



**FIRST CALL FOR PAPERS**

**8th ACIS International Conference on  
Software Engineering Research, Management and Applications (SERA2010)**

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Montreal, Canada**

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The International Conference on Software Engineering Research, Management and Applications (SERA2010) brings together researchers, practitioners, and advanced graduate students to exchange and share their experiences, new ideas, and research results and research-in-progress about all aspects (theory, applications and tools) of Software Engineering Research, Management and Applications, and discuss the practical challenges encountered and the solutions adopted. The conference will cover a broad set of research topics such as:

New theoretical foundations in Software Engineering Modeling	Service Oriented Computing
Business Process & Enterprise Integration Engineering	Mobile/Wireless Computing
Communication Systems and Networks	Requirements Modeling and Management
Computer Game Development, User Modeling and Management	Process Management & Improvement
Cost Modeling and Analysis	Reengineering, Reverse Engineering
Data Mining and Knowledge Recovery	Autonomic Computing
Distributed Intelligent Systems	Requirements Engineering
Formal Methods and Tools	Safety and Security Critical Software
Healthcare Engineering	Software Agent Technology
Human Computer Interaction	Web Engineering, Web-Based Applications
Parallel and Distributed Computing Telecommunications	Virtual Reality and Computer Graphics

Conference organizers will select approximately 20 outstanding papers from SERA 2010 to be published in Springer's Studies in Computational Intelligence (SCI). The book series will be distributed at the conference site.

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#### IMPORTANT DEADLINES

**Paper Submission:**  
**Acceptance Notification:**  
**Camera-ready Paper & Registration:**

**October 15, 2009**  
**December 1, 2009**  
**February 1, 2010**

**Proceedings will be published by the IEEE Computer Society and indexed by EI, INSPEC and DBLP.**

#### Special Sessions

Special sessions are very small and specialized events to be held during the conference as a set of oral and poster presentations that are highly specialized in some particular theme or consisting of the works of some particular international project. The goal of special sessions (minimum 4 papers; maximum 9) is to provide a focused discussion on innovative topics. Each prospective organizer is invited to submit a proposal to sera2010@encs.concordia.ca explaining the targeted topic's novelty/importance and listing the contributing authors and their contributions by October 15, 2009.

## Preliminary Technical Program:

Meeting Rooms: A (100-120 people), B, C, D (30-40 people)

SESSION, ROOM	DAY	DATE	START TIME	END TIME
<b>Registration, l'ÉTS</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>24-May-2010</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>9:00AM</b>
Opening Ceremony Room A	Monday	24-May-2010	9:00AM	9:30AM
Keynote Address 1 Room A	Monday	24-May-2010	9:30AM	10:30AM
<b>Coffee Break</b>			<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>10:50 AM</b>
Keynote Address 2 Room A	Monday	24-May-2010	10:50 AM	11:50 AM
<b>Luncheon Banquet (complimentary)</b>			<b>12:00PM</b>	<b>2:00 PM</b>
<b>Tour of Montreal</b>			<b>2:30PM</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>Registration, Concordia University, EV Building, 2d floor, Hall way</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>25-May-2010</b>	<b>7:30 AM</b>	<b>8:00AM</b>
Session 1 Room B	Tuesday	25-May-2010	8:00 AM	10:00AM
Session 2 Room C	Tuesday	25-May-2010	8:00 AM	10:00AM
Session 3 Room D	Tuesday	25-May-2010	8:00 AM	10:00AM
<b>Coffee Break</b>			<b>10:00 AM</b>	<b>10:20 AM</b>
Session 4 Room B	Tuesday	25-May-2010	10:20 AM	12:20PM
Session 5 Room C	Tuesday	25-May-2010	10:20 AM	12:20PM
Session 6 Room D	Tuesday	25-May-2010	10:20 AM	12:20PM
<b>Lunch Break</b>			<b>12:20 PM</b>	<b>1:40 PM</b>
Session 7 Room B	Tuesday	25-May-2010	1:40PM	3:40PM
Session 8 Room C	Tuesday	25-May-2010	1:40PM	3:40PM
Session 9 Room D	Tuesday	25-May-2010	1:40PM	3:40PM
<b>Coffee Break</b>			<b>3:40PM</b>	<b>4:00PM</b>
Session 10 Room B	Tuesday	25-May-2010	4:00PM	6:00PM
Session 11 Room C	Tuesday	25-May-2010	4:00PM	6:00PM
Session 12 Room D	Tuesday	25-May-2010	4:00PM	6:00PM
<b>Dinner Banquet</b>			<b>6:30PM</b>	<b>8:30PM</b>

<b>Registration, Concordia University, EV Building, 2d floor, Hall way</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>26-May-2010</b>	<b>7:30 AM</b>	<b>8:00AM</b>
Session 13 Room B	Wednesday	26-May-2010	8:00 AM	10:00AM
Session 14 Room C	Wednesday	26-May-2010	8:00 AM	10:00AM
Session 15 Room D	Wednesday	26-May-2010	8:00 AM	10:00AM
<b>Coffee Break</b>			<b>10:00 AM</b>	<b>10:20 AM</b>
Session 16 Room B	Wednesday	26-May-2010	10:20 AM	12:20PM
Session 17 Room C	Wednesday	26-May-2010	10:20 AM	12:20PM
Session 18 Room D	Wednesday	26-May-2010	10:20 AM	12:20PM
<b>Lunch Break</b>			<b>12:20 PM</b>	<b>1:40 PM</b>
Session 19 Room B	Wednesday	26-May-2010	1:40PM	3:40PM
Session 20 Room C	Wednesday	26-May-2010	1:40PM	3:40PM
Session 21 Room D	Wednesday	26-May-2010	1:40PM	3:40PM
<b>Coffee Break</b>			<b>3:40PM</b>	<b>4:00PM</b>
Session 22 Room B	Wednesday	26-May-2010	4:00PM	6:00PM
Session 23 Room C	Wednesday	26-May-2010	4:00PM	6:00PM
Session 24 Room D	Wednesday	26-May-2010	4:00PM	6:00PM
<b>SERA2010 Closing Remarks, Dr. Roger Lee</b>				