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# SECOND ANNOUNCEMENT

The 2007 IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA'07) will be held in Roma, Italy, from April 10 to April 14, 2007. This is the first time that ICRA takes place in a European capital. The conference location is the historic building of the "Angelicum" University, conveniently located in the downtown area. Tutorials and workshops will be hosted on April 10 and 14 at the nearby School of Engineering of the University of Roma "La Sapienza" in the area of San Pietro in Vincoli, close to the Colosseum.

The conference theme is **UBIQUITOUS ROBOTICS**. Contributions from academic and industrial communities as well as from research agencies are solicited in all topical areas of Robotics and Automation.

**PAPERS** Prospective authors should submit their papers electronically in PDF format. Six pages in the standard ICRA format are allowed for each paper, including figures. A maximum of two additional pages is permitted at extra charge. Detailed instructions for paper submission will be available soon on the conference web site.

**INVITED SESSIONS** Invited sessions on new topics or innovative applications will be considered, consisting of four to six related papers submitted through the regular review process. Prospective organizers should include a brief summary describing the purpose of the session and follow the submission instructions on the web site.

**VIDEOS** The novelty is that each paper can be accompanied by a 1–2 minute video. Accepted videos accompanying papers will be included in the conference DVD. Contributors can also submit, independently from a paper, a 3–5 minute video for the special video sessions and follow the instructions on the web site.

**TUTORIALS AND WORKSHOPS** Proposals for half-day or full-day tutorials and workshops should be submitted to the Tutorials and Workshops Chair. Prospective organizers should include: statement of objectives, intended audience, list of speakers, and list of topics. More details to follow on the web site.

**EXHIBITS** There will be an exhibition site at the conference. More information for prospective exhibitors will be available on the web site.

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Submission of contributions Notification of acceptance Final contributions due 15 September 2006 31 December 2006 31 January 2007







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