Call For Papers

TWCS2010 - Workshop on Social Networks
Aug 30- Sep 1, 2010
Turunc, Marmaris, Turkey

Description
Thanks to recent developments in the digital world of Information and Communication Technologies (ICT), such as GSM, Internet, a new kind of social interactions emerged which includes e-mail, chat, blogs, Wikipedia, Facebook, Twitter, SMS, and such. Interestingly, these social interactions are well “documented” and some of them are quite easily accessible, hence provide empirical data to study on.

Yet, there are issues. It is an open issue whether human behave the same on these platforms. Even if we do not, there is still some value to investigate how we act in these “second” life domains. There are a number of issues deal with ethical side such as privacy.

This workshop, is expected to cover different aspects of this challenging new field of research, attract researchers (senior scientist as well as PhD students and postdoctoral researchers) from various fields.

Topics
Any type of empirical social data, models, ethical issues are in the scope of the workshop. The covered topics include but not limited to:

- Social Networks
- Social Dynamics
- Opinion Dynamics
- Online communities
- Online match making
- E-commerce sites
- Referral systems
- Recommendation systems
- Trust systems
- GSM data sets

Important Dates
- Abstract Submission: Jun 15, 2010 (mail to: twcs2010@gmail.com)
- Authors Notification: Jun 30, 2010
- Final Paper Submission and Registration: Jul 10, 2010

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