

# The 2009 International Conference on

# **Brain Informatics – BI 2009**

October 22-24, 2009, Beijing, China

# Call for Papers

http://www.wici-lab.org/amtbi09/ http://www.iwici.org/amtbi09/

# INTRODUCTION

Brain Informatics 2009 will be jointly held with the 2009 International Conference on Active Media Technology (AMT 2009). The two conferences will have a joint opening, keynote, reception, and banquet. Attendees only need to register for one conference and can attend workshops, sessions, exhibits and demonstrations across the two conferences. The AMT-BI 2009 joint conference is sponsored and organized by Web Intelligence Consortium (WIC) (http://wi-consortium.org), and sponsored by Chinese Society of Radiology, International WIC Institute of Beijing University of Technology (http://www.iwici.org/) and National Natural Science Foundation of China (NSFC).

The topics and areas include, but not limited to:

- 1. Thinking and perception-centric investigations of human information processing systems (HIPS):
- \* Human reasoning mechanisms
- \* Human learning mechanisms
- \* Emotion, heuristic search, information granularity, and autonomy related issues in human reasoning and problem solving
- \* Human higher cognitive functions and their relationships
- \* Human multi-perception mechanisms and visual, auditory, and tactile information processing
- \* Methodologies for systematic design of cognitive experiments
- \* Investigating spatiotemporal characteristics and flow in HIPS and the related neural structures and neurobiological process
- \* Cognitive architectures and ACT-R meets fMRI/EEG/MEG
- \* HIPS meets complex systems
- \* Modeling brain information processing mechanisms
- 2. Information technologies for the management and use of brain data:
- \* Human brain data collection, pre-processing, management, and analysis
- \* Databasing the brain and constructing data brain models
- Data brain modeling and formal conceptual models of human brain data
- \* Multi-media brain data mining and reasoning
- \* Multi-aspect analysis in fMRI/EEG/MEG activations
- \* Simulating spatiotemporal characteristics and flow in HIPS
- \* Developing brain data grids and brain research support portals
- \* Knowledge representation and discovery in neuroimaging
- \* Multimodal information fusion for brain image interpretation
- \* Statistical analysis and pattern recognition in neuroimaging
- 3. Applications
  - \* Neuro-economics and neuro-marketing
  - \* Brain-Computer-Interface (BCI)
  - \* Brain/Cognition inspired artifical systems
  - \* Wisdom Web systems based on new cognitive and computational models
  - \* MCI and AD diagnosis
  - \* e-Science and e-Medicine

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Electronic submission of full papers: May 22, 2009
Notification of paper acceptance: June 25, 2009
Camera-ready of accepted papers: July 24, 2009

Conference: October 22-24, 2009

## PAPER SUBMISSION

High-quality papers in all BI related areas are solicited. Papers exploring new directions will receive a careful and supportive review. All submitted papers will be reviewed on the basis of technical quality, relevance, significance, and clarity.

The proceeding of the conference will be published by Springer as a volume of the series of Lecture Notes in Computer Science/Lecture Notes in Artificial Intelligence (LNCS/LNAI). Extensions of selected papers from the proceedings will be considered for publication in special issues of international journals.

Authors are strongly encouraged to use Springer LNCS/LNAI manuscript submission guidelines (available at http://www.springer.de/comp/lncs/authors.html) for their initial submissions. All papers must be submitted electronically in PDF format only, using the conference management tool.

We will also have poster, demonstration, and late breaking result paper sessions. More detailed instructions and a paper submission form can be found the Bl'09 Web page at http://wici-lab.org/amtbi09/

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