MobiHeld’10 Chairs’ Welcome

It is our great pleasure to welcome you to the 2010 ACM SIGCOMM Workshop on Networking, Systems, and Applications on Mobile Handhelds – MobiHeld’10. This year’s workshop builds on the success of last year’s initial workshop. The mission of the workshop is to generate discussion about the future of computing on handheld devices through presentation of new ideas, preliminary research results, and experience reports from all layers of the mobile-handheld stack.

The call for papers attracted 17 submissions from Asia, Europe, and North America. The program committee accepted 9 papers that cover a variety of topics, including service architectures, wireless networks, and novel user interfaces. The program also includes a keynote speech by Sanjoy Paul on the rapidly evolving functionality of handhelds and their place in the larger computing landscape as well as a poster and demo session. We hope that these proceedings will serve as a valuable reference for researchers and developers interested in handheld computing.

We must also thank our colleagues who helped organize the workshop, including the steering committee, the publicity chair (Vishnu Navda), and the poster/demo chairs (Yuvraj Agarwal and Nilanjan Banerjee). Special thanks go to Adrienne Griscti from ACM. Adrienne is used to organizing the paperwork at ACM to initiate the ACM-Sheridan Proceedings Service. Assisted by Lisa Tolles, she has taken care of processing the papers in a timely manner.

Putting together MobiHeld’10 was a team effort. We first thank the authors for providing the content of the program. We are grateful to the program committee, who worked very hard in reviewing papers and providing feedback for authors. Finally, we thank our sponsor, ACM SIGCOMM, and the program chair of MobiHeld’09, Suman Banerjee for his invaluable advice.

We hope that you will find this program interesting and thought-provoking and that the workshop will provide you with a valuable opportunity to share ideas with other researchers and practitioners from institutions around the world.

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