

Spring Calendar of AI Events

May 2008

MAY 1–5

Robot Taiwan: Taiwan International Robot Exhibition, Taipei, Taiwan R.O.C.

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MAY 4–8

WEBIST 2008. Funchal – Madeira, Portugal

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MAY 11–15

ICINCO 2008 — International Conference on Informatics in Control, Automation and Robotics, Funchal, Madeira, Portugal

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MAY 12–13

Organised Adaptation in Multi-Agent Systems (OAMAS 08). Estoril, Portugal

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MAY 28–30

Computational Models of Argument. Toulouse, France

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June 2008

JUNE 2–4

Smartgraphics 2008. Rennes, France

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JUNE 10

Second International Workshop on Juris-informatics (JURISIN 2008). Asahikawa, Japan

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JUNE 9–12

MRC 2008 — The Fifth International Workshop on Modeling and Reasoning in Context. Delft, The Netherlands

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JUNE 12–13

First International Conference on Human-Robot personal Relationships. Maastricht, The Netherlands

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JUNE 12–16

Tenth International Conference on Enterprise Information Systems (ICEIS 2008). Barcelona, Spain

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JUNE 23–27

Ninth International Conference on Intelligente Tutoring Systems (ITS'2008). Montreal, QC Canada

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JUNE 24–26

22nd International Workshop on Qualitative Reasoning. Boulder, CO USA

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JUNE 25–28

Robotics: Science and Systems. Zurich, Switzerland

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July 2008

JULY 7–10

International Conferences on Artificial Intelligence and Pattern Recognition (AIPR-08), Automation, Robotics and Control Systems (ARCS-08), and Enterprise Information Systems and Web Technologies (EISWT-08). Orlando, FL USA

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JULY 13–17

Twenty-Third AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-08). Chicago, Illinois, USA

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Twentieth Innovative Applications of Artificial Intelligence Conference (IAAI-08). Chicago, Illinois, USA

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JULY 21–22

The Fourth IET International Conference on Intelligent Environments (IE 08). Seattle, WA USA

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JULY 21–25

Eighteenth European Conference on Artificial Intelligence. Patras, Greece

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JULY 23–25

Intelligent Autonomous Systems 10. Baden-Baden, Germany

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JULY 28–AUGUST 1

Third IEEE International Workshop on Engineering Semantic Agent Systems (ESAS 2008). Turku, Finland, Finland

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August

AUGUST 27–29

Smart Graphics 2008. Rennes, FRANCE

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SEPTEMBER 1–3

The Eighth International Conference on Intelligent Virtual Agents. Tokyo, Japan

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SEPTEMBER 3-5

Twelfth International Conference on Knowledge-Based and Intelligent Information and Engineering Systems. Zagreb, Croatia

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SEPTEMBER 14-18

International Conference on Automated Planning and Scheduling. Sydney, Australia

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SEPTEMBER 16-19

Eleventh International Conference on Principles of Knowledge Representation and Reasoning (KR 2008). Sydney, Australia

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SEPTEMBER 22-24

ANTS 2008, Sixth International Conference on Ant Colony Optimization and Swarm Intelligence. Brussels, Belgium

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SEPTEMBER 23-26

IEEE International Conference on Web Services (ICWS 2008). Beijing, China

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November

NOVEMBER 7-9

AAAI 2008 Fall Symposia. Arlington VA USA

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Puzzle Solutions

AI History Sudoku

	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
A	1	9	5	6	4	8	7	2	3
B	7	8	6	1	2	3	9	4	5
C	3	2	4	9	5	7	1	6	8
D	2	3	7	4	8	1	6	5	9
E	4	5	8	7	6	9	3	1	2
F	6	1	9	5	3	2	8	7	4
G	9	7	2	3	1	4	5	8	6
H	5	4	1	8	9	6	2	3	7
I	8	6	3	2	7	5	4	9	1

Letter Sudoku

	A	H	W	R	C	K	T	M	O
A	C	M	O	W	T	H	K	A	R
H	K	R	T	O	A	M	H	W	C
W	W	K	R	T	H	C	A	O	M
R	M	A	C	K	W	O	R	T	H
C	O	T	H	M	R	A	C	K	W
T	R	W	K	C	O	T	M	H	A
M	T	O	A	H	M	R	W	C	K
O	H	C	M	A	K	W	O	R	T

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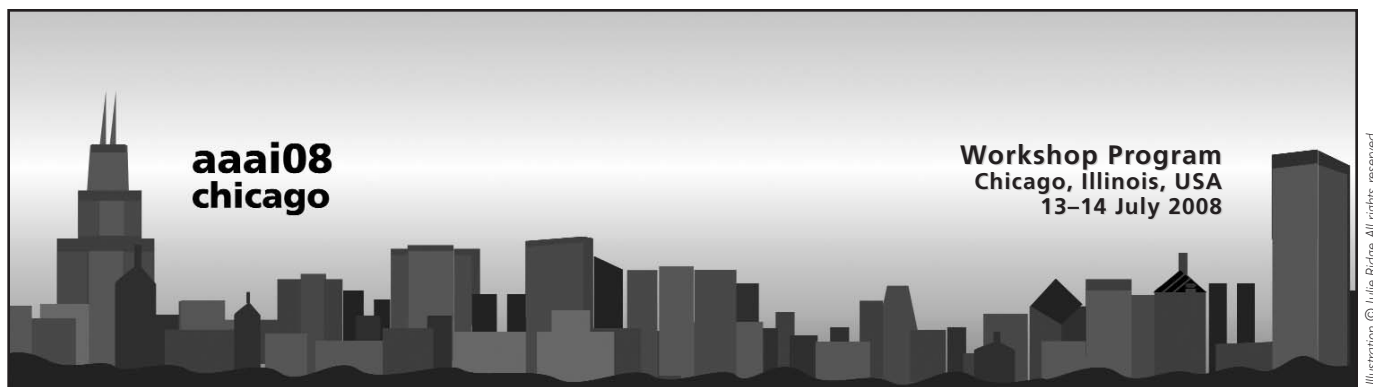
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- Enhanced Messaging
- Human Implications of Human-Robot Interaction
- Intelligent Techniques for Web Personalization and Recommender Systems
- Metareasoning: Thinking about Thinking
- Mobile Robot Workshop
- Multidisciplinary Workshop on Advances in Preference Handling
- Search in Artificial Intelligence and Robotics
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- What Went Wrong and Why: Lessons from AI Research and Applications
- Wikipedia and Artificial Intelligence: An Evolving Synergy

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- April 7: Submissions due (unless noted otherwise)
- April 21: Notification of acceptance
- May 5: Camera-ready copy due to organizers
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