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### Today's Topics:

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New book: Parameter Identification of Materials, Structures  
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Colleagues,

This is to announce the call for papers for 14th Inverse Problems in Engineering Seminar. The seminar will be held July 26-27, 2006 at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa, USA.

The Fourteenth Inverse Problems in Engineering Seminar is being organized at Iowa State University. This event is the continuation of the informal seminars which were initiated at Michigan State University in 1988. Papers are solicited from all areas involving inverse methods and their applications. Four broad categories are being used to organize sessions. These categories, with some subtopics delineated, are:

1. Inverse Problems in Heat Transfer
  - Inverse Heat Conduction
  - Thermal Property Estimation
2. Mathematical Aspects of and Techniques for Inverse Problems
  - Inverse Theory and Methods
  - Stability and Error Analysis
3. Design of Experiments and Applications of Inverse Methods
  - Optimal Experiment Design
  - Analysis of Actual Experimental Data
4. Inverse Problems Exclusive of Heat Transfer
5. Bio-Engineering Inverse Problems
6. Tomography and Inverse Scattering

Important dates for the conference are

January 31, 2006 - Abstracts (300 words) due

February 15, 2006 - preliminary acceptance notification to authors

March 15 - Submit PDF version of paper for review

May 30 - Final acceptance notification to authors

June 30 - Final camera-ready version of full paper due

Additional information is available at [www.inverseproblems.org](http://www.inverseproblems.org)

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Date: Thu, 22 Dec 2005

Subject: SIAM Conference on Imaging Science - Program Now Available!

Conference Name: SIAM Conference on Imaging Science=20

Location: Radisson Hotel Metrodome, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Dates: May 15-17, 2006

Invited Plenary Speakers:  
Emmanuel Candes, California Institute of Technology  
Frederic Guichard, DxO Labs  
Hugues Hoppe, Microsoft Research  
Robert Hummel, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency  
Alexander Katsevich, University of Central Florida  
Luminita Vese, University of California, Los Angeles

The program for this conference is now available:  
<http://www.siam.org/meetings/is06/program.htm>  
Hotel information is also available:  
<http://www.siam.org/meetings/is06/htlinfo.htm>  
Registration information will be posted to this same site in  
February 2006.

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Date: Mon, 02 Jan 2006

International Workshop on Accurate Solution of Eigenvalue Problems VI  
IWASEP VI

Information Science and Technology Building  
The Pennsylvania State University  
University Park, PA

May 22-25, 2006

Abstract Deadline: March 15, 2006 (moved back two weeks)

In cooperation with SIAM.

The purpose of this workshop is to bring together experts on accuracy issues in the numerical solution of eigenvalue problems for four days of research presentations and discussions. This is the sixth such workshop. The most recent was held in Hagen, Germany, June 28-July 1, 2004.

The following researchers have agreed to give invited talks at IWASEP VI: Christopher Beattie, Virginia Polytechnic and State University; James Demmel, University of California at Berkeley; Inderjit Dhillon, University of Texas; Mark Embree, Rice University; Gene Golub, Stanford University; Nicholas J. Higham, University of Manchester; Plamen Koev, MIT; Volker Mehrmann, TU-Berlin; Ren-Cang Li, University of Kentucky; Ilse Ipsen, North Carolina State University; Beresford Parlett, University of California at Berkeley; Danny Sorensen, Rice University; G.W. Stewart, University of Maryland.

In addition, the organizers welcome submitted presentations and posters that are consistent with the theme of the meeting. To submit an abstract for a presentation or poster, please visit the web page

<http://www.cse.psu.edu/~iwasep6/Apply.html>.

Deadline for abstracts is March 15, 2006.

Some travel funding is available with preference given to graduate students and new Ph.D.'s. We expect that on-line registration will be available by mid-January through the workshop web page

<http://www.cse.psu.edu/~iwasep6/>.

This workshop is supported by the National Science Foundation and the Pennsylvania State University. For further information please email [iwasep6@cse.psu.edu](mailto:iwasep6@cse.psu.edu).

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Date: Thu, 5 Jan 2006

Alberto Calderon's foundational paper on the inverse conductivity problem,

A.P. Calderon, ON AN INVERSE BOUNDARY VALUE PROBLEM, in Seminar on Numerical Analysis and its Applications to Continuum Physics, Rio de Janeiro, Sociedade Brasileira de Matematica, (1980). 65-73.

is rather hard to find in print with dog eared photocopies circulating by hand. I have never seen the proceedings in a library.

So I had my own (faded, dog eared) copy scanned to a pdf file so that future generations can obtain it more easily. It can be found here:

<http://www.ma.umist.ac.uk/bl/Calderon/>

If anyone has a better scanned version please let me know!

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Subject: New book: Parameter Identification of Materials and Structures  
Date: Tue, 20 Dec 2005

#### New Book Information

Parameter Identification of Materials and Structures  
Series: CISM International Centre for Mechanical Sciences, Number 469  
Mroz, Zenon; Stavroulakis, Georgios E. (Eds.)  
2005, Approx. 345 p. 180 illus., Softcover  
ISBN: 3-211-30151-8

The nature and the human creations are full of complex, phenomena, which sometimes can be observed but rarely follow our hypotheses. The best we can do is to build a parametric model and try to adjust (identify) the unknown parameters based on the available observations. The authors discuss problems relevant to materials and structures like inverse analysis in structures, crack, material parameter and damage identification, modal analysis and thermographic methods. The solution methods vary from classical optimization to neural networks and genetic algorithms. Since all the authors are engineers, well-known in the academic and industrial world, the emphasis is posed on methods which really work. In fact, the chapters provide state-of-the-art information supplemented by selected examples and numerous references to modern publications, so that the reader can directly proceed with the study of his own problems.

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A three-year PhD-Position is available from March 1, 2006, at the Johann Radon Institute for Computational and Applied Mathematics (Austrian Academy of Sciences), Linz, Austria. The position is part of the newly established doctoral

school "Molecular Bioanalytics: From Molecular Recognition to Membrane Transport" funded by the Austrian National Science Foundation, and will enable the successful candidate to interact with groups in molecular biology, biophysics, and / or chemistry, as well as to participate in a curriculum including laboratory courses.

Details about the Radon Institute can be found at <http://www.ricam.oeaw.ac.at>, and about the doctoral school at <http://www.wissen.jku.at/mobaindex.htm>.

The topic of the PhD-thesis in our project is "Direct and Inverse Modeling and Simulation of Transport through Membranes and Water Channels". The aim is to develop models and numerical simulations of water transport through membranes and channels that should allow quantitative predictions in realistic situations.

These models will involve partial differential equations. Using these models, the second aim is to determine structural properties of membranes and channels from available indirect measurements in adjacent water layers. The mathematical formulation of these inverse problems leads to parameter identification in systems of partial differential equations, for whose solution appropriate regularization methods should be developed.

We are seeking talented and committed individuals, with an excellent master or diploma in applied mathematics, physics, or biophysics, to join the programme. Preference is given to applicants younger than 28. Selection will be made during the "Linz Winter Workshop" (February 3 - 7, 2006), to which the best applicants will be invited.

We offer a gross salary of 22900 Euro per year.

Applications including covering letter, full c.v., and copies of the graduation certificate should be sent before January, 21 to the speaker of the program:

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### Today's Topics:

Inverse Problems Workshop in Liverpool  
SIAM Conference on Imaging Science  
Question on Image Acquisition Problem  
Postdoctoral Position: Inverse Problems in Systems Biology  
IJISS: Computational Aspects of Soft Field Tomography  
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Date: Wed, 8 Feb 2006

The British Inverse Problems Society is holding an Inverse Problems Workshop at the Department of Mathematical Sciences at the University of Liverpool on Monday, 20th March, 2006. Supported by the London Mathematical Society and Department of Mathematical Sciences, University of Liverpool

### Programme:

13.10-14.00 Marco Marletta (University of Cardiff):  
"Weak stability for inverse Sturm-Liouville problems with finite data" (joint work with Rudi Weikard of University of Alabama at Birmingham)  
14:00-14:50 Daniel Lesnic (University of Leeds):  
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14:50-15:40 Roy Pike (Kings College London):  
"Can you hear the shape of the vocal tract?"  
16:10-17:00 Brian Sleeman (University of Leeds):  
"Weyl asymptotics and acoustic scattering by irregular obstacles"

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And see British Inverse Problems Society web site  
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Date: Fri, 17 Feb 2006

Subject: SIAM Conference on Imaging Science  
Registration Now Available!

Conference Name: SIAM Conference on Imaging Science

Location: Radisson University Hotel-MPLS, Minneapolis, Minnesota

Dates: May 15-17, 2006

Invited Plenary Speakers:

Emmanuel Candes, California Institute of Technology

Frederic Guichard, DxO Labs

Hugues Hoppe, Microsoft Research

Robert Hummel, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency

Alexander Katsevich, University of Central Florida

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Conference webpage: <http://www.siam.org/meetings/is06/>

Conference program: <http://meetings.siam.org/program.cfm?CONFCODE=3DIS06>

Hotel information: <http://www.siam.org/meetings/is06/htlinfo.htm>

Registration for this conference is now available:

<http://www.siam.org/meetings/is06/reginfo.htm>

The hotel and registration deadline is April 17, 2006.

For additional information, contact the SIAM Conference Department at [meetings@siam.org](mailto:meetings@siam.org).

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Subject: Question on image acquisition problem  
Date: Wed, 22 Feb 2006

Hi IPNet,

Though old, I'm new to this Inverse Problems universe!

Background:

I have an image acquisition problem based on a CCD with pixel defects. Layered over this acquisition process is a series of IP processing modules eg interpolation, white-point correction, gamma correction and compression. I also have a large amount of video taken from the device. Oh ... and there may be some optical filtering prior to capture!

Specific Query:

How do I go about reconstructing the parameters associated with each of the processes as well as the pixel defect pattern? Any hints on how I get my guys to tackle this problem? Collaboration very much encouraged.

Regards

Graeme

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From: Bill Lionheart <bill.lionheart@manchester.ac.uk>  
Subject: Postdoctoral position in inverse problems in systems biology  
Date: Fri, 20 Jan 2006

My colleagues in the Manchester Interdisciplinary Biocentre  
<http://www.mib.ac.uk/>  
are interested in identifying coefficients in large systems of ODEs  
arising in systems biology.

The job advert appears at <http://www.jobs.ac.uk/jobfiles/AD704.html>  
although the job description is not very well written I understand  
they are interested in recruiting a mathematician with experience in  
numerical solution of inverse problems.

Of course we have an active Inverse Problems group here in the School  
of Mathematics, as well as strong groups in Dynamical Systems and  
Mathematical Biology and we have a good relations with our colleagues  
in the biomedical sciences. We would of course like to encourage  
mathematicians to apply.

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Date: Sat, 7 Jan 2006

Special Issue on Computational Aspects of Soft Field Tomography

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Advancements in imaging technology using soft field tomography have  
provided a new opportunity for medical and industrial process  
monitoring. We invite the submission of papers describing  
computational aspects of those imaging methods. This includes  
electrical impedance tomography, electrical capacitance tomography,  
magnetic induction tomography, optical tomography, etc. There are  
similarities as well as differences in computational aspects of  
different imaging techniques. The computational techniques may vary  
depending on the applications in mind.

This special issue bringing together new results in different  
techniques, for different types of applications. Computation of the  
forward problems in 2D and 3D, sensitivity analysis, image and shape  
reconstruction methods. Various techniques, linear, nonlinear,  
statistical methods, data fusions are in scope of this special issue.

International Journal for information and systems sciences seeks high  
quality research papers for this special issue. Authors should submit

their manuscripts electronically to guest editor with IJISS  
Instructions: <http://www.math.ualberta.ca/ijiss/SS-macros.htm>

Submission deadline: First April 2006

Notification of acceptance: First June 2006

In final form: First of July 2006

Publication: First of September 2006

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LINEAR ALGEBRA AND ITS APPLICATIONS  
Special Issue in honor of Paul Fuhrmann  
Second Announcement with extended submission deadline

Linear Algebra and its Applications is pleased to announce a special issue in honor of Professor Paul Fuhrmann on the occasion of his 70th birthday on 5 August 2007 in recognition of his many important and fundamental contributions to linear algebra and control theory.

We solicit papers for the special issue within the entire scope of LAA or the research interests of Paul Fuhrmann. We welcome papers within system and control theory and operator theory; in particular in

- \* algebraic systems theory
- \* approximation, identification and interpolation
- \* behavioral theory
- \* coding theory with relations to systems theory
- \* functional models
- \* geometric control
- \* hybrid and discrete event systems
- \* matrix-valued and operator-valued functions
- \* model reduction
- \* multidimensional systems
- \* numerical and computational aspects
- \* operators, systems, and linear algebra
- \* polynomial methods in systems theory
- \* robust and optimal control
- \* spectral factorizations
- \* stability theory
- \* system structure
- \* uncertain systems
- \* Wiener-Hopf factorizations

The deadline for submission of papers is 31 July 2006. Papers for submission should be sent to any of the five special editors, preferably

pdf files as attachments in email, and will be subject to normal refereeing procedures according to LAA standards:

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Workshop: Variational and PDE Level Set Methods  
Obergurgl, Tyrol, Austria  
September 1st - 3rd, 2006  
<http://infmath.uibk.ac.at/obergurgl2006/>  
[infmath-informatik@uibk.ac.at](mailto:infmath-informatik@uibk.ac.at)

### Aim and Scope:

Within the Forschungsschwerpunktprogramm "Industrial Geometry" founded by the Austrian Science Foundation (FWF) we are organizing a workshop on "Variational, PDE, and Level Set Methods" in Obergurgl, Tyrol, Austria (September 1st - 3rd, 2006). The focus of this workshop will be on PDE and variational methods on manifolds, as well as level set methods. Theoretical as well as numerical aspects should be covered. We encourage you to participate. You can enrol at the workshop homepage and if you plan to give a talk or present a poster please submit an abstract there or mail us.

### Organizer:

Otmar Scherzer (University of Innsbruck)  
Klaus Frick (University of Innsbruck)  
Matthias Fuchs (University of Innsbruck)

### Invited Speakers:

Martino Bardi (University of Padova)  
Martin Burger (Johannes Kepler University, Linz)  
Vicent Caselles (Balearic Islands University)  
Gerhard Dziuk (Albert Ludwig University, Freiburg)  
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### Today's Topics:

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The First International Conference on Scale-Space and Variational Methods in Computer Vision. Ischia, Italy, May 30- June 2, 2007

### FIRST ANNOUNCEMENT and CALL FOR PAPERS

This international conference is a joint edition of the 6th Scale Space and the 4th VLISM and it will be a first attempt to bring together two different communities with joint research interests, the one of scale space analysis and the one of variational, geometric and level set methods and their applications in image interpretation and understanding. Such a conference would serve several purposes: international researchers and students would be exposed to state-of-the-art research on mathematical, physical and computational aspects of imaging, computer vision, graphics and inverse problems with applications.

TOPICS Linear Scale-Space Theory, Nonlinear Diffusion, Morphological Image Processing, Differential Geometry & Geometric Flows, PDE-Level Set, Langrangian & Variational Methods, Statistical Methods & Energy-minimization Approaches

This conference deals with all aspects of these aspects, including

- theoretical foundations
- efficient numerical methods,
- applications in image and surface processing and computer vision (image restoration, shape analysis, grouping, segmentation, motion, stereo, registration)
- applications in other fields (biomedical applications, industrial inspection, security).

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

It is planned to publish the proceedings in the Springer Lecture Notes in Computer Science Series. Selected papers will appear in a special issue of the International Journal of Computer Vision. Prospective authors are encouraged to submit manuscripts of not more than 12 pages in Springer LNCS format by October 23rd, 2006.

IMPORTANT DATES

Abstract submission: October 16th, 2006
Full paper submission: October 23rd, 2006
Notification of acceptance: January 15th, 2007
Deadline for final paper: February 15th, 2007
Conference: May 30 - June 2, 2007

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Conference Name: ACM-SIAM Symposium on Discrete Algorithms (SODA07)

Conference Program Chair: Hal Gabow, University of Colorado, Boulder

Location: Astor Crowne Plaza Hotel, New Orleans, Louisiana

Dates: January 7-9, 2007

The Call for Presentations for this symposium is available at:
http://www.siam.org/meetings/da07/

Submission Deadline: July 5, 2006

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Registration and Programs Now Available

Conference Names:  
SIAM Annual Meeting (AN06), being held jointly with the SIAM  
Conference on Financial Mathematics and Engineering (FM06) and the  
SIAM Conference on Analysis of Partial Differential Equations (PD06)

Location:  
Boston Park Plaza Hotel and Towers, Boston, Massachusetts

Dates:  
AN06 - July 10-14, 2006  
FM06 - July 9-12, 2006  
PD06 - July 10-12, 2006

Short Courses (<http://www.siam.org/meetings/pd06/shortcourses.php>)  
Two short courses will be held immediately preceding the conference on  
Sunday, July 9, 2006 at the same location.

SC1: Constantine M. Dafermos, Brown University  
Conservation Laws and Continuum Physics

SC2: Lawrence C. Evans, University of California, Berkeley  
Recent Developments in Weak Convergence Methods for Nonlinear PDE

Registration is Now Available!

Pre-Registration Deadline: Wednesday, June 7, 2006  
Hotel Reservation Deadline: Wednesday, June 7, 2006

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Date: Mon, 8 May 2006

We have a funded PhD Position for 3 years (available immediately) in a  
joint doctoral college with biophysicists. The position is at the  
Radon Institute for Computational and Applied Mathematics of the  
Austrian Academy of Sciences ([www.ricam.oeaw.ac.at](http://www.ricam.oeaw.ac.at)), information about  
the project can be found below or via [www.wissen.jku.at/mobaindex.htm](http://www.wissen.jku.at/mobaindex.htm)

We are looking for a mathematician (with a master's degree) with an  
interest in inverse problems keen to work in an interdisciplinary  
environment with biologists; the main task is to do PhD research, but



workshop held in Linz and a yearly meeting (Summer school) between the student and the entire faculty. Funding by the programme enables Ph.D. students (i) to attend national and international conferences and (ii) to spend one semester in a foreign laboratory. Combined with research at the frontiers of life science, the programme will be applicable to many scientific and technological fields related to biophysics, applied physics, bioorganic chemistry, structural and molecular biology, mathematical modelling, and scientific computing giving the Ph.D. student lifelong flexibility for continued professional growth.

Direct and Inverse Modeling and Simulation of Transport in Membranes and Water Channels

ENGL Heinz/BURGER Martin/KÄLLER Philipp

In this project, we plan to develop models and simulations of water transport through membranes and channels that should allow quantitative predictions in realistic situations. The models will be based on partial differential equations and solved numerically by finite element methods.

Using these models, the second aim is to determine structural properties of membranes and channels using available indirect measurements in adjacent water layers. The mathematical formulation of these inverse problems leads to parameter identification in systems of partial differential equations, which will be solved by regularization methods.

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From: Bill Lionheart <bill.lionheart@manchester.ac.uk>  
Subject: PhD positions in inverse problems  
Date: Thu, 25 May 2006

PhD Positions in inverse problems in x-ray tomography and mutual inductance tomography

We are hoping to recruit mathematics graduates to study for a PhD in inverse problems in collaboration with scientists and engineers in the application areas. One project involves limited angle x-ray tomography reconstruction in material science and would be co-supervised by myself in the School of Mathematics and Prof Withers in the School of Materials here at the University of Manchester. EPSRC funding covers fees and stipend for a UK or EU national. We also expect to have similar funding to work on three-dimensional reconstruction algorithms for X-ray CT applied to airport security, and another project on mutual induction tomography for (non-medical) applications.

The successful candidates will be expected to have a good mathematics degree and experience in implementation of numerical algorithms. If you are interested please email me with your CV and any questions you may have.

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From: Eric Miller <elmiller@ECE.NEU.EDU>  
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Date: Thu, 25 May 2006

It is anticipated that a postdoctoral position in the area of ultrasonic imaging will be available in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at Northeastern University in Boston MA USA starting in mid-summer of 2006. The ideal candidate will have a PhD in an area such as acoustics, electrical engineering, mechanical engineering or physics with experience in algorithms development for imaging/inverse problems and experimental data collection and processing.

The objective of the work here is the development, and implementation using commercial instrumentation, of a new approach by which ultrasonic imaging can be used to guide high intensity focused ultrasound (HIFU) treatment of cancer. HIFU has shown considerable promise in recent years as a hyperthermia-based tool for successfully treating a range of cancers. HIFU is limited however by difficulties in non-invasively monitoring the progress of the treatment to control the size, shape, and extent of the thermal lesion. We currently employ a model-based approach to the problem of lesion characterization wherein the data collected by the imaging transducer are used to estimate parameters directly related to the size, shape, location, orientation, and contrast of the HIFU-induced lesion. The foci of the current project include: 1/ more extensive phantom and ex vivo experimental evaluation of our current technology; 2/ the development and experimental evaluation of new imaging methods capable of addressing HIFU monitoring scenarios including multi-lesion imaging and tracking of lesion formation; and 3/ initial implementation of all methods to state-of-the-art hardware platforms for eventual use in real-time treatment monitoring.

The project is expected to last two years. Appointment for this job will be on a year-by-year basis.

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## Today's Topics:

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Date: Tue, 18 Jul 2006

## First Announcement

The Applied Inverse Problems Conference in 2007 (AIP 2007) will be held at the University of British Columbia campus in Vancouver, Canada, June 25-29, 2007. This conference is the fourth in the series that started in Montecatini, Italy, in 2001. For more information on the AIP conferences and the one in Vancouver one see the web page <http://www.pims.math.ca/science/2007/07aip/>

This is a call for minisymposia for the meeting. Please include in the proposal a title for the minisymposia, the organizer(s), a description of the topics to be discussed at the minisymposia as well as a list of possible speakers. Please send your submission to Gunther Uhlmann ([gunther@math.washington.edu](mailto:gunther@math.washington.edu)) by November, 30, 2006.

Gunther Uhlmann  
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Date: Mon, 24 Jul 2006

International Symposium on

INVERSE PROBLEMS, DESIGN AND OPTIMIZATION (IPDO-2007)

Miami Beach, Florida, U.S.A., April 16-18, 2007.

IPDO Symposium's main objectives are to bring the three communities of researchers (inverse problems experts, design theory experts, and optimization experts) together and provide a common forum for presenting different applications, problems, and solution strategy concepts. These three areas of research to be covered by the IPDO Symposium have a number of things in common. For example, many methodologies for solving inverse problems employ optimization algorithms. But, there are no optimization algorithms that employ methods of inverse design that could potentially substantially reduce the number of time-consuming analysis required by the typical evolutionary optimization algorithms. Similarly, design theory is not well known in the optimization community where formulation of the appropriate multiple objectives and system-of-systems design formulations are often performed using intuition and personal experience. The IPDO Symposium thus offers a unique international forum that is expected to provide an excellent basis for cross-fertilization of ideas and creation of new synergistic approaches and methodologies that will combine the three fields of research so that more general, robust, accurate and computationally economical design methods are created for multi-disciplinary applications.

Organizers:

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M.J. Colaço (secretary)

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Areas of interest:

The IPDO-2007 Symposium will emphasize a broad range of deterministic, statistical, analytical, computational and experimental approaches, which can be applied to the solution of inverse, design and multi-disciplinary optimization problems. Contributions dealing with theoretical concepts and practical applications are encouraged, such as in petrochemistry, aeronautics, astronautics, bio-medicine, transport and sensing of pollutants, materials design and processing, remote sensing, non-destructive evaluation, material property determination, acceleration of large scale optimization, design theory, etc.

Deadlines:

1 October, 2006	proposals for organizing technical sessions (minimum six papers per session)
1 November, 2006	deadline for submission of two-page abstracts in .pdf format
1 December, 2006	informing authors about acceptability of abstracts
1 February, 2007	deadline for submission of full eight-page papers

1 March, 2007            deadline for early registration

Abstracts and papers:

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(The templates can be found at the symposium website).

All accepted abstracts will be in a Book of Abstracts provided to all participants during IPDO-2007. Final papers passing a three-person review process will be provided electronically to all those that register by April 1, 2007 and will be published in Inverse Problems in Science and Engineering journal free of charge.

IPDO-2007 Web Page:

<http://ipdo.freeshell.org/ipdo2007>

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SIAM Conference on Computational Science & Engineering  
February 19-23, 2007  
Hilton Orange County/Costa Mesa, Costa Mesa, California

The minisymposium deadline has been extended to August 23, 2006!

To submit go to <http://meetings.siam.org/start.cfm?CONFCODE=3Dcs07>

DEADLINES

August 23 , 2006: Minisymposium proposals  
August 23 , 2006: Abstracts for contributed and minisymposium presentations  
Deadlines are midnight Eastern Daylight Time (EDT.)

For more information visit <http://www.siam.org/meetings/cse07/> or contact the SIAM Conference Department at [meetings@siam.org](mailto:meetings@siam.org) <<mailto:meetings@siam.org>> .

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Conference Name: SIAM Conference on Nonlinear Waves and Coherent Structures

Location: University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

Dates: September 9-12, 2006

Invited Plenary Speakers:

Frédéric Dias, ENS, France  
Benjamin J. Eggleton, University of Sydney, Australia  
Mariana Haragus, Université de Franche-Comté, France  
Lene Hau, Harvard University  
Philip K. Maini, University of Oxford, United Kingdom  
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Registration is Now Available!

Hotel Reservation Deadline: July 8, 2006  
Pre-Registration Deadline: August 9, 2006

Registration and the preliminary program for this conference are available at: <http://www.siam.org/meetings/nw06/>

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Subject: SIAM Conference on Applications of Dynamical Systems (DS07)  
CFP Deadlines

Conference Name: SIAM Conference on Applications of Dynamical Systems (DS07)

Location: Snowbird Ski and Summer Resort, Snowbird, Utah

Dates: May 28-June 1, 2007

Invited Plenary Speakers:

Uri Alon, Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel  
Iain Couzins, Oxford University, United Kingdom  
George Haller, Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Hans Hermann, ETH Zürich, Switzerland  
Peter Imkeller, Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany  
Natalia Komarova, University of California, Irvine  
Arnd Scheel, University of Minnesota  
Francisco Valero-Cuevas, Cornell University  
Jane Wang, Cornell University

The Call for Presentations for this conference is available at:  
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**\*\*Deadlines\*\***

Minisymposium proposals: October 30, 2006

Abstracts for all contributed and minisymposium presentations:  
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At the Institute of Computer Science, University of Innsbruck, Austria

The Infmath-Imaging Group (<http://infmath.uibk.ac.at>) is looking for a  
Doctorate Candidate interested in partial differential equations,  
variational problems or inverse problems. The position is granted till  
August 2008.

For more information contact Otmar Scherzer at [otmar.scherzer@uibk.ac.at](mailto:otmar.scherzer@uibk.ac.at).

The institute is housed on the campus of the Technical Faculty of the  
University of Innsbruck, a town of about 100.000, in the Austrian Alps.  
Further information is available under: <http://www.uibk.ac.at/ipoint/>

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At the Johann Radon Institute for Computational and Applied Mathematics  
(RICAM) of the Austrian Academy of Sciences, Linz, Austria.

The Imaging Group is looking for a PostDoc Candidate interested in  
partial differential equations, variational problems or inverse  
problems. The research focus will be adjusted according to the interests  
of the successful candidate. Possible specialization include all areas  
of regularization and inverse problems in the context of life sciences



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With regards,

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This is the first announcement for the Symposium on Inverse Problems Honoring Alberto Calderon to be held in IMPA, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, January 10 to 19, 2007. Please see the web page for more details:  
<http://www.math.purdue.edu/~sabarre/sympinv.html>

We encourage Students and Junior Scientists from the US to apply for financial support. Please follow the instructions in the web page to do so.

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Date: Mon, 28 Aug 2006

2007 Inverse Problems Symposium

June 11 & 12, 2007

Michigan State University

East Lansing, Michigan, USA

This is the 20th in the series of National and International Meetings

on Inverse Problems that were initiated at Michigan State University in 1988. The new name reflects the breadth of research of the attendees to these symposia. Papers are solicited from all areas involving inverse methods and their applications. The symposium is organized in a single session format to foster cross-disciplinary interaction. Solicited topics are listed at the symposium website

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Subject: SIAM CSE07 Submission Deadline August 23, 2006

Date: Thu, 17 Aug 2006

SIAM Conference on Computational Science & Engineering (CSE07)

February 19-23, 2007

Hilton Orange County/Costa Mesa, Costa Mesa, California

The submission deadline for CSE07 is fast approaching!

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Subject: Faculty Position in Inverse Problems, Imaging Science, Data Analysis

Date: Wed, 09 Aug 2006

The Department of Mathematics at the University of California, Davis, is soliciting applications for a tenure-track assistant professor position starting July 1, 2007, subject to budgetary and administrative approval.

We are interested in applicants in the following areas: High Dimensional Data Analysis, Inverse Problems, and/or Imaging Science. This position is associated with the campus-wide initiative Universe@UCDavis. The candidates are expected to contribute to the multidisciplinary Universe@UCDavis project through their own research



and the collaboration with the project team on innovative data mining and machine learning techniques for exploration and discovery with extremely large cosmological datasets.

Minimum qualifications for this position include a Ph.D. degree or its equivalent in the Mathematical Sciences, and great promise in research and teaching. Duties include mathematical research, undergraduate and graduate teaching, and departmental and university service.

Additional information on the Department may be found at <http://math.ucdavis.edu/>. Our postal address is Department of Mathematics, University of California, One Shields Avenue, Davis, CA 95616-8633.

Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. To receive full consideration, the application should be received by December 1, 2006. To apply, submit the AMS Cover Sheet and supporting documentation electronically through <http://www.mathjobs.org/>.

The University of California, Davis, is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer.

Submitted by: Elena Karn, Academic Personnel Coordinator,  
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Subject: Radon ICIAM Grants  
Date: Thu, 10 Aug 2006

Radon - ICIAM - Grants

The Johann Radon Institute for Computational and Applied Mathematics  
(RICAM) of the Austrian Academy of Sciences

announces up to 10 grants which cover the cost of

- \* a stay of two weeks at RICAM in Linz right before ICIAM 07.
- \* the stay at ICIAM 07 in Zurich.

Travel (as cheap as possible), registration to ICIAM and accommodation and subsistence in Linz and Zurich are covered by these grants.

Applications are invited from mathematicians born 1971 or later, who live and work in Central and Eastern Europe including those EU-Countries that joined the Union in 2005. Preference is given to applicants whose scientific expertise is close to the fields represented at RICAM.

Applications should be sent by September 30, 2006 to [radon\\_iciam@ricam.oeaw.ac.at](mailto:radon_iciam@ricam.oeaw.ac.at).

These applications should include a short statement about scientific interests and achievements, a CV and a list of publications. Also, two letters of support should directly be sent to the e-mail address given.

Successful candidates will be notified around October 15, 2006 and should then submit an abstract to ICIAM. The grant will only be



Alexander Ramm

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From: Emma Bartovsky <Emma.Bartovsky@iop.org>  
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Date: Thu, 24 Aug 2006

Computational Science & Discovery (CSD) is a new journal from Institute of Physics Publishing, and is now accepting submissions.

CSD will focus on scientific advances and discovery through computational science in physics, chemistry, biology and applied science - its multidisciplinary breadth being a unique asset. Within their papers, authors will be encouraged to include details of the scientific advances made, their numerical methods, verification and validation of codes, and the enabling technologies they used - for example, in data management, networking and visualization, among other areas.

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FIRST CALL FOR PAPERS  
SPECIAL VOLUME IN HONOR OF GENE H. GOLUB  
ON THE OCCASION OF HIS 75th BIRTHDAY

ETNA, the Electronic Transactions on Numerical Analysis (<http://etna.mcs.kent.edu>), is planning a special volume in honor of Gene H. Golub on the occasion of his 75th birthday. The special editors for this volume are:

Martin Gutknecht, Michael Overton, Lothar Reichel, Daniel Szyld, Nick Trefethen, Paul Van Dooren, and Andy Wathen.

Papers can be submitted following the general ETNA guidelines found on ETNA's web site (<http://etna.mcs.kent.edu>), to any of the special editors, no later than February 29, 2007. The papers will undergo the standard refereeing process.

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LINEAR ALGEBRA AND ITS APPLICATIONS  
Special Issue on  
LINEAR AND NONLINEAR MODELS AND ALGORITHMS IN  
INTENSITY-MODULATED RADIATION THERAPY (IMRT)

Second call for Papers with extended submission deadline

Linear Algebra and its Applications (LAA) is pleased to announce a special issue on "Linear and Nonlinear Models and Algorithms in Intensity-Modulated Radiation Therapy (IMRT)".

IMRT is revolutionizing radiation therapy by putting at the disposal of the medical profession powerful tools to deliver higher radiation doses to tumors and lower radiation doses to critical organs in more accurate ways. The scientific effort is a multidisciplinary one in which radiation oncologists, other medical specialists, medical physicists, mathematicians, computer scientists and engineers collaborate to study many outstanding problems in treatment planning and delivery. The goal is to merge this expertise and discover IMRT solutions that can produce meaningful benefits to patients and consistent results to practitioners. In view of the ever-increasing role of mathematics, particularly linear algebra, optimization theory, operations research, and other applied branches in IMRT, we look forward to first-class original research submissions on all relevant aspects of IMRT, including image-guided radiation therapy (IGRT) which uses online imaging capabilities to reduce uncertainties in organ localization and allows response to changes in treatment geometry over time.

We welcome papers for the special issue within the entire scope of IMRT; topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Algorithm engineering
- Aperture weight optimization
- Automated structure delineation
- Column-generation methods for large problem formulations
- Dose-volume constraints handling
- Gantry angle optimization
- Image-guided radiation therapy (IGRT)
- Large-scale matrix reduction and sparsing techniques
- Mathematical programming and operations research methods in IMRT
- Optimization of the segmentation process
- Rigid and deformable registration
- Sensitivity analysis for revised constraints or changed geometry
- Sampling techniques over constrained volumes
- Variance at risk methods for dose-volume modeling

The deadline for submission of papers is November 30, 2006. Papers should be sent to any one of the four special editors, listed below, preferably PDF files as attachments to e-mail, and will be subject to normal refereeing procedures according to LAA standards. Go to:  
<http://authors.elsevier.com/JournalDetail.html?PubID=522483&Precis=&popup=>  
and click on: "Guide for Authors" (but do not use the online submission for this special issue).

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LINEAR ALGEBRA AND ITS APPLICATIONS  
Special issue on the JOINT SPECTRAL RADIUS

Second call for papers

The joint spectral radius is a measure of the maximal growth of products of matrices taken from a set. Fuelled by applications in many areas there has been intensive research on this topic over the last two decades. This special issue aims to highlight the advances that have been achieved in recent times and to generate a state of the art account of the developments in algebraic and analytic theory of the joint spectral radius, computational aspects and application areas. Papers devoted to further subjects concerning long products of matrices are also welcome.

Theoretical developments in the area have used methods from diverse mathematical fields. Computational complexity theory has been used to show that in general the joint spectral radius is hard to determine, while convex analysis lies at the foundation of many results obtained on analytic properties, and methods from ergodic theory can be used to characterize the continuous time version of the joint spectral radius in the framework of stochastic dynamical systems. In order to make the broad scope of methods visible we encourage submissions from all areas that have an impact on the understanding of the joint spectral radius ranging from matrix analysis, numerical analysis, algebraic theory of matrix semigroups, computational complexity theory, stability theory of switched linear systems, spectral theory of semigroups of matrices. Furthermore, long products of matrices play a prominent role in certain areas in automata theory, iterated functions systems and various other fields.

We note that depending on the authors the joint spectral radius is also known as the maximal Lyapunov exponent or Lyapunov indicator, the Bohl exponent or the exponential growth rate and we encourage the submission of papers that create links to fields where notions similar to the joint spectral radius are studied, e.g. papers on continuous time versions of the joint spectral radius and extensions to infinite dimensions.

The joint spectral radius has found numerous applications in diverse areas; e.g. it has been used in coding theory to express the capacity of certain channels, in the stability analysis of consensus algorithms, to quantify the smoothness of wavelets obtained via dilation equations, in combinatorial number theory, in probability to analyze the distributions of random power series, in stability analysis of switched linear systems, in approximation theory to verify the convergence of subdivision algorithms, and in the theory of fractals and attractors. We particularly invite papers that explore applications in these or other areas.

All papers submitted must meet the publication standards of Linear Algebra and its Applications and will be refereed in the usual way. They should be submitted to one of the special editors of this issue listed below by 31 December 2006. Submission via email by sending a ps or pdf file is encouraged.

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Dear Colleague,

Greetings from International Journal of Tomography & Statistics (IJTS).  
The Fall 2006 of International Journal of Tomography & Statistics  
(IJTS) is ready. The "Online issue" will be available by second week  
of September 2006 and "Paper Print Issue" by November 06.

The Online Content and Abstract of this issue can be view on www at :

Content: <http://www.isder.ceser.res.in/ijts/cont/ijts-f06-cont.html>  
Abstract: <http://www.isder.ceser.res.in/ijts/cont/ijts-f06-abs.html>

An Announcement

Special volume of "International Journal of Tomography & Statistics"  
on:

Ã?Control Applications of Optimisation - control and aeronautics,  
optimal control, control of partial differential equations;  
Vol. 5, No. W07, Winter 2007

Ã?Control Applications of Optimisation - applications of optimal  
control, robust control and stabilization, applications in industry;  
Vol. 6, No. S07, Summer 2007

Ã?Control Applications of Optimisation - optimisation methods,  
differential games, time delay control systems, economics and  
management; Vol. 7, No. F07, Fall 2007

The papers provide new developments in the interacting fields of  
optimisation, control and system theory, including optimisation  
methods, optimal control, differential games, stochastic optimisation,  
numerical optimisation methods and their applications in control,  
optimisation with uncertainties, multi-objective control and  
optimisation, robust control and stabilisation, applications in  
economics and management, and optimal PDE control. Both theoretical  
and practical aspects are discussed. All papers have passed the  
standard refereeing process.

Online Contents of Vol. 5, No. W07, Winter 2007 (Control Applications  
of Optimisation - control and aeronautics, optimal control,

control of partial differential equations) can be view at:  
<http://www.isder.ceser.res.in/ijts/cont/ijts-w07-cont.html>

The above volume contains some selected and highly reviewed papers presented at the

13th IFAC Workshop on Control Applications of Optimisation, FRANCE which was organized in Paris - Cachan, at the Ecole Normale Supérieure, France, on April 26-28, 2006.

Organized by: the Ecole Normale Supérieure de Cachan (ENS Cachan); and SEE (Société de l'Electricité, de l'Electronique et des Technologies de l'Information et de la Communication);

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IFAC Technical Committee on Control Design (TC 2.1);

IFAC Technical Committee on Discrete Event and Hybrid Systems (TC 1.3);

and supported by CNRS, INRIA, CNAM, MENR, and IFP. The contributors are from 25 countries.

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P. M. Trivailo, G. S. Dulikravich, D. Sgarioto and T. Gilbert

Optimization tools in the analysis of micro-textured lubricated devices  
G. C. Buscaglia, R. F. Ausas and M. Jai

The inverse determination of aerodynamic loading from structural  
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P. M. Trivailo and C. L. Carn

Evolutionary optimization using a new radial basis function network and  
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I. C. Kampolis, D. I. Papadimitriou and K. C. Giannakoglou

Inverse problems in magnetohydrodynamics: theoretical and experimental  
aspects    F. Stefani, T. Gundrum, G. Gerbeth, U. Gunther and M. Xu



Transient inverse design of radiative enclosures for thermal processing of materials F. H. R. Franca and J. R. Howell

An inverse solution to functional brain mapping in language processing using an eigensystem study  
M. Cabrerizo, M. Adjouadi, M. Aybala and K. Nunez

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Matching of objects nodal points improvement using optimization  
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M. Baitsch and D. Hartmann

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Parameter identification for a complex lead-acid battery model by  
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zones in the continuous casting of steel billets  
A. Santos, A. Garcia, C. R. Frick and J. A. Spim

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## IPNet Digest Volume 13, Number 07 Sept 30, 2006

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Workshop: British Inverse Problems Society, Cardiff  
Conference: Scale-Space and Variational Methods in Computer Vision  
Conference: Composite Science and Technology  
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British Inverse Problems Society  
LMS One-day Workshop on Inverse Problems  
Cardiff University  
Wednesday November 1st 2006

See <http://www.maths.manchester.ac.uk/~bl/ukipws/pr200611.html> for  
links to location and further information

The British Inverse Problems Society is holding a one-day workshop  
hosted by the School of Computer Science, University of Cardiff on  
Wednesday Nov 1st 2006. We will meet at 12:00pm in the reception area  
of the Queen's building for lunch.

### Programme

The meeting will take place in Room C/2.07 in the School of Computer  
Science, Queen's Buildings, 5 The Parade, Roath, Cardiff CF24 3AA

12:00pm Lunch.

1:00pm M. Jais (Cardiff) - to be announced.

2:00pm S Kurylev (Loughborough) - Rigidity of broken geodesics and  
inverse problems.

3:00pm R Davies (Cardiff) - Inverse Problems in materials  
characterisation.

4:00pm Tea.

4:30pm S. Chandler-Wilde (Reading) - to be announced.

5:30pm Close of meeting.

For further details contact the organiser Prof Malcolm Brown  
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CALL FOR PAPERS AND PARTICIPATION: Second Announcement

First International Conference on Scale-Space and Variational Methods in Computer Vision. Ischia, Italy, May 30- June 2, 2007

This international conference is a joint edition of the 6th Scale Space and the 4th VLSM and it will be a first attempt to bring together two different communities with joint research interests, the one of scale space analysis and the one of variational, geometric and level set methods and their applications in image interpretation and understanding. Such a conference would serve several purposes: international researchers and students would be exposed to state-of-the-art research on mathematical, physical and computational aspects of imaging, computer vision, graphics and inverse problems with applications.

Paper submission is open at the link:  
[http://ssvm07.ciram.unibo.it/ssvm07\\_public/papersub.html](http://ssvm07.ciram.unibo.it/ssvm07_public/papersub.html)

Conference deadlines:

Abstract submission:	October 16th, 2006
Full paper submission:	October 23rd, 2006
Notification of acceptance:	January 15th, 2007
Final paper:	February 15th, 2007

INVITED SPEAKERS

Prof. Franco Brezzi	University of Pavia, Italy
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Dear Colleague,

Attached is the Second Call-for-Papers announcement for

Sixth International Conference on Composite Science and Technology  
22-24 January 2007  
Durban, South Africa

Abstract deadline is 30 September 2006 and the deadline for the  
submission of a paper to the special conference issue of Composite  
Structures is 30 April 2007.

On behalf of the Organizing Committee  
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SIAM Conference on Computational Science & Engineering (CSE07)  
February 19-23, 2007  
Hilton Orange County/Costa Mesa, Costa Mesa, California

The poster submission deadline for CSE07 has been extended to  
December 1, 2006!

Visit <http://www.siam.org/meetings/cse07/participation.php> for  
information on how to submit.

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Helical cone beam x-ray tomography

I am looking for two postdoctoral mathematicians and two PhD students  
to work on theoretical problems and reconstruction algorithms for  
helical cone-beam x-ray tomography for airport baggage screening and

process tomography. Working in partnership with a company developing x-ray tomography systems we aim to understand issues of uniqueness and stability of solution, derive an optimal scanning strategy and develop fast, accurate reconstruction methods that can be implemented in advanced computational hardware.

Official job advertisements will follow shortly, in the meantime please contact me informally.

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The Department of Mathematics at Colorado State University invites applications for two tenure-track faculty positions. One position is at the rank of Assistant Professor while the second position is open to candidates at the Assistant or Associate ranks. The successful applicant must complement existing faculty research. The areas of immediate interest are pure and applied analysis in any field, optimization, differential geometry, and inverse problems. Exceptional candidates in all areas of mathematics will, however, be considered and are encouraged to apply.

Applicants should submit an AMS cover sheet, complete curriculum vitae, summary of future research plans, evidence of effective teaching, and at least three letters of recommendation using the service provided by the AMS at \*<http://www.mathjobs.org>\* <<http://www.mathjobs.org/>>.

Applications postmarked by November 27, 2006 are guaranteed full consideration. Colorado State University is an EEO/AA employer (Equal Opportunity Office, 101 Student Services).

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## Today's Topics:

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ACM-SIAM Conference: Discrete Algorithms  
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## CALL FOR PAPERS

2007 Inverse Problems Symposium  
June 11 & 12, 2007  
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This is the 20th in the series of National and International Meetings on Inverse Problems that were initiated at Michigan State University in 1988. The new name reflects the breadth of research of the attendees to these symposia. Papers are solicited from all areas involving inverse methods and their applications. The symposium is organized in a single session format to foster cross-disciplinary interaction. Solicited topics include:

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1. Theory and Methods of Inverse Problems
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1. Heat Transfer, Applied Mechanics, Other Engineering Disciplines
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<<http://www.inverseproblems2007.org/>>

IMPORTANT DATES:

December 8, 2006	Submission of a 100-word abstract
February 15, 2007	Notification of acceptance to authors
April 15, 2007	Submission of 1 page extended abstract
May 1, 2007	Deadline for early registration

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INVERSE PROBLEMS: IDENTIFICATION, DESIGN AND CONTROL

May 10 - May 16, 2007

Boat cruise Kazan Nijniy Novgorod - Moscow by Volga river, RUSSIA

Organized by:

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Objectives:

Following the successful first, second, third and fourth conferences in this series (held in Suzdal (1990), in St.Petersburg (1994), boat cruise Moscow - St.Petersburg (1998) and boat cruise Moscow Kostroma - Moscow (2003)) the objective of this Fifth International Conference is to bring together the scientists and engineers involved in inverse problems research and to provide a relaxed atmosphere for in-depth discussion of the types of inverse problems which occur in engineering practice.

The Identification, Design and Control problems dealing with unknown boundary and initial conditions, sizes and shapes of domains, physical properties of the media, governing systems of equations, and internal and boundary sources in the multidisciplinary fields involving thermodynamics, heat transfer, fluid mechanics, strength of materials, structural dynamics, electro-magnetics, and nuclear systems are all of interest and are welcome at this conference. Methods of interest

include also efficient and robust numerical techniques (including optimization) that are being applied to cope with a wide variety of identification problems. The behavior of numerical algorithms for the solution of these extremely conditioned problems and their critical evaluation by comparison with experiments or established benchmarks are highly desired. The conference is of importance to all scientists and engineers who are actively involved in developing innovative theoretical approaches as well as in solving practical industrial problems. The International Scientific Advisory Committee members anticipate that the conference will point out new directions in the identification of mathematical models, design of technical systems and control of dynamic processes.

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The topics listed below should give only a general guideline for possible contributions. Papers on other topics connected with other types of inverse problems will also be considered if they fall within the objectives of the conference.

Heat Conduction  
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Electromagnetics  
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Mini-Exhibition:

There will be a small table-top exhibition of publications, hardware and software relevant to the conference themes. For more information please express your interest on the attached inquiry form.

Short Course:

Short Course on Inverse Problems in Engineering and Natural Sciences is planned during the Conference (every evening two keynote lectures). The Short Course will be sponsored by the Ministry of Education and Science of Russia and it is free of charge for students and young scientists.

Time Schedule:

As soon as possible - Return the reply form by FAX or E-mail.  
December 15, 2006 - Submit abstracts (300 words) to the Secretariat.  
January 25, 2007 - Preliminary acceptance notification to authors.  
February 25, 2007 - Submit .pdf file of the paper to the Secretariat.  
April 1, 2007 - Final acceptance notification to authors.  
April 15, 2007 - Submit final camera-ready version of the full  
paper for the book of proceedings.

Abstracts, papers and presentations should be in English. Authors of the accepted manuscripts are invited to submit their final papers for review and possible publication in the international journal on Inverse Problems in Engineering (IPE).

Registration Fees:

(Includes Conference proceedings, other documentation, refreshments and conference dinner)

Authors, Session Chairmen, Members of the Scientific Advisory Committee:  
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The riverboat cruise Kazan Nijniy Novgorod - Moscow by Volga river is one of the most popular summer vacation tours in Russia, and is well-known in Europe and USA. It offers outstanding atmosphere for both relaxation and excitement. "Borodino" is a two-deck riverboat for 85 passengers with two restaurants, a sauna, a bar, two conference rooms, etc. Several historical sites are located close by the river and will be visited, including, Kasan (the capital of former Kazanskoe Hanstvo, which widely celebrated its one thousand anniversary last year), Nijniy Novgorod (the third city of Russia). Kostroma (the original place of Romanov's dynasty). Also, pre-conference tour and post-conference tour in Moscow can be arranged for interested parties. All reservations for the riverboat will be made through the Conference Secretariat.

The riverboat room charges, including bed, breakfast, lunch and dinner, for six days trip and tours of Kazan, Bulgar, Nijniy Novgorod, Kostroma, transfer Moscow-Kazan, will total approximately: \* Class A cabin (a double cabin includes two beds, table, chairs, closet, shower, toilet) \$900 - per person (accommodating two passengers). There will be a 65% discount for children as a third passenger in class A cabins (there are additional beds in some cabins). \* Studio cabin (includes two beds, two sofas, table, chairs in the 16 sq.m. first room; in the second room there is a closet, shower, toilet) \$220 - per four persons.

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#### EXTENDED DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACTS

International Symposium on  
INVERSE PROBLEMS, DESIGN AND OPTIMIZATION (IPDO-2007)  
Miami Beach, Florida, U.S.A., April 16-18, 2007.  
<http://ipdo.freeshell.org/ipdo2007/index.htm>

IPDO Symposium's main objectives are to bring the three communities of researchers (inverse problems experts, design theory experts, and optimization experts) together and provide a common forum for presenting different applications, problems, and solution strategy concepts. These three areas of research to be covered by the IPDO Symposium have a number of things in common. For example, many methodologies for solving inverse problems employ optimization algorithms. But, there are no optimization algorithms that employ methods of inverse design that could potentially substantially reduce the number of time-consuming analysis required by the typical evolutionary optimization algorithms. Similarly, design theory is not well known in the optimization community where formulation of the appropriate multiple objectives and system-of-systems design formulations are often performed using intuition and personal experience. The IPDO Symposium thus offers a unique international forum that is expected to provide an excellent basis for cross-fertilization of ideas and creation of new synergistic approaches and methodologies that will combine the three fields of research so that more general, robust, accurate and computationally economical design methods are created for multi-disciplinary applications.

#### Organizers:

G.S. Dulikravich (chair), H.R.B. Orlando (co-chair), M. Tanaka (co-chair), M.J. Colaco (secretary)

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#### Areas of interest:

The IPDO-2007 Symposium will emphasize a broad range of deterministic, statistical, analytical, computational and experimental approaches, which can be applied to the solution of inverse, design and multi-disciplinary optimization problems. Contributions dealing with theoretical concepts and practical applications are encouraged, such as in petrochemistry, aeronautics, astronautics, bio-medicine,

transport and sensing of pollutants, materials design and processing, remote sensing, non-destructive evaluation, material property determination, acceleration of large scale optimization, design theory, etc.

Deadlines:

20 November, 2006 deadline for submission of two-page abstracts  
in .pdf format  
1 December, 2006 informing authors about acceptability of  
abstracts  
31 January, 2007 deadline for submission of full eight-page  
papers  
15 February, 2007 deadline for early registration

Abstracts and papers:

Please submit two-page abstracts (including preliminary results, basic figures, formulas, and references) in .pdf format to the following e-mail addresses: IPDO2007@GMAIL.COM, IPDO2007@YAHOO.COM

All accepted abstracts will be in a Book of Abstracts provided to all participants during IPDO-2007. Final papers passing a three-person review process will be provided electronically to all those that register by April 1, 2007. Selected papers will be published in Inverse Problems in Science and Engineering journal. IPDO-2007 Web Page with information about registration, hotel, visa, etc.:  
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Subject: SIAM Conference on Control and Its Applications (CT07) -  
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Location: San Francisco, California

Dates: June 29 - July 1, 2007



Invited Plenary Speakers:

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The Call for Presentations for this conference is available at:  
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Minisymposium proposals: November 28, 2006

Abstracts for all contributed and minisymposium presentations: December 28, 2006

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Conference Name: ACM-SIAM Symposium on Discrete Algorithms (SODA07)  
Conference Program Chair: Hal Gabow, University of Colorado, Boulder  
Location: Astor Crowne Plaza Hotel, New Orleans, Louisiana  
Dates: January 7-9, 2007

Registration is Now Available!

Pre-Registration Deadline: December 4, 2006  
Hotel Reservation Deadline: December 4, 2006

Registration and the preliminary program for this conference are available at: <http://www.siam.org/meetings/da07/>

For additional information, contact the SIAM Conferences Department at [meetings@siam.org](mailto:meetings@siam.org).

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Tenure track position at the Assistant Professor level in Analysis beginning in August 2007. Candidates must have a Ph.D., demonstrated strength at research, and a commitment to teaching. Preference will be given to applicants with strong potential for interdisciplinary research and external funding.

Send letter of interest, curriculum vitae, statement of research and teaching interests and arrange to have 3 letters of reference sent to Analysis Search Committee, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Charlotte, NC 28223. Review of applications will begin on January 18, 2007. Contact Dr. Alan Dow at [adow@uncc.edu](mailto:adow@uncc.edu) for more information.

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The Department of Mathematics at Case Western Reserve University (10900 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, OH 44106) invites applications for tenure-track and temporary positions.

One or more tenure-track or tenured positions in computational mathematics, effective 2007--2008. Applicants must have a research program in computational mathematics and hold a PhD or equivalent degree in mathematics, computer science, or a closely related field. Candidates whose primary research interest is in scientific computing/numerical analysis will be considered, with a preference for individuals whose application areas are well suited for interdisciplinary collaboration in life and physical sciences and engineering. Preference is given to junior applicants, but strong candidates will be also considered for more senior positions.

Applicants should show promise of a strong research program, and a demonstrated record of research accomplishments is needed for candidate considered for hiring at a senior level. All candidates should have strong records, or promise, in undergraduate and graduate teaching and mentoring.

Also, contingent on funding and staffing needs, the Department anticipates filling one or more visiting and lecturer positions for 2007-2008. Desired: PhD in mathematics, masters degree acceptable. Case is an integral part of one of the major research medical complexes in the country. It also has a major presence in various science and engineering disciplines. Geographically, it is located on the eastern edge of Cleveland, in northeast Ohio, adjacent to University Circle, home to the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra, the Cleveland Museum of Art, and many other cultural institutions. There is a wide variety of housing, schooling, and other amenities nearby. The Department has approximately 15 faculty, with several focused research areas. The Department is responsible for service (beginning with calculus), majors, and graduate instruction. Nominal teaching load is 2/2. Case is a recipient of a National Science Foundation ADVANCE institutional transformation grant to increase the participation of women in science and engineering.

Submit: letter of application (including e-mail and fax), AMS cover sheet, vitae, and have three letters of evaluation sent. Submit preferentially electronically to math-faculty-position@cwru.edu. Applications will be considered on receipt; applications will be accepted until positions are filled. CWRU is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and minorities are especially encouraged to apply.

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Junior Research Group Leader position at the RWTH Aachen University

Aachen Institute for Advanced Study in Computational  
Engineering Science (AICES)

The AICES graduate school at the RWTH Aachen University was established under the Excellence Initiative of the German federal and state governments to promote novel research and training in the field of computational engineering science. The school is a collaboration of 14 university institutes, the Research Centre Juelich, and the Max Planck Institute for Metal Research. AICES organizes the doctoral education of ca. 100 students, as well as ca. 10 independent junior research groups.

Two positions of Junior Research Group leaders are available starting November 1, 2006. One additional position is expected in 2008. These positions are limited to 5 years, and paid according to the German civil service BAT I scale (or TVoD equivalent) including standard benefits. Successful group leaders will be considered for a tenured W2 position at the host university in an open search at the end of their term. Ideal candidates have between 2 and 4 years of postdoctoral research experience including substantial experience outside Germany, and specialize in one of the AICES focus areas:

<http://www.aices.rwth-aachen.de/academic-aims>

Application materials (personal statement, CV, list of publications, 3 references with contact information, funding history, any additional information) should be sent to:

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Electronic applications are encouraged. Applications will be considered starting November 1, 2006 until the positions are filled. For further information, contact Prof. M. Behr, [behr@cats.rwth-aachen.de](mailto:behr@cats.rwth-aachen.de), Tel. +49 241 80 28430. For updates on this search, see <http://www.aices.rwth-aachen.de/jobs>.

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2007 Inverse Problems Symposium

June 11 & 12, 2007

Michigan State University

East Lansing, Michigan, USA

## DEADLINE EXTENDED

Due to multiple requests, the deadline for submission of the initial abstract has been extended to 8 JANUARY 2007.

ADDED TO THE SCHEDULE: On the afternoon of Sunday, June 10th, Prof. Erik Goodman of MSU (<http://www.egr.msu.edu/~goodman/> <<http://www.egr.msu.edu/%7Eggoodman/>>) will present a 2 hr seminar on the topic of Genetic Algorithms with application to Inverse Problems. This seminar is open to Symposium participants.

This symposium is the 20th in the series of National and International Meetings on Inverse Problems that were initiated at Michigan State University in 1988. Papers are solicited from all areas involving inverse methods and their applications. Abstracts may be submitted at the symposium website [\\*www.inverseproblems2007.org\\*](http://www.inverseproblems2007.org) <<http://www.inverseproblems2007.org>>

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First announcement

International Conference <Inverse and Ill-Posed Problems of Mathematical Physics>, dedicated to Professor M.M. Lavrent'ev in occasion of his 75-th birthday, August 20-25, 2007, Novosibirsk, Russia

The conference aim is to acquaint the scientific community with the last achievements in the theory and practice of ill-posed and inverse problems.

Conference is organized by  
Sobolev Institute of Mathematics of SB RAS,  
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Conference sections:  
Section 1. Theory of inverse problems.  
Section 2. Theory of ill-posed problems.  
Section 3. Numerical methods of solving of ill-posed and inverse problems.  
Section 4. Applications of ill-posed and inverse problems.

Conference languages: Russian and English

Abstracts: The abstracts must be submitted in the form of pdf- or doc-files till April 30, 2007. If organizing committee accepts the abstract then it will be available on Internet page of Conference. After the end of Conference on the Conference Internet page the organizing committee can conserve only the abstracts of participants who taken part in Conference.

Conference location and Travel Arrangements: Conference will take place in Academgorodok (academic campus) near Novosibirsk, the largest city of Siberia. Academgorodok is situated in the middle of Siberian forests not far from Ob Sea. It is about 40 km from Novosibirsk and from the international airport Tolmachovo. There are about 40 research institutes and Novosibirsk State University in Academgorodok. Participants will be accommodated in a hotel within walking distance from the Conference location.

Climate: Conference will take place during the end of summer season

when the average temperature is 20 C (82 F) during the day and down to 15 C (59 F) at night.

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Dear Colleague,

In view of your well known expertise in this scientific field with growing importance in mechanics, you are cordially invited to contribute to the Special Session on Inverse Problems that we are organizing in the forthcoming 17<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Computer Methods in Mechanics to take place in Lodz-Spala, Poland, June 19-22, 2007 (see website: [cmm.p.lodz.pl](http://cmm.p.lodz.pl)).

The purpose of this Special Session is to gather contributions dealing with computational methods, theoretical concepts and practical applications in the area of inverse analysis.

Particularly desirable are contributions to the following timely issues: material characterization and design by inverse analysis in various technologies, including micro and nano technologies; diagnostic analyses of structures on the basis of laboratory or in situ experiments, computer simulation of the tests and parameter identification by minimizing the discrepancy through algorithms of mathematical programming and/or soft computing.

Please, submit your abstract before December 15, 2006, according to the guidelines specified below and, please, do not forget to refer to this Special Session.

Looking forward to seeing you at the CMM 2007 next June,  
kind regards

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All the summaries must include authors names, affiliations, addresses, telephone and fax numbers, and e-mail addresses of all authors. Keywords (five maximum) are required.

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Signal recovery and synthesis is concerned with methods for obtaining the best estimate of an image from the data and constraints at hand. The topical area is important to many fields of optics, as well as a broader constituency due to its interdisciplinary nature; examples include digital image reconstruction from Fourier intensity measurements, superresolution, tomographic reconstruction and blind deconvolution. This topical meeting is concerned with theory, algorithms and applications of signal recovery and synthesis in optics and other disciplines.

URL: <http://www.osa.org/meetings/topicalmeetings/srs/default.aspx>

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Date: Fri, 8 Dec 2006

Dear IPNetners!

i want to solve  $\min ||Ax-b||_2$ , where A has dimension of 500\*300, and has a rank of 50. b and x is vector, and x is the variable i want to solve.

And x has its low and upper limit, such as  $0 \leq x \leq 1000$ . can some subroutine solve these? Can you recommend it to me?

thank you and best regards!

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Date: Tue, 28 Nov 2006

New Book Information

NONSMOOTH MECHANICS OF SOLIDS

CISM Lecture Notes Volume 485

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Dear colleagues,

Let us direct your attention to the

CS&E Student Paper Prize

to be awarded at the 2007 SIAM CS&E Conference February 19-23, in Costa  
Mesa, California (<http://www.siam.org/meetings/cse07/>).

Founder of the prize is the Bavarian Graduate School of Computational  
Engineering (BGCE, <http://www.bgce.de/>), a consortium offering an  
honors track to the best students of three international master's  
programs in Computational Engineering at Technische Universitaet  
Muenchen (TUM) and Universitaet Erlangen-Nuernberg (FAU). The prize

will be awarded for outstanding student work in the field of CS&E, and the winner will be invited to spend one week (air fare and lodging expenses covered) in Bavaria, visiting FAU and TUM (one of the three German universities having recently succeeded in the federal excellence initiative) and getting in contact with BGCE's educational and research program, one of the most advanced ones in Europe. The main objective is to promote excellent students in CS&E and to foster international exchange at an early career stage.

Eligible for the prize will be undergraduate students as well as graduates prior to receiving their PhD (at date of submission). Candidates are required to summarize their work in a short paper of at most 4 pages and to present their work at SIAM CSE 2007 with a talk to be given in the special "CSE Student Prize Minisymposium". Excluded from the competition are only students from our own universities, FAU and TUM.

Deadline for application is December 31, 2006. Submissions should be sent in pdf format by e-mail to

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Since we are interested in a broad and high-level competition, we ask you to encourage suitable candidates in your group or department to submit a paper and to support their participation in SIAM CSE 2007.

Your support is appreciated!

With our best regards,

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**Deadlines:**

The deadline for submission of papers is April 30, 2007, following the SIAM Conference on CS&E: <http://www.siam.org/meetings/cse07/>

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