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WISP-2008

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C.R. Rao Advanced Institute of Mathematics, Statistics and Computer Science, Hyderabad Venue: IIIT Gachibowli Hyderabad, INDIA

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# **CALL FOR PARTICIPATION**

Most data collected and stored in machines is of audio and video type. Indexing and retrieval of this data poses several signal processing challenges. Progress in processing speech and image data will have tremendous impact on the applications of information technology. It is in this context Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Madras, Chennai and the Indian National Academy of Engineering jointly organized the WISP in 2006 at IIT Madras. Last year, IIT Guwahati and the C. R. Rao Advanced Institute of Mathematics, Statistics and Computer Science, Hyderabad (AIMSCS) jointly organized WISP-2007 at IIT Guwahati. This year WISP-2008 is being organized by the International Institute of Information Technology (IIIT) Hyderabad jointly with the C. R. Rao AIMSCS on 13th December 2008 at IIIT Hyderabad with support from British council and DST-CMS project of AIMSCS. The objective of the workshop is to provide an opportunity for students, faculty, scientists and engineers to interact with leading researchers in speech and image processing areas. The workshop includes invited talks from experts in these and related areas from India and abroad. Researchers in academic, government and industrial organizations are encouraged to participate in the workshop. Early registration is recommended due to limit on the number of participants.

# Invited Talks: Saturday, 13th December 2008

- Sarah Hawkins (Cambridge University) Topic: Phonetic Perspectives on Modelling Information in the Speech Signal
- Roger K. Moore (University of Sheffield) Topic: Spoken Language Processing: Where do we go from here ?
- Asoke K. Nandi (University of Liverpool) Topic: Towards Automated Diagnosis of Breast Cancer
- Subhasis Chaudhuri (IIT Bombay) Topic: From Defocus to Depth Via Diffusion

#### **Important Dates:**

Deadline for early registration	:	December 08, 2008
Spot Registration	:	December 13, 2008

### **Registration Details:**

- For registration forms and modes of payment visit at URL: http://wisp.iiit.ac.in
- Registration Fee: Students: Rs. 500, Faculty: Rs. 1000, Others: Rs. 2000

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