

Message from the Program Chairs

The International Conference on Parallel and Distributed Computing, Applications and Technologies (PDCAT 11) is a major forum for scientists, engineers, and practitioners throughout the world to present the latest research, results, ideas, developments and applications in all areas of parallel and distributed computing.

Following PDCAT'00 in Hong Kong, PDCAT'01 in Taipei, PDCAT'02 in Kanazawa, Japan, PDCAT'03 in Chengdu, China, PDCAT'04 in Singapore, PDCAT'05 in Dalian, China, PDCAT'06 in Taipei, Taiwan, PDCAT'07 in Adelaide, Australia, PDCAT'08 in Dunedin, New Zealand, PDCAT'09 in Hiroshima, Japan, PDCAT'10 in Wuhan, China, PDCAT'11 will be held in Gwangju, Korea.

For PDCAT 2011, we received a total of 272 paper submissions from more than 14 countries. Out of these, after a rigorous peer review process, we accepted 76 articles for the PDCAT 2011 proceedings, published by the IEEE. Due to many high quality paper submissions and the lack of space in proceedings, the review process was very tough and we had no choice but to reject several good papers. Each paper was accessed by at least three peer reviewers.

Finally, we would like to thank you all for your participation in our symposium, and thank all the authors, reviewers and organizing committee members.

Thank you and enjoy the conference!

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