

ACCESS 2013

Foreword

The Fourth International Conference on Access Networks (ACCESS 2013), held between July 21 and July 26, 2013 in Nice, France, continued a series of conferences dealing with access networks, services and technologies based on the previous NEUTRAL and HOWAN workshop treating particular access aspects. ACCESS 2012 aimed to provide an international forum by researchers, students, and professionals to present recent research results on advances in networking access.

We take here the opportunity to warmly thank all the members of the ACCESS 2013 Technical Program Committee, as well as all of the reviewers. The creation of such a high quality conference program would not have been possible without their involvement. We also kindly thank all the authors who dedicated much of their time and efforts to contribute to ACCESS 2013. We truly believe that, thanks to all these efforts, the final conference program consisted of top quality contributions.

Also, this event could not have been a reality without the support of many individuals, organizations, and sponsors. We are grateful to the members of the ACCESS 2013 organizing committee for their help in handling the logistics and for their work to make this professional meeting a success.

We hope that ACCESS 2013 was a successful international forum for the exchange of ideas and results between academia and industry and for the promotion of progress in the field of access networks.

We are convinced that the participants found the event useful and communications very open. We hope that Nice, France provided a pleasant environment during the conference and everyone saved some time to enjoy the charm of this city.

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