

**4th BALKAN CONFERENCE IN INFORMATICS (BCI)  
Thessaloniki, GREECE, September 17-19, 2009**

**CALL FOR WORKSHOPS**

The Programme Committee invites researchers and practitioners to submit proposals for workshops on topics relating to BCI.

**Specifications**

Workshop proposals should be no more than 3-4 pages in length and should contain the following information:

- Title and acronym of the workshop
- Name, affiliation, mailing address and e-mail address of the proposer(s) and short description of their relevant experience.
- Preferred dates for workshops, ranging from 16 to 21 September (inclusive)
- Proposed duration, 1 (preferable) or 2 days
- Expected requirements for space and equipment
- A short scientific summary and justification of the proposed topic.
- A list of related workshops or similar events held in the last 5 years
- Procedures for selecting papers
- Expected number of accepted papers
- Expected number of participants
- Potential invited speakers and their home location
- A short description on how the workshop will be advertised
- Plans for sponsorships, funding.
- Any additional fee, apart from registration fee BCI
- Plans for dissemination (e.g. proceedings)
- Proposal on what is expected from BCI in terms of support.

**Selection Process**

The submission and selection processes for the BCI workshops is separate from the main conference. Each workshop proposal submission will be reviewed by the BCI PC chairs. The main evaluation criteria are:

- Relevance to Informatics and BCI
- Quality of the proposal
- Resources required
- Expected outcomes of the workshop

At least one author of each accepted paper is required to register to BCI.

**Important Dates**

- Workshop Proposal Submission deadline: 10 March 2009
- Negotiation period: 10-20 March 2009
- Notification of acceptance/rejection and conditions: 20 March 2009

**Contact Information**

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