

Call for Papers

2nd International Conference on Dynamics in Logistics (LDIC 2009)

Bremen, Germany, August 17 – 21, 2009

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— Submission deadline extended to February 28, 2009 —

The 2nd International Conference on Dynamics in Logistics (LDIC 2009) will be held in Bremen (Germany) in the third week of August 2009 together with several satellite events. The first conference was held in Bremen in 2007. Proceedings will be published by Springer.

Scope of the Conference

The conference is concerned with the identification, analysis, and description of the dynamics of logistic processes and networks. The spectrum reaches from the modelling and planning of processes over innovative methods like autonomous control and knowledge management to the new technologies provided by radio frequency identification, mobile communication, and networking. The growing dynamic confronts the area of logistics with completely new challenges: It must become possible to rapidly and flexibly adapt logistic processes and networks to continuously changing conditions. LDIC 2009 provides a forum for the discussion of advances in that matter.

The conference addresses scientists in logistics, operations research, and computer science and aims at bringing together both researchers and practitioners interested in dynamics in logistics. Topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- logistic processes
- logistic networks
- autonomous control
- synchronization
- mobile communication

- logistic process modelling
- security
- learning in logistics
- radio frequency identification
- supply chain (event) management
- robotics in logistics
- performance assessment
- sustainable collaboration
- intermodality
- mass customization
- knowledge management
- global networks
- smart container technology
- cold chains
- maritime logistics
- production logistics

Keynote Speakers

Dieter Armbruster (Arizona State University, USA)
Antônio G.N. Novaes (Federal University of Santa Catarina, Brazil)
Kanji Ueda (The University of Tokyo, Japan)

Satellite Events

The main conference will be accompanied by several satellite events including a doctoral symposium. Everyone who would like to organize a workshop or a tutorial is asked to contact the satellite events chair.

Submissions

Papers submitted to the main conference must contain original research and should not exceed ten pages. Simultaneous submission to other events with proceedings or submission of material that has already been published elsewhere is not allowed. Please visit the conference website for submission details and author instructions: www.LDIC.org. Electronic preproceedings will be available at the conference.

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Important Dates

Submission of papers:	February 28, 2009
Proposals for workshops and tutorials:	March 31, 2009
Notification of acceptance:	April 29, 2009
Final version due:	June 10, 2009
Main conference:	August 18–20, 2009
Conference with satellite events:	August 17–21, 2009

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