

Announcement and call for papers

**8th International Workshop
on
Operations Research**

Operations Research for Human's Welfare
Havana, March -2-6, 2009



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The Workshop

This is the 8th edition of a series of monothematic meetings developed in Havana. They concentrate the efforts in discussing recent results and experiences in the use of Operations Research in the subject of the workshop. Previous editions have been dedicated to Medicine, Transport, Biological and Economical aspects. This edition is dedicated to applications of the Operations Research to Social Development (protection of the environment, human health, economy and culture).

The meeting is planned to be attended by a group of specialists from all around the world and by Cuban students and professionals. The exchange has been fruitful and a series of papers have been published and different international joint research projects have had their roots in the contacts started at these so called OR-Workshops.

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Aims of the Workshop

To foster the application of models and methods of optimization, statistical, probability, numerical analysis and algorithms for improving the life's quality of the human being.

Invited Lectures and Tutorials will be delivered by well known specialists.

Prof. Bernard Cornet will deliver a tutorial on Economic Modelling

Preliminary Overview of the Workshop:

Monday 2,	10:00-17:00	Registration
	15:00-17:00	Tutorials
		<i>Felipe Poey Building at the University Campus</i>
Tuesday 3,	10:00-12:00	Opening Session:
		Welcome Address at <i>Salon 250 Aniversario of the University</i>
	12:00-14:00	Welcome Party and Lunch
	14:00-15:00	Invited Lecture
	15:30-17:00	Contributions
Wednesday 4	09:00-10:00	Invited Lecture
	10:30-12:00	Contributions
	12:00-13:00	Lunch
	13:00-14:30	Contributions
	15:00-16:30	Contributions
Thursday 5,	09:00-10:00	Invited Lecture
	10:30-12:00	Contributions
	12:00-13:00	Lunch
	13:00-14:30	Contributions
	15:00-16:30	Contributions
Friday 6,	10:00-12:00	Round Table on Logistics
	12:00-13:00	Closing Address and Farewell Party

Deadlines: December 15, 2008 Deadline for abstracts
February 1 2008 Information about acceptance of the papers

Fees (The fees, to be paid upon registration, include the Welcome Party and a Volume of Abstracts):

Participants	120 cuc (Foreign guests)	120 Pesos (Cubans)
Students	70 cuc (Foreign guests)	70 Pesos (Cubans)

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Registration Form

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Name: _____

Institution: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

I plan to make a contribution ___ to attend the conference___

Approximate Title of the Paper

Thematic of your talk

Application area:

Agriculture ___ Human Health___ Animal Health___ Environment___

Logistic___ Industrial Process___ Culture___ Communication ___ Education___

Demography___ Marketing___ Electronic commerce___ Production management ___

Social Sciences___ Other___

Operations Research tools:

Mathematical Programming ___ Optimal Control___ Data envelopment analysis ___

Decision modeling / theory___ Data mining and related topics___ Network Modeling ___

Simulation___ Algorithms ___ Decision support systems___ Multicriteria Decision

Methods___ Software of quantitative methods ___.

I am interested in publishing it yes___ no___

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