FAIM2011 News and Reminders #2

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Dear FAIM 2011 Authors, Contributors, and Participants:

Greetings!!! Please take notes on the following news items:

1. Process of peer-review on all paper manuscripts has been done. Feedback and editorial decisions are available on the website at: <u>http://faim2011.vexp.net/sub/</u> (Step 4). Please make sure to log in and check for feedback if you have not already done so. If for any reason you cannot find the review feedback or have problems of accessing them, please contact us at this email address immediately.

Formal acceptance letters will only be distributed through the website at http://faim2011.vexp.net/sub/ (Step 5) for your use (to download). If you have been checking your email, your acceptance letter may be waiting for you at the website. While some papers require a second round of modifications, all modifications must complete and be accepted by 23 April 2011 to meet the publication deadline of our conference proceedings (2 volumes).

 The on-line registration and payment system for international attendees has been fully functional. Attendees from outside Taiwan can register at: <u>http://www.leanenterprisesystems.org/faim2011/registratin_1.html</u>
Registration site and payment system for attendees from Taiwan (domestic participants) will be made available shortly.

3. We recommend that attendees choose to stay in one of the two conference hotels there will be free shuttle bus services provided between these two hotels the conference center at the Taichung Science Park (approximately 20 minutes ride). These two hotels, the Windsor Hotel and the Howard Hotel are right next to each other, conveniently located in one of the free bus routes connecting the hotels to the Taiwan High-Speed Rail (http://www.thsrc.com.tw/en/) Taichung Station.

4. Another more economical option for budget sensitive participants to

consider is the "In One City Inn". Some photographs of the rooms can be viewed at: <u>http://en.inone.com.tw/rooms/</u>. Please note that the prices listed on the webpage are not current, so the hotel management should be contacted to determine the exact discounted rates. The hotel management can be reached at: <u>reservation@inone.com.tw</u>

5. There are also a limited number of rooms available at the Feng Chia University Alumni House

(http://www.ga.fcu.edu.tw/wSite/ct?xItem=54556&ctNode=18317&mp=230103) Rooms in this facility are very economically priced (US\$30-40/night). The Feng Chia Alumni House can be reached by phone at (04)27012634. Callers from outside Taiwan should use the 886 country-code prefix and dial: 886-4-2701-2634. Please note that you may need to take taxis to the conference center at Taichung Science Park if you stay at either "In One City Inn" or "Feng Chia Alumni House." The Taxi fare is about NT\$200 (approximately US\$7.00) for each ride (3 passengers).

6. If you need special invitation/paper acceptance documents for your travel and visa application purposes, please do contact us immediately. We will make every effort to assist you promptly.

We shall keep you updated with future newsletters.

Best Regards,

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