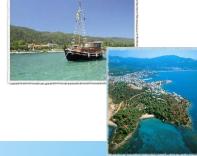
SSMS 2006

Summer School on Multimedia Semantics-Analysis, Annotation, Retrieval and Applications

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4 - 8 September, Pallini Beach Hotel, Chalkidiki, Greece





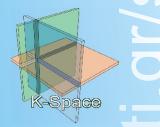
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Understanding and thereby manipulating, multimedia content at the semantic level is the only way towards realizing the full potential of emerging digital media technologies aimed at the delivery of compelling multimedia solutions. The integration of knowledge, semantics and low-level multimedia processing for the purpose of automatic semantics extraction from multimedia content is currently the subject of active research in academia and industry all over the world. The SSMS 2006 summer school, bringing together leading researchers and practitioners, provides postgraduate students the opportunity to gain deeper insight into the challenges related to multimedia semantics and the increasingly emerging applications relying on multimedia understanding, and to familiarize themselves with the diverse disciplines involved.

The Summer School consists of lectures, discussions and interactions with guest lecturers recognised as experts in their fields. Participants will be provided with a copy of all course lectures.

COURSE TOPICS

- Multimedia processing, low-level feature fusion, multimodal techniques
- Knowledge-driven content-based processing
- Multimedia and the Semantic Web
- Multimedia ontologies
- Knowledge-based, context aware inference and reasoning for Multimedia applications
- Semantic adaptation, personalization and retrieval

IMPORTANT DATES

Submission of application 31 May 2006 15 June 2006 **Notification** of participation

30 June 2006 Registration

VENUE

SSMS 2006 will be held in Pallini Beach Hotel, in Kallithea, Chalkidiki. Chalkidiki is a peninsula, 69km southeast of the city of Thessaloniki. Sunny, golden sandy beaches, deep and picturesque gulfs, traditional villages and modern tourist resorts, small islands and sheltered bays, pine-clad hills descending to the sea, Mediterranean climate and magnificent natural beauty compose the picture of today's Chalkidiki.

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