

ISRR 2007 Call for Papers

The 13th International Symposium of Robotics Research

--Fundamentals Innovation --

November 26-29, 2007, Hiroshima, JAPAN

<http://www-hh.mech.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp/~mk/ISRR07/>

Objective: The goal of the ISRR Symposium is to bring together active leading robotics researchers from academia, government, and industry to assess and share their views and ideas about the state of the art of robotics, and to discuss promising new avenues for future research. All participants are kindly asked to convey the ISRR spirit where participants should take part in all sessions so that various view points can be input for the symposium. The ISRR is sponsored by the International Foundation of Robotics Research.

Symposium Format: The Symposium will be held in an informal setting with a limited number of participants to encourage close technical and personal interactions. During the four-day Symposium, approximately 50 papers will be presented. The meeting will be organized as a single track meeting, and contributions are solicited that cover all aspects of robotics research. Sessions will be organized in themes, and all sessions will provide ample opportunity for discussion. As in previous years, the proceedings of the Symposium will be published as a book. Attendance will be limited to presenting authors, officers of the International Foundation of Robotics Research, and a small number of invited observers.

Paper Solicitation: While papers are solicited in all areas of robotics, innovative works on fundamental technologies, such as actuator, vision, non-vision sensor, mechanism, and brain science are particularly encouraged for this conference. Submissions may describe technical innovations and discoveries; provide an authoritative view of a research field, or offer well-reasoned speculative judgments about future developments in the field of robotics. All submissions will undergo a competitive review process. Each submission will be reviewed by members of the Symposium Program Committee. The quality of the paper will be, of course, the highest priority for paper selection. Authors new to ISRR are particularly encouraged to submit.

Submission Procedure: Papers must be submitted in single-column at 11pt font or larger, with the text area not exceeding a box of size 11.5cm X 19.5cm. Papers may not exceed 10 pages in length; however, 2 extended pages will also be considered. Speaker's name should be underlined. All papers must be submitted electronically through the following online submission system:

<http://www.ynl.t.u-tokyo.ac.jp/ISRR2007>

Only PDF will be accepted.

Submissions must be received by ~~June 11, 2007, 23:59pm PST~~ June 16, 2007, 12:00 JST.

Important Dates:

Submission deadline ~~June 11, 2007~~ June 16, 2007

Acceptance/Rejection decisions July 31, 2007

Camera-Ready Manuscript August 31, 2007

Symposium Co-Organizers:

General Chair : Makoto Kaneko, Osaka University

Program Chair : Yoshihiko Nakamura, The University of Tokyo

Regional Chair (USA) : Henrik Christensen, Georgia Institute of Technology

Regional Chair (Europe): Raja Chatila, LAAS-CNRS