

Cluster 2003 - IEEE International Conference On Cluster Computing December 1-4, 2003



Sheraton Hong Kong Hotel & Towers, Hong Kong



Conference Registration Form

Complete Form and Mail to:

Cluster 2003 Conference
c/o Dr. Alvin Chan
Department of Computing
The Hong Kong Polytechnic University
Hung Hom, Hong Kong

Or fax the completed form to:

Fax: (852) 2170 0103

For early registration, payment must be received before 15 November 2003.

SECTION A: Attendee Information

(Please print in Capital Letters)

*Prof./Dr./Mr./Ms. Surname: _____ Other Name: _____

Department: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____

Post/ZIP Code: _____ Country: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

Please advise us if you have any special needs _____

Do not include my name and information on: ☐ attendee list ☐ mailing list

SECTION B: Conference Registration – 2-4 December 2003

Attendees are urged to register early to avoid the higher on-site fee. For early registration this form must be received with payment (in HK dollars) before **15 November 2003**. Each registrant will receive 1 hard-copy of the proceedings, be admitted to the technical sessions, poster sessions, daily refreshment breaks, reception and other social functions. Banquet **IS NOT** included with student registration. Banquet tickets and additional guest tickets may be purchased in advance (see Section E). Admission to the tutorials is not covered by the conference registration fee and requires an additional fee (see Section D).

Registration Fees:

<u>ADVANCE</u> on or before 15 November			<u>LATE/ON-SITE</u> After 15 November		
	IEEE member	HK \$3,500 (~USD 450)		IEEE member	HK \$4,300 (~USD 550)
	Non-IEEE member	HK \$4,500 (~USD 580)		Non-IEEE member	HK \$5,400 (~USD 690)
	Full-time student	HK \$2,300 (~USD 300)		Full-time student	HK \$2,800 (~USD 360)

IEEE Membership No.: _____

If student, institution name: _____ Student no.: _____

(a copy of student ID card or a letter from the student's professor is required)

* Delete as appropriate

Payment for Section B: HK\$ _____

SECTION C: Additional Conference Proceedings

Conference registration includes 1-set of conference proceedings. Additional copies of proceedings can be purchased by completing this section. Copies can also be purchased on-site, while supplies last. Please indicate the desired number of copies below and include your payment for any additional set of proceedings.

Additional conference proceedings: _____ copies @ HK\$235 (~USD 30) per copy

Payment for Section C: HK\$ _____

SECTION D: Tutorial Registration – 1 December 2003

Four half-day short courses will be held on 1 December 2003. Registration is **per tutorial** and includes admission to the selected tutorial, and one copy of the tutorial notes.

ADVANCE on or before 15 November	IEEE member Non-IEEE member Full-time student	HK \$1000 (~USD 128) HK \$1250 (~USD 160) HK \$1000 (~USD 128)	LATE/ON- SITE After 15 November	IEEE member Non-IEEE member Full-time student	HK \$1200 (~USD 154) HK \$1500 (~USD 192) HK \$1000 (~USD 128)
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I will attend

Morning Session

- ☐ **T1** – *Designing Next Generation Clusters with Infiniband: Opportunities and Challenges*
- ☐ **T2** – *Using MPI-2: Advanced Features of the Message Passing Interface*

Afternoon Session

- ☐ **T3** – *The GridBus Toolkit for Grid and Utility Computing*
- ☐ **T4** – *Building and Managing Clusters with NPACI Rocks*

Payment for Section D: HK\$ _____

SECTION E: Banquet Ticket

Banquet: Wednesday, 3 December 2003

Student/Guest Banquet Ticket @ HK\$450 (~USD 58)

Quantity: _____

Payment for Section E: HK\$ _____

SECTION F: Payment of Fees

We only accept payment in HK dollar. Only Bank Draft, local personal check (for Hong Kong registrants only) or credit card payment will be accepted. Registration without proper payment authorization will be denied without notification. All Bank Drafts or local personal checks should be made payable to **HK SECT OF IEEE (COMPUTER CHAPTER)**.

Total Payment B+C+D+E: HK\$ _____

(NOTE: Advance fees apply only to payments received on or before 15 November 2003)

- ☐ My bank draft / personal check (HK registrants only) is enclosed and made payable to

HK SECT OF IEEE (COMPUTER CHAPTER)

- ☐ Please charge the following credit card

☐ Visa card

☐ Master card

Card No.: _____

Total payment in HK\$ _____ (for credit card payment only)

Cardholder Name: _____ Expiration date: _____

Signature: _____

Cluster 2003 Registration Information

		Advance	Late/Onsite
Conference	IEEE Member	HK \$3,500 (~USD 450)	HK \$4,300 (~USD 550)
	Non-Member	HK \$4,500 (~USD 580)	HK \$5,400 (~USD 690)
	Full-time Student	HK \$2,300 (~USD 300)	HK \$2,800 (~USD 360)
Tutorial (per tutorial cost)	IEEE Member	HK \$1,000 (~USD 128)	HK \$1,200 (~USD 154)
	Non-Member	HK \$1,250 (~USD 160)	HK \$1,500 (~USD 192)
	Full-time Student	HK \$1,000 (~USD 128)	HK \$1,000 (~USD 128)
Banquet Ticket	Student/Guest	HK \$450 (~USD 58)	HK \$450 (~USD 58)

General Registration Information

To qualify for advance registration discounts, registration form **and** payment must be received by **15 November 2003**. Registrations received after the deadline will be charged at the late/on-site registration rate. Those received after the late deadline may not be acknowledged or accepted and may require processing and payment onsite.

Tutorials (Monday, 1 December)

Morning Tutorials (8:30am - 12:00pm)

Tutorial 1 – Designing Next Generation Clusters with Infiniband: Opportunities and Challenges, *D. Panda (Ohio State University)*.

Tutorial 2 – Using MPI-2: Advanced Features of the Message Passing Interface, *W. Gropp, E. Lusk, R. Ross and R. Thakur (Argonne National Lab)*.

Afternoon Tutorials (1:30pm - 5:00pm)

Tutorial 3 – The Gridbus Toolkit for Grid and Utility Computing, *R. Buyya (University of Melbourne)*.

Tutorial 4 – Building and Managing Clusters with NPACI Rocks, *G. Bruno, M. Katz, P. Papadopoulos, F. Sacerdoti, (NPACI Rocks group at San Diego Supercomputer Center and Singapore Computing Systems)*.

Registration Confirmation

Email confirmation of conference registration will be sent by the Cluster2003 Financial Chair within seven days of receiving your registration. If you do not receive confirmation, please email us at cstschan@comp.polyu.edu.hk. Please reference Cluster 2003 conference.

Member and Student Member Discounts

To qualify for the discounted Member rates, you must be a member of IEEE or the IEEE Computer Society, and include your membership number(s). To qualify for the Full-time Student rate you must be a student who is attending university on a full-time basis. A copy of student ID card or a letter from the student's professor must be submitted together with the completed registration form. Nonmembers can save immediately by applying online now for IEEE membership or IEEE Computer Society membership.

Invitation Letters

Our policy is that invitation letters can be issued only to speakers, presenters, committee members, IEEE members or persons known by the organizing committee. Registration fees must be settled before the letter is provided. Letters will only be sent by Postal Mail or fax and only to the individual registered for the conference. To request for the invitation letter, please contact the Program Chair Dr. C. L. Wang at clwang@csis.hku.hk.

Payment

Payment must accompany all registration forms and can be made by credit card (MasterCard or VISA), check, or bank draft. Checks or bank drafts must be in HK dollar, and payable to **HK SECT OF IEEE (COMPUTER CHAPTER)**. No registrations will be accepted over the phone. **Forms received without actual payment WILL NOT be processed.**

On-Site Registration

On-site registrants will pay late registration fees. Credit cards (MasterCard or VISA) are the preferred form of payment. All checks must be in HK dollar, and payable to **HK SECT OF IEEE (COMPUTER CHAPTER)**.

Cancellations and Substitutions

Cancellations and substitutions are allowed. However, full registration fees will be charged unless a cancellation notice is sent in writing, and received or faxed on or before 15 November to: Cluster 2003 Conference, c/o Dr. Alvin Chan, Department of Computing, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hung Hom, Hong Kong, Fax: (852) 2170 0103.

A HK\$780 (~USD 100) handling fee will be applied to all canceled registrations. Fees cannot be refunded for registrations canceled after 15 November 2003. No-shows will be billed. (Note: At least one author of an accepted paper must register at the full rate, any cancellation request that violates this requirement will not be approved.)

For substitution, a letter on your company's letterhead is required from the original registrant stating the conditions of the substitution and the name of the replacement. Contact the Organizer of the Cluster 2003 Conference at the above address for substitutions (allowed at any time).

Questions

Questions about this form or the registration process should be directed to cluster2003@csis.hku.hk. (Please reference Cluster 2003 registration.)