

CALL FOR PAPERS

The Eleventh International Conference on Information and Management Sciences

in Celebration of the 60th Birthday of Prof. Shu-Cherng Fang

August 3-8, 2012, Dunhuang, China

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The Eleventh International Conference on Information and Management Sciences (IMS2012), one of annual conferences for the International Association for Information and Management Sciences (IMS), will be held in Dunhuang, Gansu Province, China. The goals of the conference are to enhance the global competitiveness of the business enterprises through the application of information and management sciences, and to foster the international collaborations between Asian scholars and scholars from North America, Europe and other parts of the world. Research discussions among participants will also be held during the tour. All abstracts and final papers will be published in the proceedings before the conference. Best paper awards will be presented during the conference. Selected papers will be published in the special issues of *Fuzzy Optimization and Decision Making* (SCI Indexed), *Information: An International Interdisciplinary Journal* (SCI Indexed) and *Journal of Uncertain Systems*. The conference will be also held in celebration of Professor Shu-Cherng Fang's 60th birthday.

The program committee and organizing committee of IMS2012 cordially invite you to submit your paper to this conference. All papers related to the theoretical developments and applications of information and management sciences are welcome. Relevant topics include, but not limited to:

Approximate Reasoning
Artificial Intelligence
Computer Science
Data Mining
Decision Science
Decision Support Systems
Economics
Enterprise Management
Financial Engineering
Fuzzy Logic
Industrial Engineering
Information Systems
Internet & E-Business
Knowledge Representation
Logistics
Machine Learning
Optimization
Operations Management
Operations Research
Probabilistic Model
Soft Computing
Supply Chain Management
Uncertain Logic
Uncertain Programming
Uncertain Statistics
Uncertainty Theory

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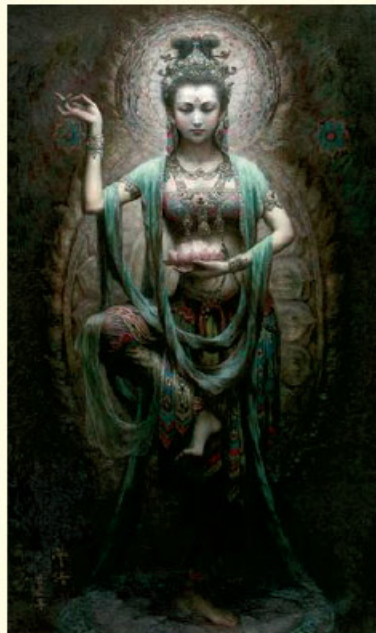
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Papers or abstracts will be accepted in electronic format. Please send electronic submissions to Dr. Xiaowei Chen at ims@math.tsinghua.edu.cn. All submissions will be acknowledged within 10 days. If you do not receive acknowledgment of your submission, please contact the conference secretary.

REGISTRATION FEE

Registration fee includes a copy of the conference proceedings, conference banquets, all meals and social programs. Early registration fee before June 3, 2012 is US\$540.

IMPORTANT DATES

Contributed Papers or Proposals: March 3, 2012
Notification of Acceptance: May 3, 2012
Final Manuscripts Due: June 3, 2012
Early Registration: June 3, 2012
Conference Date: August 3-8, 2012

