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ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR PAPERS

The Middle East E-Learning Forum

Held as part of:

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13ᵗʰ International Conference on Interactive Computer aided Learning

Academic and Corporate E-Learning in a Global Context

September 15 – 17, 2010, Hasselt, Belgium

The Middle East has been selected to be the "Guest of Honor" for ICL2010. It is a region which is among the fastest growing economies of the world, with major focus on education and training. Saudi Arabia, for example, has recently announced that more than 25% of its 2010 budget will be allocated to education and training. This is a 13% increase in budget allocation compared to the last fiscal year. E-Learning and E-training is evolving rapidly in the Arab world to catch up with the rest of the world.

The Middle East Forum will focus on business opportunities in the Arab world in Academic e-learning, Corporate online training, and Government initiatives and opportunities. Leading experts and researchers are invited to participate in presenting success cases, best practices, innovative solutions, and current and future trends in e-learning environment in the Arab world.

The Forum is an excellent opportunity for researchers, corporations, and organisations involved in e-learning in the Middle East to collaborate and exchange experiences with potential international partners, academic researchers, and solution providers who are interested in establishing contacts and a cooperation with their counterparts from the Middle East.

The Forum will be held as part of ICL 2010, and it is organized by the **University of Hasselt, Belgium** in cooperation **with E-L-M-E, Inc**., **Egypt**:

Topics of Interest

Mobile learning environments and applications in the Arab world • Multilingual Platforms and authoring tools • Academic and corporate e-learning trends in the Middle East • E-Learning readiness • Technology advancements • Organisational issues • Knowledge exchange • Arabization VS. localization • Social impact of e-learning • Open source initiatives • Best practices in e-Training • Collaborative learning cases in the Middle East • New learning models and applications • Cost-effectiveness in developed economies • Business experiences in and impact of the implementation of e-training in the Arab world • E-Learning readiness: measuring it and action

Types of Contributions

- **Full Papers** (peer reviewed, 20 minutes presentation followed by a panel discussion)
- **Round Table Discussions** (work in progress, late papers, doctoral thesis discussions)

For submissions and registration: **http://www.conftool.com/icl-conference/**

Important Dates

May 03, 2010	**Submission of extended abstracts** (two pages)
June 07, 2010	**Notification of acceptance**
Aug. 30, 2010	**Camera-ready due**
Sept. 15-17, 2010	**Conference ICL2010**

Proceedings

All accepted submissions will be published in the ICL2010 proceedings (with ISBN).