

Fourth IEEE International Workshop on Information Forensics and Security

Iberostar Anthelia Grand Hotel Costa Adeje, Tenerife, Canary Islands, Spain December 2-5, 2012.

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Event Overview

We are pleased to announce that the Fourth IEEE International Workshop on Information Forensics and Security:

IEEE WIFS'12

that will be held in Tenerife, Spain, December 2-5, 2012.

After three successful events that spun Europe, North and South America, WIFS is now one of the primary venues for publishing innovative researches in information security and digital forensics, and its fourth edition come to reinforce this position, keeping the main characteristics of the workshop. The event is sponsored, organized, and technically advised by the IEEE SPS Technical Committee on Information Forensics and Security.

IEEE WIFS aims at bringing together leading engineers and scientists conducting research on different aspects of information forensics, information security, surveillance, and the systems applications that incorporate these features, in order for investigators to identify potential areas for collaboration across a broader information forensic and security landscape. This year, the workshop will feature 3 keynote speakers and 4 tutorials in addition to the regular scientific programme.

Topics:

- Computer security: intrusion detection, vulnerability analysis, cloud security;
- Biometrics: emerging modalities, fuzzy extractors, attacks and countermeasures;
- Cryptography for multimedia content: multimedia encryption, signal processing in the encrypted domain, traitor tracing codes;
- Data hiding: watermarking, steganography and steganalysis;
- Digital Rights Management (DRM): DRM primitives (secure clocks, proximity detection, etc.), DRM architectures, DRM interoperability;
- Hardware Security: Trojans, identification, PUFS, anti-counterfeiting;
- Forensics analysis: device identification, data recovery, validation of forensics evidence;
- Network Security: monitoring, detection, response, network tomography, surveillance and traceback;
- Usable security and usability aspects of security
- Information Theoretical Security
- Privacy: legal, ethical, social, and economical issues, anonymity;
- (Video) surveillance: arrays of sensors design and analysis, content tracking, events recognition, large crowd behaviour analysis;
- Secure Applications: e-Voting, e-Commerce, IPTV, VoIP, Medical.

Organization:

General chairs:

Pierre Moulin (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA)

Fernando Perez-Gonzalez (University of Vigo, Spain / University of New Mexico, USA)

Technical chairs:

Patrizio Campisi (University of Roma Tre, Italy)

Deepa Kundur (Texas A&M University, USA)

Tutorials chair:

Pedro Comesaña-Alfaro (University of Vigo, Spain)

Participants:

This workshop will gather together more than 120 attendees from across the fields of information forensics and security representing academia, industry and relevant military agencies.

Conference Venue

The conference will be held at the Iberostar Anthelia Grand Hotel in Costa Adeje, at the south of Tenerife. Anthelia Grand Hotel allows an easy combination of work and pleasure when working hours take place in the quietness and wonderful sceneries that the Canaries provide. Heavenly beaches, beautiful landscapes, infinite leisure possibilities, villages with the charm of the colonial legacy, fascinating culture ready to be discovered and the best, a spring-like weather ideal to enjoy all these wonders in every season of the year. Located in one of the most exceptional areas of the islands you will discover an authentic paradise where our workshop events will take place, with an efficient and effective service that will look after every detail we need to enjoy working days really unique.

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IEEE WIFS'12 Tentative Conference Programme

We provide the following provisional schedule for the workshop:

	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4
8:40 - 9:00		Welcome	-	
09:00 - 09:20]	Keynote 1	Keynote 2	Keynote 3
09:20 - 09:40		(Forensics)	(Biometrics)	(Crypto/Security)
09:40 - 10:00				
10:00 - 10:20	Tutorial 1 3			
10:20 - 10:40		Break	Break	Break
10:40 - 11:00		Oral Presentation	Oral Presentation	Oral Presentation
11:00 - 11:20	Break	Session 1	Session 3	Session 4
11:20 - 11:40				
11:40 - 12:00				
12:00 - 12:20				
12:20 - 12:40				
12:40 - 14:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
14:00 - 14:20	Tutorial 2 4	Oral Presentation	Social Event	Oral Presentation
14:20 - 14:40		Session 2		Session 5
14:40 - 15:00				
15:00 - 15:20	Break			
15:20 - 15:40				
15:40 - 16:00				
16:00 - 16:20		Break		Break
16:20 - 16:40		Demo and Poster		Oral Presentation
16:40 - 17:00		Session		Session 6
17:00 - 17:20				
17:20 - 17:40				
17:40 - 18:00				
Evening	Welcome Reception		Banquet	

The proposed schedule may change depending on the number and quality of submissions. This also applies to demos and tutorials. Considering this tentative schedule, the number of presentations could vary between 40 and 50, of 20 minutes each.

Workshop features:

- Tutorials: Up to 4 tutorials, depending on proposals.
- Keynotes: 3 plenary talks.
- Papers: 40-50 papers along with 6 oral presentation sessions and 1 poster session
- Demos: we may organize a demo session, depending on submissions.
- Expected number of attendants: 130

For an update on the program and other activities, please visit IEEE WIFS'12 website at:

http://wifs12.org

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