

## **ECSCW07 Call for Papers**

The Tenth European Conference on Computer Supported Cooperative Work (ECSCW) will take place in Limerick, Ireland, 24-28 September 2007.

Information on the conference is available at the conference website: [www.ecscw07.org](http://www.ecscw07.org)

The conference is soliciting high quality contributions for a single-track paper program. Papers should present original reports of substantive new work and make clear the novel aspects of the research they present and its contribution to the development of CSCW theory and CSCW systems design.

In particular, the conference welcomes:

- Papers reporting novel techniques and technologies relevant to CSCW;
- Empirical studies of work that contribute to the design space of CSCW;
- And theoretical papers that enhance the conceptual foundations of CSCW.

All papers will be evaluated on their novelty, significance, quality, and contribution to the field. Accepted papers will be included in the conference proceedings published by Springer, will be indexed in digital libraries, and will be made freely available on the web ([www.ecscw.org](http://www.ecscw.org)).

ECSCW 2007 requires that submissions have not been published previously and that papers submitted are not under simultaneous review for any other conference, journal, or other publication.

Papers must be formatted in strict accordance with the ECSCW formatting instructions (see author kit and paper templates available at the conference website) and must be submitted in PDF format. Papers should be up to 20 pages in length; however, it is important that their length is appropriate for their content. Papers must be rendered anonymous to facilitate blind review, and authors should take care throughout their paper that their own and their institution's identity is not revealed. However, relevant references to an author's previous research should not be suppressed, if they are required for reviewers to understand and evaluate the paper's contribution.

All paper submissions will be handled electronically. Details will be available shortly at the ECSCW 2007 website: [www.ecscw07.org](http://www.ecscw07.org)

### **Important dates**

- 23 March 2007 Paper submissions due (electronic submission)
- 8th May 2007 Accept/reject notification
- 8th June 2007 Finished papers (camera-ready electronic submission)

## **Other submission categories**

### **Workshops and Master classes**

These will take place on 22-23 September 2007. Workshops are designed to offer an informal environment for focused group discussion and learning. Workshops may be for half-day or full day sessions. Master classes will offer a small number of participants the opportunity to learn about specific CSCW concepts, methods and techniques from recognised experts.

**Chair: Mark Rouncefield, Lancaster University**

### **Demos & Videos**

Live demonstrations and videos form an important part of the Conference technical programme. Demonstrations of both research prototypes and commercial products by those directly involved in developing the systems are welcomed.

**Chair: Annette Aboulaflia, University of Limerick**

### **Posters**

Poster submissions graphically illustrating original CSCW systems, experiences, or applications are invited. Successful posters will be on show for the duration of the conference.

**Chair: David Pinelle, University of Nevada Las Vegas**

### **Doctoral Colloquium**

Doctoral Colloquium offers PhD students in CSCW the opportunity to present and discuss their work with each other as well as a number of experienced CSCW researchers. Students from all the CSCW related disciplines are encouraged to apply, although numbers will be limited.

**Chairs: Alex Taylor, Microsoft UK and Susanne Bødker, University of Aarhus**

### **Panels**

Panel proposals will be accepted on an ad hoc basis, subject to the approval of the Programme chairs.

For all these categories of submissions, the deadline is **20 April 2007**, and the submission format will be made available soon at the conference website [www.ecscw07.org](http://www.ecscw07.org)

### **Conference Chairs**

- Liam Bannon, University of Limerick, Ireland
- Ina Wagner, Vienna University of Technology, Austria

### **Programme Committee Chairs**

- Richard Harper, Microsoft Research Cambridge, UK
- Carl Gutwin, University of Saskatchewan, Canada

**For a full list of the Programme Committee members, please see:**  
<http://www.ecscw07.org/commitees.html>