Final Call for Papers

IDW ’08 - The 15th International Display Workshops

December 3-5, 2008
Toki Messe Niigata Convention Center, Niigata, Japan

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IDW ’08 will integrate thirteen workshops in specialized fields playing important roles in information display activities. Each workshop will consist of invited and contributed papers for oral and poster presentations. Detailed discussions on each specialized R&D update will be provided. The workshops should be of interest not only to researchers and engineers, but also to those who manage companies and institutions in the display community.

CONFERENCE SITE
Toki Messe Niigata Convention Center is located at the mouth of the Shinano River near JR Niigata Station (20 minutes on foot, 10 minutes by bus or 5 minutes by taxi). Niigata is located in the center of the Japanese Islands and 250 km north of Tokyo. Niigata City can be easily accessed from Tokyo by the JR Joetsu Shinkansen (100 minutes), which arrives approximately every 30 minutes. There are direct flights from New Chitose Airport (75 minutes), Central Japan International Airport (Centrair) (60 minutes), and Osaka Airport (60 minutes) to Niigata Airport. Niigata Airport is also an international gateway with regular flights from Incheon, Shanghai, X'ian and other international cities. It takes 25 minutes by bus from Niigata Airport to JR Niigata Station.

For more information please refer to the following websites:
Toki Messe Niigata Convention Center: http://www.tokimesse.com/english/

DEADLINES AND KEY DATES
Submission of Technical Summary--------- June 27, 2008
Acceptance Notification/Author’s Kit available on the website--------- July 24, 2008
Submission of Camera-ready Manuscript & Abstract--------- September 10, 2008
Submission of Late-News Paper--------- September 26, 2008
Advance Registration--------- November 21, 2008

REGISTRATION FEES
by Nov. 7 after Nov. 7
Member of SID/ITE/ASO* ¥ 30,000 ¥ 40,000
Non-member ¥ 40,000 ¥ 50,000
Student ¥ 8,000 ¥ 10,000
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Keynote Address
• The Rise of “Eco” Televisions: Opportunity or Challenge? Theo J.M. Schoenmakers (Philips)
• QoE Based IPTV Services Jay Kishigami (NTT)

Invited Address
• Learning from Monet: Renown Artists and Display Design Charles M. Falco (Univ. of Arizona)

LANGUAGE
The official language is English.

EXHIBITION
The IDW ’08 Exhibition, which will be held from December 3 through December 5, covers materials, components, manufacturing and measuring equipment, software systems and other related products for display devices. Please join-in and enjoy discussions at exhibitor's booths.
Contact the IDW ’08 Secretariat for detailed information.

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The Advance Program will be available in September 2008, including REGISTRATION and HOTEL INFORMATION.
This workshop will cover all aspects of liquid crystal (LC) science and technologies, ranging from fundamental material research to display and other applications. An in-depth discussion on advanced LC displays will be emphasized.

**Topic Areas**
1) LC materials science (physicochemical, nano-structural and thermal studies)
2) Surface alignment and characterization techniques
3) Electro-optic effect, display mode, optical design and simulations
4) Processing, manufacturing, measuring and evaluation techniques
5) High-performance display featuring excellent image quality
6) Flexible display and electronic paper applications
7) Functional devices for other various applications
8) LC semiconductor and organic electronics
9) LC photonic crystal and lasers

This workshop will cover all aspects of active matrix displays.

**Topic Areas**
1) Fundamental principles, new materials, device structures, fabrication processes, design technologies, evaluation methods, addressing schemes, driving circuits, video electronics, monitor controllers, signal interfaces, display technologies, novel applications, etc.
2) Active devices for active matrix displays: amorphous-Si TFTs, poly-Si TFTs, microcrystalline-Si TFTs, oxide-semiconductor TFTs, compound-semiconductor TFTs, organic TFTs, etc.
3) Display devices for active matrix displays: LCDs, OLEDs, electronic papers, FEDs, microdisplays, etc.

This workshop will cover all aspects of science, technologies and applications of plasma display panels.

**Topic Areas**
1) Fundamental mechanisms
2) Panel configurations
3) Materials, components and fabrication processes
4) Driving techniques, signal processing and image quality

This workshop will cover technology trends and flat panel displays (FPDs) from the perspective of manufacturing, materials, components and systems.

**Topic Areas**
1) Trends in FPD materials, components and systems
2) Technical trends in panel construction
3) Optical materials and systems
4) Color filter materials
5) Lighting materials, components and systems
6) Materials for processes
7) Equipment for processes and measurements
8) Ecology, 3R (Recycle, Reduce and Reuse)

This workshop will include a discussion on current topics in EL displays (ELDs), LEDs and phosphors, and will also deal with phosphor application, phosphor screens for CRTs, plasma displays (PDPs), field emission displays (FEDs) and other emissive displays.

**Topic Areas**
1) Inorganic ELDs (materials, process, devices, drive circuits, etc.)
2) LEDs (materials, devices, panels, lighting, etc.)
3) Phosphors (for CRTs, PDPs, FEDs, VFDs, LEDs, etc.)

The following topics will be covered in this workshop.

**Topic Areas**
1) Fundamental mechanisms and configurations
2) Modeling and simulation
3) Materials, components and fabrication processes
4) Field emission physics and characteristics
5) Driving technologies and signal processing
6) Picture quality, reliability and lifetime
7) Applications
8) Miscellaneous topics related with field emitters
9) Entire field of CRT
Workshop on Organic LED Displays

Workshop Chair: T. Inoue (TDK)

This workshop will cover all aspects of science and technologies of organic LED displays, ranging from materials research and basic device physics to display and other applications.

**Topic Areas**
1) Material (Dyes and Polymers) for organic LED displays
2) Problems related with electrodes and interfaces
3) Device physics and efficiency
4) Display applications
5) Fabrication processes
6) Active and passive matrix circuits and systems
7) Reliability and lifetime
8) Miscellaneous topics related with organic LED displays
9) Fundamental mechanisms and configurations of organic LEDs and organic TFTs
10) Organic TFTs for organic LED displays
11) Light-emitting transistors
12) Organic LED for lightings

Workshop on 3D/Hyper-Realistic Displays and Systems

Workshop Chair: I. Yuyama (Utsunomiya Univ.)

This workshop will cover several current topics encompassing 3D/hyper-realistic displays, systems and other related technologies.

**Topic Areas**
1) Stereoscopic, holographic and other 3D display technologies and systems
2) Immersive, interactive and VR display technologies and systems
3) New applications using 3D/hyper-realistic displays
4) 3D image coding, 2D to 3D conversion, multi-viewpoint representation and other 3D/hyper-realistic image processing
5) Human factor and evaluation of 3D/hyper-realistic display techniques and systems

Workshop on Applied Vision and Human Factors

Workshop Chair: H. Isono (Nippon Inst. of Tech.)

This workshop will cover all aspects of vision, human factors and image quality related with displays, such as the followings.

**Topic Areas**
1) Display image quality: models, metrics and evaluation methods
2) Characteristic display requirements regarding image quality: luminance, contrast, gray-scale, color, resolution, sharpness, viewing angle, etc.
3) Spatio-temporal image artifacts on displays and their improvements
4) Display measurements relevant to human factors
5) Display ergonomics and their standards
6) Legibility and usability issues for text displays or electronic papers
7) Actions and behaviors that are consequences of visually displayed information
8) Visual quality and optometric factors in virtual displays

Workshop on MEMS for Future Displays and Related Electron Devices

Workshop Chair: M. Nakamoto (Shizuoka Univ.)

This workshop will cover all aspects of science and technologies of MEMS for future displays, imaging devices, and related electron devices, ranging from materials research and basic device physics to display and other applications.

**Topic Areas**
1) Displays, imaging devices and other optical and electron devices using MEMS (NEMS)
2) Optical MEMS such as optical scanners, optical switches, optical mirrors, optical space modulators, optical filters, etc.
3) Sensors and actuators for electromagnetic wave, infrared rays, ultraviolet rays, X-rays, visible rays, supersonic wave, hearing, touching, smell, taste, etc.
4) Materials, components and fabrication processes
5) Fundamental mechanisms and configurations
6) Miscellaneous topics related to MEMS displays

Workshop on Projection and Large-Area Displays, and Their Components

Workshop Chair: Z. Tajima (Mobara Atec)

This workshop will cover current topics in projection and large-area displays, and their components.

**Topic Areas**
1) Projector, embedded Projector and projection TV using microdisplays
2) Microdisplay technology for projection
3) Optics and video signal processing for projection
4) Optical components (light source, illumination, screen, lenses, etc.) for projection
5) Algorithm and image processing for large screen displays
6) Digital cinema
7) Large-area display systems

Workshop on Electronic Paper

Workshop Chair: M. Omodani (Tokai Univ.)

This workshop will cover all aspects of electronic paper, rewritable paper, and paper-like display.

**Topic Areas**
1) Display methods for Electronic Paper
2) Materials, components, and fabrication processes
3) Driving techniques
4) Human-interface on Electronic Paper
5) Discussion on concepts of Electronic Paper
6) Electronic book and Electronic newspaper
7) Other applications of Electronic paper
Workshop Chair: H. Okumura (Toshiba)

This workshop will cover all aspects of electronic systems including hardware as well as software on all kinds of displays.

**Topic Areas**

1) Video processing including deinterlace, scaling, and elimination of artifacts and blur
2) High quality color reproduction including high dynamic range and wide color gamut
3) High-fidelity systems such as master monitors
4) Exploration of future standards such as post-HDTV
5) Video interface technologies including data transmission and storage
6) Novel display systems including mobile/auto applications
7) Cooperative operations of functional components
8) Circuit technologies including high speed and low power driving

**Invited Talks**

- **Liquid Crystal Alignment on Patterned Structure**
  Masanori Ozaki (Osaka Univ.)
- **Oxide TFT Backplane Technologies for AMOLED: Recent Development & Technical Issues**
  Yeon-Gon Mo (Samsung SDI)
- **Power Reduction of LC TVs with an Adaptive Dimming Technique for Standard TV Programs**
  Tomokazu Shiga (Univ. of Electro-Commun.)
- **Ultra-Large Area Film Display by Plasma Tube Array Technology**
  Manabu Ishimoto (Shinoda Plasma)
- **Recent Progress of Nitride Phosphors**
  Hajime Yamamoto (Tokyo Univ. of Tech.)
- **FED for Cars**
  Shigeki Ito (Fataba)
- **OLED Technologies for Future TV Application**
  Takatoshi Tsujimura (Kodak Japan)
- **New Materials and New Device Structures for High Performance OLEDs**
  Sehwan Son (LG Chem)
- **Perceived Depth and Size of Real Object and the 2D Image**
  Hirohiko Kaneko (Tokyo Inst. of Tech.)
- **Measurement Standard for Flat Panel Displays**
  Joe Miseli (Sun Microsystems)
- **Super-Slim Laser TV with Newly Developed Laser Light Sources**
  Hiroaki Sugiuara (Mitsubishi Electric)
- **Electrowetting-Based Displays for Portable Multi-Media Devices**
  Johan Feenstra (Liquavista)
- **Recent Molecular Nano Device Progress**
  Iwao Ohdomari (Waseda Univ.)
- **The Dynamic Resolution of Video Display Systems**
  Michiel A. Klompenhouwer (Philips Res. Labs.)

The titles are tentative. Additional invited talks are being arranged.

**IDW Best Paper Award and IDW Outstanding Poster Paper Award**

IDW will present “IDW Best Paper” and “IDW Outstanding Poster Paper” awards. The awards committee of IDW will select the most outstanding papers from those presented at IDW '08. The award winners will be announced on the IDW website and given a plaque after the conference.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMISSION OF TECHNICAL SUMMARY

Submit a Technical Summary via the conference website; http://idw.ee.uec.ac.jp/authinfo.html in PDF or Microsoft Word.

Follow the submission instructions given on the website and shown below. If you have any difficulties with online submission, please send a Paper Application Form and a Technical Summary by June 27, 2008, to the IDW ‘08 Secretariat. The Paper Application Form is available on the conference website. The Technical Summary will be used only for the evaluation and will not be published.

I. Technical Summary Guidelines

The file should be formatted as A4-sized pages. A sample file is available on the website.

One or two pages of text in one column, with additional pages for figures/tables/photographs. It should include the following items:

(1) Paper title
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(d) Impact: Discuss the significance of your work and compare your findings with previously published works.
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Follow guidelines on writing:
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(2) Place figures/tables/photographs after the text to prevent layout disorder when reviewing.
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An acceptance notification will be sent to you via the e-mail address which you indicated on the web.

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TRAVEL GRANTS

A limited number of travel grants will be available to full-time student presenters attending from outside Japan. Check the travel grant application box in step 1 of the online submission mentioned above.

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ACCEPTANCE

You will be notified of the results of your Technical Summary review via e-mail by July 24, 2008. Upon acceptance of the Technical Summary, authors must prepare a camera-ready manuscript to be published in the conference proceedings. The template of the manuscript will soon be available on the conference website. It will be four pages in length and in a two-column format. Acceptance is subject to three conditions: (1) the paper shall comply with IDW copyright rules; (2) the paper shall not have been presented prior to publication; (3) and the manuscript and application forms must be submitted by September 10, 2008.

LATE-NEWS PAPERS

A limited number of late-news papers reflecting important new findings or developments may be accepted. Authors are requested to submit a 2-page camera-ready manuscript on A4-sized pages accompanied by an abstract no later than September 26, 2008. Access to the conference website: http://idw.ee.uec.ac.jp/authinfo.html

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