



CollabTech

The Sixth International Conference on Collaboration Technologies
Sapporo, Hokkaido, Japan - August 27-29, 2012
<http://www.collabtech.org>

Scope

CollabTech 2012 will be the sixth international conference on collaboration technologies. Due to marked advances in networking, computing and interaction technologies, we are at the cusp of collaboration technologies being a part of an intricate network of various types of everyday collaborative processes. The conference will provide a platform for the international collaboration technology community to showcase, discuss and deliberate on state-of-the art, emerging new technology developments and understanding the social use of these technologies to improve collaborations. CollabTech would also like to encourage you to use this opportunity to present challenging studies, which may be at a very early stage of their system development, or their exploration of new evaluation methods, but may trigger exciting technology.

Topics

Contributions are solicited in all areas of collaboration technology research and applications. Topics include, but not limited to:

- CSCW system architectures and applications
- Web-based groupware
- Social computing and inter-cultural collaboration
- Collaborative communication systems
- Embodied communication systems
- Shared virtual/augmented environments
- Smart device-based groupware

- Computer supported collaborative learning (CSCL)
- Collaborative entertainment systems

- Computer supported cooperative design (CSCD)
- Social science studies on collaboration



Paper Submission

Submitted papers must be unpublished and not considered elsewhere for publication. Only electronic submissions (PDF) will be considered. There are three paper categories and the maximum page length in each category is Full paper (6 pages), Short paper (4 pages) and Poster paper (2 pages). The proceedings will be published with ISBN. All submitted papers will undergo a rigorous review process managed by the technical program committee.

Important Dates

- Submission of the paper for review
~~March 19, 2012~~ April 1, 2012 (Extended)
- Notification of acceptance
May 28, 2012
- Submission of camera-ready manuscripts
June 25, 2012
- CollabTech2012 Conference
August 27 - 29, 2012

Conference Co-Chairs

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