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MCDM Doctoral Dissertation Award

At the 22nd International Conference on Multiple Criteria Decision Making, the International Society on Multiple Criteria Decision Making will honor **the MCDM Doctoral Dissertation Award** to a young scholar who has recently obtained a doctoral degree and completed an excellent doctoral dissertation in the Multiple Criteria Decision Making (MCDM) and/or related research fields.

Once applications are received, the MCDM Doctoral Dissertation Award Committee will evaluate the applications, identify finalists and provide recommendations to the MCDM Executive Committee for the final decision. The award will be announced at the 22nd International Conference on Multiple Criteria Decision Making, University of Málaga, Spain, June 17-21, 2013. The finalists are expected to give a short talk at the conference and the final decision will be made after the talks.

Application Process:

Deadline for applications: February 28, 2013. Please send the zip file of the application packet to Yong Shi, the chair of the MCDM Doctoral Dissertation Award Committee at yshi@unomaha.edu and yshi@gucas.ac.cn

Eligibility: All applicants, whose dissertation is in the MCDM and/or related fields and graduated with a doctoral degree in 2010, 2011, 2012 or 2013.

The application packet should include the following documents (all of which must be written in English, except the diploma or acceptance form):

- Cover letter.
- Detailed resume.
- Scanned copy of the original diploma of Doctoral Degree /Scanned copy of dissertation acceptance form signed by all committee members for recent graduates who do not have the diploma.
- Electronic copy of the Doctoral Dissertation Report of the corresponding supervisor.
- Extended Abstract of the Doctoral Dissertation in English, limit of four single-spaced pages.
- Copy of related publications/patents based on the Doctoral Dissertation, if any. In this case, the report of the supervisor must include a paragraph stating that the publication(s) derive directly from the dissertation.

- Supporting letters of three references, at least two from persons who were not Dissertation Advisors or did serve on the Dissertation Committee.

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