



Students: The Movers and Shakers of EMBS Student Leader Event Description

Student Club or Chapter: IEEE EMBS Student Club at Johannes Kepler University (Austria)

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Title of Event: Workshop on Microscopy and Medical Image Processing
Approximate Number of Attendees: XXX

FUNDING:

Total Budget: XXX

Funding Sources: Technology Transfer Program (Land Oberösterreich), Dept. of Knowledge-based Mathematical Systems at Johannes Kepler University

Expenses: XXX

DESCRIPTION OF EVENT:

In May 2006, the EMBS Student Club recruited thirteen presenters to give seminars on topics ranging from mathematics to biophysics, representing nine institutes and covering various aspects of microscopy and medical image processing. The topic changed, grew, shifted and metamorphosed into its final version that also encompassed more general themes, like inverse problems and promising approaches from applications in other fields. Participants from the region were required to submit abstracts and an application to attend the workshop.

NAME ONE MAJOR HURDLE OF THE EVENT AND HOW IT WAS OVERCOME:

To ensure that interested people in the area knew about the event, we started to advertise the event at Johannes Kepler University as well as other universities in the area. Jodi Strock (EMBS Executive Office) provided invaluable help by distributing the workshop announcement on the IEEE mailing list.

WHAT WAS THE MOST REWARDING PART OF THIS EVENT?

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HOW DID THIS EVENT CONTRIBUTE TO LEADERSHIP SKILLS?

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FUTURE RECOMMENDATIONS:

On second thought, next time we would not scare applicants by requiring "up to 4 pages abstracts". I couldn't find any serious organizational problems to talk about, and the workshop somehow seemed to evolve by itself.

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