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PAPERS

Track 1: PHY and Fundamentals

- Interference characterization
- Cognitive radio, ultra-wideband
- Multihop and cooperative communications
- Modulation, coding, diversity
- Equalization, synchronization, channel estimation
- Space-time coding, MIMO, adaptive antennas
- OFDM, CDMA, spread spectrum
- Channel modeling and characterization
- Interference cancellation and multiuser detection
- Iterative techniques
- Information-theoretic aspects of wireless communications
- Signal processing for wireless communications
- Propagation models for high frequency channels

Track 3: Mobile and Wireless Networks

- Localization for wireless networks
- Network estimation and processing techniques
- Mesh, relay, sensor and ad hoc networks
- Mobility, location, and handoff management
- Mobile and wireless IP
- Wireless multicasting, routing
- Robust routing
- Multimedia QoS and traffic management
- Wireless broadcast, multicast and streaming
- Congestion and admission control
- Proxies and middleware for wireless networks
- Wireless network security and privacy
- Performance of E2E protocols over wireless networks
- Interworking heterogeneous wireless/wireline networks
- Capacity, throughput, outage, coverage

Track 2: MAC and Cross-Layer Design

- Multiple access techniques
- Cognitive and cooperative MAC
- Collaborative algorithms
- MAC for mesh, ad hoc, relay, and sensor networks
- Network information theory
- Radio resource management and allocation, scheduling
- Cross-layer design, cross-layer security
- Software defined radio, RFID
- Adaptability and reconfigurability
- Wireless MAC protocols: design and analysis
- B3G/4G Systems, WiMAX, WLAN, WPAN
- QoS provisioning in MAC

Track 4: Services, Applications, and Business

- Emerging wireless/mobile applications
- Context and location-aware wireless services & applications
- Wireless telemedicine and e-health services
- Intelligent transportation systems
- Cognitive radio and sensor-based applications
- Content distribution in wireless home environment
- Wireless emergency and security systems
- Service oriented architectures, service portability
- SIP based services, multimedia, QoS support, middleware
- Innovative user interfaces, P2P services for multimedia
- Dynamic services, autonomic services
- Regulations, standards, spectrum management
- Test-bed and prototype implementation of wireless services
- Personalization, service discovery, profiles and profiling

CALL FOR TUTORIALS AND WORKSHOPS

Proposals for tutorials and workshops are solicited on hot topics for future wireless communications systems and applications.

CALL FOR PANELS

Panel proposals are also solicited on technical, business and policy-related issues and opportunities for the wireless communications industry.

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A portion of the accepted papers will be presented as posters. The IEEE WCNC 2015 Technical Program Committee will decide which papers will be presented in oral (lecture type) sessions and which papers as posters, and the decisions will be announced to the authors. Choice between oral and poster presentations will be totally independent of the review scores and of the paper quality.

IMPORTANT DATES

Paper submission deadline:	24 August 2014	Tutorial proposals:	24 August 2014
Notification of acceptance:	1 December 2014	Workshop proposals:	1 July 2014
Final Camera-ready papers due:	5 January 2015	Panel proposals:	24 August 2014

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