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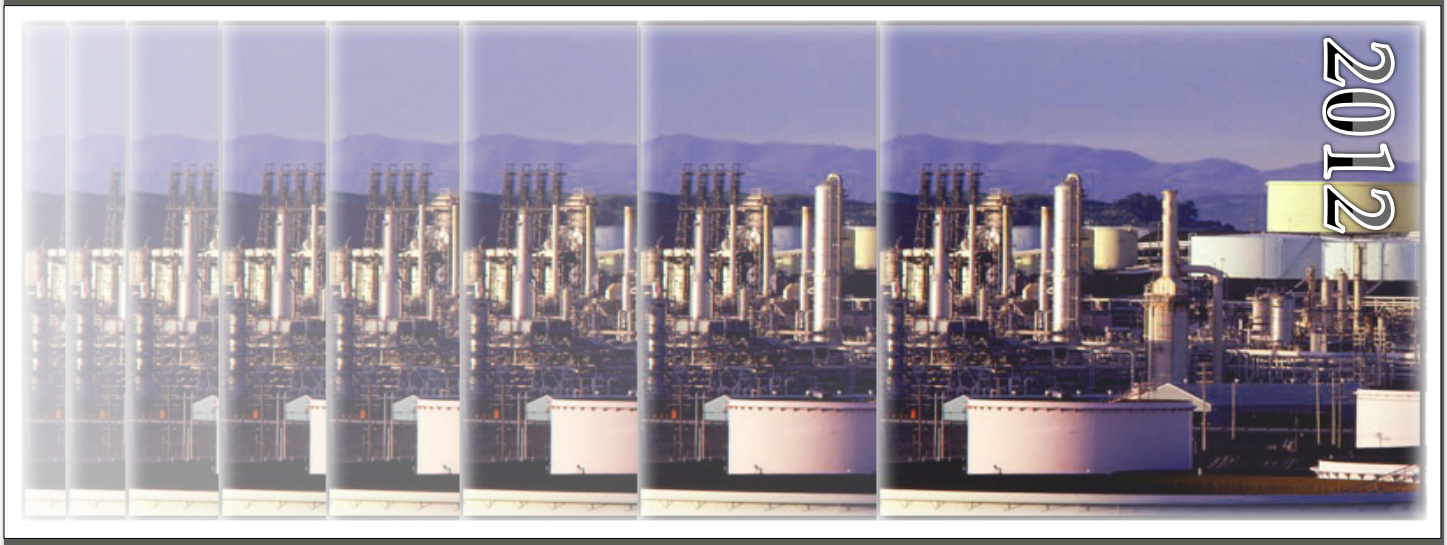

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WASHINGTON, D. C.
JUNE 17-19, 2013

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- **IEEE Conference on Control Applications (CCA)**, and,
- **IEEE International Symposium on Intelligent Control (ISIC)**, and,
- **IEEE Conference on Computer Aided Control System Design - Systems under Uncertainty (CACSD-SU).**

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JULY 15, 2013

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Special Issue

Control of Cyber-Physical Systems

Cyber-physical systems are engineered systems whose operations are monitored, coordinated, controlled, and integrated by computing and communication cores interacting with the physical environment. Cyber-physical systems transform how we interact with the physical world just like the Internet has transformed how we interact with one another. Advances in this field will have an enormous societal impact and economic benefit in areas such as energy, transportation, manufacturing, health, agriculture and many more. Recently there has been an enormous scientific and industrial interest in cyber-physical systems. Consequently theories, tools, and practices for the design and operation of these systems are emerging. The aim of this special issue is to capture the latest developments in the fundamentals and applications of control of cyber-physical systems. We solicit papers on the following topics:

- Abstractions and heterogeneous models for cyber-physical systems
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- Modular and component-based design of cyber-physical systems
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- Real-time scheduling and performance of cyber-physical systems
- Distributed implementation and fault detection in cyber-physical systems
- Verification and run-time monitoring of cyber-physical systems
- Cyber-security and trust in control of cyber-physical systems

We expect that some of the papers will describe emerging applications in intelligent transportation, power systems, smart buildings, medical devices, mobile robotics, process industry etc.

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