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NECTAR in the Azores!

NECTAR 2013 International Conference on
“Dynamics of Global and Local Networks”

St. Miguel, Azores Islands (Portugal), 16-18 June 2013

Cluster 7 – Transport Security

Call for Papers

Cluster 7 of NECTAR (Network of European Communications and Transportation Academic Researchers) which focuses on transportation security issues is planning to organize two sessions (3 or 4 papers each) dealing with this topic at the International NECTAR Conference which will be held in The Azores (Island of St. Miguel), Portugal (16-18 June 2013). The Conference will bring together leading researchers from Europe and elsewhere. Arrangements for publication of the papers presented in Cluster 7 Sessions are under consideration.

Topics of Interest

The terrorist attacks, that have hit several regions in the world during the last decade, have raised the interest towards transport security in a dramatic way. Governments, practitioners and scholars have tried to study, propose, and implement strategies that would foster higher security standards for both passenger and freight transport. The Cluster7 sessions at the NECTAR International Conference are ideally aimed at discussing the current state of the art in this field. Topics of interest include (not exhaustively): Methodological Issues in Transport Security, unimodal and multimodal transport security procedures, transport security policies, transport security at hubs, security of hazmat transports, transport security and public transport, urban transportation security, Cost Benefit Analysis of Transportation Security, Critical Infrastructure Protection.

Deadline for submissions is: 30 November 2012

Abstracts should be submitted electronically using the form that is available on the Conference website:

<http://www.apdr.pt/NECTAR2013conference/index.html>



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A copy of the abstract should also be sent to:

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Registration, meals and accommodation for 2 nights (16-17/6/2013) will be offered to NECTAR-members, for only one author per paper. All practical details will be communicated through the Conference Website.

In order to participate in the Conference, a consecutive two-year NECTAR membership (2012–2013 or 2013–2014) is necessary. Non-members can find details of how to join the association on the “Membership” page of NECTAR’s website:

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Looking forward to meeting you in St Miguel!

NECTAR Cluster 7 Coordination Team