

9:30 am: Multimedia services for next-generation mobile networks (Invited Paper), S. J. Wee, D. Penkler, Hewlett-Packard Labs. . . [6074-17]

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#### Multimedia Applications I

#### **SESSION 9**

Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Tues. 10:50 am to 12:10 pm Multimedia Applications II

#### Chair: Zhihai He, Univ. of Missouri/Columbia

10:50 am: Image processing for navigation on a mobile embedded platform, H. Loose, C. Lemke, C. Papazov, Brandenburg Univ. of Applied Sciences (Germany)
11:10 am: Image processing for navigation on a mobile embedded platform, T. Preuss, L. Gentsch, M. Rambow, Brandenburg Univ. of Applied Sciences (Germany)
11:30 am: The future is 'ambient', A. R. Lugmayr, Tampere Univ. of Technology (Finland)
11:50 am: Embedded video surveillance system for vehicle over WLAN and CDMA1X, L. Ming, Wuhan Univ. (China)
Lunch Break

#### SESSION 10

#### Conv. Ctr. Room B4 ..... Tues. 1:40 to 3:00 pm

#### Multimedia Data Management

Chair: David Akopian, The Univ. of Texas at San Antonio

2:40 pm: A mobile phone-based context-aware video management application, J. Lahti, M. Palola, J. Korva, VTT Technical Research Ctr. of Finland (Finland); U. Westermann, P. Pietarila, VTT Elektroniikka (Finland); K. Pentikousis, VTT Technical Research Ctr. of Finland (Finland) . [6074-26]

Coffee Break ...... 3:00 to 3:30 pm

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- A context-aware video display scheme for mobile devices, K. Seo, C. Kim, Information and Communications Univ. (South Korea) [6074-35]

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### Optical Security and Counterfeit Deterrence Techniques VI

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Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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**Image Processing: Interconnections** 

Thomas S. Huang, Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology, Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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- ✓ Use of metameric filters for future interference security images structures, B. Baloukas, L. Martinu, École Polytechnique de Montréal
- ✓ Recording the optical identification marks on CDs, A. A. Kryuchyn, Institute for Information Recording (Ukraine); S. A. Kostyukevych, V. Lashkaryov Institute of Semiconductor Physics (Ukraine); V. V. Petrov, S. M. Shanoylo, Institute for Information Recording (Ukraine) .... [6075-40]
- Concealed images in design of security devices and methods of their authentication, V. I. Girnyk, Optronics, Ltd. (Ukraine); S. O. Kostyukevich, Optronics, Ltd. (Ukraine) and Institute of Semiconductor Physics (Ukraine); E. V. Braginets, Optronics, Ltd. (Ukraine) and National Taras Shevchenko Univ. of Kyiv (Ukraine); A. Soroka, National Taras

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**Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain** Mapping and Molecular Imaging Richard Leahy, Univ. of Southern California

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Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Wed. 9:30 to 10:30 am

Currency I

Chair: Sara E. Church, Bank of Canada (Canada)
9:30 am: Feed back from the public for better banknote design, H. A. M. de Heij, De Nederlandsche Bank (Netherlands)
9:50 am: Robust and reliable banknote authentification and print flaw detection with opto-acoustical sensor fusion methods, V. Lohweg, Fachhochschule Lippe und Höxter (Germany); J. G. Schaede, KBA-GIORI S.A. (Switzerland); T. Türke, KBA-Bielefeld (Germany)
10:10 am: The implication of direct laser engraved intaglio plates on bank note security, H. Deinhammer, Österrreichische Banknoten- und Sicherheitsdruck (Austria)
Coffee Break 10:30 to 11:00 am

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Wed. 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

**Currency II** 

Chair: Elisabeth Schulz, European Central Bank (Germany) 11:00 am: The circulation simulator method for evaluating bank note and optical feature durability, W. J. Bartz, Crane & Co., Inc. ... [6075-04] 11:20 am: Visual and optical evaluation of bank notes in circulation, S. E. Church, M. P. Lacelle, T. Garanzotis, Bank of Canada (Canada) . [6075-05] 11:40 am: The mechanisms of human recognition as a guideline for security feature development, J. G. Schaede, KBA-GIORI S.A. Lunch/Exhibition Break ..... 12:00 to 1:30 pm

#### SESSION 3

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Wed. 1:30 to 3:10 pm

#### Security Image Technology I

Chair: Sybrand Spannenburg, Joh. Enschedé Security Printing B.V. (Netherlands)

1:30 pm: Qualification of security printing features, S. J. Simske, Hewlett-Packard Labs; J. S. Aronoff, Hewlett-Packard Labs.; J. Arnabat, Hewlett-1:50 pm: Potentiality of holographic technique in fragile watermarking (Invited Paper), G. Schirripa Spagnolo, Univ. degli Studi di Roma Tre 2:10 pm: Secure graphical data storage by full-spectrum image coding, 2:30 pm: Sub-pixel analysis to support graphic security after scanning at low resolution, R. A. Cordery, Pitney Bowes; S. K. Decker, Digimarc Corp.; B. Haas, Pitney Bowes; H. Gou, Univ. of Maryland/College 2:50 pm: New applications of modulated digital images in document security, R. Lee, P. W. Leech, L. D. McCarthy, G. F. Swiegers, Commonwealth Scientific & Industrial Research Organisation Coffee Break ...... 3:10 to 3:40 pm

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#### **SESSION 4**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Wed. 3:40 to 5:20 pm

Security Image Technology II

Chair: James M. Jonza, 3M Co.

3:40 pm: Black fluorescent ink and applications, J. Auslander, R. A. Cordery, Pitney Bowes
4:00 pm: The role of optics in secure credentials, T. L. Lichtenstein, LaserCard Corp
4:20 pm: Practical use of lens structures in ID documents, J. van den Berg, SDU Identification (Netherlands)
4:40 pm: Three-dimensional floating images as overt security features,

D. S. Dunn, T. L. Potts, L. E. Lorimor, J. M. Jonza, R. L. Smithson, S. P. 5:00 pm: Development of the random-retardation-encoding anti-

counterfeiting technology, W. Huang, C. Tsai, T. Chen, M. Kuan, C. Wen, 

#### **Thursday 19 January**

#### **SESSION 5**

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Thurs. 8:10 to 10:10 am Security Ink Technology

Chair: Roger W. Phillips, JDSU-Flex Products Group 8:10 am: Advanced verification methods for OVI(r) security ink, P. G. Coombs, Flex Products/JDS Uniphase Corp.; S. F. McCaffery, JDS Uniphase Corp.; T. Markantes, Flex Products/JDS Uniphase 8:30 am: Overt security features through digital printing, R. A. Einhorn, M. J. Hampden-Smith, S. Haubrich, J. Shah, R. Bhatia, N. Hardman, R. 8:50 am: Novel particulate production processes to create unique security materials, M. J. Hampden-Smith, T. Kodas, S. Haubrich, M. 9:10 am: Combining overt and covert anti-counterfeiting technologies for securities, T. Uematsu, National Printing Bureau of Japan 9:30 am: Bacteriorhodopsin-based multilevel optical security features, N. A. Hampp, M. Neebe, I. Yang, Philipps-Univ. Marburg 9:50 am: Optical security in ink: an industry standard that continues to 

#### Coffee Break ...... 10:10 to 10:40 am **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Thurs. 10:40 am to 12:00 pm

#### **Optically Variable Devices I**

Chair: Wayne R. Tompkin, OVD Kinegram AG (Switzerland)

10:40 am: Current use and efficacy of optical security devices, I. M. Lancaster, Reconnaissance International Ltd. (United Kingdom) and International Hologram Manufacturing Association (United 11:00 am: The security enhancement of diffractive optically variable image devices, A. Argoitia, R. W. Phillips, Flex Products/JDSU . [6075-24] 11:20 am: The Aztec structure: an improved replicable security device, 11:40 am: Combination of optically variable diffractive and multilayer interference structures: a new class of security devices, V. I. Girnyk, Optronics, Ltd. (Ukraine); R. W. Phillips, JDSU-Flex Products Group; E. V. Braginets, Optronics, Ltd. (Ukraine) and National Kiev Taras Schevchenko Lunch Break ...... 12:00 to 1:30 pm

#### **SESSION 7**

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Thurs. 1:30 to 2:30 pm

**Optically Variable Devices II** 

Chair: Ian M. Lancaster, Reconnaissance International Ltd. (United Kingdom)

1:30 pm: Novel optically variable color devices, M. Stalder, F. Seils, Rolic 1:50 pm: Diffractive Moiré features for optically variable devices, A Schilling, W. R. Tompkin, R. Staub, OVD Kinegram AG (Switzerland); R. D. Hersch, S. Chosson, I. Amidror, École Polytechnique Fédérale de

2:10 pm: Combination of e-beam and optical holography on microand macro-levels of OVD, E. V. Braginets, V. I. Girnyk, Optronics, Ltd. (Ukraine) and National Taras Shevchenko Univ. (Ukraine); B. Holmes, De La 

#### **SESSION 8**

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Thurs. 2:30 to 4:20 pm

#### Authentication, Identification, and Biometrics I

Chair: Malcolm R. M. Knight, De La Rue International Ltd. (United Kingdom)

2:30 pm: Choosing the correct forensic marker(s) in currency, document, and product protection, J. J. Plimmer, Product & Image Security Foundation (United Kingdom)				
2:50 pm: Optically variable threads and polarization effects, F. Kretschmar, Louisenthal GmbH (Germany)				
Coffee Break 3:10 to 3:40 pm				
3:40 pm: Life recognition based on color variations in fingerprint images of live and artificial fingers, K. Tai, M. Kurita, I. Fujieda, Ritsumeikan Univ. (Japan)				
4:00 pm: RFID identity theft and countermeasures, A. Herrigel, Up- Great AG (Switzerland)				

#### **SESSION 9**

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Thurs. 4:20 to 5:20 pm

#### Authentication, Identification, and Biometrics II

Chair: Rudolf L. van Renesse, VanRenesse Consulting (Netherlands) 4:20 pm: On the use of mobile imaging devices for the validation of first and second line security features, T. F. Rodriguez, M. Weaver III 4:40 pm: Facets of color laser marking in high secure ID documents, F. Kappe, M. Schumacher, ORGA Systems enabling services GmbH (Germany); K. Schäfer, M. Hillebrand, M. Hennemeyer-Schwenkner, D. 5:00 pm: Protection of data carriers using secure optical codes, J. A. Peters, A. Schilling, R. Staub, W. R. Tompkin, OVD Kinegram AG 

#### Standby Oral Presentation

5:40 am: Public education by Central Banks on the Internet, R. L. van  Conference 6076 • Conv. Ctr. Room A7

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## **Digital Publishing**

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#### Monday 16 January

#### SESSION 1

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Mon. 9:30 am to 12:00 pm

#### **New Publishing Methods**

Chair: Steven J. Harrington, Xerox Corp.

9:30 am: E-books and the challenge of preservation (Invited Paper), F. Romano, Rochester Institute of Technology
10:10 am: User centered design of the digital book: why looking backward can help us move forward, J. C. Wallis, Univ. of California/Los Angeles
Coffee Break 10:30 to 11:00 am
11:00 am: Interactive publications: creation and usage, G. R. Thoma, G. Ford, M. Chung, K. Vasudevan, S. K. Antani, National Library of Medicine
11:20 am: Personalized direct marketing using digital publishing, L. K. Cheeniyil, J. K. Prabhakaran, Hewlett-Packard Co. (India)[6076-05]
11:40 am: Automated campaign system, G. L. Vondran, H. Chao, X. Lin, P. Joshi, D. Beyer, C. B. Atkins, P. Obrador, Hewlett-Packard Co. [6076-06]
Lunch Break

#### **SESSION 2**

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Mon. 1:30 to 3:10 pm

#### **Document Structure and Style**

Chair: John Lumley, Hewlett-Packard Ltd. (United Kingdom) 1:30 pm: Is the nature of a document changing (Invited Paper), J. C. 2:10 pm: Expression of document structure in automatic layout, S. J. Harrington, Xerox Corp.; R. Price Jones, J. F. Naveda, Rochester Institute 2:30 pm: Evaluating interface aesthetics: measure of symmetry, H. 2:50 pm: Automatic color scheme picker for document templates based on image analysis and dual problem, P. Obrador, Hewlett-Coffee Break ...... 3:10 to 3:40 pm

#### **SESSION 3**

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Mon. 3:40 to 5:20 pm

**Artifact Detection** 

Chair: Kathrin Berkner, Ricoh Innovations, Inc.

3:40 pm: Ringing artifact measurement for JPEG images, X. Feng, J. P. Allebach, Purdue Univ				
4:00 pm: A hybrid intelligence approach to artifact recognition in digital publishing, F. Vega, H. J. Santos-Villalobos, Univ. de Puerto Rico Mayagüez				
4:20 pm: Nearest-neighbor and bilinear resampling factor estimation to detect blockiness or blurriness of an image, A. Suwendi, J. P. Allebach, Purdue Univ				
4:40 pm: Analytical model of skew effect in digital press characterization, M. Qiao, J. P. Allebach, Purdue Univ				
5:00 pm: Detection and location of very small print defects in real time for high-speed digital printing. G. W. Braudaway, IBM Corp. [6076-15]				

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Plenary Speaker ..... Tues. 8:30 to 9:15 am

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#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Tues. 9:30 to 11:20 am

#### **Document and Image Presentation**

Chair: Fabio Vitali, Univ. degli Studi di Bologna (Italy)

9:30 am: New economy, new strategy: digital technology innovations and applications (Invited Paper), N. Raman, Hewlett-Packard Labs
Coffee Break 10:10 to 10:40 am
10:40 am: How small should a document thumbnail be?, K. Berkner, Ricoh Innovations, Inc
11:00 am: Image object adaptation in variable data printing, J. Fan, Hewlett-Packard Labs.; H. Chao, Hewlett-Packard Co
Lunch/Exhibition Break 11:20 am to 1:20 pm

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#### **SESSION 5**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Tues. 1:20 to 3:00 pm

#### **Document Layout**

Chair: Fernando Vega, Univ. de Puerto Rico Mayagüez

#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room A7 ..... Tues. 3:30 to 5:30 pm

**Publishing, Production, and Workflow** 

Chair: Dhiraj Kacker, Caslon & Co., Inc.

workflows, W. Rivera, W. L'Ozano, Univ. de Puerto Rico Mayagüez [6076-26]

**Demonstration Session - Tuesday** 

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#### SESSION 1

Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Tues. 1:30 to 5:10 pm

**Special Session: Superresolution** 

Chair: Onur G. Guleryuz, DoCoMo Communications Labs. USA, Inc. 1:30 pm: Superresolution of text from nonideal video (Invited Paper), X. 1:55 pm: Registration of aliased images for super-resolution imaging (Invited Paper), P. Vandewalle, L. M. Sbaiz, S. E. Süsstrunk, École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (Switzerland); M. Vetterli, École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (Switzerland) and Univ. of California/ Berkeley 2:20 pm: A practical approach to superresolution (Invited Paper), S. Farsiu, Univ. of California/Santa Cruz; M. Elad, Technion - Israel Institute of Technology (Israel); P. Milanfar, Univ. of California/Santa Cruz ... [6077-03] 2:45 pm: Jitter camera: a superresolution video camera (Invited Paper), M. Ben-Ezra, Siemens Corporate Research; A. Zomet, S. K. Nayar, Coffee Break ..... 3:10 to 3:40 pm 3:40 pm: Face recognition with independent component based superresolution (Invited Paper), O. G. Sezer, Sabanci Univ. (Turkey); Y. Altunbasak, Georgia Institute of Technology; A. Ercil, Sabanci Univ. 4:05 pm: Toward new a compression standard using superresolution techniques (Invited Paper), R. Molina, Univ. de Granada (Spain); A. K. Katsaggelos, Northwestern Univ.; L. Alvarez, J. Mateos, Univ. de Granada 4:30 pm: Robust superresolution based on pixel-level selectivity, Z. A. Ivanovski, L. Panovski, Ss Cyril and Methodius Univ. (Macedonia); L. J. 4:50 pm: Resolution enhancement of low-quality videos using a highresolution frame, T. Q. Pham, L. J. van Vliet, Technische Univ. Delft 

**SESSION 2** 

Conv. Ctr. Room B2 ..... Tues. 1:30 to 4:40 pm

Video Codina

Chair: Robert L. Stevenson, Univ. of Notre Dame

1:30 pm: Predictive fast motion/disparity search for multiview video 

1:50 pm: Complexity scalable motion estimation for H.264/AVC, C. Kim, Univ. of Southern California; J. Xin, A. Vetro, Mitsubishi Electric Research Labs.; C. C. J. Kuo, Univ. of Southern California ..... [6077-10]

2:10 pm: Depth map compression for unstructured lumigraph rendering, U. Fecker, A. Guenegues, I. Scholz, A. Kaup, Friedrich- Alexander-Univ. Erlangen-Nürnberg (Germany)
2:30 pm: Shape adaptive integer transform for coding arbitrarily shaped objects in H264/AVC, X. Li, E. A. Edirisinghe, H. E. Bez, Loughborough Univ. (United Kingdom)
2:50 pm: <b>Optimal bit allocation for hybrid scalable/multiple-description</b> video transmission over wireless channels, M. Bansal, M. K. Jubran, L. P. Kondi, SUNY/Univ. at Buffalo
Coffee Break 3:10 to 3:40 pm
3:40 pm: <b>Space-time multiple description video coding,</b> D. Wang, N. Canagarajah, D. Bull, Univ. of Bristol (United Kingdom)[6077-14]
4:00 pm: Improving sequential decoding of CABAC encoded data via objective adjustment of the complexity-efficiency trade-off, S. Ben- Jamaa, M. Kieffer, P. Duhamel, Univ. Paris XI (France) and Ctr. National de la Recherche Scientifique (France)
4:20 pm: New intra-luma prediction mode in H.264/AVC using collocated weighted chroma pixel value, I. Cho, J. Lee, W. Lee, D. Jeong, Inha Univ. (South Korea)

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- Parallel implementation of arbitrary-shaped MPEG-4 decoder for multiprocessor systems, M. Pastrnak, P. H. N. de With, LogicaCMG (Netherlands) and Technische Univ. Eindhoven (Netherlands); S. Stuijk, J. van Meerbergen, Technische Univ. Eindhoven (Netherlands) [6077-57]

- ✓ Optimal video sensing strategy and performance analysis for wireless video sensors, Z. He, Univ. of Missouri/Columbia ...[6077-61]
- Extracting focused object from low depth-of-field image sequences, J. Park, C. Kim, Information and Communications Univ. (South Korea)
- Adaptive de-blocking filter for low bit rate applications, X. Jin, G. Zhu, Huazhong Univ. of Science and Technology (China) ..... [6077-64]
- Fast intra-mode decision algorithm of H.264/AVC, W. Lee, J. Lee, I.

- Resolution scalable SPIHT, D. Choundappan, P. Salama, M. Rizkalla, M. El-Sharkawy, Indiana Univ./Purdue Univ. at Indianapolis . . [6077-72]

- Pre-compression rate allocation for JPEG2000 encoders in power constrained devices, F. Chebil, R. Kurceren, Nokia Americas [6077-76]

- ✓ A novel VLC-based on second-run-level coding and dynamic truncation, C. h. Cui, W. y. Liu, X. Jin, Huazhong Univ. of Science and Technology (China)

- Multiresolution color patch extraction, P. Obrador, Hewlett-Packard Labs.
   [6077-86]
- Adaptive λ estimation in Lagrangian rate-distortion optimization for video coding, L. Chen, Mobilygen Corp. . . [6077-88]

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Computational Imaging Methods for Functional Brain
Mapping and Molecular Imaging
Richard Leahy, Univ. of Southern California
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#### **SESSION 3**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Wed. 9:30 am to 12:05 pm

Special Session: Current Topics in Video Coding

Chairs: Mary L. Comer, Purdue Univ.; Edward J. Delp III, Purdue Univ.

9:30 am: Rate-distortion analysis of SP and SI frames ( <i>Invited Paper</i> ), E. Setton, P. Ramanathan, B. Girod, Stanford Univ
9:55 am: Wyner-Ziv video coding with universal prediction, Z. Li, L. Liu, E. J. Delp III, Purdue Univ
Coffee Break 10:20 to 10:50 am
10:50 am: Hybrid scalable video coding with multiple description and layered coding (Invited Paper), G. Zhang, R. L. Stevenson, Univ. of Notre Dame
11:15 am: Wyner-Ziv video coding: a motion estimation perspective, Z. Li, L. Liu, E. J. Delp III, Purdue Univ
11:40 am: A new approach to motion compensation in spatially scalable video coding (Invited Paper), M. L. Comer, Purdue University
Lunch/Exhibition Break 12:00 to 1:35 pm

#### **SESSION 6**

Conv. Ctr. Room B2 ..... Wed. 9:30 am to 12:00 pm

#### **Computer Vision**

Chair: Dan Schonfeld, Univ. of Illinois at Chicago
9:30 am: Parallel multiple target tracking using multiple cooperative trackers, W. Qu, D. Schonfeld, Univ. of Illinois at Chicago; M. A. Mohamed, Motorola, Inc
9:50 am: Rao-Blackwellised particle filter with adaptive system noise and its evaluation for tracking in surveillance, X. Xu, B. Li, Arizona State Univ
10:10 am: <b>Spatial detection of logos as outliers from the content</b> , A. Ekin, Philips Research Labs. (Netherlands)
Coffee Break 10:30 to 11:00 am
11:00 am: Finding corners in images by foveated search, T. L. Arnow, A. C. Bovik, The Univ. of Texas at Austin
11:20 am: Two-dimensional regularized disparity estimation based on the Gabor transform, X. Huang, E. Dubois, Univ. of Ottawa (Canada)
11:40 am: <b>Plane-based calibration of cameras with zoom variation,</b> C. Yu, G. Sharma, Univ. of Rochester
Lunch/Exhibition Break 12:00 to 2:00 pm

#### Sessions 4 and 7 run concurrently.

#### **SESSION 4**

Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Wed. 1:35 to 3:15 pm

Special Session: Advances in Image/Video Coding and Delivery

Chair: John G. Apostolopoulos, Hewlett-Packard Labs.

1:35 pm: Distributed sender-driven video streaming (Invited Paper), J. Chakareski, P. Frossard, École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (Switzerland)
2:00 pm: Advances in video encoder optimization (Invited Paper, Presentation Only), A. Dumitras, Apple Computer, Inc
2:25 pm: <b>Suprathreshold visual psychophysics and structure-based</b> <b>visual masking</b> ( <i>Invited Paper</i> ), S. S. Hemami, D. M. Chandler, B. Chern, J. A. Moses, Cornell Univ
2:50 pm: Video compression with flexible playback order based on distributed source coding ( <i>Invited Paper</i> ), N. Cheung, H. Wang, A. Ortega, Univ. of Southern California
Coffee Break

#### SESSION 7

Conv. Ctr. Room B2 ..... Wed. 2:00 to 3:00 pm

#### Video Processing

Coffee Break ...... 3:00 to 3:30 pm

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#### **SESSION 5**

#### Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Wed. 3:45 to 5:25 pm

#### Distributed Source Coding

Chair: Majid Rabbani, Eastman Kodak Co.

4:25 pm: Correlation structure analysis for distributed video compression over wireless video sensor networks, Z. He, Univ. of

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#### SESSION 9

#### Conv. Ctr. Room B3 ..... Thurs. 9:30 to 11:40 am

#### Media over Networks

Chair: Paul Salama, Indiana Univ./Purdue Univ. at Indianapolis

9:30 am: <b>Error resilience in network driven Wyner-Ziv video coding,</b> L. Liu, P. Sabria, Purdue Univ.; J. Prades-Nebot, Univ. Politècnica de València (Spain); E. J. Delp III, Purdue Univ
9:50 am: Receiver buffer requirement for video streaming over TCP, T. Kim, Freescale Semiconductor, Inc.; M. H. Ammar, Georgia Institute of Technology
10:10 am: Effective overlay multicast tree constructing algorithm over multiple differentiated-service networks, D. B. Lee, H. Song, Pohang Univ. of Science and Technology (South Korea)
Coffee Break 10:30 to 11:00 am
11:00 am: A novel source rate control algorithm for video streaming over the Internet, Z. Peng, Tsinghua Univ. (China); W. Zeng, Univ. of Missouri/Columbia; C. W. Li, Tsinghua Univ. (China)
11:20 am: <b>Motion-embedded residual error for packet loss recovery of</b> video transmission and encryption, S. Sun, Institute of Information Science (Taiwan); J. Chen, National Central Univ. (Taiwan); C. Lu, Institute of Information Science (Taiwan); P. Chang, K. Fan, National Central Univ.

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Conv. Ctr. Room B2 ..... Wed. 3:30 to 4:30 pm

#### Image Coding

Chair: William A. Pearlman, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

 3:30 pm: A wavelet-based two-stage near-lossless coder with L-infinity error scalability, S. Yea, W. A. Pearlman, Rensselaer Polytechnic

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 3:50 pm: Region of interest access with three-dimensional SBHP algorithm, Y. Liu, W. A. Pearlman, Rensselaer Polytechnic
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 4:10 pm: Optimal JPEG2000 rate control mechanism applicable for super low delay distribution of HDTV programs, S. Naito, A. Koike, Kokusai Dinshin Denwa KK (Japan)
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#### Scalable Video Coding

Chair: John W. Woods, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute 1:30 pm: A new structure of 3D dual-tree discrete wavelet transforms and applications to video denoising and coding, F. Shi, B. Wang, I. W. 1:50 pm: On scalable lossless video coding based on subpixel accurate MCTF, S. Yea, W. A. Pearlman, Rensselaer Polytechnic 2:10 pm: Aliasing reduction via frequency roll-off for scalable image/ video coding, Y. Wu, J. W. Woods, Rensselaer Polytechnic 2:30 pm: Adaptive in-band motion compensated temporal filtering based on motion mismatch detection in the high-pass subbands, A Gao, N. Canagarajah, D. Bull, Univ. of Bristol (United Kingdom) . [6077-53] 2:50 pm: Quality-fluctuation-constrained rate allocation for MCTFbased video coding, Y. Chen, Shanghai Jiao Tong Univ. (China); J. Xu, F. Wu, Microsoft Research Asia (China); H. Xiong, Shanghai Jiao Tong Univ. 

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