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"Intelligent Agents with Belief, Intention and Desire" Michael P. Georgeff, Australian Artificial Intelligence Institute, Melbourne, current chair of International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence

"Cool Fusion - key themes in designing information fusion systems" Daniel McMichael, Data and Information Fusion Program, CSSIP

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inference, and information fusion, as well as related applications in industry, defence, medicine, and geoinformation.

SCOPE:

1. GEOMETRIC IMAGING SITUATION RECOVERY:

aspects of geometric situation of image formation, single and stereo camera calibration and image orientation, image network recovery and adjustment, structure and motion from image sequence.

2. IMAGE ANALYSIS AND FEATURE EXTRACTION:

multiresolution image analysis, scale space, wavelets, phase-based representation, polymorphic features, feature detection and tracking.

3. STEREO VISION AND MULTIPLE IMAGE FUSION:

stereo image matching, phase-based matching, feature-based matching, object-space image matching, fusion of visual modules, multiple image matching, surface reconstruction, disparity discontinuity and occlusion, horizontal and hierarchical disparity propagation.

4. INFORMATION FUSION THEORIES AND ARCHITECTURES:

interfacing signals with symbols, Bayesian networks, probabilistic knowledge representation and inference, Blackboard architectures, neural networks, intelligent agents with belief, desire and intention.

5. APPLICATIONS:

active vision systems, photogrammetry and remote sensing, monitoring and control of dynamic engineering systems, situation and threat assessment for defence, battlefield information fusion, medical expert systems with sensors, geographic information systems, etc.

SUBMISSION PROCEDURES:

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