

ASIM DEDICATED CONFERENCE

Simulation in Production and Logistics

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Dear Sir or Madam,

the Dedicated Conference of the working group "Simulation" (ASIM) with emphasis on production and logistics became established being **the most important European Conference on this topic**. Every second year scientists, vendors and users meet in order to get informed about new developments and interesting applications in the field of simulation. In 2008, selected topics with relevance for simulation include: digital factory, cost analysis methods, applications of simulation (e.g. from production, organization structures, personnel scheduling, ramp-up management, planning and control, logistics, quality management), simulation in the automotive industry, simulation for supply chain management, simulation for one-of-a-kind and site fabrication, simulation, optimization and experiment planning, distributed simulation and interoperability, simulation and visualization, new simulation methods and systems and modelling approaches and algorithms for specific applications.

Fraunhofer IPK has been the organizer of the ASIM Dedicated Conference for the 5th time, already. It supports the productive exchange of ideas of the participants by **a pleasant and professionally designed environment**. The international programme committee guarantees the high quality of the technical papers and a well-balanced relation between research, development and industrial usage. Leading vendors of software and service providers demonstrate the latest simulation tools and their services in the attending exhibition.

You will find always find latest information about the conference as well as background from the previous conferences on the conference homepage (<http://www.asim.fhg.de>). Of course, you are very welcome to contact Fraunhofer directly if you have any further questions. Please, do note, that the deadline for the submission of abstracts is 29 February 2008.

Sincerely,

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Chair of the Program Committee