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# DCOSS '06 PROGRAM

**SUNDAY, JUNE 18, 2006**

- **Workshop: Euro-American Workshop on Middleware for Sensor Networks (EAWMS)**
- **Workshop: Mobility and Scalability in Wireless Sensor Networks (MSWSN)**

**MONDAY, JUNE 19, 2006**

**7:30 am - 8:20 am** Continental Breakfast

**8:20 am - 8:30 am** Opening Remarks

*Jose Rolim (Steering Committee Chair, Univ. of Geneva, Switzerland)*

*Viktor Prasanna (General Chair, Univ. of Southern California, USA)*

*Phil Gibbons (Program Chair, Intel Research/CMU, USA)*

**8:30 am - 9:35 am** **KEYNOTE: "Structure Discovery and Information Brokerage in Sensor Networks"**

*Leonidas Guibas (Stanford Univ., USA)*

**9:35 am – 9:50 am** Break

**9:50 am - 11:50 am** **SESSION 1: DISTRIBUTED ALGORITHMS & APPLICATIONS**

- Evaluating Local Contributions to Global Performance in Wireless Sensor and Actuator Networks  
*Christopher Rozell, Don Johnson (Rice Univ., USA)*
- Roadmap Query for Sensor Network Assisted Navigation in Dynamic Environments  
*Sangeeta Bhattacharya, Nuzhet Atay, Gazihan Alankus, Chenyang Lu, Burchan Bayazit, Gruia-Catalin Roman (Washington Univ. in St. Louis, USA)*
- Stabilizing Consensus in Mobile Networks  
*Dana Angluin, Michael J. Fischer, Hong Jiang (Yale Univ.)*
- When Birds Die: Making Population Protocols Fault-Tolerant  
*Carole Delporte-Gallet (Universite Paris); Hugues Fauconnier (LIAFA, Paris); Rachid Guerraoui (Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (EPFL)); Eric Ruppert (York Univ.)*
- Stochastically Consistent Caching and Dynamic Duty Cycling for Erratic Sensor Sources  
*Shanzhong Zhu, Wei Wang, Chinya Ravishankar (Univ. of California at Riverside, USA)*
- Distributed Model-Free Stochastic Optimization in Wireless Sensor Networks  
*Daniel Yagan, Chen Khong Tham (National Univ. of Singapore)*

**11:50 am – 1:15 pm** LUNCH (on your own)

**1:15 pm – 3:15 pm** **SESSION 2: PROGRAMMING SUPPORT & MIDDLEWARE**

- Agimone: Middleware Support for Seamless Integration of Sensor and IP Networks  
*Gregory Hackmann, Chien-Liang Fok, Gruia-Catalin Roman, Chenyang Lu (Washington Univ. St. Louis)*
- Gossip Based Multi-Channel Reprogramming for Sensor Networks  
*Limin Wang, Sandeep Kulkarni (Michigan State Univ.)*
- The Virtual Pheromone Communication Primitive  
*Leo Szumel, John Owens (Univ. of California at Davis)*
- Logical Neighborhoods: A Programming Abstraction for Wireless Sensor Networks  
*Luca Mottola, Gian Pietro Picco (Politecnico di Milano)*
- Y-Threads: Supporting Concurrency in Wireless Sensor Networks  
*Christopher Nitta, Raju Pandey, Yann Ramin (Univ. of California at Davis)*
- Comparative Analysis of Push-Pull Query Strategies for Wireless Sensor Networks  
*Shyam Kapadia, Bhaskar Krishnamachari (Univ. of Southern California)*

**3:15 pm – 3:30 pm** Break

**3:30 pm – 5:30 pm** **SESSION 3: DATA AGGREGATION & DISSEMINATION**

- Using Data Aggregation to Prevent Traffic Analysis in Wireless Sensor Networks  
*William Conner, Tarek Abdelzaher, Klara Nahrstedt (Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign)*

- Efficient and Robust Data Dissemination using Limited Extra Network Knowledge  
*Ioannis Chatzigiannakis (Computer Technology Institute); Athanasios Kinalis, Sotiris Nikolettseas (Univ. of Patras and Computer Technology Institute)*
- Distance-Sensitive Information Brokerage in Sensor Networks  
*Stefan Funke (Max-Planck-Institut f. Informatik); Leonidas Guibas, An Nguyen, Yusu Wang (Stanford)*
- Efficient In-Network Processing through Local Ad-hoc Information Coalescence  
*Onur Savas, Murat Alanyali, Venkatesh Saligrama (Boston Univ.)*
- Distributed Optimal Estimation from Relative Measurements for Localization and Time Synchronization  
*Prabir Barooah (UCSB); Neimar Da Silva (Federal Univ. of Rio de Janeiro); Joao Hespanha (UCSB)*
- GIST: Group-Independent Spanning Tree for Data Aggregation in Dense Sensor Networks  
*Lujun Jia, Guevara Noubir, Rajmohan Rajaraman, Ravi Sundaram (Northeastern Univ.)*

**5:30 pm – 7:30 pm**      **Poster Session and Reception**  
**Chair: Jim Reich** (*Palo Alto Research Center, USA*)

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## TUESDAY, JUNE 20, 2006

**8:00 am - 8:30 am**      **Continental Breakfast**

**8:30 am - 9:35 am**      **KEYNOTE: “In-network Adaptation of Sensor Node Location and Energy”**  
*William J. Kaiser (Univ. of California, Los Angeles)*

**9:35 am – 9:50 am**      **Break**

**9:50 am - 10:50 am**      **SESSION 4: SECURITY**

- Distributed User Access Control in Sensor Networks  
*Haodong Wang, Qun Li (College of William and Mary)*
- Locating Compromised Sensor Nodes through Incremental Hashing Authentication  
*Youtao Zhang (Univ. of Pittsburgh); Jun Yang, Lingling Jin (UC Riverside); Weijia Li (Univ. of Pittsburgh)*
- COTA: A Robust Multi-hop Localization Scheme in Wireless Sensor Networks  
*Yawen Wei, Zhen Yu, Yong Guan (Iowa State Univ.)*

**10:50 am - 11:50 am**      **SESSION 5: INFORMATION FUSION**

- Contour Approximation in Sensor Networks  
*Chiranjeeb Buragohain, Sorabh Gandhi (UCSB); John Hershberger (Mentor Graphics); Subhash Suri (UCSB)*
- A Distortion Aware Scheduling Approach for Wireless Sensor Networks  
*Periklis Liaskovitis, Curt Schurgers (UCSD)*
- Optimal Placement and Selection of Camera Network Nodes for Target Localization  
*Ali Ercan, Danny Yang, Abbas El Gamal, Leonidas Guibas (Stanford)*

**11:50 am – 1:15 pm**      **LUNCH (on your own)**

**1:15 pm – 3:15 pm**      **SESSION 6: LIFETIME MAXIMIZATION**

- An Optimal Data Propagation Algorithm for Maximizing the Lifespan of Sensor Networks  
*Aubin Jarry, Pierre Leone, Olivier Powell, Jose Rolim (Univ. of Geneva)*
- Lifetime Maximization under Connectivity and k-Coverage Constraints in Wireless Sensor Networks  
*Wei Mo, Daji Qiao, Zhengdao Wang (Iowa State Univ.)*
- Network Power Scheduling for TinyOS Applications  
*Barbara Hohlt, Eric Brewer (UC Berkeley)*
- Algorithms for Scheduling Wireless Sensor Networks with Rate and Duty-Cycle Constraints over Interference Channels  
*Rajgopal Kannan, Shuangqing Wei (Louisiana State Univ.)*
- MobiRoute: Routing towards a Mobile Sink for Improving Lifetime in Sensor Networks  
*Jun Luo, Jacques Panchard, Michal Piorkowski, Matthias Grossglauser, Jean-Pierre Hubaux (Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (EPFL))*
- SenCar: An Energy Efficient Data Gathering Mechanism for Large Scale Multihop Sensor Networks  
*Ming Ma, Yuanyuan Yang (State Univ. of New York at Stony Brook)*

**3:15 pm – 3:30 pm Break**

**3:30 pm – 4:30 pm SESSION 7: LOCALIZATION**

- A Distributed Linear Least Squares Method for Precise Localization with Low Complexity in Wireless Sensor Networks  
*Frank Reichenbach (University of Rostock)*
- Consistency-Based On-line Localization in Sensor Networks  
*Jessica Feng, Miodrag Potkonjak (University of California at Los Angeles)*
- The Robustness of Localization Algorithms to Signal Strength Attacks: A Comparative Study  
*Yingying Chen, Konstantin Kleisouris, Xiaoyan Li, Wade Trappe, Richard Martin (Rutgers University)*

**4:30 pm DCOSS 2006 concludes**

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