

EIGHTEENTH INTERNATIONAL JOINT CONFERENCE ON ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE



IJCAI-03

Acapulco Cultural and Convention Center
Acapulco, Mexico
August 9 to 15, 2003

Sponsored by:

The International Joint Conferences on
Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI)

The Mexican Society for
Artificial Intelligence (SMIA)

The American Association for
Artificial Intelligence (AAAI)

In cooperation with the AI Communities
from Argentina, Brazil, Chile and Venezuela

Cosponsors:

Cognet

Hewlett Packard

Instituto Mexicano del Petróleo

Intelligent Information Systems Institute,
Cornell University

Naval Research Laboratory, USA

Oracle de México

Tecnológico de Monterrey (ITESM), Mexico

UK Foresight Cognitive Systems Project,
Office of Science and Technology

Web Intelligence Consortium

www.ijcai-03.org

Contents

IJCAI-03 Awards	3
Invited Speakers	3-4
Exhibit Program	4
Tutorial Program	5
Workshop Program	6
Collocated Conferences / Events	7
Registration Information	8
Hotel Information	9
Acapulco Map	10
Registration Form	11

IJCAI-03 Conference Committee

Conference Chair:

Anthony Cohn
University of Leeds, England

Program Chair:

Georg Gottlob
Technische Universität Wien, Austria

IJCAI Secretary-Treasurer:

Ramasamy Uthurusamy
General Motors Corporation, USA

Local Arrangements Chairs:

Francisco Cantú
Monterrey Tech (ITESM), Mexico
Juan M. Rodriguez
Acapulco Institute of Technology, Mexico

Poster Chair:

Toby Walsh
University College Cork, Ireland

Tutorial Chair:

Peter Stone
The University of Texas at Austin, USA

Workshop Chair:

Mary-Anne Williams
University of Technology Sydney, Australia

Assistants to Program Chair:

Vesna Sabljakovic, TU Wien,
PC Executive Administrator
Bibiane Angerer, TU Wien,
PC Chair Assistant
Jochen Renz,
PC Technical Administrator

Introduction

IJCAI-03 Conference Program

The IJCAI-03 Conference is composed of the following complementary programs:

- The Technical Program, August 12 - 15, including technical paper presentations by top scientists in the field, invited speakers and award winners.
- The Tutorial Program, August 10 - 11.
- The Workshop Program, August 9 - 11.
- The Exhibition, including the AAAI Robot Competition and AAAI Intelligent Systems Demonstrations, August 12 - 14.

IJCAI-03 Official Opening Ceremony and Reception

The Opening Ceremony will be held at the Acapulco Cultural and Convention Center on Monday, August 11, at 6:15 pm. Anthony Cohn, IJCAI-03 Conference Chair, will chair the Opening Ceremony. The opening reception also will be at the Convention Center from 7:15 pm - 9:15 pm.

The opening reception will take place in the Plaza Mexicana at the Acapulco Convention Center. Delegates will be entertained by traditional Mexican music and dancing including the spectacular "Rito de Los Voladores" in which a musician stands on a tiny platform on the top of a high mast while four dancers leap outward and slowly circle downwards, suspended upside down.

IJCAI-03 Conference Banquet
Wednesday, August 13, 2003
Hyatt Regency Acapulco
7:00 - 10:30 pm
Cost: \$50 per person

For Conference, Technical Program, Exhibition, and Registration Inquiries:

American Association for
Artificial Intelligence
445 Burgess Drive
Menlo Park, CA 94025-3442 USA
+ 1-650-328-3123
+ 1-650-321-4457 (fax)
ijcai@aaai.org





Keynote Speaker

Takeo Kanade, Carnegie Mellon University, USA
Computer Vision: AI or Non-AI Problem

Vision is one of the first areas that Artificial Intelligence tackled. Today, however, it appears as if the two fields, Computer Vision and Artificial Intelligence, have very little interaction, and the goal of developing a general vision system, such as understanding natural scenes, continues to be least understood or is almost abandoned. This talk will start with Dr. Kanade's historical perspectives on how this happened, and then present the argument that there is an opportunity to renew the tie between the two fields for the purpose of developing a capable AI-based vision system.

IJCAI-03 Awards

IJCAI Award for Research Excellence

The IJCAI Award for Research Excellence is presented at IJCAI conferences to a scientist who has carried out a program of consistently high quality AI research, yielding several substantial results.

The winner of the 2003 IJCAI Award for Research Excellence is Nils Nilsson, Kumagai Professor of Computer Science at Stanford University, Stanford, USA. Professor Nilsson is recognized for his pioneering work in the use of heuristics, representations, and techniques for building AI systems capable of planning and acting in the real world.

Prof. Nilsson will present his Research Excellence Lecture on Thursday, August 9, 2003.

IJCAI Computers and Thought Award

The Computers and Thought Award is presented at IJCAI conferences to outstanding young scientists in AI. The award was established with royalties received from the book "Computers and Thought", edited by Edward Feigenbaum and Julian Feldman; it is currently supported by income from IJCAI funds.

The winner of the 2003 IJCAI Computers and Thought Award is Tuomas Sandholm, Associate Professor at the Computer Science Department, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, USA. Professor Sandholm is recognized for his contributions to computational economics and the theory and practice of negotiation and coalition formation among computationally bounded agents.

Prof. Sandholm will present the Computers and Thought Lecture on Tuesday, August 7, 2003. This lecture is open to the public.

The Donald E. Walker Distinguished Service Award

The IJCAI Distinguished Service Award was established in 1979 by the IJCAI Trustees to honor senior scientists in AI for contributions and service to the field during their careers.

In 1993, the IJCAI Distinguished Service Award was renamed the Donald E. Walker Distinguished Service Award in memory of the late Donald E. Walker, who shaped the IJCAI organization as a Secretary-Treasurer.

The winner of the 2003 Donald E. Walker Distinguished Service Award is Alan Bundy, Professor of Automated Reasoning at the University of Edinburgh, UK. As a pioneering researcher in the automation of mathematical reasoning, Prof. Bundy is recognized for his outstanding service through his development of AI at Edinburgh, to the AI community of the United Kingdom, and to the international community as Program Chair of the 1983 IJCAI, Conference Chair of the 1987 IJCAI, and Chair of CADE-12.

Technical Conference Program

For the latest information about the conference, please see: www.ijcai-03.org. Details about the technical program will be posted in May 2003. An extended version of this registration brochure is available online.

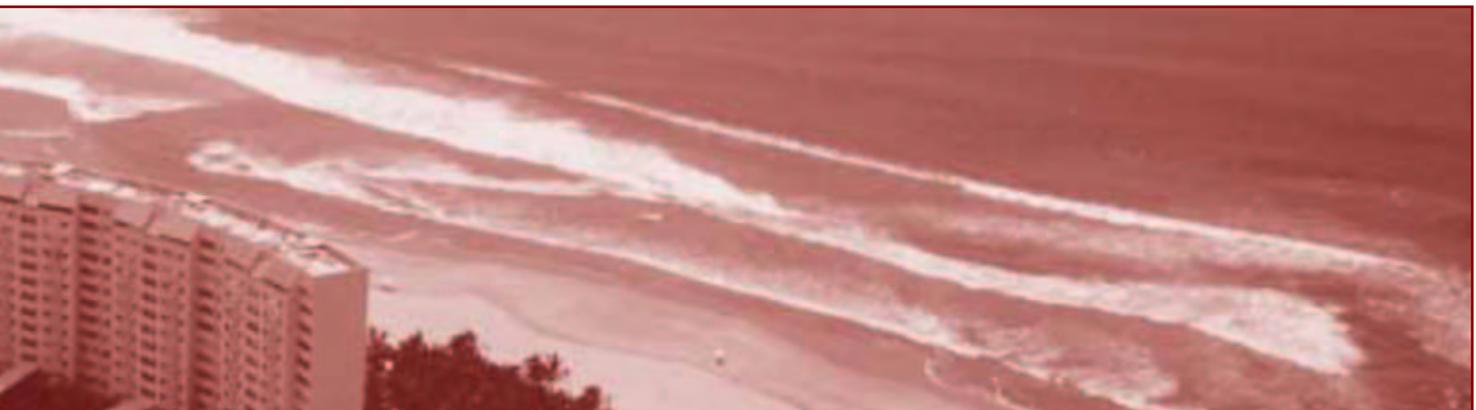


Exhibit Program

The IJCAI-03 Exhibition will be held Tuesday, August 12 - Thursday, August 14, and will comprise a host of events designed to showcase current products, publications, research, and applications in artificial intelligence. Admittance is open to all IJCAI-03 registrants. For more information about the exhibition, please visit the IJCAI-03 web site at www.ijcai-03.org, or write to ijcai@aaai.org.

The Robot Competition and Exhibition

The Twelfth Annual AAAI Mobile Robot Competition and Exhibition, sponsored by the American Association for Artificial Intelligence, brings together teams from universities and other research laboratories to compete, and also to demonstrate state-of-the-art research in robotics and AI. The program will include a robot challenge, a rescue robot competition, an open interaction task, a robot exhibition, and a mobile robot workshop.

General Cochairs

Bruce Maxwell, Swarthmore College,

maxwell@swarthmore.edu

Bill Smart, Washington University St. Louis,

wds@cse.wustl.edu

For more information:

www.palantir.swarthmore.edu/ijcai03

AAAI/IJCAI-03 Intelligent Systems Demonstrations

Continuing advances in Artificial Intelligence research are making it possible to develop intelligent systems in a wide range of application areas. The AAAI/IJCAI-03 Intelligent Systems Demonstrations program showcases state-of-the-art AI implementations and provides AI researchers with an opportunity to show their research in action. The program is intended to highlight innovative contributions to the science of AI with an emphasis on the benefits to be gained from developing and using implemented systems in AI research. Previous year's demonstrations have included speech- and gesture-based systems, AI-based simulators and game-playing systems, several systems using AI on the World-Wide Web for e-commerce and other applications, and even AI pets. System builders will be on hand to present their work, and audience interaction with the systems is encouraged as much as possible.

Invited Speakers

Descriptions are available at the IJCAI-03 website, www.ijcai-03.org.

Special Track- AI and the Web

Monika Henzinger, Google

Web Information Retrieval

Craig Knoblock, University of Southern California, USA

Deploying Information Agents on the Web

Jiming Liu, Web Intelligence Consortium

Web Intelligence: A New Paradigm for Developing the Wisdom Web and Social Network Intelligence

Hannes Werthner, eCommerce and Tourism Research Lab (eCTRL)

ITC-irst and University of Trento, Italy

Intelligent Systems in Travel and Tourism

General Track

Jean-Louis Deneubourg,

University Libre du Bruxelles, Belgium

Optimality of Collective Choice in

Social Insects and Social Robots

Alon Halevy, University of Washington, USA

Data Integration: Successes and Challenges

Phokion Kolaitis, University of California,

Santa Cruz, USA

Constraint Satisfaction, Databases, and Logic

Daniela Rus, Dartmouth University, USA

Modular Robotics

Mosh Vardi, Rice University, USA

Automated Verification = Graphs,

Automata and Logic

Andrei Voronkov, Manchester University, UK

New Trends in Automated Reasoning

Daniel S. Weld, University of Washington, USA

Intelligent User Interfaces: An AI Challenge

Anton Zeilinger, Universität Wien, Austria

Information in Quantum Physics



Tutorial Program

Descriptions of tutorials are available at the IJCAI-03 website www.ijcai-03.org

The IJCAI tutorial program for 2003 features one invited tutorial and 20 four-hour tutorials, each covering a concentrated technical topic of current or emerging interest. Tutorials will be presented by experienced researchers and practitioners who are experts in the corresponding subject area. A separate registration fee applies to each four-hour tutorial. The invited tutorial is open to all registrants.

Sunday, August 10

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

(SA1) AI Techniques for Personalized Recommendation. Anthony Jameson, Joseph A. Konstan and John Riedl
(SA2) Stochastic Search Algorithms. Thomas Stützle and Holger Hoos
(SA3) Multiagent Learning: A Game Theoretic Perspective. Michael Bowling and Michael Littman
(SA4) Behavior-Based Programming of Robots and Multi-Robot Teams. Tucker Balch
(SA5) Ontologies: Representation, Engineering, and Applications. Alexander Maedche and Steffen Staab

2:00 - 6:00 pm

(SP1) Immunological Computation - A new Paradigm in AI. Dipankar Dasgupta and Jonathan Timmis
(SP2) Genetic Algorithms in Search and AI. Darrell Whitley
(SP3) Distributed Constraint Reasoning. Jörg Denzinger, Marius Silaghi and Makoto Yokoo
(SP4) State of the Art in Ant Robotics. Sven Koenig, Israel A. Wagner, Andrew Russell, Richard Vaughan, and David Payton
(SP5) Ontology-Based Information Integration. Ubbo Visser, Heiner Stuckenschmidt and Holger Wache

Monday, August 11

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

(MA1) Market Clearing Algorithms. Tuomas Sandholm
(MA2) SAT Beyond Propositional Satisfiability. Roberto Sebastiani
(MA3) Web Service and Beyond. Munindar Singh and Michael Huhns
(MA4) Multiagent and Agent-Human Teamwork: Theory and Practice. Milind Tambe
(MA5) Resource-Bounded and Time-Critical Reasoning. Lloyd Greenwald and Shlomo Zilberstein

2:00 - 6:00 pm

(MP1) Automated Reasoning for Security Protocol Verification. Alessandro Armando and Fabio Massacci
(MP2) Foundations of Constraint Satisfaction. Roman Bartak
(MP3) Multi-Agent Modeling of Grounded Language Evolution. Luc Steels
(MP4) Recent Developments in Qualitative Spatial and Temporal Reasoning. Hans Guesgen, Frank Anger and Gerard Ligozat
(MP5) Case Based Reasoning for Industrial Knowledge Management. Mehmet H. Goker and Ralph Bergmann

Invited tutorial:

Wednesday, August 13

2:00 - 4:00 pm

Intelligent Information Integration **Maurizio Lenzerini**

Information integration is the problem of combining information residing at different sources, and providing the user with a unified view of this information. The problem of designing information integration systems is important in many current applications and contexts, e.g., the Semantic Web, and is characterized by a number of issues that are interesting both from the point of view of database research, and from the point of view of artificial intelligence. An information integration system requires powerful languages for describing contents of information sources, and for specifying mappings between different sources. It also requires reasoning mechanisms both for the maintenance of the systems,

and for answering queries posed to the integrated representation. It follows that, among the various areas of artificial intelligence, research on knowledge representation and reasoning is relevant to information integration. In this tutorial, special attention will be devoted to the following aspects: modeling an information integration application, including representing mappings between sources, processing queries posed to the integrated representation, and dealing with inconsistent information coming from independent sources.

Maurizio Lenzerini, Full Professor at University of Rome "La Sapienza" (Italy), is leading a research group working on Database and Artificial Intelligence, and in particular on Description Logics, Knowledge Representation and Reasoning, Information Integration, Conceptual and Semantic Information Modeling, Semi-structured Data Management, Modeling and Reasoning on E-services.

Workshop Program

(By Invitation Only)

The workshops will take place August 9 - 11, 2003. They are arranged in eight tracks or themes. Participation is limited to those invited by the workshop organizers prior to the conference. Detailed descriptions and submission guidelines for each workshop can be found on the IJCAI-03 workshop web site.

Saturday, August 9	Sunday, August 10	Monday, August 11
<p>Agent-Oriented Systems</p> <p>AOS-1: Cognitive Modeling of Agents and Multi-Agent Interactions.</p> <p>AOS-2: Ontologies and Distributed Systems.</p>	<p>AOS-3: Multiagent for Mass-User Support.</p>	<p>AOS-5: Agents and Automated Reasoning.</p> <p>AOS-4: Issues in Designing Physical Agents for Dynamic Real-Time Environments: World modeling, planning, learning, and communicating.</p>
<p>AI Applications</p> <p>APP-1: Intelligent Computing in Petroleum Industry.</p>	<p>APP-3: Environmental Decision Support Systems.</p> <p>APP-2: Knowledge and Reasoning in Practical Dialog Systems.</p>	<p>APP-5: Methods for Automatic Music Performance and their Applications in a Public Rendering Contest.</p> <p>APP-4: Trading Agent Design and Analysis.</p>
<p>Constraints</p> <p>CON-1: Distributed Constraint Reasoning.</p>	<p>CON-2: Model Checking and Artificial Intelligence.</p>	<p>CON-3: Stochastic Search Algorithms.</p>
<p>Creativity and Interaction</p> <p>CI-1: Mixed-Initiative Intelligent Systems.</p> <p>CI-2: Creative Systems: Approaches to Creativity in AI and Cognitive Science. (two-day)</p>		
<p>Knowledge Representation and Reasoning</p> <p>KRR-2: Computational Models of Natural Argument.</p> <p>KRR-3: Reasoning with Uncertainty in Robotics.</p> <p>KRR-1: Spatial and Temporal Reasoning.</p>	<p>KRR-5: Knowledge Representation and Automated Reasoning for E-Learning Systems.</p> <p>KRR-4: Nonmonotonic Reasoning, Action and Change. (two-day)</p>	<p>KRR-6: Knowledge Management and Organizational Memories.</p>
<p>Machine Learning and Data Mining</p> <p>ML-1: Text-Mining and Link-Analysis.</p>	<p>ML-2: Computational Approaches to Style Analysis and Synthesis.</p>	<p>ML-3: Learning Statistical Models from Relational Data.</p>
<p>Multidisciplinary</p> <p>MD-1: Learning Graphical Models for Computational Genomics.</p>	<p>MD-2: AI and Automatic Computing: Developing a Research Agenda for Self-Managing Computer Systems.</p>	<p>MD-4: AI Moves to IA: Artificial Intelligence, Information Access, and Mobile Computing.</p> <p>MD-3: Configuration.</p>
<p>Web Related</p> <p>WEB-1: Information Integration on the Web. (two-day)</p>		<p>WEB-2: Intelligent Techniques for Web Personalization.</p>

Collocated Conferences / Events

IAAI-03 Conference

August 12 - 14, 2003

IAAI-03 attendance is free to all IJCAI-03 Technical Program registrants.

Attend IAAI-03 sessions while you're at IJCAI!

The Fifteenth Annual Conference on Innovative Applications of Artificial Intelligence (IAAI-03) is the premier venue for learning about AI's impact through deployed applications and emerging AI technologies and applications. Case studies of deployed applications with measurable benefits arising from the use of AI technology provide clear evidence of the impact and value of AI technology to today's world. IAAI-03 augments these case studies with papers and invited talks that address emerging areas of AI technology and applications. The Emerging Applications track enables developers to learn about tools and techniques enabling the creation of the next generation of AI applications. Through this program, AI researchers will learn about challenges of real-world domains, the utility of specific AI techniques for applications domains, and the difficulties and successes in deploying AI applications in these domains.

IAAI-03 will address the full spectrum of AI techniques in practice. IAAI-03 has specifically sought out applications of these techniques in novel ways and to novel applications. Come see the new ways AI is making the world a better place!

In addition IAAI-03 will continue to highlight AI companies: how they are born and survive, and lessons learned from both recent startups and AI companies with a longer track record.

IAAI is organized in conjunction with the IJCAI program, with coordinated schedules and single registration to allow attendees to move freely between IAAI and IJCAI sessions. We invite you to contribute to the dialog between basic and applied AI.

John Riedl, University of Minnesota, IAAI-03 Chair
Randall Hill, University of Southern California,
IAAI-03 Cochair

See www.aaai.org/Conferences/IAAI/2003/iaai03.html

UAI 2003 Conference

August 7 - 10, 2003

A discounted registration fee to UAI 2003 will be offered to all IJCAI-03 registrants.

Since 1985, the Conference on Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence (UAI) has been the primary international forum for presenting new results on the use of principled methods for reasoning under uncertainty within intelligent systems. The scope of UAI is wide, including, but not limited to, representation, automated reasoning, learning, decision making and knowledge acquisition under uncertainty.

The Nineteenth Conference on Uncertainty in Artificial Intelligence (UAI-2003) will be held on August 8-10, with advanced tutorials held August 7th.

General Conference Chair:
Adnan Darwiche, University of California, Los Angeles

Conference Co-Chair:
Nir Friedman, Hebrew University, Israel

Program Co-Chairs:
Chris Meek, Microsoft Research and Uffe Kjærulff, Hugin
Expert A/S, Denmark

Local Arrangements Chair:
Luis Enrique Sucar, ITESM, Mexico

For more information, please see:
research.microsoft.com/uai2003/

Second Americas School on Agents and Multiagents, 2003. (ASAM'03)

August 7-9, 2003

(additional registration fee)

Organizing committee:
Randall Hill, Jr (Chair), University of Southern California
Milind Tambe, University of Southern California
Barbara Grosz, Harvard University
Victor Lesser, University of Massachusetts, Amherst

For more information, please see:
agents.usc.edu/agents/school

IJCAI-03 Student Programs

AAAI, ACM/SIGART and IJCAI Doctoral Consortium

The Eighth AAI/SIGART/IJCAI Doctoral Consortium will be held Sunday and Monday, August 10 - 11, from 8:30 AM - 6:00 PM. The Doctoral Consortium provides an opportunity for a group of Ph.D students to discuss and explore their research interests and career objectives in an interdisciplinary workshop together with a panel of established researchers.

For more information about the AAI/SIGART/IJCAI DC-2003, please visit www.ijcai-03.org, or contact Marie desJardins, 2003 Chair, at mariedj@cs.umbc.edu.

Support for the 2003 Doctoral Consortium is provided by ACM's SIGART, AAI, and IJCAI.



Registration Information

Onsite registration will be located in the Huitzucó Room of the Acapulco Convention Center, Av. Costera Miguel Alemán 4455, Acapulco, Gro. Mexico. Registration hours will be Saturday, August 9 - Monday, August 11, 7:30 am - 6:00 pm; Tuesday August 12 - Thursday, August 14, 8:00 am - 6:00 pm, and Friday, August 15, 8:00 am - 12:00 pm. Registration hours are subject to modification. Please refer to the IJCAI-03 web site for further information. All attendees must pick up their registration packets for admittance to programs.

For preregistration, please fill out the form enclosed with this brochure, or register online at www.ijcai-03.org. Preregistrations will be accepted in US dollars only. Onsite registrations will be accepted in US dollars or Mexican pesos. Mexican fees will be listed on the onsite registration form, and will be based on exchange rates at the time of printing.

Early registration must be postmarked by: May 30, 2003
Late registration must be postmarked by: June 30, 2003

IJCAI-03 Technical Program

IJCAI-03 technical program registration includes admission to all technical paper sessions, invited talks and panels, the IJCAI-03 Exhibition, the IJCAI-03 opening ceremony and reception, the IJCAI-03 conference proceedings, and the IAAI-03 conference and proceedings.

In addition, early IJCAI-03 registrants are entitled to a discount at the UAI conference. For more information about how to register for UAI, please visit the UAI 2003 web site at: robotics.stanford.edu/~uai03/.

Technical Program Fees

Early Regular	\$495 USD
Early Student	\$135 USD
Late Regular	\$675 USD
Late Student	\$200 USD
Onsite Regular	\$800 USD
Onsite Student	\$250 USD

Tutorial Program

August 10 -11

Registrants for the IJCAI-03 technical program are encouraged to participate in the tutorial program at the fees listed below. Prices quoted are per tutorial. Tutorial program registration includes admittance to one tutorial, the IJCAI-03 Exhibition, and one tutorial syllabus. A maximum of four may be taken due to parallel schedules.

Tutorial Fees

Early Regular	\$100 USD
Early Student	\$ 25 USD
Late Regular	\$190 USD
Late Student	\$ 65 USD
Onsite Regular	\$245 USD
Onsite Student	\$110 USD

Tutorial Only Fees

(No technical registration; price per tutorial)

Tutorial Only Regular	\$300 USD
Tutorial Only Student	\$125 USD

Workshop Program

August 9 - 11

Workshop registration is limited to those active participants determined by the organizer prior to the conference. All IJCAI-03 workshop participants must be registered for the IJCAI-03 technical program. An additional workshop fee is required for each workshop attended.

Workshop registration includes admittance to one workshop and the working notes for that workshop (if available).

One-Day Workshop Regular Fee	\$ 85 USD
Two-Day Workshop Regular Fee	\$155 USD
One-Day Workshop Student Fee	\$ 70 USD
Two-Day Workshop Student Fee	\$120 USD

IJCAI-03 Banquet

Wednesday, August 13, 2003

The IJCAI-03 Banquet will be held at the Hyatt Regency Acapulco (see page 2)

Banquet Fee	\$ 50 USD
-------------	-----------

Accompanying Persons

Accompanying persons are entitled to attend the Official Opening Ceremony, the Opening Reception and visit the IJCAI-03 Exhibition.

Accompanying person Fee	\$ 75 USD
-------------------------	-----------

Payment and Registration Information

Prepayment of registration fees is required. Preregistration checks, international money orders, bank transfers and traveler's checks must be in US dollars. Onsite transactions may also be in Mexican pesos. American Express, VISA, MasterCard, and US government purchase orders are also accepted. Student registrations must be accompanied by proof of full-time student status. Registrations postmarked after the June 30 deadline will be subject to onsite registration fees. The deadline for refund requests is July 7, 2003. All refund requests must be in writing. A \$75.00 USD processing fee will be assessed for all refunds granted. All refunds will be made at the conclusion of the conference. Note: In case of conference cancellation for reasons beyond the control of IJCAI-03 organizers, the liability of the IJCAI-03 organization is limited to the fees already paid by the registrants and it especially will not be responsible for any personal inconveniences that may arise.

Registration forms and inquiries should be directed to:

IJCAI-03 Registration
AAAI
445 Burgess Drive
Menlo Park, CA 94025 USA
Tel: + 1-650-328-3123
Fax: + 1-650-321-4457
email: ijcai@aaai.org



General Information

Accommodations

Hotels

IJCAI-03 has reserved a block of rooms in Acapulco properties at reduced conference rates. Conference attendees must contact the hotel of their choice directly and identify themselves as IJCAI-03 registrants to qualify for the reduced rates. Please note the cut-off date for reservations and the reservation method and information under each hotel. Rooms will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. All rooms are subject to state, local, and occupancy taxes (17 % at press time) and are based on US Dollars single or double occupancy.

Hyatt Regency Acapulco (Headquarters Hotel)

Av Costera Miguel Alemán No 1
Acapulco, Guerrero 39869

México

Reservation Code: Artificial 03

Tel: + 52 744 469 1234 (Reservations)

Fax: + 52 744 484 3087

USA, Canada and the Caribbean,

Toll Free 1 800 233 1234

Reservations by email:

reservehyatt@prodigy.net.mx

www.acapulco.regency.hyatt.com or

www.hyattacapulco.com.mx

Standard Ocean View* \$108.00 USD

Regency Club Ocean View* \$135.00 USD

Tower Suite Ocean View* \$210.00 USD

* Single/Double

The following tips will be automatically applied to guest's hotel bill:

Bell Boys \$4.00 per person in/out

Maid Service \$1.50 per person per night

Check-in Time: 3:00 pm

Check-out Time: 1:00 pm

Cut-off date for reservations: June 27, 2003

Distance to Convention Center:

5 minutes by car or bus or 20 minutes by foot.

Camino Real Acapulco Diamante

Carretera Escenica Km 14

Baja Catita S/N

Fracc Pichilingue Diamante

Acapulco, México, 39867

Code Reservation: Artificial 03

Tel: +52 744 435-1010 (Reservations)

Fax: +52 744 435-1020

USA, Canada and the Caribbean,

Toll Free 1 800 7- CAMINO

Reservations by email:

aca@caminoreal.com or

acaventas@caminoreal.com

www.caminoreal.com/

Single/Double \$120.00 USD

Check-in Time: 3:00 pm

Check-out Time: 1:00 pm

Cut-off date for reservations: June 27, 2003

Distance to Convention Center: 20-30 minutes by car.

Limited complimentary daily shuttle service to and from Acapulco Convention Center in morning and evening.

Student Accommodations

IJCAI-03 has reserved a block of economy rooms at the Casa Inn Acapulco for student/economy accommodations during the conference.

Casa Inn Acapulco

Costera Miguel Aleman No. 2310

Acapulco, Guerrero. 39840

Mexico

Reservation Code: Artificial 03

Tel: +52 744 435 20 20 (Reservations)

Fax: +52 744 4 35 20 37

Reservations by email:

reserva@casainn.com

www.casainnacapulco.com.mx

Single/Double/Triple/Quad \$ 600.00 PESOS

Check-in Time: 1:00 pm

Check-out Time: 3:00 pm

Cut-off date for reservations: June 27, 2003

Distance to Convention Center: 3 blocks or 10 minutes by foot.

Disclaimer: In offering Hyatt Regency Acapulco, Camino Real Diamante, Casa Inn Acapulco, Acapulco Convention Center, Convention Center Group and all other service providers, (hereinafter referred to as "Supplier(s)") for the International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence and the Innovative Applications Conference, IJCAI-03 sponsors act only in the capacity of agent for the Suppliers which are the providers of the service. Because the IJCAI-03 sponsors have no control over the personnel, equipment or operations of providers of accommodations or other services included as part of the IJCAI-03 or IAAI-03 program, IJCAI-03 sponsors assume no responsibility for and will not be liable for any personal delay, inconveniences or other damage suffered by conference participants which may arise by reason of (1) any wrongful or negligent acts or omissions on the part of any Supplier or its employees, (2) any defect in or failure of any vehicle, equipment or instrumentality owned, operated or otherwise used by any Supplier, or (3) any wrongful or negligent acts or omissions on the part of any other party not under the control, direct or otherwise, of the IJCAI-03 sponsors.

Location and Travel

Please visit Acapulco web sites for current information regarding airlines, rental cars, restaurants, and tourist information. We suggest the following:

www.allaboutacapulco.com

acapulco.go2mexico.com

visitmexico.com

admin@convention-center.net





IJCAI-03 Preregistration Application

Name _____ Company/Univ. _____
Home Work

Address _____ Dept./MS _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Country _____ Daytime Phone & Fax _____

E-mail Address _____

Circle all courses and fees that apply.	Early Registration Rates Postmarked by May 30				Late Registration Rates Postmarked by June 30				TOTAL
	Regular		Student		Regular		Student		
IJCAI-03 Technical Program Including IAAI-03	\$495		\$135		\$675		\$200		_____
Tutorial Program <i>(See brochure for descriptions)</i>	Regular		Student		Regular		Student		_____
	<i>with tech</i>	<i>without tech</i>	<i>with tech</i>	<i>without tech</i>	<i>with tech</i>	<i>without tech</i>	<i>with tech</i>	<i>without tech</i>	
8/10 AM SA1 SA2 SA3 SA4 SA5	\$100	\$300	\$25	\$125	\$190	\$300	\$65	\$125	
8/10 PM SP1 SP2 SP3 SP4 SP5	\$100	\$300	\$25	\$125	\$190	\$300	\$65	\$125	
8/11 AM MA1 MA2 MA3 MA4 MA5	\$100	\$300	\$25	\$125	\$190	\$300	\$65	\$125	
8/11 PM MP1 MP2 MP3 MP4 MP5	\$100	\$300	\$25	\$125	\$190	\$300	\$65	\$125	_____
1-Day Workshops <i>(By invitation only)</i>	\$85 each (Students: \$70 each). List workshops code(s) _____								_____
2-Day Workshops <i>(By invitation only)</i>	\$155 each (Students: \$120 each). Circle workshops code(s) WEB-1 CI-2 KRR-4								_____
Banquet	\$50 per person								_____
Accompanying Persons <i>(Spouse, child, or guest) Includes Opening Reception and Exhibition (but not Banquet)</i>	\$75 per person Number of persons: _____								_____

Method of Payment *(Circle One):*

MC Visa Amex Check (payable to IJCAI-03 and drawn on a USA Bank) US Govt. PO

Card Number _____ Exp. Date _____

Name (as it appears on card) _____ Signature _____

ALL REFUND REQUESTS MUST BE MADE IN WRITING. The refund request deadline is July 7, 2003. A \$75 processing fee will be assessed for all refunds granted.

Registrations received after June 30 are subject to on-site rates. On-site registration will be in the Huitzucó Room of the Acapulco Convention Center, Av. Costera Miguel Alemán 4455, Acapulco, Gro. México. Registration hours will be Saturday, August 9 - Monday, August 11, 7:30 am - 6:00 pm; Tuesday August 12 - Thursday, August 14, 8:00 am - 6:00 pm, and Friday, August 15, 8:00 am - 12 pm. Registration hours are subject to modification.

Send with payment to IJCAI-03, American Association for Artificial Intelligence, 445 Burgess Drive, Menlo Park, CA 94025-3442
 650 / 328-3123; Fax: 650 / 321-4457

Total Enclosed

