Calendar of Events

July 1999

JULY 5–16
Advanced Course on Artificial Intelligence 1999: "Machine Learning and Applications." Chania, Crete, Greece

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JULY 6–9
1999 Congress on Evolutionary Computation. Washington, DC

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JULY 10–16
International Joint Conference on Neural Networks (IJCNN'99). Washington, DC

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  International Neural Network Society and the Neural Networks Council of the IEEE; in cooperation with AAAI
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JULY 12–15
Seventh International Conference on Conceptual Structures. Blacksburgh, VA

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JULY 13–17
Genetic and Evolutionary Computation Conference (GECCO–99). Orlando, FL

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JULY 15–17
Sixth International Workshop on Agent Theories, Architectures and Languages (ATAL-99). Orlando, FL

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JULY 18–22
Sixteenth National Conference on Artificial Intelligence. Orlando, FL

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JULY 19–21
Eleventh Innovative Applications of Artificial Intelligence Conference. Orlando, FL

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JULY 27–30
Third International Conference on Case-Based Reasoning. Monastery Seeon, Munich, Germany

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GECCO-99
Genetic and Evolutionary Computation Conference

July 13 - 17 (Tuesday - Saturday), 1999, Omni Rosen Hotel, Orlando, Florida USA

Eighth International Conference on Genetic Algorithms (ICGA-99) and the
Fourth Annual Genetic Programming Conference (GP-99)

HELD THE WEEK PRIOR TO AAAI-99 IN ORLANDO AT THE SAME VENUE.

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August 1999

AUGUST 6–10
Intelligent Systems for Molecular Biology (ISMB '99). Heidelberg, Germany

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AUGUST 9–11
Third International Symposium on Intelligent Data Analysis (IDA-99). Amsterdam, The Netherlands

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AUGUST 9–12
IASTED International Conference on Artificial Intelligence and Soft Computing 1999. Honolulu, HI

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AUGUST 16–20
Fourth Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society of Ireland. Dublin, Ireland

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AUGUST 19–21
Twenty-First Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society. Vancouver, BC, Canada

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AUGUST 25–29
Conference on Spatial Information Theory. Stade, Germany

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September 1999

SEPTEMBER 13–17
ECAL–99. The 1999 LATSIS Conference. Lausanne, Switzerland

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October 1999

OCTOBER 25-29
EuroLabAutomation'99. London, UK

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NOVEMBER 9–11
ICTAI'99, 11th IEEE International Conference on Tools with Artificial Intelligence. Chicago, IL

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December 1999

DECEMBER 14–17
The First Asia-Pacific Conference on Intelligent Agent Technology. Hong Kong

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JANUARY 9–12
International Conference on Intelligent User Interfaces (UIU-2000). New Orleans, LA

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MAY 13–16
ANNIMAB-1, an International Conference on Artificial Neural Networks in Medicine and Biology. Gothenburg, Sweden

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June 2000

JUNE 19-22
Thirteenth International Conference on Industrial & Engineering Applications of Artificial Intelligence & Expert Systems. New Orleans, LA

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  ACM/SIGART
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