

WSDM 2011 Workshop Proposal Template

Workshop Title

Workshop Website (if available)

The workshop organizers are requested to fill out this template and submit the proposal online at <http://www.easychair.org/conferences/?conf=wsdm11ws>. For further inquiries, please contact the Workshop Chairs, Evgeniy Gabrilovich (gabr [AT] yahoo [DASH] inc [DOT] com) and Wai Lam (wlam [AT] se [DOT] cuhk [DOT] edu [DOT] hk).

1. Workshop Organizers

- Salutation, First Name, Last Name, Affiliation, Country, Email
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2. Workshop Contact Person

- First Name, Last Name
- Postal Address
- Phone and Fax Number
- Email and Website

3. Workshop Abstract

- A brief abstract of the proposed workshop (no more than 200 words)

4. Workshop Theme and Topics

- Theme and topics of interest of the proposed workshop

5. Workshop Objectives, Goals, and Expected Outcome

- Objectives, goals, and outcomes of the proposed workshop (no more than 400 words)

6. Target Audience

- Describe the target audience and an estimation of the number of participants of the proposed workshop

7. Workshop Relevance

- Explain why the proposed workshop is relevant to WSDM 2011 in terms of the timing, venue, delegates, conference theme, etc.

8. Past Workshops

- List past workshops, if any, that are related to the proposed workshop that the organizer(s) have organized in recent years. For each workshop instance, include at least the following information: host conference, year, web site, number of submissions and participation, etc.

9. Related Workshops

- List other related workshops in recent Web-related conferences. For each related workshop, indicate the main differences between the related and proposed workshop.

10. Workshop Administration

10.1. Workshop Program Format

- Are you proposing a full-day or half-day workshop ?
- Describe the intended workshop format (tentative plan of activities, e.g., paper/poster presentations, long vs. short papers, discussion panel).

10.2. Workshop Schedule/Important Dates

- Describe the workshop schedule (or Important Dates), e.g., submission deadline, review period, notification date, final version submission date, etc.

10.3. Venue, Equipment, Materials, and Needs

- List out workshop's special needs, e.g., audio/visual requirements, if any

10.4. Program Committee

- Salutation, First Name, Last Name, Affiliation, Country, Email
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10.5. Participation and Selection Process

- Describe the participation and the selection/review criteria and process

10.6. Workshop Proceedings

- Describe how the workshop proceedings will be published



11. Organizers' Background

- List out each organizer's background including relevant past and/or recent experience in organizing workshops and/or conferences.

12. Other Relevant Information

- Include other information about the workshop if available, e.g., CFP, submission guidelines, references, etc.